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Return of "Mrs. Wiggs"

Chicago playgoers gave "Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch" a crowded and enthusiastic reception upon the opening of her limited return engagement at the Grand Opera House Sunday, May 7th. Mrs. Wiggs is a welcome visitor. Ever since she left the cabbage patch in Louisville she has been making thousands of friends and the droll philosophy of this feminine optimist has been carried around the world.

Madge Carr Cook, mother of Eleanor Robson, heads the cast in the title role, and Joe Jefferson informed her shortly before his death that she would have to die Mrs. Wiggs just as he was doomed to die Rip Van Winkle. The prospect does not displease this sterling actress, who has earned a deserved fame on both sides of the Atlantic. Bessie Barriscale, whom the theatregoers will remember as the most engaging "Madge" who ever essayed that popular role "In Old Kentucky," is the Lovey Mary this season, and she has displayed a capacity for brilliant character work that surprises the most lenient of her critics. Miss Barriscale's work is characterized by strong individuality and a blending of pathos and of humor that make laughter and tears ripple through the rolelike sunshine and shadow over a wheat field. Helen Lowell is the convulsing old maid, Mis' Hazy, whose character stands out in the estimation of many people as strongly as that of Mrs. Wiggs herself. Certain it is that Mis' Hazy is something new in types, and the artistic work of the clever young actress has been praised everywhere for its originality and artistry. One cannot imagine anyone but Will T. Hodge in the role of Mr. Stubbins, and he still wows and wins Mis' Hazy; eats pie, falls from grace and disappears for a time from the patch in a freight car. Mr. Stubbins is a well spring of hearty laughter, and Hodge steadily adds to the mirth-making in the role. After Stubbins Hodge is to be starred. It was Chicago which first stamped "Mrs. Wiggs" sterling and New York endorsed the verdict with five months of crowded houses.

A Creeping Death

Blood poison creeps up towards the heart, causing death. J. E. Stearns, Belle Plaine, Minn., writes that a friend dreadfully injured his hand, which swelled up like blood poisoning. Bucklen's Arnica Salve drew out the poison, healed the wound, and saved his life. Best in the world for burns and sores. 25c at all drug stores.

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Michigan Central To Put On New Flyer For East

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Detroit, May 6.—Sweeping changes soon to affect the passenger service of the Michigan Central will be of vital importance to the business interests of several Michigan cities, in further raising the standard of speed and efficiency afforded by that line.

A crack new train, which aptly has been christened the Wolverine, will give an improved service between Chicago and Michigan cities, and from Michigan cities to New York. This train will leave Chicago at about 9:00 a. m., arriving in Detroit at 3:30 p. m., 40 minutes faster than any train heretofore operated between those two points.

A train service east, such as Michigan has never enjoyed, will be put in operation by the Michigan Central Sunday May 14. In casting about for a suitable name for the fastest train ever run on the line, Wolverine was selected by President Newman himself as being the most appropriate. Leaving Chicago at 9 a. m., this train will stop at the principal Michigan cities which it will serve, reaching Detroit at 3:30 p. m.

The Wolverine comprises but one of the many changes designed to improve the general train service of the Michigan Central. The west bound service from New York also will be improved.

By a recent acquisition of that portion of the I. I. & L., running from South Bend to Benton Harbor and St. Joseph, the Michigan Central will form a new line with splendid service between Benton Harbor, St. Joseph, and Detroit, bringing those two cities at least three hours nearer to Detroit.

Married in Saginaw

Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Mayville, 2165 South Michigan avenue, Saginaw, a pretty home wedding occurred when Miss Ethel Kipp of Niles, Mich. and Harvey A. Carr of Saginaw, were united in marriage by Rev. McGraham, of Grace Presbyterian church. Only immediate relatives witnessed the ceremony, which took place beneath a canopy of green and white, the colors which prevailed throughout. The bridal party proceeded down stairs to the strains of Lohengrin, rendered by Miss Harriet Brown who also presided at the piano during the services, softly playing Hearts and Flowers. The bride was handsomely attired in white silk mohair, and carried white carnations, and was attended by Miss Maude Mayville who was gowned in white muslin carrying a shower bouquet of pink carnations. Little Helen Mayville, also daintily dressed in a white frock filled the capacity of ring bearer. The groom was attended by Edson S. Messenger, of Vassar. After the hearty congratulations of all assembled they repaired to the dining-room, where the table decorations were green and white ribbons stretched from the ceiling to each corner of the table, the center piece being Easter lilies. At 10:30 o'clock amid a shower of rice they departed for their home, which the groom had prepared at 201 Harris street, where they will be at home to friends after May 15.

