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APRIL BARGAINS

Geo. Wyman & Co. Offer
EXCEPTIONAL VALUES FOR APRIL.

HOSIERY AND UNDERWEAR.

We offer complete new lines of Hosiery and Underwear for Spring. Men's and Ladies' hose, black at 4 colors, plain and drop stitched, extra values, direct from the mills, 10 cents per pair.
Children's school stockings, both heavy and light weight, 10 cts; extra heavy ribbed, 15 cts. pair; fine ribbed, regular made foot, 15 cts. pair.
We offer the best Boy's heavy bicycle hose we every set out at 25 cts. pair; also extra fine for \$12, 25 cts. pair.
We offer Men's and Ladies' lace and fancy hose at 10 cts. and up to \$4.50 pair.
We offer a new line of Men's Negligee shirts at 50 cts; 100 dozen Neckties, several new shapes, 25 cts. each.

MILLINERY.

We offer 500 Ladies' Dress Hats at special sale, 2, 3 and \$5, made by our own milliners in the latest styles. The best hats we ever made at the prices named.
Also Ladies' street hats, 1, 1.50 and \$2.00.
Children's and Misses' hats we offer at 25 cts. and up, you will wonder how we make them so good for such low prices.

SILKS AND RIBBONS

In Silk Department we offer Black Taffeta, silk at 40c, 60c, 65c and up; also Morie and Morie antique at \$2.50 and \$3.50. The dollar quality of colored Taffeta silks, 50c yard. One table fabric silks, 75c yard worth to \$1.50.
In Ribbon Department we offer complete newlines of Taffeta, Satin Taffeta, Liberty Satin and Morie Ribbons. all widths and colors. We offer one line Taffeta Ribbons, widths 40, 60 at 8c yard.

CARPETS AND CURTAINS

We offer 36x72 in. Wool Smyrna Rugs at \$1.75; Brussels Rugs 9 ft. x 10 ft. 6 in at \$10; Brussels Rugs 9 ft. x 12 ft. \$12.50. One line Wilton Rugs \$50.
We offer 60 in. x 3 yards Derby Portieres, all colors, \$2 pair.
We offer Ruffled Muslin Curtains, striped, 3 yards long, 50 cts. pair while they last. We have a full line of Ruffled Curtains in Alushin and Bobbinet up to \$7.50 pair.
We offer 100 pairs Nottingham Lace Curtains 50 in x 3 yards, \$1.50 quality at \$1.00 pair. Other patterns 5c pair up to \$3.00.
We offer a new line of imported Colored Madras, fast colors, in curtains and yard goods.
We offer the latest novelties in fine lace curtains from \$2 to \$200 pair.
We now have on sale a new line of grill work at 25 cts. ft and up.

CLOAKS AND SUITS

We offer an entire new line of Ladies' white and colored shirt waists, 50c up to \$7. One table shirt waists carried from last year, 25 cts. each, sizes 32 to 46.
We offer Ladies' plain and fancy silk waists, all colors, \$5 quality \$3.50 while they last, sizes 32 to 46.
One table Ladies' suits, \$5 each, worth to \$10.
One table Ladies' muslin skirts, embroidery and lace trimmed, worth to \$2.50 of \$1.85.
Ladies' calico wrappers, 75c quality \$9.00.
Children's gingham and tennis dresses, 2 to 5 years, 25c each. We have a complete line of children's wa h dresses, white and colors ages 2 years to 14 years.

TRUNKS

We offer a complete line of Trunks, Bags, Suit Cases and Telescopes on second floor in our Cloak and Suit Department.

Geo. Wyman & Co.

CLOSED EVENINGS
EXCEPT SATURDAY

SOUTH BEND, IND

LOST IN A RIVER FIRE

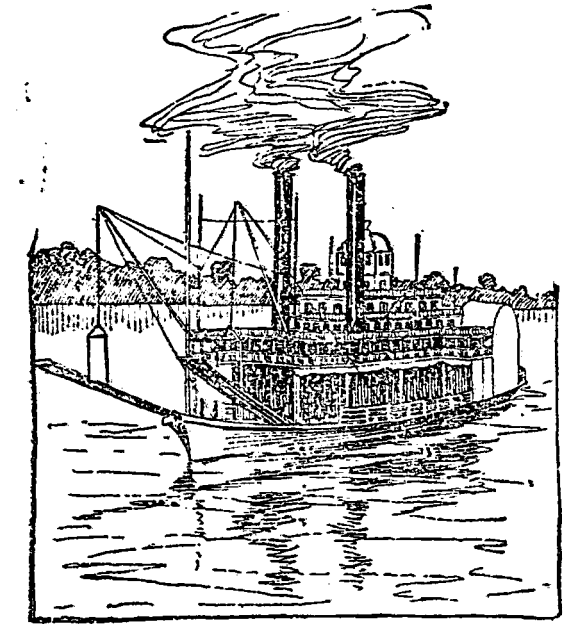
Steamer City of Pittsburg Burns
in the Ohio Between Paducah and Cairo.

DEAD MAY REACH ONE HUNDRED

Careful Estimate Puts It at Sixty-
Three—Names Show Seventy,
Forty-One of Them Passengers.

Cairo, Ills., April 21.—The side-wheel steamer City of Pittsburg, en route from Cincinnati to Memphis, was burned to the water's edge early yesterday morning near Ogden's landing, a shipping point eleven miles from Mound City, Ills., and twenty-four miles from this city.

Cairo, Ills., April 22.—After searching two days the death roll of the burned steamer City of Pittsburg has not been reduced any from the first reports. Of the 145 people on the boat when it burned about half are still missing, and no further hope for them is expressed. The books and valuables of the boat, the crew and the passengers are still in the ruins. The wreck is above water and was smoldering



TYPICAL MISSISSIPPI RIVER PACKET.

last night. Owing to the heated condition of the hull search for those cremated in it has not been begun, and very few of the bodies of those who are drowned have been recovered, owing to the swift current at the scene of the disaster.

Coroner Can Learn Nothing.
At the coroner's inquest yesterday over the bodies of Captain Sylvester Doss and Miss Marie Tissium a verdict was rendered that the former came to death from exhaustion and the latter from inhaling smoke; and nothing was developed as to the origin or cause of, or responsibility for the disaster. Captain Phillips testified that he could not account for the origin of the fire unless an electric wire had started it. He stated that so far as he knew there were fifty-six lives lost. The coroner was advised of other bodies being recovered at distances from this city, but none of them had been identified.

Long Tract of Bereavement.
Sensational reports have been circulated about an alleged quarrel between the officers of the steamer and the roustabouts, and that the fire may have been of incendiary origin, but no credence is given to these reports. Many stories have been told by survivors of their thrilling experiences in escaping from the burning decks, and some of them are of a most startling character. The victims were from points along the Ohio valley, and they have left a trail of bereavement from Pittsburg to the Mississippi.

REVISED LIST OF THE LOST

Gives Forty-One Dead Out of Sixty-Six Passengers Who Were on Board.

The following is a revised list of names of missing passengers who were aboard the City of Pittsburg: Captain Wes Doss, Cincinnati; Miss Mary Tissium, Cincinnati; three children of Mrs. Fannie McCullom, Leavenworth, Ind.; Patrick Burt, wife and ten children, of Owensboro, Ky., one child only survives of a family of thirteen; child of Pilot Al Pritchard; Clay Breeze, wife and son, of Uniontown, Ky.; child of Archer M. Allen, Pittsburg; H. Gleeran, Cloverport, Ky.; Mr. Coopersmith, Cincinnati; Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Adams, of Jamestown, O.; Mrs. Leach, LaSalle, Ills.; Mr. Downe and Thomas Smith, of Memphis; Miss Marie Lister, Carrollton, O.; Mrs. Davis, of Memphis; Miss Sweeney, of Owensboro, Ky.; L. L. Hunter, of Tideoute, Pa.; unknown child; colored man and wife, of Paducah, Ky.; unknown young man, of Paducah, Ky.; two Messrs. Worthington, of Pittsburg, and a young lady; lady from Bayou Mills.

The foregoing list gives forty-one persons lost out of the passenger list of sixty-six. The later list of the lost of the crew numbers twenty-nine out of seventy-nine, which would make a total of seventy lost—fourteen more than estimated by the captain. The members of the crew lost were all from Louisville of farther up the Ohio.

A careful estimate of those who were aboard the City of Pittsburg puts the loss of life at sixty-three as the lowest, and the opinion of some who have kept a tab on the missing is that the list will approximate 100. There is no means of obtaining the exact figures, as the register of passengers and the list of the crew were burned and the boat's officers rely on their memories in making the estimate. Of this appalling death list only three bodies have been recovered and identified up to this writing.

No Postponement for Andrews.

Detroit, Mich., April 19.—Justice Whelan denied the request of the attorneys of Frank C. Andrews and Henry R. Andrews, vice president and cashier, respectively, of the suspended City Savings Bank, for a three weeks' postponement of their clients' examination on the charge of wrecking the bank, which was set for to-day. After listening to their arguments and to the objections of Prosecutor Hunt, Justice Whelan ordered that the examinations be proceeded with.

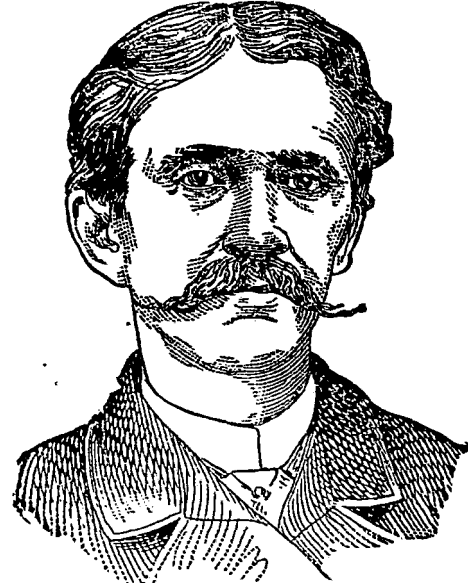
Child Drowned in a Well.

Adrian, Mich., April 18.—Rachel, the 6-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Auten, of Holloway, fell into a well with twenty-five feet of water. She was found lifeless fifteen minutes later.

DEATH OF FRANK STOCKTON

Well Known Author Suddenly Passes to the Impenetrable Shadows—
Taken Ill at Banquet.

Washington, April 21.—Frank R. Stockton, the well known novelist, died suddenly here yesterday morning from hemorrhage of the brain.



FRANK R. STOCKTON.

Stockton was a guest at the banquet held Wednesday night of the National Academy of Sciences, when he was taken suddenly and mysteriously ill. By his bedside when the end came were his wife, who was a Miss Tuttle, of Virginia, and her sister. He was 68 years of age. The body will be taken to Philadelphia for interment.

BODY OF MISSING MAN FOUND

George Crowley, Who Disappeared from Council Grove, Kan., Was Murdered—
Police Seek His Partner.

Emporia, Kan., April 21.—The Crowley murder mystery has been unraveled. The body of George Crowley has been discovered in the Neosho river, two miles south of Americus. It had been in the water for weeks and was identified by the clothing and marks. The skull was crushed and the body tied with barb-wire to a large rock.

George Crowley and his partner, Dumproe, left here March 13 in a lumber wagon. Crowley was agent of the Emporia Junk company in Council Grove and Dumproe was his partner. The day after Crowley and Dumproe left here for Council Grove Dumproe arrived alone with the team and wagon. He told Crowley's wife Crowley had decided to go to Kansas City, where he intended to go into the junk business. The boy loafed around Council Grove several days, bought a new overcoat, and started west. The police are tracing him.

Elet D. M. Parry President.

Indianapolis, April 19.—In the convention of the National Association of Manufacturers the report of the nominating committee, which proposed Charles S. Schieren of New York for president, was defeated. D. M. Parry of Indianapolis was elected president unanimously; E. H. Sanborn of Philadelphia, secretary, and Hamilton Carhart of Detroit, treasurer. The resolution protesting against the passage of the anti-injunction bill in the United States senate was adopted without debate unanimously. New Orleans was selected as the next convention city.

Auto Marriage Is a Failure.

St. Louis, April 18.—Professor Edward Greenup, middle-aged, who was married a few weeks ago to Miss Fannie C. Carbon, a young Chicago girl, in an automobile on the Bads bridge, has instituted proceedings for divorce, charging desertion. The couple's honeymoon was characterized by a series of quarrels, provoked by jealousy. After nineteen days of married life the bride packed her belongings and removed to the suburb of Kirkwood. Professor Greenup alleges that his wife used harsh language and scratched his face.

Toombs Is Found Guilty.

Chicago, April 21.—The jury in the case of Louis Toombs, on trial for the murder of Carrie Larsen on board the steamer Peerless on the night of Dec. 31, 1901, brought in a verdict of murder in the first degree, and Toombs was sentenced to hang. The jury was out but twenty minutes and the verdict was reached on the first ballot. His first trial resulted in a hung jury, two brothers named Kane preferring to believe in the alibi set up by the prisoner.

Gates Clears Up \$5,000,000.

New York, April 18.—The greatest interest was manifested in financial circles in the final outcome of the purchase by John W. Gates of the control of the Louisville and Nashville Railroad company and his turning over the control to J. P. Morgan & Co. In usually well-informed circles it was said that Mr. Gates was practically settled with on a cash basis, and that the result was a net profit to him and his associates of \$5,000,000.

Strother's Jury Fails to Agree.

St. Louis, April 21.—The jury in the case against William Strother, the negro charged with the murder of A. Deane Cooper, the millionaire who was killed in a bath house several months ago, was unable to agree on a verdict and was discharged by Judge Ryan. The jury stood seven for acquittal and five for conviction.

Trisco Tie-Up Is Complete.

San Francisco, April 22.—The tie-up of the street car system operated by the United Railway company, of San Francisco, is complete, not a passenger car on this system moving yesterday. Mail cars on this line were running without interruption, and the lines of two independent companies were being operated.

WIFE STICKS CLOSE TO HIM

She Is Faithful While Others Look on Him as a Murderer.

Bay City, Mich., April 18.—A little, blond, crestfallen man, attired in an ill-fitting ulster, sat in the prisoners' dock in Justice King's court while his attorneys, Prosecuting Attorney N. A. Snow, of Arenac county, and Lee E. Joslyn, of this city, argued the question of reducing the charge against him from murder in the first degree to simple manslaughter.

The mild little man is George Hosier, accused of brutally killing Andrew Paine, a 55-year-old farmer, in his barn in Gibson township two weeks ago. The lawyers for the defense did not succeed in convincing the court, and Hosier was bound over to the May term of the circuit court for trial on his old charge.

