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MRS. JOHNSON HURT IN RUNAWAY

The Horse Driven by Postmaster Gerow Was Frightened at an Automobile

The Jacksonville Times—Union of recent date contains the following account of an accident which befell Mrs. J. M. Johnson, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hallock of this place:

Mrs. J. M. Johnson of 710 West Adams street is confined to her bed with an injured back, several ugly bruises over her body and an ugly gash on the left side of her face, as the result of a runaway accident on Adams street yesterday at 12:45.

Mrs. Johnson and her brother-in-law, Peter Johnson, were riding bicycles, coming in the direction of Julia street from Bridge and along Adams street. Postmaster Gerow was driving one of his spirited horses in the opposite direction. The three were about to meet at the corner of Adams and Julia streets, when an automobile came rushing down Julia and frightened the horse.

The horse swerved quickly, and before Mr. Gerow could control the animal, it had hugged the curbing on the south side of the street, and had thrown Mrs. Johnson to the ground. The horse and buggy ran over the unfortunate woman, who had been thrown violently to the vitrified brick pavement.

Mrs. Johnson was picked up in a semi-conscious condition and was carried into the grocery store on the southeast corner of Julia and Adams streets. In the meantime Mr. Gerow had hurriedly summoned a doctor. Later she was carried to her home, where Dr. Dean was called. The attending physician states that while Mrs. Johnson has sustained a great many bruises, she is not seriously hurt. It was feared at first that she was injured internally, but a careful examination of the injuries allayed this fear.

Mrs. Johnson stated to a reporter at her home soon after the accident occurred that Mr. Gerow was making a great effort to hold his horse, and that he was in no wise to blame. She blames the owner of the automobile, who was riding much faster than he should have driven his machine.

The buggy in which Mr. Gerow rode was damaged to some extent.

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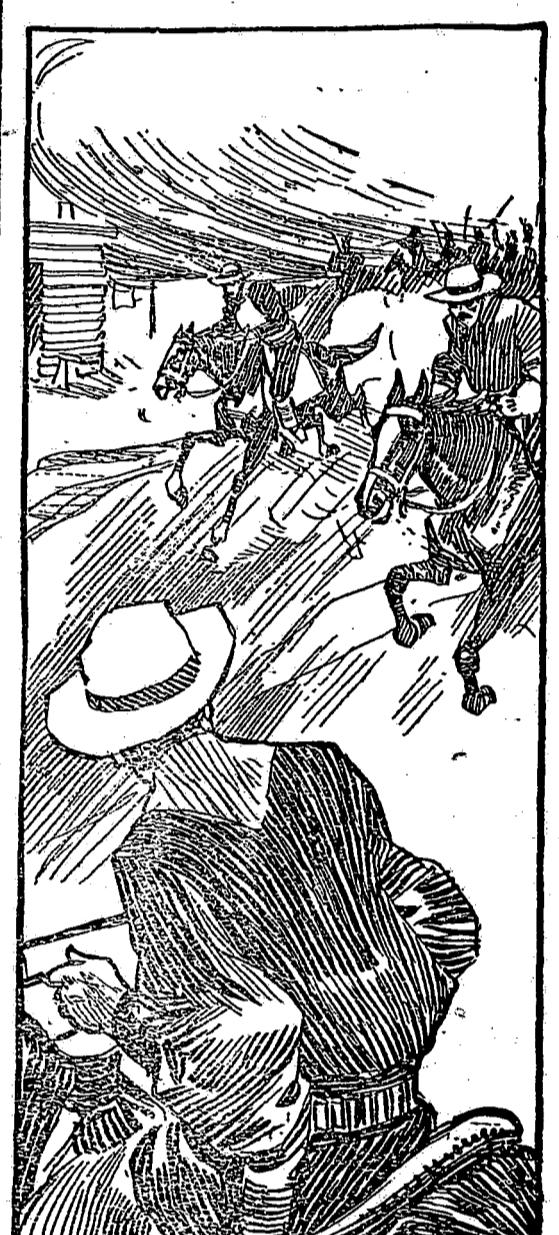
A Race For Life

An Incident of the Uprising of Chief Joseph's Band In 1877.

Montana Rancher's Wild Night Ride Across the Prairie. How the Nez Perces Were Eluded.

While in reminiscent mood recently an old resident of southern Montana related an experience he had with the Nez Perce Indians during their uprising in 1877, in which he narrowly escaped losing his scalp.

"I was running a dairy on Horse Prairie creek at that time, and every resident of that section was on the



TWO MEN CAME TEARING DOWN THE ROAD.

lookout, expecting that Chief Joseph and his band would come swooping down upon us at any minute. It was the 12th of August that the Indians finally paid their visit to the prairie. When it was learned that the Indians were close to the prairie messengers were sent from ranch to ranch with the understanding that we all should gather at the Pierce ranch for mutual protection.

"With several others I waited at the ranch until evening, but as few, if any, other residents of the prairie came there, the ranch hands, myself and Mr. Pierce decided that we had better go to Bannack. Knowing that my old mare would travel a whole lot better if she had her colt with her, I concluded to ride down to the ranch and let it out of the pasture so that it could follow. Shortly after I had left the ranch it began to get dark, and before I had made a mile or so, I heard a 'Yip, yip, yip!' punctuated with the crack of rifles and the singing of bullets.

"Looking backward through the gloaming I could see two men tearing down the road as fast as their horses could leg it, while behind them followed seven Indians, who sent bullets after the fleeing men as fast as they could reload their rifles. One glance was all I wanted. The old mare acted as if she had a hurry up appointment to meet that colt, and I dug my spurs into her sides and induced her to add still a little more speed to her good intentions.

"Down the Horse Prairie road we raced, I and the old mare in the lead, the two men, one whose name was Kelly and the other his cousin next, with the Indians gaining on all of us. After this race had continued for a mile or two the Indians shot Kelly's cousin through the arm, another shot struck his horse, and the animal promptly bucked him off, and he ran to the brush and hid, the Indians not detecting him in the darkness as his horse ran down the road. This left Kelly and I in the race.

"I had a good deal the best of the race, and finally we came to a place where old man O'Hoolahan had made a change in the road, the new road, which was but slightly traveled at that time, forming a right angle with the old one. My old mare had been over the road several times before, and she made the turn all right. So did Kelly's, and it was lucky she did so, for the Indians were gaining fast on him, and when his nag shot into the turn of the road they were scarcely 100 yards behind and shooting every time

their horses hit the ground.

"The Indian ponies knew nothing about this turn in the road, and they followed the plain track, with the result that in a moment they brought up with full speed against a fly pole fence, tearing down at least a dozen panels and deboring every rider. The night was then so dark that the red men could not see the obstruction until they got to it, and the horses were going so fast that they could not have stopped even if they had wanted to. Right here the chase, as far as the Indians were concerned, was over, but I did not stop to think about it. I heard the crash of the broken fence as they dashed into it, and I threw still more steel into the old mare's flanks and headed down the valley.

"The next day we learned that Kelly's cousin, after he was shot, managed to reach the brush, where he found still another man belonging to the ranch, and together the two men crawled on their hands and knees all night long through the willows, fearing every minute that the Nez Perces would be upon them. When daylight came they got their bearings and walked across the prickly pear covered hills to Bannack. When they arrived they were in a deplorable condition. Their feet were filled with prickly pear thorns and swollen to double their normal size, while their clothes were torn from their bodies by their contact with the brush and briars while crawling down the creek to safety.

"Tom Pierce, the owner of the ranch, came near perishing during the night. He was somewhat of a dandy, and every time he went to Bannack he wore a fifty dollar suit of clothes and a twenty dollar pair of boots. When he returned to the ranch he would store these away and don overalls and cowhide shoes. He had been to Bannack the day the Indians visited the prairie, and he was changing his clothes when it was announced the Indians were coming. Dressed in overalls, without coat or vest, he and a hired man took to the hills, leaving his dandy clothes behind, and they were promptly appropriated by some noble buck.

"Pierce and his men laid out all night in the hills, and as the nights were most awfully chilly at that time Pierce, in his shirt sleeves, came near freezing to death. The hired man was compelled to lay on him and with the warmth of his body keep the life in the old man, or he would have perished.

"But there was a tragedy enacted on the prairie that day and two fellows who were working on the Monument mine were killed by the Indians. These men had been told that danger was close, but they did not heed the warning, and they were cruelly murdered.

"However, the residents of the prairie were more than a little relieved when the reports came that the Indians had left Montana and were in Idaho. Then they returned to their homes, but it was many day before they ceased to talk of the raid made by Chief Joseph in August, 1877."

RISKED DEATH FOR FAME.

Awful Result of a Youth's Attempt to Loop the Loop on Skates.

Probably no feat of daring ever performed in public was so foolhardy as that of William Zimmerman of Indianapolis, who, without previous experience, recently attempted to loop the loop on roller skates and was frightfully injured in consequence.



ZIMMERMAN LOST HIS BALANCE.