Miss Kipp, made her home with Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Long for some little time, and has many friends here, who extend their hearty congratulations.

Church Notes

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.
The sermon Sunday morning, May 14th, will be by Miss Marion Darling, sister of the Pastor. Prayer service on Thursday evening May 11th at 7:30.

School Notes

HIGH SCHOOL

Rev. Halmhuber addressed the pupils in chapel, Monday morning using as a theme "God in Nature." The Three Oaks base ball team will be here next Saturday to play a return game.
Louis Runner was a chapel visitor Monday.

SEVENTH GRADE

The pupils of the seventh grade regret very much that Mae Tarrent has left and will not return for the remaining year.
Seventh graders took the eight grade examination in Phy. and Geog. as a test this week.
Six and seventh grades are planning a Cantata which they will give in the near future.

SIXTH GRADE

The A class have started the general review work in Arithmetic and Geography.
The B. division gave full analysis of sentences for language work last week.
Notes of invitation and acceptance are being written in A language.
We are very glad to welcome back Pauline Butler and Nine Binns. They have been out for some time on account of sickness.

FIFTH GRADE

Business letters have been the subject for study in the A language class the past week.
In a Geographical contest given Friday p. m. Nada Woodworth and Newell Royer won 19 points out of 20. George Wells, Joseph Voorhees, Willie Hershenow, Martin Lentz, Charles Waterman and Cattie Barnes were neither absent nor tardy during the past month.

FOURTH GRADE

The children have been weaving raffia mats during the past week.
Many pretty paper lanterns, that were made last Friday, decorate our room.
Our plants that we have growing in the schoolroom are doing nicely. Seeds were planted April 6th and every Monday since, drawings have been made, and their growth and development noted.
Those who have been neither absent nor tardy during the past month are, Eula Davis, Richard Pears, Lottie Ravin, Inez Burks, Lester McGowan and John Payne.

WARD SCHOOL

Lilacs, pansies, tulips and lilies of the valley make our rooms fragrant and beautiful.
New cases of whooping cough daily tend to diminish attendance.
Pupils are much interested in the prospect of their school exhibit.

HAGENBECK'S MONKEY FINED

For Smoking Cigarettes in Violation of Indiana Law

Theodore H. Bauer, press representative of the Hagenbeck show tells a funny story that occurred at South Bend while they were showing there Thursday. A practical joker, giving his name as John Jones swore out a warrant before City Judge Geo. G. Feldman for the arrest of Jocco Dooley, an employe of an animal show, on a charge of smoking cigarettes. The complaint later was transferred to the court of Justice Calvert and placed in the hands of Constable Carskoddler to serve.
On his arrival at the show grounds after finding the manager and securing the aid of two patrolmen, the constable gained entrance to the main tent.

On entering the officer was startled by a loud and angry cry, and halted, looking squarely in the face of "Mr. Dooley," a trained monkey, which even at the time held a partially smoked cigarette between its teeth.

The constable insisted that "Dooley" go to jail with him, claiming that even if it were a monkey it should have better judgment than to smoke cigarettes in Indiana. It was released later when the manager paid Justice Calvert the regulation fine.



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Letter From M. B. Gardner.
Soldiers Home,
Grand Rapids, April 9, 1905.
Buchanan Record:—

Forty years ago we laid aside the implements of war, lifted aside the broken thread of our life's work which had been torn asunder by our service in the army and navy, and started in to help bind the wounds of our common country. We took our places in the ranks of the Grand Army of the Republic, and faithfully, sympathetically and sincerely on the 30th day of every May, accompanied by a patriotic public we have repaired to the silent cities of the dead, and there placed our emblems of remembrance upon the graves of our comrades who have crossed the dark river and are resting under the shades of the trees on the other side. We are now approaching the period in our lives when again we will perform this loving service. The mounds over which waves the flag of our country are multiplying with great rapidity. The messenger of death is visiting the home of the soldier, sailor and marine of the war for the suppression of the rebellion with alarming frequency, and soon ah, too soon, we shall have all answered the last call and stand in the presence of Him who doeth all things well, but in the garlanded chambers of memory, the veterans of the war will continue to live until time shall be no more.

