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Tapestry Brussels and Velvet Carpets no borders, 75c yard.
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Fancy fine Gingham, 10 to 20 yard lengths—15c quality at 7-12c.

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We offer ruffled Mull Curtains, 2 1/4 yds long, at 29c a pair.
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Snow Flake Curtains, colored stripes, at 95c pair.
Nottingham Curtains, 45c, 50c 75c, \$1.00 up to \$5.00.
Dotted Swiss Mulls, 40 in. wide, 10c yd.
Snow Flake Curtain goods, 42 in. wide, 15c a yard.
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South Bend, Indiana.

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IMPRESSIVE CEREMONIES

Were Carried Out Tuesday At Oak Ridge Cemetery

ADDRESS BY REV. DARLING

Program Was Perfect and Executed as Arranged

The Memorial Day exercises under the direction of the G. A. R. were perfect. The weather in the morning looked threatening but by the time the procession was formed at 1:30 o'clock the sky began to clear and the rest of the day was ideal.

The procession was formed at the Engine house, and headed by the Buchanan band. Next came the members of the Wm. Perrott Post G. A. R. then the school children with red, white and blue paper hats and each carrying a flag and flowers. Following them were the members of the Ladies Circle of the G. A. R. and citizens in carriages.

Upon arriving at the cemetery the graves of those who had answered the last roll call, were strewn with flowers, by the soldiers and the school children, in loving remembrance of their past brave deeds. During the decoration of the graves the band played the famous dirge, "Rockhill." At the soldiers lot the balance of the exercises took place and the following program was carried out:

- Song by choir.
- Prayer by Rev. W. J. Tarrant.
- Song by choir.
- Address by Rev. J. R. Darling.
- Song by choir.
- Music by Band.

Rev. Darling's address was well received and has brought forth many complimentary remarks both as to its sentiment and to his ability as a speaker.

The line of march was then reformed and returned to town, where the band escorted the G. A. R. to their post room. Again have we done honor to those who gave up their lives, that we might be a free and united people, and again we will continue, to bedeck their last resting places with sweet garlands, until we shall all answer the last roll call, and be mustered out by the Great General, who doeth all things well.

Married in South Bend

Miss Bess J. Haslett, a compositor in the office of the Mishawaka Enterprise and Ward W. Smith, an employee of the rubber department of the Mishawaka Woolen Manufacturing company were quietly married Tuesday morning at 11:30 o'clock by the Rev. D. H. Cooper, D. D. at the parsonage of the First Baptist church, South Bend. Mr. and Mrs. Smith will reside on West Third street, this.

The bride is a daughter of Mrs. Libbie Haslett, of Buchanan, Mich., and the groom is the son of Mrs. Lou Smith of the same city.—South Bend Tribune.

Huge Task

It was a huge task, to undertake the cure of such a bad case of kidney disease, as that of C. F. Collier, of Cherokee, Ia., but Electric Bitters did it. He writes: "My kidneys were so far gone, I could not sit on a chair without a cushion; and suffered from dreadful backache, headache, and depression. In Electric Bitters, however, I found a cure, and by them was restored to perfect health. I recommend this great tonic medicine to all with weak kidneys, liver, stomach, guaranteed by all druggists; price 50c.

EXCURSIONS VIA THE PERE MARQUETTE

St. Joseph 50c. South Haven 75c. Grand Rapids \$1.25 on Sunday, June 11. Train will leave Buchanan 7:00 A. M. See posters, or ask Agents for particulars.

J. R. EWEY, Agent.

LANSING LETTER

Several Legislative Measures of Statewide Value Completed

LAWMAKING TO END JUNE 8

Representative and Senatorial Districts Will Probably Not be Changed—Review of the Week at Lansing

Lansing, May 29, 1905.

The conflict is ended, the question is settled, the Michigan primary law for the next two years is framed and determined. The republican party of this state has fulfilled its promise to the people, and has even performed more than it promised. The legislature, composed solely of republicans, has completed the enactment of the measure described two weeks ago, and the republican governor will affix his signature to it as soon as it can be prepared in form to be presented to him.