Hosier's wife was with him, as usual, and does her best to keep up her husband's ebbing courage. Several neighbors show an exceptional interest in the case, and are very friendly to the accused. Had the charge been reduced to simple manslaughter these neighbors would have bailed out Hosier. As it is he languishes in jail. He will now plead self-defense.

FIVE DAYS' TIME WAS ENOUGH

To Convince This Couple That There Was a Misfit Somewhere.

Grand Rapids, Mich., April 22.—Married March 28, separated March 29, reunited the same day, finally separated April 2, after a matrimonial career of five days, is the chronological record that form a part of the bill of complaint filed in the circuit court by Samuel Fleming against his wife, Nora. Abandonment is the charge, and marital discontent and dislike for the restraints of married life on the part of the woman are the burden of the complaint.

Incidentally the husband mentions that it was agreed before the marriage that his wife was to live with him at the home of his widowed mother. It is related that the new wife packed up her goods and left her home as soon as her husband had gone to work on the morning following the wedding, but changed her mind and returned the same day. Four days afterward she left for good and, the husband charges, says she will never return.

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Loaded Pistol Lying Around.

St. Charles, Mich., April 21.—Little Duber Phillips picked up his big brother's revolver, which had been left on a table. His tiny fingers pulled the trigger while the barrel pointed at his chest. The loud explosion, which scared Mrs. Phillips and the other children, forced the bullet through his right side and buried it in the wall behind him. The doctor says he may recover.

Michigan Vital Statistics.

Lansing, Mich., April 18.—There were 2,950 deaths in Michigan in March, corresponding to a death rate of 14.1 per 1,000 population—a slight increase over the rate for February. The most marked features of the month were the increased numbers of deaths from pulmonary tuberculosis and the common diseases of children. There were but three deaths from smallpox.

Out His Own Head With a Hatchet.

Coloma, Mich., April 21.—Edward Koplin, a printer, of Chicago, traveling with the La Reno family for the benefit of his health, struck himself on the head with a hatchet in the Bunker opera house here in a fit of mental derangement. A ragged wound was caused which bled profusely, though no serious damage was done. Koplin has been in ill health for several months.

Land Reclamation Approved.

Lansing, Mich., April 19.—The board of control of state swamp lands met and approved the survey of the portion of Shiawassee river in St. Charles township, Saginaw county, for the improvement of which 5,000 acres of swamp land have been appropriated. The local commissioner, John H. Thayer, of Farmington, was authorized to advertise for bids for the work.

Weds a Girl With Wealth.

Stockbridge, Mich., April 19.—The marriage of Miss Marguerite Hawley to Charles A. Stephens, both of this place, was solemnized at the comfortable home of the bride's parents near this village. Rev. J. H. McCune, of the Methodist Episcopal church, officiated. The bride is the only daughter of English-bred parents, and her fortune runs well into five figures.

A Night Light.

Next time you happen to want a night light and find your stock is exhausted try this plan: Take an ordinary wax candle and some finely powdered salt; cover the top of the candle, which should have been burned till the top is level, with a thin layer of the salt, leaving only the blackened end of wick exposed. Light the candle, and it will give a faint but steady light all night.

Struck by a Train and Killed.

Kewanee, Ills., April 21.—John Eastburg, of this city, was struck by a through train and instantly killed.

ELLSWORTHS

You ought to buy a good supply of all your needs while you can get the values you will find here this week.

Great Corset Opportunity

30 DIFFERENT STYLES TO SELECT FROM.

A new department devoted exclusively to Corsets has been placed near the entrance to our millinery department.

Corsets interest all women, especially at this time of year. Every new style of Corset will be shown during this sale. The best values your money can buy will be the great feature of this sale.

- 1—MARVEL—4 hook, lace trimmed top and bottom, straight front, 50 cents.
- 2—Fine batiste girdle, lace and ribbon trimmed, 50 cents.
- 3—Four hook straight front batiste Corset, lace trimmed, 50 cents.
- 4—Handsome ribbon girdles, blue, pink and white, \$1.00.
- 5—Batiste girdle, lace and ribbon trimmed, \$1.00.
- 6—Erect form batiste, ribbon binding, new cut, extra long on hips \$2.50.

Muslin Underwear

The demand for made Under Muslins has been enormous. We have made great preparations for this increased demand. The stock of Night Gowns, Skirts, Corset Covers, and Drawers is much larger than ever and the values we are now offering will make you a purchaser if you look over this department.

- Beautiful Night Gowns, 38c, 68c, 95c.
- Beautiful Corset Covers, 10c, 19c, 25c, 50c, 75c.
- Beautiful Skirts, 45c, 75c, 95c.
- Beautiful Drawers, 25c, 50c, 75c.

20 Per Cent Reduction Sale on All Tailor-Made Suits.

The greatest sale in the history of our store is going on in our Suit Department. The values we are offering surprise every shopper.

Don't fail to get one of Ellsworth's high grade Suits while this sale is on.

SPECIAL VALUE IN WALKING SKIRTS

This Skirt is one of the greatest values we have ever offered and will please every skirt buyer in town.

Seven gore, tucked flounce, two shades of gray—the best you ever saw \$4.35.

50c--STYLISH NEW BELTS--50c.

We carry everything in the belt line that is newest and up-to-date. The greatest assortment of black, white, and black and white Belts; black Moire Belts; stitched Belts, in silk and leather, all at 50 cents.

RIBBONS, LACES, EMBROIDERIES.

These departments are filled with everything that is correct. 4 1/2 inch, all silk Moire Ribbons, 25 cents per yard. Satin Taffetas and Satin Liberties, every new shade, 25c per yard. Fancy Ribbons in Persian, Printed Liberties, Embroidered Liberties, 25 cents to \$1.25 per yard. New Black Embroideries and Chiffon Laces—just received, 15 cents to \$2.50 per yard. Swiss Embroideries, the most complete and handsomest ever shown; all the dainty, pretty effects; insertions and edges to match; just the kind of embroideries you want, the best, from 5 cents to \$2.00 per yard.

DRY GOODS

Great values in Black and Colored Dress Goods. Never was a better time to get just what you want, for a little money, than now.

- Fancy Blacks, 44 inches wide, 50 cents.
- Black Etamines
- Colored Etamines
- Black Volles
- Colored Volles
- Black Hopsacking
- Colored Hopsacking
- Black Serges
- Colored Serges
- Black Cheviots
- Colored Prunella Cloths,
- Black Mobairs

We show all qualities in above weaves from 50 cents to \$2.00 per yard. New Parasols have arrived. New Shirt Waists are here. Buy a few pairs of our Onyx Hosiery. They will please you.

All Mail Orders will receive prompt attention

JOHN CHESS ELLSWORTH

113-115 N. MICHIGAN ST.

SOUTH BEND, INDIANA.
STORE OPEN THURS AND SAT. EVE.

Boers Are to Take a Vote.

London, April 19.—Balfour officially announced in the commons yesterday that the Boer military leaders have left Pretoria for their commandos with the purpose of holding an election to decide whether they will accept the British terms for peace.

Will of Rev. DeWitt Talmage.

Washington, April 22.—The will of the late Rev. Dr. T. DeWitt Talmage has been filed here. It leaves an estate valued at more than \$300,000. It gives the widow one-third and the other heirs share equally in the remainder.

Secretary Root Goes to Cuba.

New York, April 18.—Secretary Root started for Cuba yesterday to lay plans for "letting go" on May 20.

Nominated to Congress.

Plano, Ills., April 19.—Republicans of the Twelfth congressional district in convention here nominated Judge Charles E. Fuller of Belvidere by acclamation, there being no other name presented.

Monmouth, Ills., April 19.—The first congressional convention in the new Fourteenth district was held by the Republicans in this city. B. F. Marsh was nominated by acclamation.

Copper Utensils.

To clean copper utensils take three handfuls of silver sand, a teaspoonful of flour and a handful of salt. Mix them well together with vinegar, rub on well with the hand and rinse the articles in warm water; dry well. Those of experience say it will prevent tarnishing for a long time.

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OXFORDS AND COLONIAL SLIPPERS

A special line of Ladies' Fine Shoes.

CARMER & CARMER

PEOPLE'S COLUMN

This column is open for any communication, from any person, that will be of interest or value to the public. Communications of a personal character or anonymous letters will not be published.

What's in a Name?

Editor RECORD.
A number of peculiarly named persons has come to my notice recently which I thought might be of interest to your readers.

A man bearing the name of John Bible has been elected mayor of Ionia. Mayor Bible is a democrat and Mayor Gamble of Pentwater is reported to be a prohibitionist.

A real estate exchange in New York has the name of J. F. Slingerland and the writer knew the members of the firm with the unfortunately suggestive name; "Lestrade & Deolittle." The most prominent attorney in a Pennsylvania town in named A. L. Laws and a crockery store in Buffalo bears the name of Jarhaus & Co..

The bankers name in one of the largest Indiana towns is Bond, while at a lake near by which is a prominent summer resort, one of the bath houses for women and children is kept by Mrs. Washabuoy.

Birds as Teachers

To the editor of the RECORD.
Some times I see and hear things that I think will be of benefit to others and as I am not a preacher and have no other means of placing before the people these things, I am pleased to see you have given a column in your valuable paper for the expression of such thoughts, and if they do even a little toward making the world brighter and happier it is worth the while.

Tuesday morning as I was passing down Front street I was attracted by a couple of birds in a tree. I came near enough to see them and found a blue jay and a robin; the robin was sitting very quietly on a limb of the tree but the jay would fly at the robin and drive him from branch to branch. After a number of repetition of this, the robin flew away, leaving the blue jay in undisputed possession of the entire tree.

Now I do not know that God has bestowed on any other creature except man, the wonderful gift of reason, but I learned a very helpful lesson from the birds and I like to impart it to others. Unfortunately there are in the world, quarrelsome people as well as quarrelsome birds, but there is less excuse for the former, and I soliloquized as I walked along. Have I at any time been guilty of showing this irascible spirit, if so I learn from the robin, and shall be more willing to give way to others, even if at the sacrifice of personal rights, for possibly the robin had primary possession of the branch of the tree, but gave it up rather than to quarrel.

Let us cultivate the robin's disposition and thus make the world a little happier. OBSERVER.

Pepto Quinine Tablets cure a cold.

THE HOME DOCTOR.

Olives are advised for dyspeptic and nervous patients by many physicians.

Mutton tallow to which a few drops of carbolic acid are added will heal sores or any raw surface.

White of egg beaten with white sugar and lemon juice relieves hoarseness. Take a teaspoonful every hour.

A linen covered sachet filled with fragrant dried leaves from an oriental shrub conduces to sleep. The odor soothes the nervous and excitable.

For relaxed throat muscles and a tendency to sore throat and frequent colds there is no better remedy than cold water, applied night and morning to the parts.

Half a pint of turpentine, half a pint of best white vinegar, two eggs: put all together into a bottle, shake for half an hour; excellent for all kinds of sprains, chilblains, rheumatism, etc.

When indigestion causes flatulence, then ginger comes to the rescue. It soothes and heals the stomach coats when these are inflamed because of indigestion. It also warms the system and aids it to throw off chills.

Ordinary acute bronchitis in the adult of early or middle life may be met with: Tartrate of antimony, 1 grain; fluid acetate of morphia, 2 drams; ipecacuanha wine, 2 drams; camphor water to make six ounces. Of this one tablespoonful may be taken frequently.

Introductions.

A host and hostess, if they but take the trouble, could do much toward promoting easy conversation between those they send in to dinner together by saying a word to each respecting the other. Instead of merely saying to the one, "You will take in Miss B.," and to the other, "Mr. A. will take you in to dinner," they might say, "Mr. A. who is to take you in to dinner, has just returned from South Africa," etc., and "Miss B., whom you are to take in to dinner, is a niece of General G. You know him, I think." This would give the keynote of the dialogue to follow, a host and hostess would earn the gratitude of their dinner guests thereby and add considerably to the sociability of their dinner parties.

Conversation between those introduced at afternoon at homes, garden parties, etc., is not so compulsory as at dinner parties, for should they find nothing to say to each other they can take themselves off elsewhere to another part of the room or another part of the grounds and talk to those to whom they have something to say. At a dinner party there is no such escape; they must sit out the dinner, be it long or short, and endeavor to find topics that will interest and amuse their dinner companions or performe maintain an uneasy silence.

One Thing at a Time.

There are women who hear lessons and braid hair at the same time, or do half a dozen other things demanding a focus of attention. This is a process of breaking down and certain disintegration. A certain great man has said: "If you start to tie your shoe, tie your shoe. Think of nothing else but that little task."

It is utterly impossible to concentrate thought upon two or more things. This statement will be denied by housekeepers, but please look at the average housekeeper. What is she but a bundle of bones or a bunch of nerves, "tired to death" and "too busy to take any comfort" from week's end to week's end?

"Let your moderation be known to all men."
Moderation pays, and when it is dictated by intelligence it rises into the realms of the highest wisdom and the purest unselfishness.

The Moth Pest.

In methods for the riddance of moths "doctors disagree," but all are agreed that for their prevention thorough airings and beatings of their favorite fabrics are a first essential. A moth will thrive in almost any preventive if its eggs are allowed to hatch. After every possible vestige of insect life is removed the articles should be put in airtight wrappings or receptacles with camphor or other insecticides. Many housekeepers claim that paper is the best of wrappers for the purpose, but it must be free from the smallest pinhole and be closed absolutely tight. Benzine, according to all authorities, is the deadliest enemy of the buffalo moth and should be used freely at its first approach.

Common Sense Advice.

A family physician has made himself unpopular by the advice which he has given his woman patients. Instead of sending them to some sanitarium where all sorts of exercise appliances are in vogue he advises sweeping at home as a means of strengthening the muscles and broadening the chest. An hour's work in bedmaking after detailed directions how to do it should be followed by a bath and rest upon the bed for half an hour. Meat markets and groceries should be at least a mile from the house and the patient go to market daily. She should avoid worry, anger or complaining and every evening write a strict account of her industry during the day. This the doctor signs.

A Simple Dessert.

A simple dessert for the home dinner is made by preparing some lemon jelly and pouring it over steved and stoned prunes, setting it in ring molds. When served, the center should be filled with stiff whipped cream. This same lemon jelly is the basis for many a delicious sweet, though in itself it is rather insipid. Oranges and bananas, sliced together and set in it, are very different from the same thing without the added flavor.

COUNTY SEAT NEWS

Elvin Morgan a barber of Berrien Springs, has started a suit for divorce against Maggie Morgan. They were married in 1899 and lived together until last month.