Let us, therefore, with a full knowledge of the purpose of the day, imbued with that same patriotic spirit that has actuated us for the past forty years, approaching the discharge of its duties with a reverent spirit and as we scatter the beautiful flowers of spring on the graves of our comrades or cast them upon the water to the memory of the sailor and marine let it be done with the thought that with them it has been:
Life's race well run,
Life's work well done,
Life's victory won
Then cometh rest.

I am sorry to say I cannot be with the boys on that day of days, but my heart will be with them in the good work.

Yours Resp't,
M. B. GARDNER.

A Communication.
MR. EDITOR:—
Can you tell why the base ball team organization does not seem to be making any headway? It appears to me, that if the promoters who volunteered to do such wonderful things and have accomplished so little, had left room for the men who were not so big on promises, but who could have been induced to work for it, the scheme would probably have panned out better. Let us get together and see if we can't organize a ball team this summer. I for one want to "holler."
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The prince of Wales has decided to go to India to hunt tigers. As a matter of restful relaxation the czar might welcome an invitation to join the party.

Rainmakers are operating in southern California. If their process can be reversed so as to stop an excessive supply they may get an engagement in some other parts of the country.

Maine has more trees than any other New England state, but pays great attention to Arbor day just the same. The value of timber as a cash article is well understood in that corner of the country.

Vermont has a new law providing that all waste and uncultivated lands planted with timber forest trees under rules prescribed by the state forester shall be exempt from taxation for ten years. In passing the act the legislature proceeded on the idea that the first loss in taxable value would be more than made up eventually.

Georgia has discovered that it is next to the bottom of the list in the amount of its appropriation to advance farming interests. A Georgia paper advises the establishment of "a modernly equipped agricultural college." Other states have tried it and know that it pays. The Michigan Agricultural College stands well up at the head of the list, and is a source of pride to its people.

"Enthusiastic Fan" voices the sentiment of the Buchanan citizens in general, who enjoy the national game, when he says he "wants to holler." There is no reason why our people who appreciate a good ball game should not do so this season. We have excellent material for a team here. All that is lacking is a little hustle along the business end of the deal. Why not get in the game.

Saved by Dynamite

Sometimes, a flaming city is saved by dynamiting, a space that the fire can't cross. Sometimes, a cough hangs on so long, you feel as if nothing but dynamite would cure it. Z. T. Gray, of Calhoun, Ga., writes: "My wife had a very aggravated cough, which kept her awake nights. Two physicians could not help her, so she took Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds, which eased her cough, gave her sleep and finally cured her." Strictly scientific cure for bronchitis and La Grippe. At all drug stores, price 50c and \$1.00; guaranteed. Trial bottle free.

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cripping the work; but the matter was referred to local political bosses. It is believed the machine is trying to down Campbell, who is an anti-machine man.

The conviction of Charles Smith, the Eaton Rapids boy who shot and killed young Mort Kimes, in a fit of jealousy, by the jury after an hour's deliberation, closed the shortest murder trial ever on record in Michigan. The case went to trial at the afternoon session of court Thursday; a jury was secured in an hour, proof was submitted Friday forenoon and the attorneys had finished their arguments at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, when the jury retired, returning at 4 o'clock with the verdict of murder in the first degree. The time consumed was just six hours. Smith shot and killed 16 year old Mort Kimes Jan. 17, in a fit of anger over attentions he thought Kimes was paying his girl-wife.

Obeying the scriptural injunction, "If thine eye offend thee, pluck it out," Chas. Lawrence, an Elsie pioneer, this week cut off one of his toes. Mr. Lawrence is about 80 years of age, and makes his home with his daughter, Mrs. A. Hurd. He had suffered for years with a corn on the second toe of his right foot. While Mrs. Hurd was absent for a few minutes, he stripped off his shoe and sock, seized a hammer and chisel, and removed the toe, which he then threw into the stove. When Mrs. Hurd returned she found her father complacently examining his hasty, but effective surgery. "There Jennie," he said, calmly, "I guess that dratted corn won't bother me any more!" Although the chisel was not particularly clean or sharp, there are no signs of blood poisoning, and the injury is healing nicely.

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Three Oaks Creamery Catering to Wealthy.