Zimmerman, who was but twenty years old, had seen the feat of looping the loop on skates and had a great desire to try it. He begged permission and when his request was granted went into it despite the pleading of his family and friends. He had never tried the feat until the night on which he

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Fete Week Bargains

We intend to break all selling records this coming week and we expect the great Reduction Sales of Fete Week to be largely attended. We have bought huge quantities of merchandise and the prices paid were low enough to mean wonderful bargains for all our customers. New-Fall Dry Goods enter into this sale. We made a very successful purchase of Dress Goods from a New York house which is retiring. The low prices last as long as the goods advertised last. We strongly urge an early visit to the store. Come down and choose the good things from the huge piles of merchandise displayed. Nearly everyone who buys here sends friends to share in the extraordinary bargains.

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100 dozen 12x12 bleached Wash Rags 3c each

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Women's fine lace thread Union Suits worth \$1.... 69c

Children's fine ribbed lace thread underwear..... 10c

Reduction Sale of Notions

Hooks and Eyes with a hump for 1c per card

Dress Stays—6 in a bunch 1c

Dress Shields, stockwell 5c pair

Goff's Angora Braid 8c per bunch

Pearl Buttons 5c for 2 doz

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Invisible Hair Pins 1c box

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met with the accident.

In the audience was Ray Stevens, who had made the loop successfully several times, who had twice sustained desperate injuries and was then recuperating from hurts.

The loop is made in the same way that it is made on a bicycle, except that the performer wears a pair of iron skates weighing 100 pounds. The feat had been done only five times when Zimmerman attempted it. Stevens had made the loop four times, while a bicycle rider named LeFever made it once.

The trip around the upright circles occupies only four seconds, the performer speeding so fast that he is scarcely seen by the spectators. Zimmerman was closely watched by Stevens and the other experts. They say that when the impetus was obtained he lost his balance by looking at that critical moment toward the spectators. When he reached the top of the circle it was seen that he stopped still for a fraction of a second and then fell heavily the eighteen feet to the floor of the circle. As he struck the bottom the iron skates struck him on the head, crushing his skull.

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PASSENGERS HILARIOUS

Frank Garlick, of Chicago, Says He Saw Drunken Men and Women on South Haven Steamer.

South Haven, Mich., July 27.—(Special)—At the First Methodist church Sunday morning Frank Garlick of Chicago, president of the National Association of Gideon, who occupied the pulpit, created a sensation.

Mr. Garlick was a passenger on a steamer in which he claims to have seen over 100 drunken men and women and smarting under several indignities he claims to have suffered took it out on the congregation. In his opening remarks he spoke of the beauty of the little seaside city; its wonderful development in the past few years and of the value of local option if enforced.

"But there is another side," he exclaimed, pointing an accusing finger at the congregation and raising his voice so that everybody felt guilty and expected it to be announced from the pulpit—"What good—what advantage is this pretty town, your schools, or your local option to your souls if you support and permit a veritable fountain of inebriates to stagger about your city? I am not exactly a preacher of the gospel and so I speak to you as man to man."

TELLS OF CAROUSEL.

"Last night I came across the lake in a steamship in which I understand you are all interested and in which many of you own stock. A bar room freely dispensing whisky and beer was in full operation during the trip. A fairly respectable crowd in less than one hour was converted into a disgraceful set of maudlin drunkards. Men and women hugged each other and conducted themselves in a manner that I would be ashamed to speak of. Several times drunken women accosted me with jeering remarks and by the time the boat reached South Haven the lower decks were lined with over 100 men and women hilariously intoxicated.

"The blame lies right here. You all know it. You see it every day and yet you come to church on Sunday and pray to your God. You are allowing your brothers and your sisters to destroy themselves on reefs that are really built and supported by your own hands. Yet you come here and ask for mercy and judgment."

In closing Mr. Garlick urged his hearers to do all in their power to stop the impending evil, and intimated that an investiture into the South Haven drug business might be of interest.—Kalamazoo Telegraph.

CARNIVAL IS SCORED

Seathing Rebuke by Rev. Eli Phillips Bennett.

The Fete of All Nations, or carnival, which will open in this city tonight, was the object of a scorching sermon delivered Sunday morning by Rev. Eli Phillips Bennett, pastor of the First M. E. church. He spoke to a large congregation and his views seemed to meet the almost universal approbation of all who heard his scathing rebuke of those in charge of the affair.

Rev. Bennett's subject was "The Fete of Some Nations and the Fete of All Nations." His text was taken from Second Corinthians, 6:14.

"What fellowship hath righteousness and unrighteousness? Or what communion hath light with darkness?"—Niles Sun.

Mr. Bennett began by saying that "to remove sin in high places and at high tide is an unpleasant task, but one from which the pulpit cannot in honor shrink. The divine commission to preachers of the gospel is to reprove, rebuke and exhort with all long suffering and doctrine." The pulpit has a judicial function. We have courts in which those accused of statutory crimes are brought to trial and by which they may be sentenced upon conviction. The value of these courts is largely in their restraint of persons with vicious impulses. But there are offenses against society which cannot be tried in these courts. There is a higher tribunal to which they must answer." Continuing he

said:

"A wholesome public sentiment and an awakened public conscience restrain from evil and safeguard the people. One of the offices of the pulpit is to foster these things. I am compelled to-day to arraign the management of the Fete of All Nations before the tribunal of reason and morality. I think that we have a case that will stand and that your verdict and the verdict of the community generally will be one of censure—South Bend Tribune.

Patricians Meet.

The fourth biennial conclave of the order of Patricians, representing two states, assembled at Benton Harbor Tuesday. There were about 60 representatives present.

The Benton Harbor people entertained them in a royal manner—a banquet and a trolley ride about the city being among the features offered for the amusement of the guests.

W. H. Keller of Buchanan, representing the Patrician Court No. 5, was in attendance.

E. K. Hibben of Niles Promoted.

After nine years of faithful service here as freight and passenger agent for the Big Four Railway company, E. K. Hibben has been promoted by his employers and will take charge of the company's freight office at Alexandria, Ind., early next week. Previous to coming to Niles, Mr. Hibben was cashier in the company's freight office at Marion, Ind. Mrs. Hibben and the children will remain with relatives at Elkhart for a few weeks, during which time Mr. Hibben will secure a residence in Alexandria and have his household goods moved on from here. The town of Alexandria has a population of 12,000 and Mr. Hibben's new position is one of great responsibility, but is also a much better paying job than he had here.

During his residence here Mr. Hibben has seen the town grow in population and in wealth, and he says that the Big Four is doing about twice the freight business it was doing when he took charge of the local office, and that the company intend showing their appreciation of the patronage accorded them by the people of Niles by erecting a fine new depot and a new freight house in the very near future. During their stay in Niles, Mr. and Mrs. Hibben have made a host of friends who will regret their departure from our city. Mr. Hibben will be succeeded by A. G. Coverston of Ruhville, Ind.

COUNTY SEAT NEWS

The injunction which was served up on Nate V. Lovell about ten days ago has been dissolved by Judge Coolidge.

The court dissolved the injunction on the ground that under the bill of complaint there was no cause for action. The trouble arose out of the purchase of a farm, belonging to Lovell, by Mrs. Ella M. Grimes, of Benton Harbor.

Mrs. Grimes bought the farm for \$4,000 and gave as part payment a horse and lot in Benton Harbor valued at \$2,000. The remaining \$2,000 was to be paid in installments of \$500 each, and the first payment was due some time ago, but Mrs. Grimes was unable to pay on account of her husband's illness. Upon his recovery Mrs. Grimes stated that she was perfectly able to pay the installment, but Lovell refused to accept the money. She also asserted that Lovell has tried to prevent tenants from settling on the farm and in this way had caused her trouble and annoyance.

Since the injunction, which was granted to prevent Lovell from disposing of the land, has been dissolved a new bill of complaint will be filed by Cady & Andrews, attorneys for the defense, charging fraud and deception.—Niles Sun.

Articles of incorporation of the Puterbaugh-Weaver Co. were filed in the clerk's office. The company was organized by Michael J. Rogan of Detroit, and Edwin C. Weaver and Jesse D. Puterbaugh of Benton Harbor. The capital stock is \$10,000 of which \$2,000 is paid in and the company is organized for thirty years.

Judge Coolidge adjourned court until Sept. 14, and has returned to Niles.

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THEY SAW SNAKES.

While making Marsh Hay Rattle Snakes are Seen.

Last Tuesday afternoon while the young men of the family of Wm. Miller were making marsh day, they discovered some rattle snakes and upon closer investigation they found that the field was thoroughly inhabited with the reptiles.

After much chasing and stomping, they killed ten of the snakes, the eleventh one they brought into town and gives to Chas. Phillips who placed it on display in front of Rouse's barber shop. It is a large specimen, measuring twenty-two inches, and has nine rattles.

In the war on the venomous reptiles, no one was bitten or harmed and the community are glad to be rid of the snakes. They were caught in the fields near Pike Lake.