The house did not spend a great deal of time upon the bill when it came up as the special order Wednesday afternoon. Two amendments were offered to the forty per cent plurality feature, and both were voted down one to strike out the forty per cent, failing by sixty three to thirty-five, and one to substitute twenty-five per cent, losing by fifty-three to thirty-one. Some other amendments shared the same fate, only some verbal ones for the purpose of perfecting the bill being adopted, and the bill then passed the house by eighty-nine to eight, the fullest vote of the session, all but three of the members being present and voting. The senate concurred in those formal amendments, Thursday, and the act went to the printer to be put into its final and completed form. When it shall have been tested by the experience of next spring and the following fall, it may be more intelligently seen than can be the case now, in what further direction, if any, it will need amendment.

Following the disposal of the primary bill, the house took up another measure over which there had already been some skirmishing, giving rise to considerable hysterical talk in certain quarters. That was the bill of Senator Brown, to authorize the attorney general to examine the books of a railroad company when deemed necessary for the preparation of his pleadings in any litigation between such company and the state or any of its officers on its behalf. The bill was declared by the attorney general to be necessary to the successful preparation of state cases, and it was passed by the emphatic vote of eighty-four to thirteen, as it came from the senate, and so only needed the approval of the governor, which only waited for the printing of the act. And thus those Detroit papers which have been throwing several kinds of fits over the maglin power and power of the "machine" to kill that bill in the interest of the Michigan Central, have the, to them, unwelcome duty of reporting its triumphant passage, which they cannot successfully minimize nor discredit.

Another measure of much importance and of wide interest in the state which was successfully carried through the house during the week, was Representative Lovell's bill to reorganize the tax commission, which had passed the committee of the whole the week previous, and was here outlined last week. It met determined opposition in the house, as it had in the committee, but it went through, sixty-three to twenty-three, and was sent to the senate, where it was referred. The Holmes automobile bill passed the senate Wednesday, with amendments reducing the speed limit in business sections of towns to eight miles, and enlarging it to fifteen miles in residence sections and twenty-five miles on country roads. The bill received every vote in the senate except that of Mr. McKay of

Detroit, and the amendments were the next day accepted by the house in committee of the whole, and placed upon the order of third reading.

Thursday, the house passed the bill to limit the extortions of Detroit chattel mortgage sharks, introduced by Representative Lord of Detroit, which makes a rate of seven percent on chattel mortgage loans, with fees for examination of the property. The bill was introduced on the day of its passage. Higgins of Cassopolis introduced one which he attempted to pass at once, under suspension of the rules but failed. It prohibited horse races and other sports and games on Memorial Day. The Nebraska-legislature has lately enacted such a law, with severe penalties. A similar bill has been introduced in the senate, by Senator Hayden of Cass.

The constitution requires that the state shall be reapportioned for representative and senatorial districts after each state census, and Senator Doherty on Thursday introduced two bills for that purpose, neither of which makes any change in the existing districts, differing in that respect from bills already introduced in the house. It would be remarkable if changes in population in ten years could leave the apportionment of ten years ago at all suitable to present conditions. If it could, it could not have been very fair before. Comparison of population of northern and southern districts, and urban and rural districts, shows that considerable inequalities exist at present. It would seem, however, that the likelihood of any scheme of apportionment being enacted now, unless it would be the simple thing that the senator proposes, is not at all likely.

A joint resolution has passed authorizing the Stevens T. Mason commission to provide for the erection of a monument to the first governor in the small park in Detroit which is the site of the old state capitol, at Griswold and State streets. Elaborate programs are out, for the two days meeting of the state pioneer and historical society, June 7 and 8, the sessions of which are to be held in the senate chamber, and the closing session which is called the Stevens Thompson Mason Evening. The senate can easily conclude its business and yield the chamber to the society Tuesday noon, June 7, though a joint resolution for adjournment names the 8th for termination of business, and the 17th for final adjournment after the signing and entry of acts upon the journals. Meantime, both houses go right on introducing new bills at the rate of fifty or more per week, as though they had all summer to work them off. Frequently the new ones get through, too, under suspension of the rules, in the intervals of killing the old ones. HORROR.

FOR SALE—Large house on half acre lot, good barn, lots of fruit. Good location. Inquire at Record office. t. f.

A Comic Operetta
A comic operetta will be given Friday night, June 9, in the Opera House by the sixth and seventh grades. If you want to spend a pleasant evening you should secure a ticket before it is too late.

Old Settlers Picnic
The 31st. Annual Picnic and Re-Union of the Old Settlers of Berrien county, Michigan, will be held at Berrien Springs, Wednesday, June 14, 1905. The orator of the day will be the Rev. W. J. Tarrant, of Buchanan, followed by short addresses by other prominent speakers. Music will be furnished by two of the best bands in the county and the Advent College Glee Club; There will be base ball and sports of all kinds for old and young. Half fare on railroad.