The Three Oaks creamery is manufacturing unsalted and uncolored butter for the Chicago trade. It is a fad of the rich families in New York to use unsalted butter, and Chicago people have evidently adopted the fad.

The state dairy and food department of Michigan recently visited several of the creameries of this county and has issued the following report.

Buchanan creamery, S. R. Miles, manager. Yearly receipts of milk, 2,596,908 pounds; condition of building, clean and sanitary; of apparatus, good and clean; surroundings good, with extra good drainage. Average test of milk, 4.5 per cent. Yearly production of butter, 126,164 pounds. Outfit consists of 1 500 gallon receiving vat, 2 No. 1 separators, 2 200 gallon twin cream vats, 1 450 gallon churn, 1 400 gallon skim milk vat, 1 automatic weigher, 1 244 bottle tester, 1 10 H. P. engine, 1 12 H. P. boiler.

Niles creamery, C. Smith, manager. Daily receipts of milk, 2,000 pounds; condition of building, new, neat and sanitary; of apparatus, new and clean; of surroundings, good with extra good drainage. Average test of milk, 4.5 per cent; daily production of butter, 100 pounds; number of patrons, 88. Outfit consists of 1 600 gallon receiving vat, 1 No. 1 separator, 1 300 gallon twin cream vat, 1 300 gallon churn, 1 300 gallon skim milk vat, 1 automatic weigher, 1 25 pound butter printer, 1 24 bottle tester, 1 10 H. P. engine, 1 15 H. P. boiler. A new creamery, with outfit nicely arranged.

Three Oaks creamery, H. P. Becker, manager. Yearly receipts of milk, 2,515,856 pounds; condition of building, good, clean and sanitary; of apparatus, good and clean; of surroundings, good, with good drainage. Average test of milk, 4.3 per cent. Yearly production of butter, 119,000 pounds. Number of patrons, 118. Outfit consists of 1 400 gallon receiving vat, 2 No. 1 separators, 1 400 gallon cream vat, 1 300 gallon churn, 1 500 gallon skim milk tank, 1 automatic weigher, 1 24 bottle tester, 1 15 H. P. engine, 1 20 H. P. boiler. Manufacture unsalted and uncolored butter for the Chicago market.

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"Go and tell her how much you love her, and how sorry you are."

"No, I won't. Pa says he got into a breach of promise case by telling a girl that, and had to marry the old thing. I won't run any risks, I won't."—Tit-Bits.

Not a Vegetarian.

"Children," said a Sunday school teacher to her class of small boys, "God gave us something that he did not give the lower animals. Who can tell what it is?"

A little boy who had been exhibiting a cut finger rose to reply.

"Please, teacher," he said, "God gave us blood, but he only gave the animals dish gravy."—Brooklyn Life.

An Obstinate Stand.

"The trouble with you," said the musical enthusiast, "is that you do not understand classical music."

"Perhaps," answered Mr. Cumrox. "But I refuse to be regarded as a man of inferior intelligence until I find some one who is competent to prove that he understands it."—Washington Star.

Keeps One Secret.

"Tis said women can't keep a secret, and yet very oft we hear tell of one who 'is certainly forty, but keeps her age very well.'"—Chicago Journal.

THE INTERESTING FEATURE.



Young Lady (slumming)—And if you come to the children's meeting tomorrow night you will hear me play the organ."

Little Girl—O! miss, and will you have a monkey?

Frenzied Finance.

She heard Wall street was full of bears, She thought the chance to seize To get a hug; she stayed all day And didn't get a squeeze. —Houston Post.

No Choice.

"Which do you prefer, summer or winter?" "I have no preference," answered the over-anxious parent. "I don't feel that it makes much difference whether Willie runs the risk of drowning while swimming or skating."—Washington Star.

Mule Like.

Redd—That automobile of mine is a stubborn thing. Greene—It is. "Indeed it is! It stops every few miles, and won't go!"

"How many mule power is it, anyway?"—Yonkers Statesman.

Installments.

Bacon—Did you ever get anything on the installment plan? Egbert—Yes, I got my household that way. First I got my wife, then her father and mother, and now I'm getting her brothers and sisters."—Yonkers Statesman.

The Real Question.

Jasper—I can't understand how the railroad company managed to smash up your furniture so badly.