Judge Thomas O'Hara and Judge J. J. Van Riper arrived Monday from Fargo, N. Dak., where they have been taking evidence in the Dr. G. L. Bailey \$4,000 insurance case. Mr. O'Hara represents Mrs. Florence Bailey and Mr. Van Riper represents Mrs. Elma Bailey. It will be remembered that Dr. Geo. Bailey died at Buchanan in November 1900, and now two women claim to be legal wives are contesting the ownership of \$4,000 insurance which he left. Wife No. 1 claims the divorce was not legally granted and therefore questions the right of No. 2 to the money.

The case will be tried in the circuit court May 6 and it promises to be the most interesting case heard in the court for some time. Atty O'Hara expects to secure the \$4,000 for wife No. 1.

Court was not called Monday owing to Judge Coolidge's inability to be present.

The trial of the tax case in Niles was taken up yesterday, and on next Monday the April term of the Circuit court will begin.

Sylvester Westfall has begun foreclosure suit against Jacob Keller to foreclose a note and mortgage of \$300.

Franklin C. Parker has begun suit against Geo. Graham and James Richardson by Cady & Andrews to compel the defendants to annul a former foreclosure and foreclose again. The suit involves land in this county containing 80 acres and worth \$4,400. The first foreclosure is declared void because it should have been in parcels instead of an entirety.

"Securities" Niles Bank Sold.

Thirty thousand dollars of the "securities" of the defunct Citizens' national bank of Niles were sold Saturday for \$101.75 about one-third of a cent on the dollar. The Niles Star gives the list of sales as follows:

The judgment against E. F. Woodcock, former cashier of the defunct bank, in the sum of \$10,000, was sold to L. E. Wood for \$52. There were but three bidders in the field for this judgment, viz., L. E. Wood, Thomas Fitzgerald and L. J. Fletcher. For a time it looked as if \$23 would be all that could be realized on this very questionable paper.

The judgment against D. F. Woodcock for \$5,279.75 was sold to L. J. Fletcher for the handsome sum of \$8. It ought to be worth that as a curio, a relic of the collapse.

A note given the bank by E. Griffin for \$28.75 was sold to Alec Griffin for \$2.25.

A bunch of notes aggregating \$18,249, were sold to Dr. F. N. Bonine for \$41.50.

Overdrafts aggregating \$980.20 were offered for sale, but as no one present cared to bid on them they were passed over.

A bunch of notes, aggregating \$750.00 were sold to C. E. White for \$3.

A bunch of overdrafts and bonds, together with an equity in mortgage, went begging for a bidder.

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Always put onions on to cook in plenty of cold water. This prevents them from turning dark.

Always heat the frying basket before putting in the fat. When cold, it takes too much heat from the fat.

It is better to boil eggs twenty minutes than ten, as in the former case they are mealy and dry and more readily digested.

When making sauce, melt the butter in the saucepan first and when bubbling hot add the flour. Blend thoroughly and smoothly before adding milk or stock.

When pan broiling chops, always stand them for a minute on their ends, that the fat edge may be cooked crisp and brown instead of remaining pale and unsightly.

When boiling fish, always add a slice of onion, a bouquet of herbs and half a dozen peppercorns to the water, not forgetting some vinegar. This is a French recipe and is most excellent.

When you make light biscuit, roll out the dough and cut out the biscuit with the cutter just as you do your short biscuit. They will rise quicker, bake fresher and be perfectly uniform in size.

Children and Servants.

Perhaps there is no greater source of friction in a household with servants than the habit of allowing the children of the family to be impertinent and tyrannical. This should never be permitted. Nothing is more ill bred and more disastrous to both. Servants must do a great deal of extra work where there are children in the house. It is impossible to arrange matters so that this will not be true, and the least that can be done is to have the children courteous in manner and speech. If children see their parents polite, it will be second nature for them to be polite also, and their rare lapses will be forgiven quickly. Every one agrees that servants should not be permitted to punish children or be unkind to them, but children should not be permitted to torment a servant, and parents who excuse it are responsible for their own discomfort. Neither should children be allowed to bring disorder into a kitchen or to dirty it wilfully.—Agnes Bailey Ormsbee in *Woman's Home Companion*.

Spanish-American Women.

As wife and mother the Spanish-American woman is admirable. It is her duty to look carefully after the house and to practice thrift and economy. She receives from her husband at the beginning of each month the funds necessary to the proper maintenance of the home and has full charge of the household stores, which are given out to the servants each morning. A woman who does not fulfill these housekeeping duties does not enjoy the respect of the community. The Spanish-American woman is loyal and faithful, and when her husband has met with reverses it is not uncommon for a lady of this class to contribute to the support of the family by doing needlework, teaching music or opening a small store.

The women of the middle class are the backbone of the country. They are industrious and form the retail trading class of the republics.

Art of Piano Draping.

An excellent way for screening the unsightliness of the back of an upright piano when turned away from the wall, as all pianos of that design should be to improve the tone and prevent a singer facing the wall, is one in which a three paneled screen is hung on a rod attached to the back of the piano at the top.

The screen is made of three panels of black satin embroidered in gold thread after the style of Japanese screens, the panels being laced together with gold cord drawn through small brass rings sewed at intervals of two inches on the edge of the satin, ending in gold tassels at the bottom. The whole thing is then edged with a heavy black silk or gold cord. The effect is uncommon and adds much to the furnishing of a drawing room or music room, especially where the room admits of the piano being placed at one end, with the keyboard facing the wall.

A Famous Parliamentarian.

Mrs. Lillian M. Hollister of Philadelphia is considered one of the best parliamentarians among women in the United States, and her textbook, "Pocket Manual of Parliamentary Terms" and her "Parliamentary Chart" are unique. Another book of hers, "Convention How," has never been excelled by any publication in giving directions for arranging for conventions. Her book entitled "Model Union" has become almost a classic as a model for conducting Women's Christian Temperance unions.

For a Headache.

If you suffer from headache, lie down in a darkened room and lay a small handkerchief dipped in eau de cologne and water across your forehead. As the handkerchief dries or becomes warm dip it again and again in the eau de cologne and water, which should be ready mixed in a saucer by your couch. You will find this remedy really good.

Useful in the Kitchen.

Porcelain spoons with long wooden handles are extremely useful in the kitchen. They come in various sizes and do not easily become heated when in use about the range. Another point in their favor is that they are more easily cleaned and more agreeable to handle than the ordinary kitchen spoon of tin or other metal.



In a paper read before the Pennsylvania Live Stock Breeders' association L. P. Bailey, president of the Ohio Dairy union, said:

Discouraging as the conditions I have portrayed seem, yet I see much in the future to encourage the intelligent dairyman. This competition has caused those continuing in the business to put more thought into the work. Dairy schools now exist in many states, doing a grand work, teaching better methods in the manufacture and care of dairy products, feeding and care of dairy stock. The agitation of the Grout bill last winter was a campaign of education, enlightening the public in the practices of the oleomargarine dealers. Whether the bill passes this congress or not the results will be beneficial to the dairy interest. Those best informed think the bill will pass. The future dairy farmer must make his products so wholesome, quality and conditions so attractive, as to defy competition with any imitation. The imitation cannot equal the perfect genuine article.

The consumption of milk and cream is rapidly increasing in our cities, drawing supplies from large sections heretofore producing butter and cheese. Good quality means good prices. The best means the greatest success. It is the privilege and duty of dairymen to demand of our legislative bodies adequate laws that will protect our just rights, but our first duty is to make every effort that care, science and skill can do to improve our products and place them on the markets in an attractive form. Then they will command remunerative prices, assuring larger profits than most other agricultural interests.

A Choked Cow.

Last fall one of our cows was found to have become choked on an apple, relates J. F. Cass in *Prairie Farmer*. We at once procured a piece of rubber hose of the right size and after pouring down half a pint of oil inserted the hose in the animal's mouth and attempted to force the obstruction down. But, as we expected, the hose was worthless for the purpose, as it would double up, not having sufficient stiffness. By chance we thought of using a common buggy whip for the purpose, and with this well smeared with soft grease we succeeded in a few seconds in pushing the obstruction down, and the cow was relieved at once. No instrument, we think, could be designed that would be as well adapted to the purpose as an ordinary buggy whip with a rawhide center. It is just the right size and shape, being pliable and with no danger of breaking it off in the struggling of the animal to relieve itself from choking.

The Best Milking Machine.

Miss Ebba R. Hallborn, a charming young Kandyohi girl living near Willmar, Minn., recently won a prize of \$10 offered to the young woman who could prove she had milked the greatest number of cows from Jan. 1 to Oct. 1, 1901. Miss Hallborn milked 10,200 cows within the period named, an average of nineteen cows twice a day. She is but sixteen years old. What need of milking machines when Minnesota's daughters can make such a record as this?—*New York Produce Review*.

The cost of growing corn, cutting it and putting it in the silo has been variously reported at almost all figures from \$1 to \$3 per ton, says *American Cultivator*. We do not doubt but that it has been done for the smaller sum when the land has been made rich and well cultivated and the most modern improvements were at hand to do the work, but we think a fair average would be nearer double that with the ordinary farmer even in a favorable season. But there are not many who would like to grow roots for feeding to stock at that price. Certainly we know of none who would grow them to sell at that price, and few would care to grow them at \$4 per ton if they could grow other crops and find a ready cash market for them. As regards the value of them, an average of the various roots shows that the same amount of each fed with equal rations of hay and grain resulted a little in favor of the roots, but this was more than offset by the two facts that the roots cannot be kept in as good condition for late spring or summer feeding as can the ensilage and that there is more apt to be a crop failure from drought or other causes with the roots than with the corn. The droughts of the two past years have led many to believe that having ensilage to feed in the summer, when pastures are growing poorer, is of almost as much importance, and some say more, than having it in the winter.

The Three Silos.

What is the best style of silo is still a mooted question. The round stave silo has been very popular for several years largely because it is the cheapest form of silo that can be erected. When properly built and properly taken care of, it also seems to be fairly durable. Next in favor is the square or rectangular silo, with cut off corners. This makes an excellent silo. The remaining style is the round silo built wholly of stone and brick or with part stone and brick and above that a wooden structure with studding set in the wall and covered outside and inside with thin boards that will bend to a circle, with best quality of building paper between the boards. It goes without saying that a silo built of stone or brick or a combination of stone and brick will be more durable than any structure built of wood and in some places perhaps not more expensive.

THE TANK HEATER.

Warm Water For Cows Is Cheaper Than High Priced Feed.

The recent cold snap has well demonstrated the value of a tank heater. It would be a tremendous task to calculate the amount of suffering and consequent loss to stockman that have been caused by water tanks being frozen over and by stock being obliged to drink ice water after an exasperated attendant had broken the ice and fished out the big pieces. Water is one of the most necessary foods and one of which both man and beast take too little during cold weather. Warming the water allows the animal to drink all it needs and at a time it is needed without being chilled, says the *Kansas Farmer*.

The temperature of cattle and horses is about 100 degrees F., and this temperature is maintained by the food they eat, and everything should be done in the way of preventing the loss of heat by economically supplying an additional source of heat.

In 1896, when corn was worth 15 cents per bushel, some farmers thought it more economical to burn corn in their stoves than to sell it and buy coal, and they were about right, provided a ton of corn on the cob would yield as much heat as a ton of coal, but with corn up to 70 cents it seems extravagant to warm stock with it when coal is only \$3.50 to \$5 a ton.

The time required to keep the heater burning is very small indeed, depending to some extent on the kind of heaters. One from which the ashes can be taken without first letting the fire go out is preferable. The heater needs attention twice daily and need not take over seven or eight minutes each time.

Six of these heaters, representing four different makes, were started at the experiment station Dec. 10. One of them has burned constantly ever since. The others have had to be rekindled after each cleaning of the ashes. One of the tanks was of galvanized iron, and this radiated heat so fast that it was frozen over during the coldest weather. The others were of wood and did not freeze.

During the warmer weather of the latter part of December the fires were kept burning, and we found that they could be regulated so as not to overheat the water and keep the chill off and be ready for sudden changes.



The extract of poke is the best remedy for swollen udders. If applied in the early stage of the trouble, it prevents the inflammation and suppuration. Give one ounce in a pint of water three times daily. It is well to add a half ounce of acetate of potash at each dose.

Cowpox.

If a cow has sore teats and the sores look like cowpox, wash the teats clean with soap and warm water after each milking. When dry, apply iodine ointment of one-eighth strength.

Foot Rot.

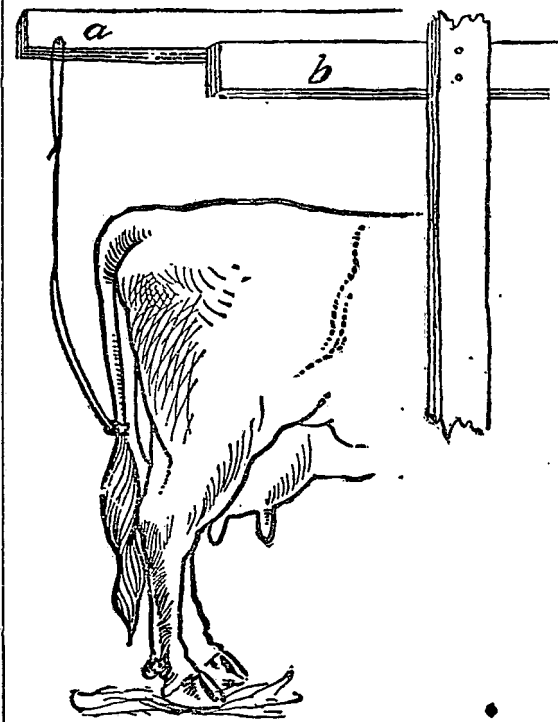
All cases of sore foot are not due to foot rot, but when the foot begins to decay and gives off an offensive odor it is time for prompt action. Apply a warm linseed poultice twice daily for two or three days. Be sure and wash clean with soap and warm water before applying the poultice. After this dress once daily with calomel.

Calf With Tapeworm.

When a calf is infested with tapeworm, stop feeding for twelve hours, then give half an ounce of turpentine in a pint of boiled milk. Repeat dose once daily for three days unless the worms come away. Feeding should consist entirely of boiled milk and gruels of flour while under treatment.

A Clean Tail.

The simple device here illustrated can be used in nearly every cow stable to keep the tails clean and prevent the



DEVICE TO HOLD COW'S TAIL.

cows from switching during milking in fly time. A piece of heavy cord, with a loop in each end, is fastened above the cow at a and the other end slipped around her tail as shown. When she lies down, this will keep her tail out of the gutter and filth. When about to milk, hang the cord over a beam or hook at b, which will pull the tail above harm's way.—J. B. M. in *New England Homestead*.

Raise Your Own Cows.