A Very Close Call.

"I stuck to my engine, although every joint ached and every nerve was racked with pain," writes C. W. Bellamy, a locomotive fireman, of Burlington, Iowa. "I was weak and pale, without any appetite and all run down. As I was about to give up, I got a bottle of Electric Bitters, and after taking it, I felt as well as I ever did in my life." Weak, sickly, rundown people always gain new life, strength and vigor from their use. Try them. Satisfaction guaranteed by W. N. Brodrick. Price 50 cents.

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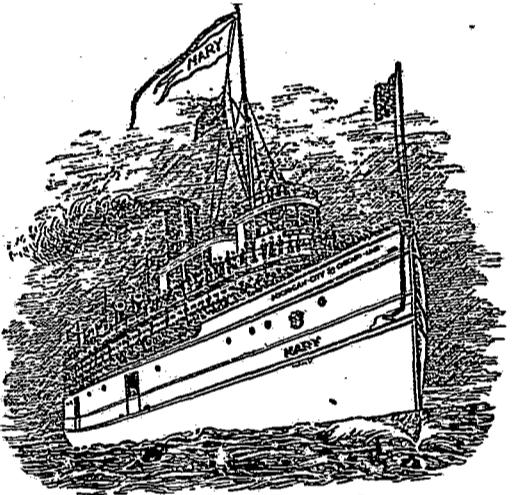
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Estate of Olin H. Williams, Deceased.
STATE OF MICHIGAN, Probate Court for
the County of Berrien.
At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of St. Joseph in said County, on the 13th day of July, A. D. 1903.
Present: Hon. Frank H. Ellsworth Judge of Probate.
In the matter of the estate of Olin H. Williams, deceased.
John H. Dick, administrator, having filed in said Court his petition for probate of the estate of Olin H. Williams, deceased, and that all persons interested in the estate appear before said court, at said time and place, to show cause why a license to sell the interest of said estate in real estate there described, for the purpose of paying debts of said deceased.
It is ordered, that the 10th day of August, A. D. 1903, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, the said John H. Dick, administrator, for bearing said petition, and that all persons interested in the estate appear before said court, at said time and place, to show cause why a license to sell the interest of said estate in real estate there described, for the purpose of paying debts of said deceased.

It is further ordered, that public notice thereof be given by the publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to the day of hearing, in the Buchanan Record, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.
(A true copy) FRANK H. ELLSWORTH,
Register of Probate.
Last publication, July 31, 1903.

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TO SPAN A CONTINENT

Canada Contracts for an All-Canadian Railway from Ocean to Ocean.

WILL BUILD AND OWN THE ROAD

Leasing It to a Company to Operate— Laurier Explains the Great Enterprise.

Ottawa, Ont., July 31.—Sir Wilfrid Laurier has announced in parliament the details of the contract between the Grand Trunk Pacific and the government for the building of a national trans-continental railway. The road will stretch from Moncton, N. B., to Port Simpson, on the Pacific ocean, a distance of 3,800 miles. The government will build with public moneys the line from Moncton to Winnipeg, and lease the line to the company for fifty years. For seven years the lease will be free, the company paying operating expenses.

What the Government Gets and Gives.

The next three years the company will pay over all net earnings. For the remainder of the life of the lease, the company will pay the government 3 per cent. on the gross cost of the section. The government will supervise the building of the line, but the company probably will do the work. From Winnipeg to the Pacific the company must build the line within seven years. The government will guarantee 75 per cent. of the cost of construction up to \$13,000 a mile on the prairie section and \$30,000 a mile on the mountain section.

Holds a First Mortgage.

The government will hold a first mortgage on the line between Winnipeg and the Pacific as security for its guarantee, and the Grand Trunk railway will guarantee the bonds of the Grand Trunk Pacific for its proportion of the cost of the section. The company will have running privileges over the Inter-Colonial. All companies will have running privileges between Moncton and Winnipeg, subject to the company's terms. Unruled traffic in the winter must go to St. John and Halifax at Portland rates.

Wants To Be Independent of Us.

The company must deposit in sixty days \$5,000,000 as security for the fulfilment of the contract. The money will be released for the building of the final section. Sir Wilfrid Laurier spoke at length in explanation of the project. He said the road will be built through the maritime province that a Canadian port might be opened on the seaboard to render Canada independent should the United States at any time stop the bonding privileges. The best way, said the premier, to remain friendly with the United States is to be independent commercially.

IDAHO SPRINGS INCIDENT

Coroner Finds a Dead Man Guilty— Executed Unionists at Denver with Lawyers Engaged.

Idaho Springs, Colo., July 31.—The coroner's jury in the case of Philip Fiere, the union miner who was found fatally injured near the scene of the blowing up of one of the buildings of the Sun and Moon mine, rendered a verdict that he "came to his death as a result of an attempt on his part and others to blow up the buildings of the Sun and Moon mine." Although Fiere was supposed to have been killed by a bullet from the pistol of the watchman at the mine officiating physicians incline to the belief that he was killed by the explosion. Two more members of the miners' union have been arrested. The men who were driven out of the town are in Denver and have engaged attorneys to look after their interests.

New Chief of the Engineers.

Meadville, Pa., July 31.—M. M. Shay is in the city, and will remain until after Chief Youngson's funeral today. The nomination of Shay to be assistant grand chief was made under section 12 of the constitution. The nomination will go before the three remaining salaried officers of the grand international division for confirmation, and in case of confirmation he will serve as grand chief until the next national convention.

Most Likely Thing in the World.

Minneapolis, July 31.—The Pittsburgh Plate Glass company, of this city, has complained of pickets stationed near its factory by striking glass workers, and asked for police to protect non-union glass workers. In case of officers should prevent pickets from carrying out the work they have been appointed to do some interesting developments may be looked for.

Government Wants to Buy a Lot.

Washington, July 31.—The government has decided to acquire a square in this city between Eighteenth and Nineteenth and E and F streets, located just west of the state, war and navy building, as a site for the proposed hall of records for government archives. The owners, however, want about 33 per cent. more for the lot than congress appropriated.

Interstate Shooting Tournament.

La Crosse, Wis., July 31.—The interstate trap shooting tournament opened with fifty-two entries, including marksman of national prominence from all parts of the country. H. C. Hirschey, of Minneapolis, out of a total of 165 birds, killed 157, and was high gun for the day.

HISSES FOR WASHINGTON

Negroes Try to Interrupt the Eminent Colored Educator and a Riot Nearly Ensues.

Boston, July 31.—An attempt on the part of half a dozen colored persons opposed to Booker T. Washington, president of Tuskegee Institute, to ask questions at a meeting which he was addressing at the Zion church almost resulted in a riot, and twenty-five policemen were called to quell the disturbance. Several arrests were made, one policeman received a deep stab from a hat pin, while a man said to be one of those opposed to Washington received several razor cuts and is now in the hospital.

Both factions at the close of the meeting issued statements. Washington said in his statement that the colored people of Boston should not be held responsible for a few riotous individuals, while William Monroe Trotter, one of those who was arrested, stated that the cause of the rioting was the absurd ruling of the chairman, Lewis, in ordering the arrest and ejection of any person who hissed or manifested any objection to the speaker of the evening.

REJECTED WITH SCORN

White Ribbon Given to a Society Lady's Horse—She Throws It on the Ground

New York, July 31.—Mrs. John Gerken caused a sensation at the Monmouth county horse show at Long Branch by plucking from the head of her champion saddle horse, La Contributor, a white rosette placed there by the judges, and angrily throwing it on the ground at their feet. Then she took her favorite steed out of the show ring. The incident occurred in one of the first events of the day, a competition for saddle horses. There were ten entries competing against La Contributor, nearly all of which were novice horses, heretofore unknown in the show ring.

One of these new comers, Mrs. E. C. Kirkland's chestnut mare, Corinne, was awarded the blue ribbon; another, C. E. Myreath's Highland, received the red ribbon; Louis Sherry's Soi Disant, a noted prize winner at other shows, was placed third, and the white ribbon went to Mrs. Gerken's La Contributor. And she wouldn't have it. La Contributor has been a regular winner of first prizes.

Cheboygan Man Goes Insane and Dies.

London, Ont., July 31.—J. W. Brown, a marine engineer of Cheboygan, Mich., went apparently crazy and the police found him on the roof of a shed in the rear of his hotel. When told to come down he flourished a knife and said he was going to commit suicide. While jumping about he plunged head first to the ground and crushed his skull. He died soon after.

Those Convicts Get Away.

Placerville, Cal., July 31.—Although hundreds of armed men are now engaged in the search for the prisoners who escaped from the Folsom penitentiary the outlaws remain masters of the situation. They have succeeded in eluding their pursuers and the ultimate escape of at least a portion of the gang seems highly probable.

Nineteen Killed in the Blast.