Jumpupe—Huh! What I can't understand is how their cars stood it while my stuff was being knocked around so roughly.—Life.

Two Opinions.

"I think the money in the world should be more evenly divided," said the long-haired man.

"Well, I think it would be better to more evenly distribute the hair," said the bald-headed one.—Yonkers Statesman.

Satisfied.

"Are you perfectly satisfied with your new dress?"

"Yes, indeed. The man I love most thinks it's beautiful, and the woman I love least has pretended to turn her nose up at it."—Kansas City Star.

Optimistic Thought.

"Ah!" sighed the girl with the beauty-columa countenance, "my mirror tells me sorry things."

"Do not be cast down," advised the cheerful friend. "Remember, every mirror has a silver lining."—Judge.

Too Much of a Good Thing.

First Actor—I thought your next tour was to have been through South Africa. Second Actor—It was, but the company struck. One of them had read that an ostrich egg often weighs two or three pounds.—Royal Magazine.

Sooner Broken the Better.

"That drum," said the salesman in the toy store, "is very strong. It will last for years."

"Oh, mercy!" said the fatherly-looking man; "I don't want one as strong as that!"—Yonkers Statesman.

Spontaneous.

Ernie—How did your college choose such an extraordinary yell?

Myrilla—Why, it was conceived by one of our members who found a metallic mouse in her stocking Christmas morning.—Chicago News.

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Trains leave Buchanan as follows: For Hartford, Holland, Muskegon, Grand Rapids, Saginaw, Bay City, and the north; also New Buffalo, Michigan City, Porter, Chicago and the south and west, at 8:35 A. M. and 5:00 P. M.

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N. Y. Express, No. 46..... 1:11 A. M.
Mail, No. 2..... 8:30 A. M.
Grand Rapids Special, No. 42..... 8:18 P. M.
Train No. 14..... 8:19 P. M.
Chicago & Kalamazoo Express, No. 22 f 8:00 P. M.

TRAINS WEST.

LEAVE BUCHANAN.

No. 27 Pacific Express 4:17 a. m. stop only to let off passengers.
First Mail No. 3..... f 5:45 A. M.
Chicago & Kalamazoo Accom., No. 15 8:13 A. M.
Train No. 43..... f 10:48 A. M.
Mail No. 5..... 3:40 P. M.
No. 45, Grand Rapids & Chicago Special 2:31 P. M.
No. 47, Chicago & Kalamazoo Express 7:42 P. M.
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A Visit To a Near-by Kingdom

CHAPTER XV.

Here is the chemical composition of two typical soils, one sand, the other clay, as given by King in the work from which we have quoted so incessantly, the figures reporting the per cent in dry soils.

	sand	clay	swamp	subsoil (clay)
Potash	.121	.319	.639	.841
Lime	.055	.617	3.780	1.481
Magnesia	.048	.476	.886	.940
Phosphoric acid	.087	.141	.150	.150
Sulphuric acid	.055	.075	.148	.071
Organic matter and water	2.697	6.528	13.943	4.780

It is not to be supposed that these figures apply to all clays and all sands. On the other hand, the two types of soil run into each other in chemical constitution as they do in physical make up. In general, the statement of the table is correct and significant although these chemical differences are to be accounted for partly by the greater fineness of the clay particles and the therefore more rapid solution of parts. Note that the swamp soils contain twice as much potash as they clay, six times as much lime and fully twice as much sulphuric acid and organic matter, yet it is a matter of common observation that these humus soils are rarely as productive as clay lands. This emphasizes the point that you cannot judge of the productivity of a soil by a chemical analysis alone. You must know the texture and the presence or absence of the right bacteria. Although the figures showing the percents of the several important ingredients seem small, remember that they are multiplied into a great weight of soil for an acre so that the absolute amounts of plant food per acre in our common soils is very large. King has calculated for us the amounts of plant foods in the top foot per acre in pounds in the three great types of soil. His results are given in the next table.

	sand	clay	muck
	tons	tons	tons
Potash	2.42	6.38	6.39
Lime	1.70	12.34	37.86
Phosphoric acid	1.74	2.82	1.50

In making these estimations the weight of the top foot of clay and sand was reckoned at 4,000,000 pounds and that of muck as 2,000,000 pounds.