There is one important advantage at least in raising your own dairy cows, and that is you can know to a certainty just how long they can be depended upon to maintain a profitable flow of milk, and this in the dairy is an important consideration, as to be a profitable dairy animal the length of time she will give a good flow of milk is as important as the quality.—*Tennessee Farmer*.

Siberia's Dairy Industry.
Siberia has long been sending butter to England, but the opening of the Transsiberian railway has made it a far more formidable competitor than it formerly was. Last year the imports of Siberian butter were valued at £1,400,000, and this year it is estimated that they will reach the value of £2,500,000. The supply of butter which Siberia can furnish is said to be practically unlimited, and it is possible that the opening of Siberia may affect the dairy industry of these countries as disastrously as the opening up of America affected the wheat growing industry. It is also expected that Siberia will shortly flood the English market with poultry, game and meat.—*Cleveland Plain Dealer*.

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Estate of Burton Jarvis, deceased.
The undersigned having been appointed by the Judge of Probate of said County, Commissioners on Claims in the matter of said estate, and six months from the 25th day of March, A. D. 1902, having been allowed by said Judge of Probate to all persons holding claims against said estate, in which to present their claims to us for examination and adjustment:
Notice is hereby given, that we will meet on Thursday, the 25th day of June, A. D. 1902, and on Thursday, the 25th day of September, A. D. 1902, at 10 o'clock A. M. of each day, at Lee Bros. Bank in the Village of Buchanan, in said County, to receive and examine such claims.
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Estate of Minerva Price, deceased.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Berrien, ss. In a session of the Probate court for said county, held at the Probate office in the city of St. Joseph, on the 8th day of April in the year one thousand nine hundred and two.
Present, Frank H. Ellsworth, Judge of Probate.
In the matter of the estate of Minerva Price, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Leslie L. Price and Pearl R. Price praying that administration of said estate may be granted to W. R. Clyburne or to some other suitable person. Thereupon it is ordered that Monday, the 5th day of May next, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said court then to be held in the Probate office, in the city of St. Joseph, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted. And it is further ordered, that the said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof by causing a copy of this order to be published in the *Buchanan Record* a weekly newspaper printed and circulated in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

FRANK H. ELLSWORTH, Judge of Probate.
ROLAND E. BARR, Probate Register.
Last publication May 1, 1902.

Estate of Julia W. Wells, deceased

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Berrien, ss. In a session of the Probate court for said county, held at the Probate office in the city of St. Joseph, on the 31st day of March in the year one thousand nine hundred and two.
Present, Frank H. Ellsworth, Judge of Probate.
In the matter of the estate of Julia W. Wells, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Wellington S. Wells praying that administration of said estate may be granted to Wellington S. and Wellington W. Wells, or to some other suitable person.
Thereupon it is ordered, that Monday, the 25th day of April next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be held in the Probate office in the city of St. Joseph, in said County, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the *Buchanan Record*, a weekly newspaper printed and circulated in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.
FRANK H. ELLSWORTH, Judge of Probate.
ROLAND E. BARR, Probate Register.
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A great many people measure your zeal for a cause by the amount of abuse you bestow on the opposition. If ours is to be measured from that standard we will be very likely be considered deficient in zeal.

This week's copy of the Christian Herald contains an exceedingly fine final tribute by Rev. Frank Talmage to his father the late T. Dewitt Talmage. Dr. Talmage has been editor of The Christian Herald for years and will be sadly missed there as elsewhere.

D. F. Bower, former secretary of the city Y. M. C. A., and very well known and well remembered in this city, has purchased the Record at Buchanan, Mich., and is fairly embarked in journalism. Many friends in Fort Wayne will wish him a sort of success.—Fort Wayne Sentinel.

On Friday and Saturday evenings we will be at the office to explain our Book and Magazine club to all our subscribers and to all who wish to be subscribers and we know that not a home in Buchanan can afford to miss the pleasant things we have in store for them. We want you all to come in.

In last week's issue we inserted a notice asking persons who had rooms to let, with or without board to leave word at the Record office. We know of no town that affords such desirable attractions to people from the city who want a few weeks of rest; and if the proper efforts were made many persons would come here for the summer. In many towns the best homes are open for that class of people and it means an increased finance to not only the people who furnish rooms and board but to our business people as well. In a couple of years our beautiful village would have a reputation far and wide. If you wish to accommodate some one leave your name at the Record office and it may do you some good.

The Presbyterian Creed Committee. The Creed-revision committee of the Presbyterian church has finally completed its labors, and its unanimous report will be made to the general assembly, which meets in New York in May. Upon several minor points such as phraseology the members of the committee were not agreed but upon the matter of doctrine there was perfect unanimity. There are 16 articles in the statement as follows: God, Revelation, Divine Purpose, Election, Our Lord Jesus Christ, Faith and Repentance, Holy Spirit, New Birth and New Life, Resurrection and the Life to Come, Law of God, The Church and Sacraments, The Last Judgment, Christian Service and the Final Triumph.

Woman's Club Convention at Los Angeles. Of the many progressive movements among women, during the past few years, it is generally conceded that literary clubs have been productive as much good to large numbers of busy mothers and active home keepers as any of the great movements. A certain amount of club life is a help to the average woman, broadening her sphere of life, carrying her beyond the annoyances and cares of the daily household routine and causing her to bring into the home something of the outside sunshine and brightness, and commensurably increasing her usefulness. So universal have literary clubs become that club leagues and federations are found in nearly every state, and now within a few days, from May 1st to 4th there will be held in Los Angeles, Cal. an International Convention where delegates from all over the United States as well as from England, Russia, Italy, Austria and France will participate in the 6th biennial meeting of the International Federation of Women's Clubs. The city of Los Angeles is making very extensive preparation for the entertainment of the guests, and about 5,000 are expected. Beside the usual decorations of bunting and flags there will be a unique display of flowers and greenery such as may be seen only in tropical and semi-tropical countries.

Holland's Sorrow

The latest news from Queen Wilhelmina is favorable. The dispatches report a slight improvement. The bulletin for Wednesday says: "Her majesty's consciousness is maintained without interruption. The Queen's general condition is satisfactory." It is not possible however to predict the date of the crisis yet, and the nation who idolizes their queen is grief stricken.

In coming to Buchanan we have had but one thought uppermost in our minds, to make the Record thoroughly a local newspaper and to have the interest of the village first and all the time and by our influence and help make Buchanan a place well spoken of everywhere, not only because of its natural beauty but because of the real and sterling worth of its people. We are pleased to cast our lot with them because of their present good, but we want to lend a hand toward making things better and to do this we need the cooperation of all who would like to see the village improve.

A Sylvan Journey

A visit to the woods at this season of the year reveals a very interesting sight. One feels like exclaiming,—"For lo, the winter is past, the rain is over and gone, the flowers appear on the earth and the time of the singing of the birds has come." The amateur botanist is delighted to find in bloom varieties of the ranunculaceae, such as the anemone and the hepatica, of the liliaceae as the adder's tongue and the ever welcome little spring beauty who classes her dainty self with the portulacaceae, which are all there to greet the visitor. An occasional trillium with its sober dress may be found and many mandrake leaves though their flowers have not yet appeared. The dicentra cucullaria (dutchman's breeches) with its quaint two lobed flowers and its feathery leaves has also risen from the wintry sleep, and prettier of all the modest violet, which like all the others often wonders if it "was born to blush unseen and waste its sweetness on the desert air."

PERSONAL.

Mr. Frank Mead was at home Monday.
Mr. Eugene Murphy was in Niles Monday.
Mr. Jerry Lyon was a Galien visitor Saturday.
Miss Lucile Weese was in Berrien Springs Sunday.
Mr. John Butler returned to Ann Arbor Monday.
Mr. H. S. Rough was in South Bend Tuesday.
Mr. Ora Hall visited his parents at Galien Sunday.
Mr. Marion Harroff was in Berrien Springs Sunday.
Mr. Louis Denn returned Monday from Battle Creek.
Mr. E. H. Gallup of Niles was in town on business Tuesday.
Rev. H. H. Flory of Marcellus was in town the first of the week.
Mrs. Stroup of Niles visited her cousin Mrs. Schreiber last week.
Mr. John Simmons of South Bend was in town the first of the week.
Miss Mary Reynolds visited her mother and brothers over Sunday.
D. D. Peter of Niles was the guest of Buchanan friends over Sunday.
Mr. Jay Godfrey and Miss Grace Godfrey were in Chicago Monday.
Mrs. Wm. Troutfetter entertained friends from Michigan City last week.
Mr. D. H. Bower returned Saturday from a business trip to Detroit.
Mr. Glenn Haslett of South Bend was a caller in Buchanan Sunday evening.
Mrs. W. J. Douglass went to Kalamazoo Monday to see her sister who is ill.
Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Bower went to South Bend and spent the day, on Monday.
Mrs. C. R. Nash has returned from Benton Harbor where she has spent the winter.
Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Mosher of Dowagiac spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Cause.
Misses Mary and Florence Keller visited Chas Kreighbaum of South Bend, Sunday.
Mr. J. C. Rough, advance agent for Blake's Dog and Monkey show, spent Sunday in town.
Mr. Tom Lord who has been at the Soldiers Home for sometime past returned to Buchanan Saturday.
Mr. and Mrs. Will Brodrick expected to attend the dance at Bulard's hall in Niles Tuesday evening.
Mrs. John Alleger returned on Monday from Dowagiac where she had been visiting her sister who is seriously ill.
Mrs. Annie Sweet returned last week from Mason Co. where she was called to see her father who was very ill. She left him improving.

HOWE OF BERTRAND

Chairman of County Board of Supervisors

On Monday afternoon at the meeting of the county board of Supervisors Mr. Alonzo F. Howe of Bertrand township was elected chairman of the board.

There were three candidates among the democratic members, Mr. Howe, Mr. Caldwell of Hagar, Mr. Walker of St. Joseph. Mr. Sam Meyers received the complimentary vote of the republicans.

A Pretty Wedding

At the home of the bride's parents Mr. and Mrs. Jay Smith on Day's Avenue yesterday afternoon occurred the wedding of Mr. Arthur Wray and Miss Edith Smith. The ceremony was performed by Rev. W. J. Douglass in the presence of only the immediate families and the happy couple left at 8:15 o'clock for their new home in St. Louis.

Miss Edith has been one of Buchanan's most popular young ladies and has made many friends by her loveliness and she will be greatly missed by them.

Mr. Wray has been in St. Louis for some time and is a most estimable young man and holds a good position in his trade as pattern maker. The Record extends congratulations and best wishes.

Col. Bean Has Been Paid for Laying Indiana Railway Track.

Col. Bean has been paid for the work done in St. Joseph for the Indiana Interurban railway. There was a tact arrangement between the two companies. All of the steel is not ready for shipment as yet and this has caused a considerable delay in the starting of the main line. The line as far as Niles or Buchanan will be completed this summer but the line to St. Joseph will probably not be ready until nearly the end of the year. This is due to the fact that there will be many cuts and fills between Niles and St. Joseph and it will be nearly as much trouble to build the road as it would be to build a steam railroad bed. The steel is coming from the mills very slowly and some new roads have not been able to get any at all.—Benton Harbor News.

MURDER

This is what the sober and peace living citizens of Buchanan were saying with hushed voices on Monday morning, as one after the other of earlier risers came down town and saw blood in the stair way and on the side walk in front of Tailor Hershon's shop. The mysteries continued to increase and the whispering grew longer and louder until finally the night watch, D. V. Brown cleared away the mystery by telling how about two o'clock Monday morning he heard a short distance from him, a terrible scream. He listened to the spot, and the sight that met his gaze was not a person being murdered, but his great dog and a rat about the size of a cat were facing each other in deadly combat; they evidently had both been wounded in the battle and at his command the dog made one spring and thoroughly won the battle. The whispering ceased and the mystery cleared much to the joy of all.

Sir Knights at South Bend

Wednesday April 16th was a grand gala day at South Bend for the Masonic order. The South Bend Commandry Knight Templars had extended an invitation to the Indiana Grand Commandry to meet in their city, which was accepted and the sessions were held Wednesday and Thursday. The South Bend Knight Templars invited the Niles Commandry, and Benton Harbor Malta Commandry to assist them in extending the courtesy of a parade, reception and banquet to the State Commandry.

It was expected that 500 Sir Knights would respond but 1200 answered by being present. The parade was long to be remembered, 19 Commanderies being in line besides the Grand Commandry were in line with the music of 8 bands to keep the plumed knights in marching order. Gov. Durbin, a past Grand Commander, was in line as was also Em. Sr. Kt. Brillhart of Kendallville, father of Principal Brillhart of our schools. The officers of the Grand Commandry were in carriages. The streets were thronged with people. The buildings were handsomely decorated largely with the colors of the order. The city extended the order a generous reception—good will and courtesy were everywhere present in the form of automobile and electric railway trips. The very large committee of ladies helped to make the wives, daughters and sisters of the Sir Knights enjoy their visit.

The close of the day's festivities was filled with the ball and banquet at the Oliver Hotel. The members of the Niles Commandry who reside in Buchanan who attended were Paet Em. Sr. Kt. S. A. Wood, Sr. Kts. J. and W. Beistle and I. L. H. Dodd, besides others who do not belong to the order,

OBITUARY

MRS. SARAH M. CLARK

Mrs. Sarah M. Whitney Clark was born March 1st, 1831, in Turin, Lewis Co. N. Y. and departed this life Apr. 19, 1902, in Buchanan, Mich. at the home of her only daughter, Mrs. Albert Nutt, after a severe sickness of over eight weeks. She was first taken with la grippe, pneumonia then set in, and finally she was taken away by tuberculosis, aged 71 years, 1 mo. and 18 days.

She was converted at the age of 13 years, and lived a consecrated christian life till she was called home.

Miss Sarah M. Whitney was married to Rev. D. B. Clark March 15, 1853, in Turin, Lewis Co. N. Y. who was then a member of the Onondago Conference of the Methodist Protestant church. In 1854 they moved to Michigan and Brother Clark united with the Michigan Conference; and at the organization of the West Michigan Conference in 1858, he became a member, and served the conference in the active relation till 1889 when they located on their farm near Hastings, Mich. where they lived till the decease of her companion in 1899, when she moved to Buchanan; having purchased a little home near her daughter, where she lived until her last sickness, when she was taken to the home of her daughter, where she was tenderly cared for by her children.

During the whole term of her long itinerant life she was indeed a co-partner with her husband in the work of soul winning; going with him in all his work as an itinerant, and none but those who have had experience, know all that is embodied in this relation.

Sister Clark was a charter member of the West Michigan Branch of the W. F. Missionary Society of the Methodist Protestant church, and was its Recording Secretary from its organization, Sept. 22, 1888, until the call came for her to come and receive her eternal reward.