Lowell, Mass., July 31.—A long line of hearses, moving slowly through the streets, was pathetic reminder of the terrible catastrophe Wednesday. The number of dead so far is nineteen, but it may be increased to twenty-one, as two of the wounded are in very serious condition.

Evidence Against Curtis Jett.

Cynthiana, Ky., July 31.—Four witnesses in the feud murder trial swore they saw Curtis Jett enter the court house at Jackson just before Marcus was murdered. The defense's strong point is an attempt to prove that Jett was outside the court house at the time.

German Trade with Us Is Large.

Washington, July 31.—German trade with the United States last year was enormous. Consul General Mason reports that the value of German exports to the United States during the fiscal year ended July 1 last was \$119,778,325.

Rain in the Kansas Corn Belt.

Kansas City, July 31.—Heavy rain has fallen in all the counties of the corn belt, and still more rain is expected. The hot weather had not damaged the corn, but the rain was urgently needed.

Can't Find a Cuban Uprising.

Havana, July 31.—Up to this writing the reported uprising in the province of Santiago has not been confirmed; and cannot be found, although diligent search has been made therefor.

SCORES ON THE BALL FIELD

Chicago, July 31.—Following are the base ball scores:

League: At Brooklyn—New York 4, Brooklyn 6—five innings, rain; at St. Louis—Pittsburgh 10, St. Louis 4; at Cincinnati—Chicago 0, Cincinnati 15.

American: At Philadelphia—Washington 1, Philadelphia 12; (second game) Washington 5, Philadelphia 6; at Chicago—Cleveland 0, Chicago 10; at Detroit—St. Louis 1, Detroit 0; at Boston—New York 12, Boston 1.

Association: At Louisville—Milwaukee 5, Louisville 11; at Indianapolis—Kansas City 0, Indianapolis 2; (second game) Kansas City 3, Indianapolis 4; at Toledo—Minneapolis 18, Toledo 3.

Western: At St. Joseph—Colorado Springs 6, St. Joseph 0; at Kansas City—Denver 0, Kansas City 1; at Milwaukee—Des Moines 4, Milwaukee 3; at Peoria—Omaha 0, Peoria 9.

KING VISITS GALWAY

Warmly We Greeted by the People and Escorted by the "O'Gillaneans" as a Courtesy.

WILD AND FICTITIOUS

The Scene of the Day's Trials Not of Violence from the King.

Galway, July 31.—King Edward and Queen Alexandra continued by motor their inspection of some of the wildest and most picturesque regions of Ireland. The start was made at 9 a. m. from the little town of Lecname, on the shore of Killarney bay, where the mayor, the local rector, the parish priest and a deputation representing 20,000 inhabitants of the wild Connemara mountains presented an address. The king in replying said he had already inspected some of the cottage industries, and he wished to assure the inhabitants that he was equally pleased with the spirit of industrial activity and the warm, hearty welcome of the people, which he and the queen both would long remember.

Escorted by "Connemara Cavalry."

The hearty tone of his majesty's speech was received with every evidence of appreciation. The royal party drove off in motors through the beautiful lake and mountain country, everywhere greeted loyally by the inhabitants, many of whom journeyed leagues across the mountains to catch a sight of them. The motor journey ended at Recess, where the party had luncheon. The town was decorated and the hotel was surrounded by a guard of honor of "Connemara cavalry," peasants from the surrounding country astride of saddleless mountain ponies, and wearing "Jerry" hats decorated with tri-color ribbons and green rosettes. Their majesties took a train for Galway and arrived here late in the afternoon. They met with an enthusiastic reception.

Great Fire at Hobart, O. T.

Kansas City, July 31.—A special to The Times from Fort Cobb, O. T., says: Fire started in Hobart, O. T., in a saloon. Four blocks have been destroyed, including the Wells-Fargo express office, City National bank and several stores. The loss will reach \$200,000.

Crescent to Try for a Record.

Toledo, O., July 31.—George H. Ketcham, owner of Crescent, the world's champion trotter, will send the horse into training preparatory to an exhibition tour in which an attempt will be made to lower his own record.

Three Killed by Lightning.

Lynchburg, Va., July 31.—Three persons were killed and more than a score injured by lightning at New Hope church, Appomattox county. The dead are Paul Gowen, Charles Austin and Aubrey Wingfried.

Weather Makes a July Record.

Minneapolis, July 31.—The mercury dropped to the 50 mark in this city, making a record for the month of July. St. Paul registered 52 and La Crosse 56. Lisbon, N. D., got 36 degrees of frigidity.

Another Smash at the Berlin Treaty.

Vienna, July 31.—A press dispatch from Constantinople says that Russia has asked permission of the sultan to allow several Russian warships to pass through the Dardanelles for the east.

NEWS FACTS IN OUTLINE

The 1,200 pork butchers and oleomargarine workers in the Kansas City packing plants have been granted a 25 per cent. increase of wages.

At Recess an extraordinary incident occurred. A poor old woman approached the queen with a petition for the remission of the remainder of a sentence of six months passed upon her husband. Inquiries proved that the man's character justified clemency, and the queen, with the king's permission, remitted the sentence on the spot. The surrounding crowd, learning what had occurred, cheered wildly.

RECEPTION TO J. T. KEATING

Olan-Na-Gael Declares Enmity to England—Ireland Must Be Independent.

New York, July 31.—John T. Keating, of Chicago, formerly national president of the Ancient Order of Hibernians, was given a reception by the Clan-na-Gael at Cooper Union. Keating, who has just arrived from Ireland, delivered the address at the annual pilgrimage to the grave of the leader in 1798 of the United Irishmen, Theobald Wolfe Tone, at Bodenstown, Ireland, on June 21, upon the invitation of the Nationalists of Ireland, and was attacked for the speech by the organs of the Parliamentary party, which declared that Keating did not speak as the representative of any one in the United States. The reception was intended as an answer to that charge.

The resolutions adopted endorse the speech that was condemned by the Parliamentary party, and declare that it spoke "for us and our brethren throughout the world." The resolution then goes on to declare "That Ire-

land's true interests will be best served by a steady, resolute and progressive policy of organization among her own people the world over, and the cultivation of alliances with England's enemies, with a view to the eventual reconstruction and re-establishment of an Irish nation—the founding of an Irish republic—on the ruins of the British empire. To that policy we pledge our hearty and continuous support."

Keating told of his welcome in Ireland. He denounced the visit of King Edward to the country, and declared that only because of thousands of armed guards was the king able to carry out successfully his visit.

CAPITAL AND LABOR CONFER

Object Is to Avert the Threatened Big Lockout, in the Pittsburg Building Trade.

Pittsburg, July 31.—An informal conference was held between the committees of the Builders' League and the Building Trades Council at the Builders' Exchange which took up the difficulties that exist between the various building trades and the contracting firm of A. & S. Wilson. The result of an entire evening's debate over the matter was an agreement to hold a formal conference today between committees empowered to act for each other.

The conference today, it is stated, will have to settle the dispute one way or the other before the day is over, or the original decision of the Builders' League will be carried out, and every bit of contracting work will be shut down.

Ho Sides with Chicago.

Warsaw, Ind., July 31.—At the meeting of the American Microscopical society, at Winona assembly grounds, Professor T. J. Burrill told of investigations which he had made to determine the effect of the Chicago drainage canal on the purity of water in the Illinois river. Contamination disappeared entirely within from twenty-five to seventy miles, according to Professor Burrill's examination.

Window Glass Scale Arranged.

Columbus, O., July 31.—At a conference here between representatives of window glass companies employing workers belonging to Labor Assembly No. 300, and Simon Burns, president of that organization, an agreement on the wage scale for the coming year was made. The men get a 10 per cent. raise.

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WOMAN'S STRANGE FREAK

Announces Her Love for a Minister Before the Whole Congregation—Love Is Not Reciprocated.

St. Clair, Mich., July 31.—Rev. Ralph Duff, pastor of the Congregational church, had just closed his sermon when Miss Hattie Cook walked up the aisle, stood before him and said: "I bring you all I have. Accept me as though you were my Savior." The whole congregation heard these remarkable words, and all were startled. The minister turned deadly pale, but otherwise showed no emotion.

"Miss Cook," he said sternly, "take your seat."

The young woman sat down, but turning to a friend who sat near, she said: " Didn't I do right?" " You certainly did not," was the reply. " Well," returned Miss Cook, " he is the man I love." The cause of the greatest sensation St. Clair has enjoyed for years is the sister of Mrs. Charles Y. Recor. She is about 30 years of age.

Murder Is Suspected.

Neganee, Mich., July 31.—The coroner's inquest in the case of William Ingger, who was apparently killed by a burglar at the Northwest train, developed the suspicions that he had met with foul play. It seems that he and some companions were under the influence of liquor when leaving here, and that they had an alteration, in which he got the worst of it. An examination showed that he had been hit on the head with a blunt instrument.

Some suppose that he was killed and that his body was placed on the track to hide the crime.

Lightning Was Very Deadly.