In this connection it is interesting to note the amount of plant food taken off the soil by the several common crops of the state, again quoting from King to whom we owe so much and who has been of such lasting and important benefit to the farmers of America by his careful and accurate work. We shall have simply the amounts of nitrogen, phosphoric acid and potash carried off in 1000 pounds of straw and grain.

	nitrogen lbs.	phosphoric acid lbs.	potash lbs.	lime lbs.
Corn, stalks	4.8	3.8	16.4	4.9
grain	16.0	5.7	3.7	.3
Oats, straw	5.7	2.8	16.3	4.3
grain	17.6	6.8	4.8	1.0
Wheat, straw	4.8	2.2	6.3	2.7
grain	20.8	7.9	5.2	.5
Clover hay	19.7	5.6	18.6	20.1

A study of this table is well worth the while of every thinking farmer. While a comparison of the two tables last given might give him an idea at first that there was plenty of plant food in the soil to last for generations he would soon think that this plant food will have to last for generations and that therefore nature has wisely locked it up in forms almost insoluble and that the farmer can secure enough of the plant food for his crops only by doing two things, first putting his soil in the best possible physical condition so that the air can get at it to aid in nitrification and in feeding the bacteria making soluble the phosphates and to aid in keeping the water supply constant and in right amount, and secondly applying barnyard manure frequently to build up humus, which in turn maintains the waterholding capacity and supplies food for the needed soil bacteria. The muck soils have plenty of nitrogen, phosphoric acid and potash yet will seldom produce crops until a fresh amount of fresh stable manure is added. The function of this manure is not to supply increased amount of the essential elements but to supply the needed bacteria for the life of the soil. Luckily, no matter how greedy the farmer can be, he cannot deplete the soil below a certain point and must leave a large supply of plant food for coming generations. It will take his skill along lines already mapped out, to secure enough from this storehouse to grow paying crops.

This chapter ends our work for the season, Beginning in late September

we hope to take up the way nature grows plants, what the functions of root, stem and leaf are and how they perform them, what crops Michigan farmers should grow and how to grow them. Later we hope to devote many lessons to the great subject of the feeding and care of farm animals, thus giving to young people who cannot leave the farm an opportunity to know something of what is taught along lines interesting to them, at the Michigan Agricultural College.

Press Notes for June Designer

The woman who meditates traveling this summer will be especially interested in the June Designer, which pictures the latest inventions which will add to her comfort. A well written article by Myra Emmons tells how one may make a trip to Europe spend a month on land and have a satisfying glimpse of six different countries for one hundred and fifty dollars, exclusive of ocean-steamer expenses. Those who want a breath of country air as reasonably as can be obtained will appreciate "The Summer Outing," which presents camp life of most novel character. There are, however, many women who just now are far more interested in the planning of their wedding-gowns than their traveling outfits, and for these are given three pages of bridal costumes, with the addition of outfits for the flower girls and pages. The college girl will be pleased with "Dramatics at Vassar," and the school teacher in search of an appropriate entertainment for Commencement Day will gladly avail herself of "The Daisy Party," than which no daintier or more summerlike frolic for little folks can be imagined. All mothers will prefer to any other pages in the magazine the two on which are given lullabies, with charming border of drowsy babies being sung to sleep by the crickets. The house-keeping article this month carries the readers far away to Scandinavia, where the oddest of domestic methods prevail, and of unusual interest to those who have their own support to earn is the new series by Bertha Hasbrook, "In the interest of Bread-Winning," the opening one treating most practically of "The Hand Laundry." Additional chapters of "Miss Ginter of Ginterville," by Nina Welles Tibbot, are given this month, and those who want a good laugh should read of the missionary tea given by the cheerful and philosophical heroine, in which the peacock's egg figures disastrously. "Aunt Olivia's Beau," by L. M. Montgomery, is a love story with an unexpected termination, and "The Fooling of Uncle William," by W. H. Vose, contains a moral for meddling youngsters. Mary Kilsyth describes "Arts and Crafts Furniture," and in the fancy work line are "Embroidered Collars and Cuffs," "Lace Work," "Tatting for summer waists," and "Embroidery for Men's Wear," all providing pretty and useful pick-up work for the piazza girl. "Fashion Notes for Men" shows some of the new shirtings popular this season, and the departments of "What Women are Doing," "Mothers' club," "Kitchen Kingdom" and "For Lovely Woman" are filled with interesting and helpful items.

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