I never have been to an Annual Conference, but she was at her post of duty and privilege in the missionary work, but at our last conference she said to me, Brother Ellis! I think this is the last Annual Conference I shall ever attend, but I hope to meet you all beyond the river. Truly this was a prophetic utterance for she has gone from us, and may God grant that we may meet her in the Kingdom above.

Sister Clark leaves her only daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Nutt, their son Wm. N. one brother, Elias Whitney of Iowa; and Mrs. Mary Bivvins of N. Y. with other relatives to mourn their loss. We all sympathize with the bereft family in their affliction, and with them drop the silent tear, but we know what is our loss is the gain of our departed loved one, for we feel sure she is in the enjoyment of richer blessings than earth affords; where there is no pain nor death and where there is no night; but one grand eternal day, for Christ is the sun of that heavenly home.

Her's was a busy life here in the Master's service, and a life of self-denial, to them that His Kingdom may be established, and now she has gone to receive the crown, which we feel sure is brightened with many stars, which lies at the end of the Christian's life here, and the beginning of their more glorious life in heaven.

April 22, at 7:30 a. m. a few friends met at the home of Brother and Sister Nutt where a brief service was engaged in consisting of singing, scripture reading, 90th Psalm by Rev. James Turner, of the U. B. church of this place; obituary read by Rev. H. H. Flory of the U. B. church of Marcellus; prayer by Rev. J. R. Niergarth of the Evangelical church of this place; closing with singing and benediction by C. Z. Ellis. We then drove to Lake Side M. E. church (near lake Michigan) and at two o'clock p. m. the writer conducted the funeral service; the text used was John 14:2. The remains were then interred in Lake Side cemetery by the side of the remains of her husband.

C. Z. ELLIS.

An amusing incident occurred on Front St. Monday afternoon, A farmer drove one of his horses to town accompanied by a young colt. Just as all older folks like to chuckle a baby under its chin, so the many horses near the colt forgot their staid and sober ways and walked across the street to pet the new colt, and expressed in their way affection for the new baby colt.

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J. C. REHM, Proprietor.

C. J. Byrns, Deputy Head Council of Modern Woodmen of America for Michigan and John Sullivan member of Law committee of M. W. were in town Tuesday, arriving from Benton Harbor; Mr. Sullivan having lectured before the lodge there. They were enroute to Kalamazoo where Mr. Sullivan will also deliver a lecture to the Woodmen.

Kodak goods at A. Jones & Co.

Editor RECORD:

Urbondale is the name of a town on the Electric Railway three miles west of Battle Creek. It is being rapidly built up by men who work in Battle Creek, and find rent and city living too high. Why cannot Buchanan become the "living room" for South Bend working people if we can secure the Electric Railway? It is worth working for.

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LOCAL NOTES

Frank Clapple has moved to South Bend.

See the new lace stand at the Racket store.

Mr. Wilson Leiter is having his house on Cayuga St painted.

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Editor Harkrider of the Niles Herald made the RECORD office a pleasant call last Friday.

See the attractive list of magazines offered in the "RECORD Book and Magazine Club" in another column.

We are selling lots of those drop head Sewing Machines, \$15.00 at A. Jones & Co., first door east of Desenberg's

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Brown are rejoicing over the advent of a new boy. He weighs 11 lbs and was born Friday night.

Watch our windows for bargains in Trimmed Hats for the next few weeks; it will surprise you.

Mrs. H. O. WEAVER, The Paris.

A new sanitarium is being built in Battle Creek by a capitalist from Columbus, O., who has organized a company with half a million dollars capital.

A number of Italians from the M. C. R. R. new road were on the street Saturday each waving his pay in his hand. Suppose they were a superfluous number and were let go.

Mrs. John File who has for several years been afflicted with a large and unsightly tumor on the back of her head had it successfully removed on Monday, by Dr E. O. Colvin.

Yesterday morning excavations were made for two ten room cottages on Mr. S. C. Cook's farm at Clear Lake. This place is growing each year as a favorite summer resort.

Arnold Bennett, the young son of Oliver Bennett of Berrien Springs, last Thursday ran a splinter under his thumb-nail, which has caused lock-jaw. There is but little hope of his recovery.

Buchanan creamery butter sold at Philadelphia last week for 34 cents and word was received at the creamery Tuesday to ship to that city every available pound.

LOST—Southwest of Buchanan on the Bakertown road, a book—Green's History of England belonging to the Union School Library. Finder will please leave at the RECORD office.

Jones & Co. Jewelers, first door east of Desenberg's on Front street.

The O. W. L's gave an "old fashioned" party at the home of Emma Conrad Friday evening. Old fashioned games were the order of the evening; wheel-barrow rides were the most prominent feature.

Miss Cora Slate and Mr. Charles Able were married on Wednesday evening Apr. 16, by Justice W. H. Keller. They will make their home at the residence of the groom four miles north-west of Buchanan.

The Farmers' Mutual Fire Insurance Co. are doing their usual quota of business, and even with the busy season for the farmers their books show so far this month, policies issued to the amount of \$200,000.

When one of the men working on the M. C. R. R. track last Tuesday went to the pail to get a drink, he found a big blue racer helping himself to a drink. It was the last drink that snake will ever take.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Kirk have returned from their winter's trip, and expect to spend the summer in Buchanan. They report a pleasant and prosperous winter, and their many friends are glad to see them again.

Real estate taxes for 1902 that are not paid are on the delinquent tax list. All such property will be sold at St. Joseph the first Tuesday in May. It might be well to look up your tax receipts.

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Miss A. M. Wright of Galien who lost her pocket book containing over forty dollars, in Buchanan last Saturday, reports she has found same with contents. She was fortunate.

Last evening at Niles Mr. Wm. H. Bullard gave a banquet in honor of his 60th birthday anniversary. A number of Buchanan people were in attendance and Dr. C. B. Roe delighted the gathering with singing.

Ladies' 5 years gold filled case, with 7 jewel Elgin movement, \$6.00 at A. Jones & Co., first door east of Desenberg's.

"The World Book of Knowledge and Universal Education" is the title of a subscription book which Miss Maud Dalrymple is agent for. It is a very interesting volume, replete with useful information and very serviceably bound.

Mr. J. E. French agent for the Pappson residence has sold it to the new presiding elder of the Evangelical Church, Rev. J. G. Kim Ph. D., who will occupy it very soon. We are glad to welcome the reverend gentlemen and his family to our village.

The friends of Jesse Waterman will be pleased to hear of his promotion to the position of assistant foreman in the printing office where he has been employed since his advent in the Windy City. He has full charge of five men, at job setting, allotting their tasks and exercising general oversight of their work.—The Michigan Mirror.

A 7 Jewel Elgin watch in silver screw case \$4.50 at A. Jones & Co., first door east of Desenberg's.

This is the first season for many years when the St. Joe River has not fud hsmie fish to all who take the time to lure them by bait and hook but this year even the experienced fisherman can catch but an occasional one and no one seems to be able to explain their absence.

D. H. Bower has relinquished control of the Buchanan RECORD after eight years service. D. Frank Bower of Fort Wayne, assumes the active management of the plant. Mr. Bower has made good property of the RECORD and will now seek a larger field.—Eau Clair Enterprise.

A 20 year gold filled case with 7 jewel Elgin movement, ladies' size for \$8.50.

Nate Brown living with his father on Fouth St and working at the Buchanan Cabinet Works had an accident which will prevent his working for some time, he had three fingers caught in the cogs of a planer. The nail was torn from the little finger and the others badly bruised.

The supper given by one of the sections of the Ladies' Aid Society of the Presbyterian church last week, Thursday proved an unusual success. The members of the committee spent much time in planning for the affair and netted \$10.00 for the treasury. The young ladies who acted as waitresses did much to make the occasion a pleasant one.

An 8 Day Clock for \$2.00 at A. Jones & Co., first door east of Desenberg's on Front St.

Benton Harbor Palladium April 21, says:—The Indiana Railway have a number of teams and a gang of men at work on Front street opposite the Lake View Hotel in St. Joseph laying their new tracks which will run parallel with the Benton Harbor & St. Joseph street car tracks around the hotel to Ship street. The Benton Harbor & St. Joseph line have ordered two large suburban cars such as will be used on the Indiana line and they are expected here for this summer's business. These cars are larger than any now on the line and will be faster and more elaborate. It is expected that the Indiana cars will run to Benton Harbor over the company's tracks. The cars of the Indiana company will be of the same pattern and design as the two ordered by the local line.

Card of Thanks

We wish to thank kind friends, the Aid Y. P. A. for their kind help and for flowers sent us in our bereavement in the loss of our mother and grandmother. Mrs. A. E. NUTT Mr. C. A. NUTT Wm. N. NUTT

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Scientists Interested in Little Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Grimes.

Members of the medical profession in Battle Creek are much interested in the case of Esther Grimes the four year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Grimes formerly of Buchanan. Both the parents are mutes, yet the child talks and hears as any normal child does. In conversing with her parent she uses the sign language but speaks with vocalization to other people. Scientists who are studying the laws of heredity, find this phenomenon very interesting.

Silver plated Knives, Forks and Spoons, children's sets for 25 cents, at A. Jones and Co., first door east of Desenberg's, on Front street.

A Gift for Miss Lulu Morris.

"Tis sweet to be remembered" is a maxim we have all heard from our youth up and this week we have had another verification of it.

On Saturday a number of friends of Miss Lulu Morris presented her at the Central Telephone office, with a handsome new chair. The presentation letter bore the words: "Here's to you! Sit comfortably; look pleasant and cheer (chair) up! Spring has come." Compliments and best wishes of your friends.

FOR SALE—Seed Potatoes 75c per bu. S. C. Cook, Clear Lake Farm.

Wedding

Last evening, April 23, at 8 o'clock at the residence of the bride's parents Mr. and Mrs. Ezekiel Spaulding on Main street, two bright young lives pledged themselves to journey through life's voyage together whether for weal or woe. If the present start will be any indications we predict for them a prosperous voyage indeed. The happy pair were Mr. Franklin C. Austin of Galena, LaPorte Co., Ind. and Miss Belya Spaulding of this village.

The home was pleasantly decorated and the guests were numerous. Many presents were received among which was a twenty dollar bill from the bride's father. The bride's sister Miss Blanche Spaulding played the wedding march and the honored man to tie the knot was Eld. Wm. M. Roe.

To add to the good cheer, after the wedding a bounteous supper was served. The couple will reside in LaPorte Co., Ind.

BUCHANAN MARKETS

Week ending April 23. Subject to change:

Butter	18c
Eggs	12c
Potatoes per bu.	75 to 80c
Onions " "	\$1.50
Turnips " "	25c
Flour per bbl.	\$4.80
Flour Patented " "	5.60
Corn Meal per 100 lbs.	2.00
The Pears-East Grain Co., report the following prices on grain to-day:	
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We would like to call the attention of lodges and societies to the following: In next week's issue we would like to start a column devoted to lodge meetings and if the secretaries of the different lodges will bring in the time of their regular meetings and special events we will cheerfully publish them.

The 80 Club met at the home of Mrs. Florence Hall on Thursday instead of Wednesday on the account of the funeral of Mrs. S. C. Peck. The history was led by Mrs. Mayme Boyle and a paper was furnished by Mrs. D. L. Boardman. Mrs. Hall contributed the music for the afternoon and the mythology lesson was conducted by Mrs. Pears.

Republican Caucus.

A republican caucus for the township of Buchanan will be held in Engine House No. 1 in the village of Buchanan on Saturday April 25, 1902 at 2:30 p. m., for the purpose of electing delegates to the county convention to be held in Benton Harbor on the 29th day of April, 1902, and for the transaction of such other business as may come before the caucus.

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TRY US WITH YOUR NEXT ORDER.

Mrs. John Swart is sick with grip.

Mr. Chas. Swartz is very sick.

Mrs. Chas Mutchler has malaria fever.

The child of Mr. and Mrs. James Madron has pneumonia.

Wood will be exchanged at RECORD office for subscriptions.

The P. & H. Society will meet with Mrs. Garland next Wednesday afternoon.

The Monday Literary Club will meet with Mrs. Chas. East Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Mel Beistle will entertain the G. A. R. Post and Circle next Friday evening.

Some of the Patricans Court No 5 of Buchanan went to Dayton Tuesday evening to initiate Mr. and Mrs. Van Lieu and Miss Van Lieu into the mysteries of the order.

FOR SALE AT A BARGAIN—A good cook stove, a three light chandelier and a good writing desk.

D. H. BOWER, 131 Dewey Ave.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the M. E. church will give a social at the residence of Mr. Melvin Beistle Wednesday evening, Apr. 30. Refreshments will be served and 10c charged.

William Perrott Circle L. of G. A. R. and Post met in special meeting in G. A. R. Hall for the purpose of installing Mrs. Juliet M. Baird, Dept. President, Mrs. Mary E. Christenson of Grand Rapids, Dept. Council, was present to install Mrs. Baird. Stirring speeches were made and war songs sung. Refreshments were served and a jolly good time had by all present. During the evening the ladies presented their past president with a beautiful lamp, wishing her success in the office she had just entered. Mrs. Marietta Fern was installed president of William Perrott Circle, Friday April 18.

A. Jones & Co., Move.

The progressive jewelers A. Jones & Co. have now gotten settled in their commodious new quarters in the Roe building. Their window displays attract attention because of the fine arrangements of clocks, silverware and jewelry. The room looks very inviting with its new coat of paint and paper and everything points to an increased business.

The store is well lighted for evening shoppers, one of the new features being an enclosed arc light. It is a satisfaction to the people of the village to have so complete a stock to select from.

If you would like to have roomers, with or without board your will find it to your advantage to leave your name with the RECORD. There will be no charge.

Real Estate Bargains

Store Property and Living Rooms Front street price only \$425. Inquire of J. C. WENGER or D. H. BOWER at RECORD office.

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Winter Has Gone Spring is Here

And we wish to make additional offers in our Reading Clubs. The club offers will be continued and there will be also a "Record Book and Magazine Club," the membership in which will be free to subscribers of the Record.

The publications may be taken home and kept a week or exchanged oftener if desired. A small fee will be charged payable monthly.

The present list of publications is as follows:

- Ladies' Home Journal
- Youth's Companion
- American Gardening
- Our Dumb Animals
- Sunday School Times
- Saturday Evening Post
- Woman's Home Companion
- Household, Rural New Yorker
- Delineator, Country Gentleman
- Designer, Christian Herald

There will be others added as the Club grows, and requests made from members for the various magazines.

This Club will be a very pleasant and profitable feature for all and we cordially invite you to call for full information in the matter.