Alpena, Mich., July 31.—At Parris lake, a village in Alcona county on the lake shore below here, lightning instantly killed James De Forrest and his wife in their home. Dell Crothers, a farmer near Onaway, in Presque Isle county, was killed by a lightning bolt. In Long Rapids Andrew Hansen, aged 14 years, and his cousin, a young girl, were both killed, and Hansen's uncle was seriously injured while they were sitting in their parlor watching the storm.

Campers Drowned Near St. Clair.

St. Clair, Mich., July 31.—Peter Schlachter, a member of the Hemlock Hunting and Fishing club, of Allegheny, Pa., which is in camp a few miles from here, was drowned in the river. Schlachter with three companions were sailing down the stream when the boat was capsized and he was lost in the current before help could reach him.

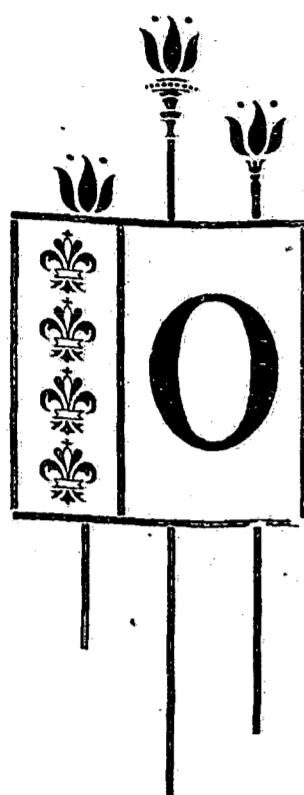
Killed by an Electrical Car.

Albion, Mich., July 31.—George Roper and his nephew of the same name, were struck and killed by an electric car near Merengio, a few miles from here. Both men were residents of this part of the state.

Died Under Eddyite Treatment.

Menominee, Mich., July 31.—Gardner Clark, aged 17, who had been under the care of the Christian Scientists, is dead.

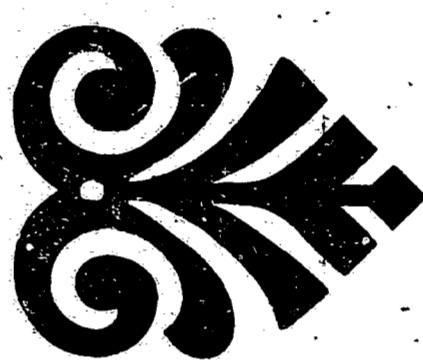
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ing leaves street car depot at 4 o'clock
50¢ round trip. Engage seats. **

Letters unclaimed remaining in P.
O. at Buchanan, Mich., for weekend-
ing July 28, 1903: Postal card, Mrs.
Will Kelley; letters, John Wolkins,
Mr. Al Hoover, Jno. Wright.

BUCHANAN MARKETS

Week ending July 24. Subject to
change:

Treat Bros. report the following:	
Huckle Berries per case	\$1.35
Raspberries, black	\$1.00
" red	.80
Blackberries	.90
Butter	14c
Lard	10c
Eggs	14c
Potatoes	60
Apples	25c
Onions, new	75c
Bainton Bros. report the following:	
Best Patented Flour per bbl.	\$4.40
Golden Wedding	4.00
Lucky Hit	3.80
Daisy	3.60
Graham per 1/2 bbl.	.25
Corn Meal per 1/2 bbl.	.25
The Pears-East Grain Co., report	
the following prices on grain to-day:	
Wheat No. 2 Red and White	71c
Corn, yellow	45c
Oats No. 3 white	35c
Beans, hand picked bu.	\$2.00
Hay, No. 1 timothy	\$18.00

Closing of Mails.

GOING EAST
9:15 a.m., 12:15 and 4:45 p.m.

GOING WEST
7:45 a.m., 12:15 p.m., 3:15 p.m.,
6:00 p.m.

GOING NORTH
9:15 a.m., 4:45 p.m.

ARRIVING OF MAILS AT DEPOT FROM
THE EAST
5:45 and 8:15 a.m., 12:30, 3:40,
and 6:35 p.m.

FROM THE WEST
5:20 and 9:45 a.m., 12:40, 5:15 and
6:28 p.m.

FROM THE NORTH
7:45 a.m., 12 m.

Bologna at W. H. Keller's.

Juicy and sweet oranges at W. H.
Keller's.

7 bars Lenox soap 25c at Jordan's
grocery.

10 pound pail white fish 65c. W.
H. Keller.

Pencils penholders, ink and good
pens. Binns' Magnet Store.

The big Forepaugh & Sells Circus
will hold forth to-morrow at Benton
Harbor.

Envelopes and box papers, all
grades, shapes, styles, tints and fin-
ishes. Binns' Magnet Store.

A wheelman's tool bag isn't com-
plete without a bottle of Dr Thomas'
Electric Oil. Heals cuts, bruises,
stings, sprains. Monarch over pain.

The reader's attention is called to
Bainton Bros. ad in this issue. If
you want some surprises in coffee call
there to-morrow.

Round trip ticket for one fare 31c
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on the P. M. R. R. on account of the
Young People's picnic at Berrien
Springs.

U. S. Corn Cure for Ladies is a per-
fect cure for hard or soft corns, Bun-
ions and calouses. Use it once and
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E. S. Dodd & Son's.

The Eastern Star ladies of the
county are arranging for a picnic to
be held at Berrien Springs in the near
future. It is to be the first of a ser-
ies of annual county picnics.

Carriage, House and Sign Painting.

I have my shop located on the
ground floor of the Cutlery building,
where I will be pleased to do work
for anyone appreciating good work,
at reasonable prices.

a. 4 p. FRED M. SMITH.

Combined Ages 400.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Miller, on Tues-
day last, entertained five of their old-
est friends for dinner; after the repast
was over the question of age came up
and it was discovered that the com-
bined ages of the guests, their host
and hostess was 400 years. And yet
so jovial a time was enjoyed that no
one would suspect those present of
being somber, elderly people.

An Unmanageable Horse.

An amusing time has been furnish-
ed a number of people the past few

days as they witnessed the attempts to
break an apparently unmanageable

colt. Mr. Will House has been the

tutor and the animal belonged to

Emory Schriber.

On Tuesday evening, the horse hav-
ing previously had some severe les-
sons in behavior, Mr. Schriber started

out with him and a buggy. Shortly

after a thoroughly demolished buggy,

and an obstreperous horse were seen

as the relics of the evening's ride.

The horse has been disposed of.

Notice.

We would respectfully request all

those owing us money to please settle

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PERSONAL.

Miss Cora Keep, of Pokagon, is
visiting Mrs. Spennetta.

J. C. Rough is spending this week
in Fort Wayne, Ind.

Lewis Denno, of Middlebury, Neb.

is visiting relatives in town.

Roy Mitchell and wife, of South

Bend, were in town this week.

Mr. Chas. Blatchley of Detroit, was

visiting in Buchanan, Thursday.

Mr. Jesse Spennetta, who has been
employed in Chicago, has returned
home.

Miss Veva Morris, of Elkhart, Ind.

is the guest at the home of John

Morris.

Mrs. G. A. Dunbar, of Ogden, Utah,

is visiting her brother, Mr. F. R.

Harding.

Miss Adah Rouch is entertaining

her cousin, Miss Lulu M. Moore, of

Chicago.

Mrs. Anna Williams and Miss Car-

rie are spending some time in New

Carlisle.

Mrs. Fred Newberry of St. Louis,

is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs.

Geo. Hanley.

Mrs. Chas. Seavey and children, of

Wabash, Ind., are visiting Mrs. Geo.

Guyberson for a couple of weeks.

The Misses Gertrude and Mabel

Paul, of Laporte, Ind., are visiting

their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J.

P. Anstiss.

Mrs. J. M. Johnson of Jackson-

ville, Florida, is here spending some

time with her parents, Mr. and Mrs.

C. A. Hallock.

Mr. and Mrs. Newton Barnhart,

who have been visiting Mrs. Barn-

hart's sister in South Dakota, returned

Wednesday evening.

Mrs. M. M. Knight is entertaining

her sisters, Mrs. Eugene Cunningham

and Miss Mattie Smith, of Milwaukee.

John Cunningham is also here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Ray and family,

and Mr. Bert Marsh enjoyed a day's

outing at America on Wednesday.

The picnic embracing the Breece,

Dibble, and Haslett families was held

at Barron Lake Thursday.

The P and H. society will meet with

Mrs. Harriet Baker next Wednesday

at 2 P.M.

Benny Davis received quite an

electric shock Wednesday morning,

when taking hold of the pad lock on

the electric light pole in front of

Beck's meat market. The dampness

from the showers in the night had so

charged the metal that Benny was un-

able to release his hold.

Parlors Closed.