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SCHOOL NOTES

GRADE VIII

Our visitors last week were Mrs. Marvin, Mrs. McGowan, Rev. Douglass and Miss Lewis of Buchanan and Mrs. Crossman of Watervliet.

Our class motto is "Onward and Upward," the class colors, green and white; class flower, the white rose Lucy Baker is writing the song and yell.

Grace Rosenberg can write fifteen English and Latin prefixes with their meaning in 1 min. 10 sec.

Gertrude Swartz has prepared a drawing to illustrate the couplet:—"The Judge looked back as he climbed the hill, And saw Maud Muller standing still."

Fanny Mead deserves special mention for her perserverance. Regardless of the discomfort which her left eye caused her, she completed last week's work with an average class standing of 96.

Nine pupils stood 100 in the carpeting and plastering problems in Friday's test:—Edna Kean, Mabel McGowan, Margaret Devin, Fanny Mead, Belle Warner, Maud Sweet, Dora Hershenow, Elmer Wray, Guy Ravin.

Maud Sweet favored her friends with beautiful sprays of trailing arbutus.

Each pupil has prepared a class prophesy; the best one will be given Commencement Day, June 13.

GRADE VII

Gertrude Leonard spelled the school down Friday afternoon on "occurrence."

The A division are making a study of the eye this week.

The B division have just completed the study of the Maryland Colony. All enjoyed the story of Lord Baltimore.

Miss Denison of Benton Harbor called a few minutes Monday.

The sixth and seventh grade had a very interesting game of ball Saturday afternoon on the school ground. The seventh grade were delighted to think they won the victory.

GRADE VI

The spring flowers received their share of attention in the drawing work during the week.

We have been having oral spelling review work.

"Tom Brown's School Days" is being read to the school.

Perly Shetterly conducted the music on Wednesday in the absence of Miss Shaw.

Grace Warner has been absent several days on account of illness.

The B class find the study of the "circulation of the blood" very interesting.

GRADE V

Miss Stella Phelps visited our room one day last week.

Ralph Shetterly's name was overlooked last week in the list of pupils who were neither absent nor tardy during the entire year.

A division have finished fractions

and are solving problems in a general review.

Friday's contest in the circulation of the blood through the heart resulted in a victory for Blanch Williams who gave it in one half of a minute.

Mildred Roe reports next week.

GRADE IV

The crab which Grover Barnes brought to school was the subject of an interesting lesson in nature study.

Vita Lewis was the only one who succeeded in spelling correctly the names of all the states of the Union.

The B language class has taken up the subject of letter writing.

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Harry Sweet is in school again after a week's absence out of town.

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Mrs. Myron Smith visited the grade Monday afternoon.

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Michigan School for the Blind

Lansing, Mich.

Insufficient vision to attend the public schools renders a child eligible to the advantages of the Michigan school for the blind.

About one-half of the pupils of the school have some sight. The eyes of all are defective but there are various degrees and stages of blindness from those born without sight to those whose eyes serve many useful purposes, but yet who cannot pursue the ordinary course to secure an education.

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Along with the literary and musical studies the pupils pursue a course in manual training. The boys are taught piano tuning, broom and hammock making, and carpet weaving. The girls are taught general house-keeping, cooking, plain and fancy sewing including machine sewing, knitting, crocheting, etc.

A skillful kindergarten teacher and a well equipped kindergarten are provided for the little folks. There is in the school a complete printing office for the publication of books in Braille point print for those who read by the sense of touch. Text books, music and books for general reading are printed; also a weekly newspaper giving important current events is published for the pupils of the school and incidentally for the blind throughout the State.

The greatest possible care is taken of the health of the pupils. A trained nurse is constantly employed. There is a splendid new hospital, separate from the other buildings to which pupils are immediately removed in case of sickness. A competent physician is ready at all times to attend when needed, and Dr. Carrow of the University of Michigan, an eminent specialist in the treatment of the eye, makes an annual visit to examine the eyes of the pupils. All treatment and surgical operations are without expense to the parents, but are not performed except with the parent's written sanction and consent. The school is not a hospital, but the best possible treatment is given the eyes and there is probably no better place for children with seriously defective eyes.

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A GREAT RECORD.

Hulstein-Friesian Cow in the Lead as a Milk Producer.

It gives us much pleasure, says Hoard's Dairyman, to present a picture of the cow Mercedes Julip's Pieterje, H. F. H. B. 39480, albeit the picture itself is very far from being a work of art or in any sense worthy of its subject. It will, however, serve the main purpose of its publication, which is to set before the student of dairy form the outlines and conformation of a cow that has recently made a new record as a producer of butter fat.

This cow is the property of T. S. Tompkins, White Bear Lake, Minn. We are indebted to Mr. S. Hoxie, superintendent of the Holstein-Friesian Advanced Registry, for a copy of the detailed record made by this cow from Dec. 17 to 23, 1901, inclusive. For the first three days of this period she was milked four times daily and for the other four days three times. Each of these twenty-four milkings was separately weighed and the milk tested under the personal supervision of Mr. H. C. McKinstry, whose competency, integrity and disinterestedness are vouch-

ed for by Professor Haecker of the Minnesota experiment station and who is also well known to be entirely reliable by the editors of this paper. It is not so stated in the report, but we believe the fact to be that Mr. McKinstry was selected by Professor Haecker to conduct this test. To make assurance doubly sure and forestall every doubt as to the accuracy of the record two other representatives of the Minnesota station were detailed to keep constant watch of the cow during the last three days of the test.

Instead of presenting all the figures of these successive milkings and tests, which would tend more to confusion than clearness for the majority of readers, we give the aggregates and averages by days as follows:

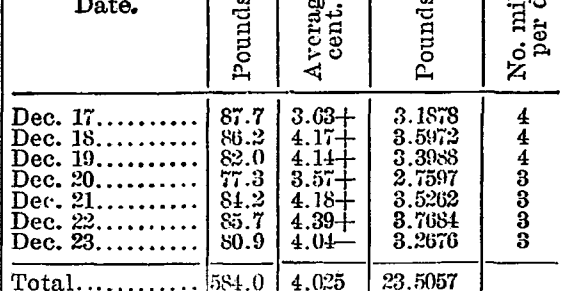
Date.	Pounds milk	Average per cent. fat.	Pounds fat.	No. milkings per day.
Dec. 17.....	87.7	3.69+	3.1878	4
Dec. 18.....	84.3	4.17+	3.5072	4
Dec. 19.....	82.0	4.14	3.3888	4
Dec. 20.....	83.3	3.57+	2.9707	4
Dec. 21.....	81.3	4.18+	3.3820	3
Dec. 22.....	85.7	4.38+	3.7084	3
Dec. 23.....	80.9	4.04-	3.2970	3
Total.....	584.0	4.025	23.5067	

Lowest test, 10 a. m. Dec. 17, 2.7 per cent. Lowest yield milk, 10 a. m. Dec. 18, 18.5 lb. Highest test, 10 a. m. Dec. 19, 4.7 per cent. Largest yield milk, 4 p. m. Dec. 21 and 23, 23.8 lb. Average daily yield, 84.1 lb. milk; 3.3570 lb. fat, equivalent to 8.82 lb. butter.

In an earlier test, Nov. 26 to Dec. 2, this cow gave 540.8 lb. milk, containing 11,032 lb. fat, equivalent to 24.02 lb. butter when an exact account of the feed eaten was kept. In these seven days she consumed 360 lb. beet pulp, 32 lb. oats, 25½ lb. brewers' grains, 28 lb. bran, 17 lb. corn, 8 lb. oilmeal, 37½ lb. timothy hay.

We have often referred to the very satisfactory yield of dairy products from the herd at the Minnesota state farm and cited records as a justification for persuading farmers to give more heed to the balanced ration. Not only could we refer to that herd as strongly favoring the adoption of the methods of feeding there, but ample testimony from other herds could be cited with similar results. Now and then came reports from readers that no beneficial results followed the feeding of a balanced ration. To such it was always explained that improved methods of feeding must begin with a cow fresh in milk and that when she had shrunk in her flow she could not be made to increase its supply of protein unless she had access to succulent feed, like new pasture. If there is provided an ample amount of protein during the winter, the flow of milk would not materially increase, but when cows are turned to pasture in the spring the succulent, palatable and easily digested young grass invariably brings an increased yield of milk, writes Professor T. L. Haecker in Farm, Stock and Home.

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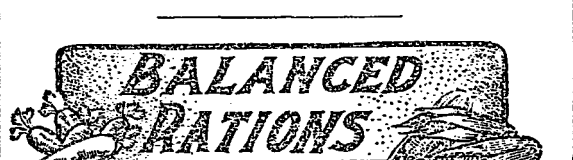


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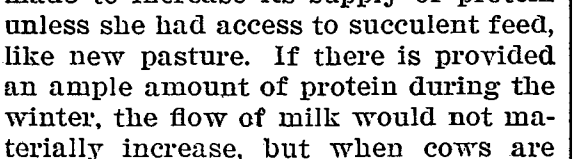


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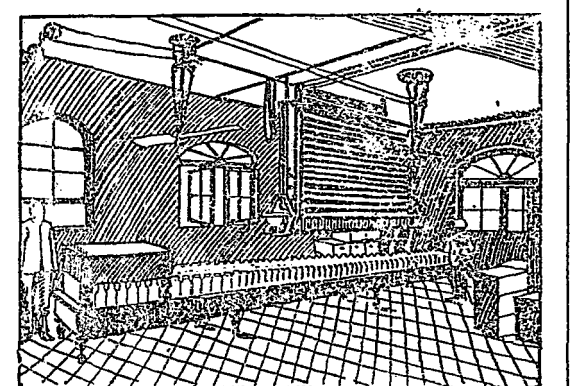
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IN A MODEL DAIRY.

Cooling and Bottling Room of the Fairfield Dairy Farm.

In Dairy and Creamery Nelson W. McLain gives an interesting account of the big Fairfield dairy farm at Montclair, N. J. The article is profusely illustrated. The illustration herewith reproduced shows the room in which the milk is cooled and bottled.

As soon as the milk is drawn it is taken to the milkroom and strained into large bright milk cans, and the full cans, four in a group, are carried by an endless overhead wire cable to the dairy building, which is located on slightly lower ground about fifty rods distant from the barns. There the milk is delivered in the second story.



COOLING MILK AND FILLING THE BOTTLES where it is emptied into a three compartment strainer containing three felt strainers. From the strainers the milk runs over a huge star cooler and aerator in a large tile walled and floored sterilized milkroom on the first floor. From the cooler the milk runs into the bottling tank and is bottled in sterilized bottles, sealed and put in crates, twelve quart bottles in each crate, and the space between the bottles filled with chipped ice and salt, then loaded on large three horse trucks for delivery at the railway station or at the distributing depots.

Keep Things Clean. You don't know unless you have tried it how it increases a common cow's self respect and incidentally her milk yield to have a clean, sweet stable to walk into night and morning, to be turned into a pasture with succulent feed up to her eyes and with plenty of pure, cool water to drink, to see the shepherd dog chained up instead of snapping at her heels and to receive gentle words rather than kicks and have the atmosphere free from cuss words at milking time.

Kindness That Pays. In order that a cow may give the greatest quantity of the richest milk it is necessary that she should be subjected to gentle treatment, never be hounded by dogs, never struck with sticks, never even be roughly spoken to, but petted and made much of as far as possible.

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The Only Woman in This Country Who Makes War Maps.

Mrs. Eugenia Goff of Minneapolis, Minn., has the distinction of being the only woman in the country to make war maps.

It was almost by chance that Mrs. Goff entered upon the career of a war map maker. Before she was married she taught school. As history was one of her special subjects, she designed historical maps to aid her classes in studying that branch.

It was an immense amount of work, but her students became enthusiastic in their love for history.

In her maps the sections explored and settled by different nations, the routes of explorers and the sections of the country affected by the different wars were outlined in colors, teaching at a glance lessons that would require hours of text study to master, and every place, whether city or crossroad, where an important event had occurred was definitely located, and the path of the story told where the event occurred.

A few months after her marriage her husband, who is superintendent of



MRS. EUGENIA GOFF.

schools in Minnesota, on returning from making his rounds one afternoon remarked that his teachers in history were not accomplishing as much as he desired they should.

Mrs. Goff replied that she did not think it possible for teachers to achieve satisfactory results with the ordinary textbooks; that the fault was not so much with the teachers; that historical maps, in her opinion, were essential.

After further conversation along the same line, to illustrate her thought she went to a trunk that contained the manuscript and notes used by her while teaching and produced therefrom the manuscript of the series of historical maps that she had prepared for her classroom training school work.

These were spread upon the tables, and after several hours of careful examination Mr. Goff said: "These maps must be published. They are just what our schools and teachers need."

The result was that not only were those maps revised and published, but a business has been established that occupies a large part of the time of both Mr. and Mrs. Goff.

Over 100 historical maps have been prepared by them, ranging from a few inches in size to wall maps five or six feet in extent. Their work takes them to the different libraries of the country, including the National Library at Washington, where they search for and verify material for their works.

Why Women Disagree.

Why do women dislike women? "It isn't jealousy," said one of the sex, "because the dislike is not confined to homely and unsuccessful women, and the objects are not so always pretty and successful ones. It may be because women are not so easily done," says an exchange.

"It is not because women are women that they are disliked by their own sex in business. It is because the average 'home woman' doesn't understand. She is usually monarch of her home, absolutely the most important person in it, and she loses the true appreciation of the importance of other people outside it. A man in business is constantly brought in contact with men who are his equals or superiors, who have equal rights with him, whereas a woman may spend two hours a day visiting with callers of her own grade of intelligence as against sixteen spent with the children and the servants. When she does meet men, it is either in the capacity of grocery boys or clerks whose business it is to defer to her opinion, however illogical, or in a social way, when it isn't worth while to combat her ideas if they happen to be erratic.

"So that unless she makes a very great effort she becomes positive and dogmatic, and when she meets other women where there is a clash of interests she expects the same deference from them that she receives in her daily surroundings from men, and this is in a great measure the reason why women's discussion, when it strays outside the realms of dress and babies, is not always as peaceful as is desirable."

The Girl Who Walks Correctly.

The girl who walks correctly is a joy to herself and to all who behold her. She has some purpose in life. She

is nine times out of ten neatly dressed, bright eyed and healthy. Watch her, and you will see that the ball of the foot is the center upon which the weight of the body swings and that upon the heel and the toe there is an even balance of the strain, if such it may be called, the heel not being called upon to do more than the toes or the toes more than the heel, while the sole is the medium between the two extremes.

In correct walking the foot is placed evenly upon the surface, with the pressure first upon the heel, then upon the ball of the foot and then upon the toes. From the ball of the foot and the toes the impetus and elasticity of the stride originate.