The Misses Shafer have closed their

dress-making parlors for a month,

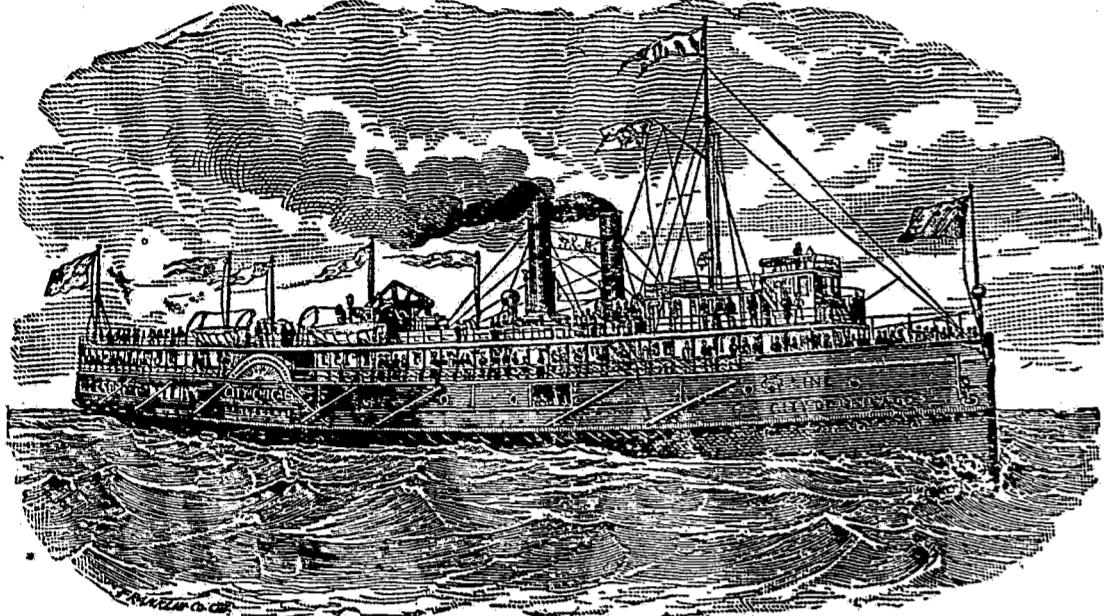
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Pres. and Gen. Mgr.

"IT IS IGNORANCE THAT WASTES EFFORT." TRAINED SERVANTS USE

SAPOLIO

Payne En Route to Washington.
Oyster Day, N. Y., July 31.—The postmaster general and Mrs. Payne paid a visit to Sagamore Hill, staying until 4 p.m. Then they entered a launch and went aboard the Onondaga, which soon afterward steamed out of the bay for New York.

Franco-Spanish Relations.
Madrid, July 31.—Premier Villaverde has published an official note declaring that no alliance exists between Spain and France, but that a good understanding exists which may possibly serve as a basis for something more in the future.

Judge Gray Will Be Arbitrator.
Wilmington, Del., July 31.—Judge George Gray has decided to accept appointment as the fifth member of the Alabama coal strike commission, and so telegraphed to the other members at Atlantic City.

THE WEATHER

The following is the official weather forecast up to 8 o'clock to night:
Illinois and Indiana—Generally fair, slightly cooler in south portions; west to northwest winds.

Lower Michigan—Fair; west to northwest winds.

Wisconsin and Iowa—Generally fair; northerly winds, becoming variable.

THE MARKETS

Chicago Grain.
Chicago, July 30.

Following were the quotations on the Board of Trade today:

	Open	High	Low	Close
July	\$794	\$80	\$782	\$794
September	794	804	784	794
December	794	804	784	794
May	814	82	804	814

Corn—
July 534 534 .53 .534

September 524 534 .524 .524

December 524 524 .52 .52

May 53 .53 .53 .524

Oats—
July 424 461 414 .45

September 334 344 .334 .34

December 345 3474 3474 .3474

May 364 364 .364 .364

Wheat—
July 13.724 13.724 13.724 13.724

September 13.874 13.974 13.854 13.90

Lard—
July 7.75

September 7.95 8.024 7.85 7.974

October 7.824 7.874 7.80 7.85

Short Ribs—
July 8.65 8.124 8.00 7.924

September 8.65 8.124 8.00 8.124

October 7.794 8.024 7.95 7.974

Chicago Live Stock—
Chicago, July 30.

Hogs—Estimated receipts for the day, 28,000; sales ranged at \$5.00@5.50 for pigs; \$5.35@5.80 for light, \$4.95@5.10 for medium, \$5.20@5.65 for fat, \$5.10@5.50 for hams, \$5.20@5.60 for shipping lots, with the bulk of the trading at \$5.25@5.50 for fair to good averages.

Cattle—Estimated receipts for the day, 9,000; sales ranged at \$5.10@5.60 for choice to extra steers, \$4.75@5.20 good to choice, \$4.35@4.85 fair to good do., \$4.00@4.55 common to medium do., \$4.25@4.40 fed western steers, \$2.70@4.85 stockers and feeders, \$4.00@4.60 cows, \$3.50@4.25 stags, \$4.00@4.50 Texas steers, and \$4.00@4.50 veal calves.

Sheep and Lambs—Estimated receipts for the day, 15,000; quotations ranged at \$2.75@3.00 western, \$2.75@3.50 natives, \$4.65@5.80 western lambs, and \$4.25@5.90 native lambs.

Missing Conductor Found.

St. Paul, July 31.—E. E. Clements, the conductor of the Chicago Great Western freight train, who was missing after the accident last Monday at Vlasaty, Minn., is being taken care of on a farm about five miles from the scene of the disaster. The shock which he sustained at the time of the wreck quite disordered his nervous system, and he is both mentally and physically broken down.

Our Reputation Abroad.

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The gathering occurred at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hanley, northwest of town, Thursday. There were ten of the ladies present, and at 6

o'clock a six course supper was served.

The dining room was decorated with red geraniums, the club color, and various pictures of groups of the members of the club.

Reminiscences were told by the young ladies and a delightfully happy time was spent.

SHOT IN THE HAND.

Mrs. Ora Shetterly Has an Unfortunate Accident.

Thursday morning, Mrs. Ora Shetterly, living west of town, had an occasion to go to a clothes closet to procure a pair of rubbers, and upon entering the closet, saw a revolver lying on the floor. Her mother-in-law seeing the weapon remarked, "There is that revolver, that is such a dangerous thing to have about."

Mrs. Ora Shetterly picked up the revolver and happening to hit the trigger, the weapon being loaded, it discharged in her right hand.

Dr. M. M. Knight was sent for, who probed for the ball and removed it, dressing the wound.

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BIG CROWDS.

Mr. Cohl was obliged to close his dry goods store twice on Thursday evening and after waiting on those in the store, allow them to pass out before admitting others.

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League Day, Wednesday Aug. 12, and Sunday Aug. 16 will be Love Feast Day and Sacramental service.

During the camp meeting there will be special rates on the railroads and a large attendance is expected. Rev. R. W. VanSchoick, is the presiding elder of this district and has the matter much at heart. The secretary is Samuel Johnson, of Dowagiac, Mich., from whom any information regarding grounds or accommodations may be procured.

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At Buchanan, the town where the church here has over 100 members, many of whom live on the adjacent farms of Indiana and Michigan.

The people are quiet and law-abiding, industrious, but clannish. They delight most to mingle with their own people.

Some of the wealthier people and the leading merchants of the town are at the head of the church.

It is claimed that at one time the Michigan Central people attempted to locate the end of a division at Galien and there erect shops.

But one of the leaders in the church here

owned all of the available ground

and fearing an influx of Gentiles

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LEAVE BUCHANAN.

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5:30 P.M.	27. 6:15 P.M.

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No. 5	No. 6	No. 7	No. 65
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4:00	1:00	7:30	11:00
5:20	5:30	8:06	12:50
6:00	6:15	8:18	1:30
6:45	7:00	8:32	2:30
7:30	7:45	8:42	3:30
8:15	8:30	8:52	4:30
8:50	9:05	9:05	11:20
9:25	9:40	9:45	10:25
10:00	Ar. B'ton H'bor	Lv.	p. m. a. m.

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PERE MARQUETTE

BENTON HARBOR BRANCH Effective Thursday, June 4, 1903, trains on the Benton Harbor Branch, between Benton Harbor and Buchanan, will be operated on the following schedule:

GOING NORTH		GOING SOUTH	
No. 5	No. 6	Trains run week days only	No. 4
p. m.	a. m.		p. m.
6:30	S 35	Lv. Buchanan Ar.	S 10 5 30
16 45	S 50	Jagay.	17 5 30
17 35	I 9 30	Berrien Springs.	17 35
7 50	9 25	Stemmons.	7 25 45
8 10	9 32	Renton.	17 17 45
8 25	9 40	Scotdale.	17 18 40
8 50	10 00	Ar. B'ton H'bor.	7 00 3 30

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F. W. WATSON, Act. Benton Harbor.