Many persons in endeavoring to walk correctly make the mistake of putting too much weight upon the heel. This is not as bad as putting too much weight upon the toes. The easiest method of learning how to walk correctly is to pattern after the person who knows how to walk.

To the Manner Born.

The best bred women do not fuss. They take their gowns and their furniture, their jewels and their children as a matter of course. They are unconscious of their veils and their gloves, and they expect every one else to be equally so. If they see an intimate wearing a handsome gown, they refer to it admiringly, but they also preface their comment with an apology. Their differences with their husbands are not aired; neither are the domestic upheavals caused by the desertion of the cook on wash morning.

The repose of the well bred woman is not the quiet of weakness; it is the calm of trained faculties balanced so nicely that an earthquake may cause a change of color, but will not bring forth a loud cry.

Femininity's New Word.

"Foolish" is a word just now much used by femininity, and, like all the words that the sterner sex takes a fancy to, it is employed in divers ways that lexicographers wot not of.

"Please fasten these foolish books!" said one young woman to another the other evening.

"Now, look at that foolish pie!" exclaimed a housekeeper who, in trying to serve a tart of the rhubarb variety, broke the bottom crust and spilled some of the filling.

One hears of "foolish" journeys, of a "foolish" coat, "foolish" shoes, boats and trees. There seems nothing, indeed, to which the modern girl will not apply this description nor which to her mind it does not fit.

Women as Librarians.

A field of work for women which seems specially suited to them is the profession of trained librarians. In the United States there are thousands of public libraries, besides private, reference and college and school libraries, and in all these there is said to be an increasing demand for the services of graduates of library training schools. There are three of these large training schools in the United States which are open to women on equal terms with men.

Daughters of Celebrities.

Mrs. Christine Terhune Herrick, daughter of Marion Harland, was talking of the disadvantage that it was to be the daughter of a celebrity. "Whatever one does, she never quite measures up to the reputation of her mother, and she is invariably compared with her." "I don't think it is a handicap," said Mrs. Amelia Barr naively. "My daughters do not find it so. They are beautiful girls."

Double Door Spaces.

An artistic treatment of double door space is an arrangement of one wide portiere drawn to one side in a graceful, sweeping loop. This extends over fully two-thirds of the width. At the other side is a narrow drapery that falls in straight folds. A straight valance is hung across the top and may repeat the decorative border of the portiere, if one is employed.

Pillows.

When making up or making over soft down pillows, wax the inner covering, and then the down will not be able to work through the two covers. To do this iron the wrong side of the tick with a rather hot flatiron well rubbed with beeswax, rubbing wax over the iron each time before putting it on the cloth.

Japanese Hairpins.

Japanese women put up their hair with wooden, ivory or tortoise shell pins seven or eight inches in length and fully half an inch wide. The pins are usually carved and are often capped with pivoted figures, which dance with every motion of the wearer.

Hot Water Cans.

These should be turned upside down every time after use. It is generally the little drop of water that is allowed to stand in the bottom of the can that causes the tin to rust, and once rust makes its appearance a hole very soon follows.

Persons of different temperaments require different methods and degrees of physical exercise. Nervous girls should take light exercise, while those of phlegmatic temperament require vigorous exercise.

The conviction is gaining ground among writers on hygiene that children should not be sent to school before they are eight or nine years old.

Equal parts of vinegar and paraffin oil make a better polish for a piano than any furniture cream.

Do not be afraid of bizarre schemes for the den or the smoking room.



THE PIN ORGAN.

A Musical Instrument That Any Girl or Boy Can Make.

No doubt many of our readers are accomplished musicians and play beautifully on the piano, violin, banjo or other musical instrument. Of course almost all of our little friends can sing and do sing, too, at school and Sunday school, and we feel sure that they are all very fond of music. Many of them, while very fond of instrumental music of different kinds, have no chance to play on any instrument.

Here is an instrument which you can all make and which, while it will not be a very elaborate one or a rival to your mamma's piano or the church organ, will give you lots of pleasure and a sense of satisfaction at having your own self made something that will really play tunes when you wish to render an instrumental selection. Besides this, it will greatly develop your ear for music and so be of lasting benefit to you.

Take a soft pine board about three feet long and one foot wide and make a heavy line down the center in lead pencil. Get a box of large pins and a light hammer, and your equipment is complete. Drive the pins in the board along the line down the center, having the pins about one-quarter of an inch apart. When the line is full of pins, you are ready to tune your organ.

Take a long pin—a hatpin, for instance—and with its point bend slightly the first pin on the line. Then let it fly back, and you will find that it will give out a distinct musical note. Now you must decide what tune you want to play on your organ. When you have selected your tune, you can go ahead.

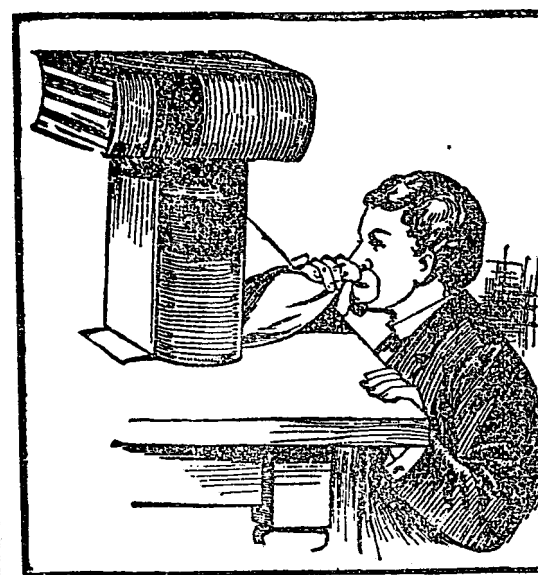
The farther the pin is driven into the board the higher the note it will give out when touched by the hatpin. You must rely on your ear in driving the pin various distances into the board, trying each one after each few taps of the hammer. You will find it better to drive the first pin half way into the wood, for as some of the notes you will want will be very low it will be necessary to have some of the pins driven in but a very little way.

When you have finished, you can play a tune by simply drawing your hatpin along the line of pins. You can pick out other pieces easily enough after you have become accustomed to the various notes the pins make when struck, and with a little practice you can play almost any simple melody on your pin organ.—New York Herald.

A Lung Testing Trick.

You can test the power of your lungs in the following simple way:

Take a long, narrow and strong paper bag and place it on the edge of the table with the opening toward you.



TESTING HIS LUNG POWER.

Put a weight, which can be gradually increased, on opposite end of the bag, in the shape of books, etc., and you will be surprised to learn how great a weight you can move in this way.

It is easy to knock over two such heavy volumes as shown in the figure.

The Doll Was Too Bold.

A little boy who was very fond of playing with dolls had never happened to see one which opened and closed its eyes. One day he was visiting a little girl whose doll, unknown to him, had this accomplishment. He took it up and was very happy until a downward movement caused it to partially close its eyes. Dropping the doll in terror, he exclaimed: "Oh, mamma, she winked at me!" And nothing could induce him to touch her again.

Whistling Language.

The natives of the Malabar islands employ a perfect whistling language, by means of which they can communicate with each other over long distances. A stranger wandering over the islands is frequently surprised to hear from a hilltop the sound of loud whistling, which is quickly repeated on the next hill and so is carried from summit to summit until it dies away in the distance.

A Queer Ride.

I scarcely heard mamma's sweet lullaby, I fell asleep so soon, And then I dreamed I rode across the sky— My car, the moon.

I never yet had been so far away, And in the night beside, But on the moon I found it bright as day, And I liked the ride.

I wondered if mamma would see me there And be afraid I'd drop; Then told the driver if he didn't care I'd like to stop.

I think that if my dreams were really true And I could cross the sky I'd ask the driver to make room for two— Mamma and I.

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This pretty chataleine will be found a most ingenious substitute for the old fashioned pocket, which finds no place in the tight fitting dresses of the present day. Made of satin ribbon and rings covered with crochet silk, it is fastened at the waist-line with a safety pin covered with a dainty bow. It can be made to match any gown in color, but made in black it can be worn with any costume.

The materials required are thirty-six brass rings about one inch in diam-



SILK CHATELAINE BAG.

eter, one yard of four inch wide ribbon, one yard and three-quarters of satin ribbon one inch wide, one spool of best crochet silk and one safety pin.

Cover the rings as closely as possible with single crochet stitches and leave three-quarters of a yard of silk, with which to work the spider web in the center of each ring, weaving over and under the bars, which have first been put across from the back. Arrange the rings as in the illustration, using eighteen for each side, four for the first row, five for the second, then four, three and two for the last row, and sew the rings together.

Then the ends of the wide ribbon and gather each edge. Have two pieces of cardboard same size and shape as the rings. Cover each piece of cardboard neatly on each side with satin or silk; on one side of each apply the eighteen rings, then sew the gathered edge of the ribbon all around to the covered forms. The front side can be sewed from the wrong side, but the back must be sewed right side out.

Take fourteen inches of the narrow ribbon for the strap and, folding it in the middle, sew a safety pin to the underside and cover with a bow also of the narrow ribbon. Sew each end of the ribbon to the corners of the pocket, and over each corner put a bow of the narrow ribbon. The back can be made of the cardboard covered with satin, without any rings, thus reducing expense and saving time.

Dining Room Decoration.

Old prints in ebony hued frames make an attractive frieze above the row of fancy plates and bric-a-brac or row of steins that are to be found in most modern dining rooms. If oriental ornaments decorate the shelf, Japanese water colors arranged against a background of matting may be utilized as a frieze with artistic effect.

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Estate of Geo. L. Bailey, deceased.

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STATES OF MICHIGAN, County of Berrien, ss.

Probate court for said county.

At a session of the Probate court for said County, held at the Probate office in said County on Monday, the 14th day of April in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and two, Present, Frank H. Ellsworth, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the Estate of George L. Bailey, deceased.

Herbert Roe, administrator of said estate, comes into Court and represents that he is now prepared to render his final account as such administrator.

Thereupon it is ordered that Monday, the 12th day of May next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon be assigned for the examining and allowing such account and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said Court then to be held at the Probate office, in the city of St. Joseph, in said County, and show cause, if any there be, why the said account should not be allowed.

And it is further ordered, That said administrator give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said account and the hearing thereof by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Buchanan Record, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

[SEAL] FRANK H. ELLSWORTH, Judge of Probate.

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CHURCH NOTES AND NOTICES.

UNITED BRETHREN CHURCH. Rev. James Turner, Pastor. Preaching 10:30; Sunday School at 11:45; prayer meeting Thursday 7:30.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.—Rev. C. E. Marvin, Pastor. Sabbath services; preaching 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Christian Endeavor meeting 6:30 p. m. All are cordially invited.

METHODIST CHURCH.—Rev. W. J. Douglass, Pastor. Sunday services; preaching 10:30 a. m. 7:30 p. m. Sunday School 11:45 a. m. Epworth League 6:30 p. m. Prayer meeting Thursday 7:30 p. m.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH.—Rev. E. R. Black, Pastor. Sunday services; preaching 10:30 a. m. 7:30 p. m. Sunday School 12 m. Senior Christian Endeavor 6:30 p. m. Prayer meeting Thursday 7:30 p. m. Parsonage cor. 3rd and Detroit St.

ADVENT CHRISTIAN CHURCH.—Rev. J. C. Royer, Pastor. Preaching at 11:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday School 10:00 a. m. Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7:30; Cottage prayer meeting Tuesday evening at 7:30. Strangers always welcome.

EVANGELICAL CHURCH, corner Oak and Second Sts. Rev. J. R. Niergarth Pastor. Residence 47 Main St. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday School 11:45 a. m. Young People's Alliance every Sunday at 6:30 p. m. Prayer service Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. All cordially welcome.

Elder J. H. Paton will preach at the Larger Hope church next Sunday morning at 10:30 and evening at 7:30.

The Young People's Alliance of the Evangelical church will have a business meeting for election of officers, in the church, on Friday evening.

The Epworth League of the M. E. church held a business meeting at the home of Mrs. John Fydel on Tuesday evening. At the close of the session a social time was enjoyed.

At the Presbytery which recently met at Kalamazoo, Rev. F. C. Colvin pastor of the Presbyterian church of Cassopolis was elected commissioner to the General Assembly, which meets in New York city May 15; and Rev. E. N. Prentice was elected alternate.

The Ladies Aid society of the Presbyterian church met this afternoon with Mrs. C. E. Marvin on Front street, to attend to the regular business of the society and arrange for the chicken pie dinner to be served during the day the teachers institute is in session.

Next Sunday morning at the Presbyterian church the pastor will speak concerning the work of the church for the coming year. All members and friends are invited to be with us. Following the preaching services the Sunday school session will be held, to which all who are not in attendance at any other schools are invited.

Sunday was a day of unusual interest in the M. E. church. It was quarterly conference meeting. Beginning with a love feast followed by sermon by the pastor, Rev. Douglass and the observance of the Lord's Supper. The service was attended by a large audience and was of deep thoughtfulness. There was also some special work in the Sunday school. The Bethany class of which Mr. A. A. Worthington is teacher, have for some time been studying the Pentateuch and Sunday closed this line of study with several finely prepared papers presented by various members of the class, one paper on each of the five books, Genesis, Exodus, Leviticus, Numbers, Deuteronomy. This is one of the strongest classes in the Sunday school, and every effort is made to encourage in the class the esprit de corps, and a class organization has been in effect for some time, which has furnished social life for the members.

Rev. J. R. Niergarth of the Evangelical church preached a very interesting sermon Sunday night, taking as his text Isaiah 6-5 "Mine eyes have seen the King." He spoke of the many heroes of the Old Testament who had seen visions of the King; Abraham, Moses, Joshua, Solomon, Job, Jeremiah and in later times Paul, and what a transforming power there was in seeing God. We look with admiration upon the president of the United States when we are fortunate enough to see him, or upon a foreign prince, and this is well for they are to be honored but how much greater is the sight of the King of Kings and Lord of Lords. Rev. Niergarth closed his address by telling of an incident when he was a boy of some ten summers, living in Canada when his school teacher gave him a present of a microscope which was a great delight to the boy, as everything looked so large and clear when placed under

the magnifying glass. God's word is a magnifying lens, through which we must look to get the true view of life and of sin, only as we look through the Bible we shall we ever see things in their true aspect. Rev. Niergarth is one of the most earnest of Buchanan's young preachers, and is doing good work in his church and in the village.

The attendance at the Cottage prayer meeting on Tuesday evening at Chas. Treat's was very materially interfered with by the storm. Next week's meeting will be held at Elder Shepherd's.