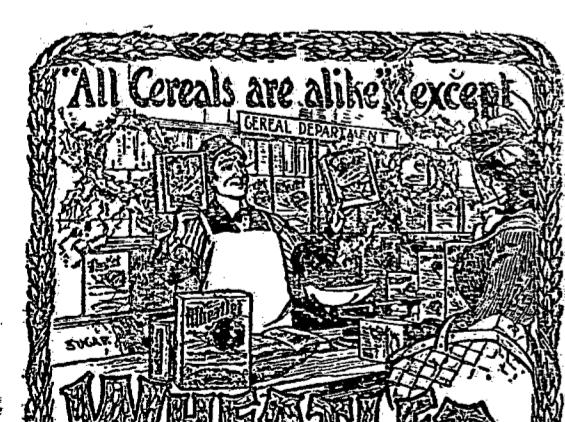
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Highway Com Wm. Wray
Justice of the Peace Cha. E. Sabine
School Inspector Mrs. Eliza Emery
Health officer Dr. E. O. Colvin

Township | Chas. Bishop
Board of Review | Amos Spaulding

Village Officers

President Geo. H. Black
Clerk Glenn E. Smith
Treasurer W. W. Treat
Assessor S. A. Wood
Col of Water Tax John C. Dick
Health Officer Dr. Orville Curtis
Attorney A. A. Worthington
Chief Fire Dept Frank P. Barnes
Marshal and St. Com John Camp
Trustees Com Council Dr. O. Curtis
Chas Bishop, C. D. Kent, Chas Pears,
Henry F. Kingry, Dr. R. Henderson.

Village | John C. Dick
Board of Review | Geo. B. Richards

Republican Township Committee.
A. A. Worthington, John Broeckus,
Herbert Roe.

CHURCH NOTES AND NOTICES.

UNITED BRETHREN CHURCH—Rev. W. J. Tarrant, pastor. Sunday services; preaching 10:30 a.m. and 7:00 p.m.; Sunday school, 11:30 a.m. Prayer meeting Thurs day evening 7:30.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.—Rev. W. D. Cole, Pastor. Sabbath services; preaching 10:30 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.; Sunday School 11:45 a.m. Epworth League 6:30 p.m. Prayer meeting Thursday 7:30 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. H. L. Veach, Pastor. Sunday services; preaching 10:30 a.m. 7:30 p.m. Sunday School 11:45 a.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. Chas. Shook, Pastor. Preaching at 10:30 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Sunday School 11:45 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. A. Halmhuber 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.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE—Society holds services at Grand Army Hall every Sunday at 10:45 a.m. Sunday School at 12, and Wednesday evening service at 8 o'clock. All are cordially invited to attend.

Lodges and Society Meetings and Events

BUCHANAN LODGE I.O.O.F. No. 75 meets every Tuesday evening at 7:30 p.m. N. J. Slater, N. G.; Claude Glover, Sec.

PATRICIANS COURT No. 5 meets each 2nd and 4th Wednesday evenings of every month.

MODERN WOODMEN OF AMERICA. Meetings 1st and 3rd Friday evenings of each month. W. F. Runner Clerk.

KNIGHTS OF THE MACCABEES. Meetings 1st and 3rd Tuesday evenings of each month. Wilson Leiter, Record Keeper.

LADIES OF THE MACCABEES. meetings 2nd and 4th Tuesday evenings of each month. Mrs. Millie East R. K.

ROYAL NEIGHBORS. Meetings 2nd and 4th Friday evenings of each month at M. W. A., Hall Recorder Mrs. W. F. Rumer.

BUCHANAN LODGE NO. 68 A. F. & A. holds its regular meetings on or before the first full moon of each month. Steven Scott S. W. E. S. Roe Sec'y.

BUCHANAN LODGE NO. 98 A. O. U. meets the 3rd and 4th Saturday evening of each month.

DODGE LODGE NO. 40 D. O. H. meets the 2nd and 4th Thursday afternoons of each month.

WILLIAM PERROTT POST NO. 22 G. A. R. meets 1st and 3rd Saturday of each month at 7:30 p.m. Post com., J. W. Beistle; Adjutant, F. R. Richmon

HOOK AND LADDER Co.—Meets 3rd Wednesday of each month at 7:30 at the Hose House.

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In Jaws of Leopard

Awful Experience of a Woman In a Wild Beast's Cage.

Torn by Fierce Brute She Was Unable to Subdue—An Episode In an Animal Trainer's Life.

Mme. Marie Louise Morello, the beautiful French animal trainer who has been with the Bostock show at Coney Island, New York, nearly lost her life a few days ago when one of her performing animals, a huge leopard, attacked her in the cage during a morning rehearsal, inflicting injuries that will keep her in the hospital for some time to come.

Save for a few attendants who were furnishing the animal cages, the Sea

New Director of the Census. S. N. Dexter North, who was selected to succeed Mr. Merriam as director of the census, has been prominent in the work of the census bureau for many years. He had charge of the

statistics of newspapers for the tenth census and also made a special report on wool and wool manufactures for the eleventh census. Until March 1 of this year he was chief of the census division of manufactures, when he resigned to become secretary of the National Association of Wool Manufacturers. Mr. North is in his fifty-fourth year.

Oregon's Popular Senator.

Charles W. Fulton, who succeeded Joseph Simon as United States senator from Oregon, is a native of Ohio and when a boy moved with his parents to Iowa, where he studied law and was

admitted to the bar. In 1875 he went to Oregon and for a time taught school. Senator Fulton has been a member of nearly every state convention since 1880 and has been active as a campaign orator. He is fifty years old and one of the most popular Republicans in Oregon.

In a Hurry.

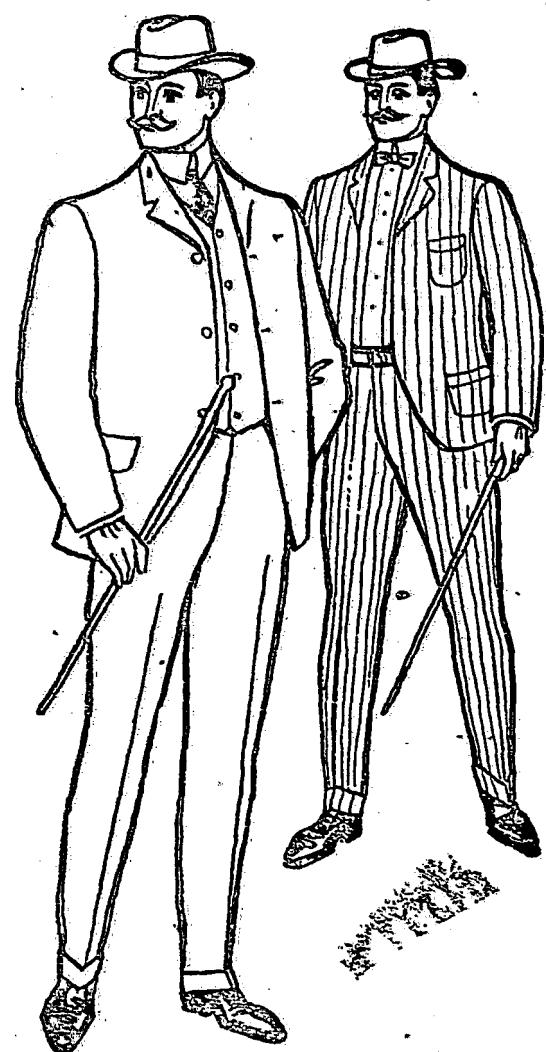
Puerre was in a bad humor. Reluctantly he mounted a globe at his trainer's direction and balanced himself to her satisfaction. Mme. Morello thought to teach Puerre a new trick. She needed a small bench standing just behind her and turned to reach for it. With a terrifying roar Puerre sprang upon his trainer's back and bore her to the floor.

Mme. Morello's cry for aid was heard by Bostock in his office and by Captain Jack Bonavita, who trains a troupe of twenty-seven lions, and by Herbert Weedon and W. H. Tudor, treasurer of the show. They all rushed to the arena, catching up pitchforks and iron bars as they ran. The leopard had buried its long

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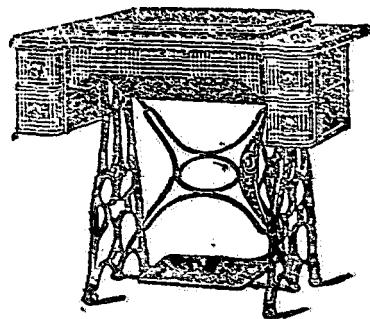
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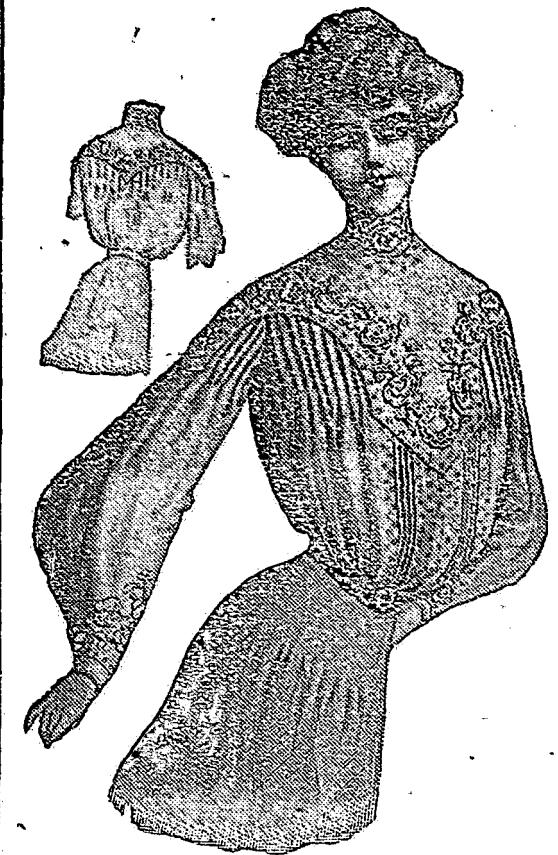
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A BEAUTIFUL WAIST.