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

Washington, April 18.—More than four hours of the senate session yesterday was devoted to a speech on the isthmian canal question by Morgan. He is for the Nicaraguan route. An executive session was held.

The house continued the general debate on the Cuba reciprocity bill, the speeches being principally by opponents. During the talk Loud declared that Cuba had cost the United States directly and indirectly \$1,000,000,000.

Washington, April 19.—At yesterday's session of the senate consideration was begun of the bill temporarily to provide a form of government for the Philippine islands. Committee amendments were agreed to tentatively, but no action on the bill was taken. Fifty-five private pension bills and a few other measures were passed and an executive session was held.

The house passed the Cuba reciprocity bill—247 to 32—(gross vote) voting nay. The bill was amended by a Republican revolt so as to remove the differential on refined sugar during the life of the bill. A newspaper report of the Democratic caucus Thursday night quoted Underwood of Alabama as telling the Democrats that certain Republicans would abandon the Crumpacker resolution if the Democrats would assist them against Cuba reciprocity. Several Republicans expressed indignation at the matter, when Underwood rose and said he had never made any such statement anywhere. The senate Chinese exclusion bill was sent to conference.

Washington, April 21.—Little business of national importance was transacted by the senate Saturday. Numerous measures of minor character and nearly sixty private pension bills were passed. At 3 p. m. eulogies were pronounced upon James Henderson Kyle, late a senator from South Dakota, and the senate adjourned as a further mark of respect.

The house settled down to routine business Saturday. The fortification appropriation bill was passed and the conference report on the legislative appropriation bill agreed to.

Washington, April 22.—Without a word of discussion of the merits of the measure the senate yesterday passed the river and harbor bill carrying in appropriations about \$70,000,000. As no senator was prepared to begin debate on the Philippine government bill the measure after a few minutes of informal discussion went over.

The house entered on consideration of the military academy appropriation bill. In addition to the regular items it contains provision for the extensive improvement of the grounds and buildings at West Point, to cost \$6,000,000. The house completed consideration of twenty-four of the thirty pages of the bill.

United Confederate Veterans.

Dallas, Tex., April 22.—With the music of many bands and cheers from thousands of throats the twelfth annual reunion and meeting of the United Confederate Veterans began at the auditorium at the fair grounds—now called Camp Albert Sidney Johnston. The crush of visitors was the largest in the history of Dallas. It was estimated in the morning that 75,000 visitors were in the city, while information from the railroads was that by night this number would be swelled to 125,000 at least.

Prison Investigation Ended.

Michigan City, Ind., April 18.—The prison investigation has ended. Dr. Horne's charges, while not proved so far as the deputy warden is concerned, are considered to have given the prison a ventilation of the most beneficial kind. Governor Durbin has given his personal attention to the investigation and believes it will be productive of good. It is given out semi-officially that two of the accused guards will be asked to resign and Deputy Warden Barnard vindicated.

Children Cremated.

Des Moines, Ia., April 22.—The 3-year-old twin children of M. Shields, residing at Beargrove, Dassel county, were found in debris resulting from a fire that consumed a barn. Until the charred remains of the children were accidentally discovered they had not even been missed. The fire originated in a pile of rubbish and communicated to the barn. Unknown to the parents the children were playing inside the building and no effort was made to rescue them.

Illness of Queen Wilhelmina.

Amsterdam, April 18.—All classes of the population are deeply grieved at the illness of Queen Wilhelmina. Prince Henry of the Netherlands, the prince consort, is overwhelmed with anxiety and hardly leaves the queen's bedside. At last reports the queen's condition was unchanged. It is believed, however, that the crisis is past.

Our Production of Potatoes.

Washington, April 21.—The census office has issued a report showing that in 1899 the total number of farms reporting Irish potatoes was 2,836,205, with 2,083,952 acres and a product of 273,325,307 bushels, valued at \$98,387,614. Wisconsin produced 24,641,498 bushels, valued at \$5,826,562; Michigan 22,476,444 bushels, valued at \$6,759,342.

Notes Chicago Chinaman Dead.

Milwaukee, April 21.—Sam Moy, a Chinaman of Chicago, and said to be very wealthy, died suddenly at a hotel in Milwaukee of pneumonia. Moy came to this city about two weeks ago to investigate into the cause of death of a fellow-country man, who was assaulted some time ago. Moy was a prominent Free Mason.

NEWS OF THE STATE.

Telegraphic Reports of Matters of General Interest to Our Readers.

MICHIGAN HAPPENINGS BY WIRE

Items Prepared with Special Care for the Convenience of Our Own Readers.

Traverse City, Mich., April 22.—Mrs. John A. Hargreaves, aged 46 years, was found dead in her bedroom yesterday morning with frightful contusions on her head and marks on her throat that look as though she had been choked in a struggle. Her husband says they arose about 6:30 a. m. After he had assisted his wife to partly dress she asked him to go to the kitchen and build a fire. After a few moments Hargreaves says he heard screams coming from the bedroom, and returned to find his wife rolling about in a fit. He grappled with her, and they tumbled around the room together, the woman's head, according to his story, striking against the door and dresser.

Dign't Go Down With the Jury.

Hargreaves then ran across the street and told a neighbor that his wife had been injured in a fit and that he feared she was dead. He also said that he himself fell in a fit after he had subdued her. The police and coroner were summoned, and the latter immediately impounded a jury. It found that Mrs. Hargreaves' death was caused by violence by unknown hands. The walls of the bedroom were spattered with blood, which was also splashed on the bed clothing. Hargreaves was placed under arrest and taken to the jail. Mrs. Hargreaves had been an invalid for eight months.

Had Been Much Domestic Trouble.

She was his second wife, and it is said there had been domestic trouble in the family for some time. Hargreaves has always had a very violent temper. A post mortem examination was held yesterday afternoon.

HAVEMEYERS ARE IN MICHIGAN

Big Sugar Combine Men Investing Money in the Beet Sugar Factories.

Bay City, Mich., April 21.—Negotiations which have been pending for several days between the stockholders of the Bay City Sugar company and representatives of the Havemeyer sugar combine have been consummated and G. C. Scranton, of Detroit, has turned over to the stockholders a certified check in exchange for one-half of the stock of the company. The Havemeyers paid for the stock, and asked to have one director on the board, who will be selected at the annual meeting to be held April 29.

This director will be Charles B. Warren, of Detroit, who is also a director in the other Michigan sugar factories, at Caro, Crosswell and Alma, in which the Havemeyers also have obtained an interest. According to the best information at hand the Havemeyers have entered the Michigan beet sugar business in good faith because the factories have proven to be paying ventures.

WILLIAM M. JONES ARRAIGNED

Makes Light of the Charge of Killing His Mistress' Husband.

Detroit, Mich., April 19.—William M. Jones was arraigned in the police court charged with the murder of George M. Heywood, whose body was found a week ago on the street near his home. Jones' examination was set for April 25 and he was committed to jail without bail. After his commitment Jones denied that he killed Heywood, and said: "What would I kill Heywood for? I had everything my own way. There was nothing I could gain with George dead."

"Did you know that he had insurance on his life?" was asked.

"Yes, I knew he had somewhere about \$10,000, but how could I get it? I could not marry Mrs. Heywood. I am a married man myself, with two children."

"You could get a divorce from your wife," was suggested. "Oh, boss!" replied Jones. "You could go out and find a gold mine, too, I suppose." Jones denied that he owned the revolver found near Heywood's body.

How to Assess Foreign Stock.

Lansing, Mich., April 22.—Attorney General Owen has given the state tax commission an opinion to guide it in directing assessments on stock of foreign corporations. The opinion is that the valuation of property taxed in this state shall be deducted from the capital of the corporation and the stock held by Michigan citizens assessed at the percentage of property located in other states.

Voted to Give a Bonus.

Dearborn, Mich., April 22.—At a special election held here the village voted 113 for to 8 against raising \$4,000 for the purchase of building and grounds to be given as a bonus for a factory for the manufacture of elderdown, astrachan and similar goods. The work will commence at once, and the factory people expect to be in operation by June 1. Two other parties want sites for factories here.

Where Treasurers Make Money.

Lansing, Mich., April 22.—Attorney General Owen has given an opinion to the state board of auditors that the claim of County Treasurer Buhner, of Wayne, for \$1,582,277, which is 1 per cent of the inheritance taxes collected by him, may be allowed out of the general fund of the state. This was a test case.

Lived To Be 112 Years Old.

Coldwater, Mich., April 18.—Mrs. Kate Zielski, undoubtedly the oldest person in Michigan, died Wednesday at the age of 112 years. Mrs. Zielski, or Green, as she had been called for years, was born in Poland, March 22, 1790. Notwithstanding her great age she could read ordinary print without glasses.

MORE RIOT IN BELGIUM

Mobs Pelt the Police Officers with Stones and Are Fired Upon.

FIVE SAID TO HAVE BEEN KILLED

Others Are Wounded, Including Policemen—Government Defeats the Desired Revision.

Brussels, April 19.—A serious riot has occurred at Louvain, near Brussels. The Socialists held a demonstration in front of the residence of M. Schollaert, the president of the chamber of representatives. The police in attempting to disperse them were received with a shower of stones. The civic guard then fired on the mob. A similar riot occurred in another part of Louvain, and altogether five persons were killed and twelve were wounded. Some of the mob carried the dead and wounded to the Maison des Proletaires. Another riot is reported to have occurred at Bruges, in Flanders. Here the police charged the Socialists with drawn swords and ten of the latter were wounded.

Rioters Smash Windows.

The rioting at Louvain began at about half past 7 last evening. A band of Socialists paraded the streets of the town smashing windows with bolts and rivets. They broke through the police cordon in the Rue Thiermont. The civic guards stationed in the Place Saint Antoine ultimately became hard pressed by the rioters and fired a volley. The guard fired a second volley in front of the Catholic club. It is reported that twelve policemen were wounded. In some quarters the number of wounded policemen is placed at twenty, and several are said to have been mortally injured. All the streets of Louvain are barred and the maintenance of order has been assumed by the military.

Chamber Rejects Revision.

Brussels, April 19.—The chamber of representatives here yesterday, by 84 to 64 votes, rejected the proposal to revise the Belgian constitution so as to provide for universal suffrage. M. Woeste, the leader of the Right party in the chamber, when summing up the debate for the government, pointed out that a vote hostile to revision of the constitution did not imply hostility to reform if this was discussed in peaceful times. "The government supporters are prepared," said Woeste, "to consider proposals for reform in plural voting, although they could not go as far as universal suffrage, pure and simple." This speech is regarded as showing the willingness of the government to grant partial reform in the future.

Has Hopes of the King.

Great excitement followed the vote in the chamber. The Socialists held a meeting in the Maison du Peuple at which M. Van der Velde, the leader of the Socialist movement in Belgium, urged his hearers to be calm, and said he hoped King Leopold would still intervene. His speech took a conciliatory form. He indicated the dangers attending the insurrection of an almost weaponless people against organized forces of police and military, and said a struggle by methods of violence was quite hopeless. The people could only adopt pacific means. The speaker said he trusted the king would arbitrate in the difficulty.

Brussels, April 21.—At a general council of the Labor party held here yesterday it was resolved that work by the strikers in all sections should be resumed. The council issued a manifesto to this effect to the workmen yesterday. The anticipated announcement of parliament has not yet been made.

WHOLE FAMILY FOUND DEAD

Seven Persons, Man, Wife and Five Children—Murder and Suicide Is Most Probable.

Chicago, April 22.—Dead in a stuffy bedroom in a crowded tenement quarter in State street, the bodies of an entire colored family numbering seven persons were found last night, gnawed by rats and in an advanced state of decomposition. The police incline to a theory of murder and suicide by poison. The family is that of Jones Butler, an upholsterer, and consisted of Butler, his wife and five children. They had been dead for eight days.

While the members of his family were either partly or wholly undressed the body of Butler remained entirely clothed. He had seemingly thrown himself in desperation across the corpses of his wife and children some time after the poison had acted on them. Butler had frequent difficulties with his wife, and had made threats to do away with his family.

Extra Session Sets a Record.

Annapolis, Md., April 18.—The extra session of the Maryland general assembly has set a record for the nation. It met at noon and lasted just two and a half hours. It was called to pass the bill to provide for levying state taxes, which had been inadvertently allowed to die on the files at the close of the regular session. Both houses adjourned as soon as this bill and one providing for the expenses of the session had been passed. No attempt was made to reorganize the house by the election of a Republican in place of Speaker Mitchell.

Miller in the Shirt Factory.

Jackson, Mich., April 18.—Joseph M. Miller, of Detroit, who murdered Carrie Jennett, has been put at work in the prison shirt factory. Miller sat in his dark cell in a corner of the prison all day Sunday without a light. A guard came along and showed him the incandescent light in his narrow apartment. The convict then asked for a Bible, and was given it.

Michigan University Enrollment.

Ann Arbor, Mich., April 21.—The official figures for the enrollment in the University of Michigan this year have just been given out. The grand total is 3,709, which is just three less than last year. The regular session shows a net gain of twenty-six and the summer session a loss of twenty-nine.

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Incendiary Fires at Dallas.

Dallas, Tex., April 22.—Four fires, starting in different sections of this city between 3 and 3:30 o'clock in the morning, and believed to be of incendiary origin, destroyed property estimated to be worth \$400,000, on which there is an estimated insurance of \$275,000. Five persons were hurt, two perhaps fatally.

Somebody Stones Gen. Mercier.

Paris, April 22.—As General Mercier, formerly minister of war, was leaving a political meeting at La Ferté-Bernard, in the department of Sarthe, at which he had presided, he was stoned and sustained a wound in the head.

A Pitcher of Water.

Here is something every one should know: A peculiar property about ice cold water is that it attracts to itself a large quantity of the poisonous gases that are exhaled through our lungs and pores. The colder the water, the greater its capacity for holding impurities, and water which has stood during the night in a close bedroom is highly injurious to drink. At a normal temperature a pitcher of water will under these circumstances probably contain (in the morning) from a pint to a pint and a half of carbonic gas and a large proportion of ammonia. When nearly at freezing point, its capacity for imbibing poisons is doubled.

Dyed Carpets.

It is not generally known that carpets can be successfully dyed and thus enter into new life. Almost any style of weave can be so treated, but of course ingrain must have no cotton thread on the surface. It is best always to select for the new color something quiet in both color and tone. A dead leaf brown is excellent, while an olive green or dull red is almost as good. Of course the dyed carpet must be a solid color, and this is why only the quietest shades should be chosen.

Face Should be Badly Cut Up.

Pellaire, Mich., April 18.—Freeman Lavalley, of Echo township, was stabbed nine times in the face by Frank Myers, of Jordan township. There has been ill feeling between their families for years.

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