There are various devices by means of which the long-shouldered effect may be produced, one of which is by cutting the front of the waist and the upper part of the sleeve all in one piece, or by extending the yoke tripling out on to the shoulder. The latter method is the one employed in the model here shown. The yoke extends down the front of the waist in a novel fashion. The design on the yoke and sleeves is embroidered in white using one of the larger sizes of Corticelli mountmelick embroidery silk.



CORRESPONDENCE

PORTAGE PRAIRIE.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Rhoades and Mr. and Mrs. Otis Rhoades have gone to Beaver Dam, Ind., to visit their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Solomon Rhoades.

Misses Dora and Bernice Wertz have returned to their home in Elkhart after spending two weeks at this place.

Miss Odie Rhoades, who visited for some weeks at this place, has gone to her home in Indiana.

Mr. and Mrs. Emory Rough were in St. Joseph over Sunday.

Mrs. Charlie Leipert and children of Plymouth, are visiting her sister, Mrs. Percival Rough.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Rough went to West Clear Lake on Wednesday to spend the day picnicing with the Buchanan people.

A much needed rain fell on Tuesday night.

Mr. Wm. Long and Miss Delia Korn spent Sunday in South Bend.

DAYTON.

Will Strunk is very sick.

Mrs. Will Bromley was called to South Bend Tuesday by the illness of her father, Mr. Strunk.

Mrs. A. C. Weaver and Mrs. Edna Weaver and son visited in Buchanan, Tuesday.

Mrs. Carrie Denny and Miss Emma Arnold were in Buchanan Wednesday.

Miss Emma Richter returned from Illinois Monday night.

Miss Agnes Ernsberger and sister, Clara, who have been visiting in Chicago the past week returned home Monday.

Geo. Martin has moved in the James White house this week.

Mrs. E. Leggit was in Buchanan Monday.

Miss Carrie Bromley, of Kalamazoo, visited her uncle Will Bromley, and family, over Sunday.

Jim Paul visited his mother last Sunday.

Emma Dregas, of Michigan City, is home this week.

Mrs. Dregas' mother, of Michigan City, is visiting her this week.

WEST BERTRAND.

Allen Frame's wood house caught fire on the roof from a spark from the cook stove, Friday. Tall hustling, little damage.

Mr. and Mrs. Markley and son, of Elkhart, are making Mr. Markley's sister, Mrs. Bert Dalrymple, a visit.

Mrs. Mamie Frame, of South Bend, has been spending a few days in Bertrand, picking huckleberries.

It keeps the farmers hustling to get hands for threshing; some going miles to exchange work.

Riley Cauffman, of South Bend, was in the neighborhood, Tuesday calling on friends.

Market gardeners find potatoes slow sale in the South Bend markets, 40 and 50c per bushel being received.

Great stories are going the rounds of the state papers of a wild man in southwestern Michigan, who is no other than our "Old Billy," who was not nearly as wild as he made the people around him.

Mrs. Alvin Fellows and daughter, Olney, of Battle Creek, are visiting relatives in West Bertrand.

The wheat this year yields well in some places, going as high as 25 bushels to the acre and is of good quality. We are expecting bread this year not so sticky as to pull out the false teeth or on the other hand with a crust so hard we have to use the ax with which to cut it, results we have attained many times with 1902 wheat flour.

GLENDORA.

Mrs. Carrie Penwell accompanied an aunt to South Bend and spent Saturday with relatives.

Mrs. Henry Kempton had the misfortune to slip from her back steps and sprain her ankle in a serious manner. She has not been able to do anything for a week.

The Disciples have co-operated with the church at Three Oaks and

hired Rev. Johnson, of Saganaw, to supply their pulpits each alternate Sabbath.

Mr. and Mrs. John Williams have returned to their home in Chardon, Ohio, after a few weeks' visit with relatives in this vicinity.

Mr. Ed. Gardner met with a sad loss last Saturday night. About ten o'clock their barn was discovered to be on fire. They were not at home and a total loss, of wheat, hay, one horse and the barn, was the result. It is feared it was the work of an incendiary.

On the same evening George Pennell nearly lost three horses, by the breaking of a beam just above and at the rear of them, letting a quantity of hay down and penning the horses so it was necessary to chop a way of exit.

On Saturday night Glendora was completely taken by two shows—The Western Bros., a band of Mexicans, captured the crowd, while the musical entertainment given by Mr. Ormsby, of Baroda, was slimly attended. The latter was well worth hearing.

July 28.

BENTON BARBOR.

Forebaugh & Sells Bros' show Saturday.

The L. O. T. M. will picnic at Eastman Springs, Thursday.

"Yankee" Robinson is recovering from a bilious attack.

About five hundred members of the Pioneer Saenger Choir, of Cincinnati, Ohio, have arrived in the Twin cities for a ten days' outing.

Five per cent of the sales at Young's big department store tomorrow will be given to the hospital fund.

The bi-annual convention of the Patricians is in session here and will close tonight with a banquet. A good many delegates are in attendance.

The Paw Paw boys got the better of our base ball team last Friday by a score of 4 to 2 and the Ionia Independents defeated them yesterday and today.

Charley Johnson, colored, has been arrested for operating too extensively among the chicken coops of the country. He is accused of stealing a thousand of the feathered bipeds.

The ladies who are pushing the new hospital fund will ask the treasurer of the Forebaugh & Sells Bros' show, which will be here next Saturday, for one per cent of the profits on that day.

A young man from Chicago, about 20 years old, came near losing his life by falling in a fit across the railroad tracks in St. Joe, last evening. A policeman discovered him just before the Three I passenger train came along. The fit was caused by excessive cigarette smoking. He consumes 75 a day.

July 28

GALA DAY

Evangelical and United Brethren Sunday Schools Enjoy Picnic.

Wednesday morning, after the refreshing showers of the night previous, several wagon loads of merry makers started for Clear Lake to spend the day in outdoor recreation.

It had been previously arranged that the Evangelical Sunday school and the United Brethren Sunday school should have a joint picnic, and with flowers and evergreen decorations, and yards of red, white and blue bunting, the wagonette, bus, and wagons laden with the members of these schools left their respective churches about 9 o'clock.

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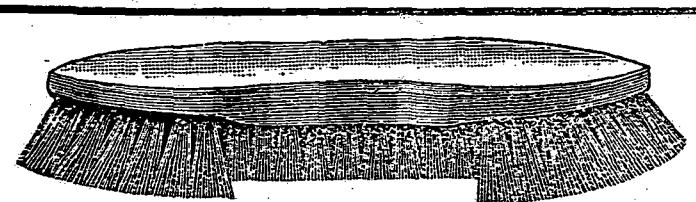
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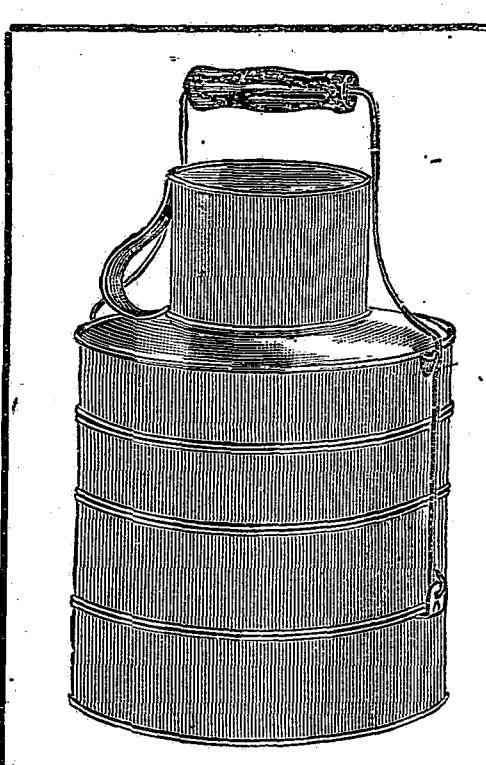
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