IN MEMORIAM

HARRY ARLINGTON COX
Harry Arlington Cox, was born in Cairo, Ill., Aug. 2, 1891, and died in Buchanan May 31, 1905. He was the son of Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Cox and has spent the greater part of his life in this place. The cause of his death was consumption. He had been quite sick the past few weeks, but only for the last ten days had he been confined to his bed. Everything possible was done to relieve him but the disease was too deeply seated and he passed quietly away just before noon. The funeral will be held at the Advent Christian church at 2 o'clock today, Rev. Chas. A. Shook officiating. Interment will be made in Oak Ridge cemetery.

A Bad Scare
Some day you will get a bad scare, when you feel a pain in your bowels, and fear appendicitis. Safety lies in Dr. King's New Life Pills, a sure cure for all bowel and stomach diseases, such as headache, biliousness, costiveness, etc. Guaranteed at every drug store, only 25c. Try them.

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TIME TABLE—Dec. 4, 1904.

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Close connections at Benton Harbor with Main Line trains north and south.
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The new time card that went into effect on the Michigan Central gives Buchanan the following service.

West		East	
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No. 45-2:38 p. m.	No. 2-10:10 a. m.	No. 5-3:05 p. m.	No. 14-5:19 p. m.
No. 47-5:27 p. m.	No. 22-5:39 p. m.		

Benton Harbor—St. Joseph Division Effective April 15, and until further notice the trains of the Benton Harbor—St. Joe division will be operated on the following schedule:

STATIONS		a. m.		p. m.	
40	7:30	1:00	1:50	7:35	2:20
50	7:57	1:27	2:17	7:06	1:27
6:30	8:00	1:56	2:46	6:37	1:20
6:30	8:13	2:08	2:58	6:46	1:29
6:36	8:26	2:20	3:10	6:54	1:37
7:00	8:38	2:35	3:25	6:58	1:38
7:20	8:49	2:42	3:32	6:52	1:29
7:40	9:05	2:58	3:48	6:00	1:00

All trains will be run daily except Sunday. At Galien the trains will be run via the main line station.
M. L. JENKS, Agent.

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Wish to thank the people for their patronage in the past and also wish to inform them that they are still doing business at the old stand.

Mr. J. Ellison Miller will manage the store and will be glad to greet his many old friends in Buchanan.

We always have a full line of drugs.

Dodd's Sarsaparilla 75c

BUCHANAN MARKETS

Week ending June 2 Subject to change:

Butter	14c
Lard	10c
Eggs	14c
Honey	10-14c
Beef	3 1/2c
Veal	4 1/2c
Pork	4 1/2c
Mutton	4c
Chicken	10c

Above quotations are on live weight, only.

The Pears-East Grain Co., report the following prices on grain to-day:

Wheat	98c
Oats	30c
Corn	50c

Closing of Mails.

GOING EAST
9:35 a. m., 12:00 and 4:40 p. m.

GOING WEST
7:20 a. m., 12:00 p. m., 2:35 p. m., 5:00 p. m.

GOING NORTH
7:40 a. m., 4:20 p. m.

LOCAL NOTES

Try those home made pies of Portz's.
Fresh Cows for Sale, S. C. Cook, m. 19.
For good pasture inquire of J. C. BEACH.
Get a good loaf of rye bread from the Model Bakery.
W. D. House is the possessor of two little foxes which he purchased yesterday of Thomas Curran.
J. Ellison Miller has rented I. L. H. Dodd's house and will move into it as soon as his goods arrive.

FOR SALE—Desirable house and lot within two blocks of Front street. Inquire at RECORD office.
J. 16 p.

See Wm. G. Evans for your painting, paper hanging and calcimining. Call at residence on Dewey Ave.
t. f.

W. H. Keller's condition has remained practically unchanged for the past few days. At this writing he is resting quite easily, but is still in a serious condition.

A reception was given Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Myron Smith, in honor of Mrs. Geo. Papson, of Buffalo, N. Y. About fifty were present and passed a very enjoyable afternoon. Ice cream and cake was served.

The pacer Robert L. owned by Howard Lobdell, of Hartford, dropped dead at the Benton Harbor race track, Tuesday just after he had crossed the wire winner of the first heat in the fast pacing race. Heart failure is given as the cause. Lobdell had refused \$300 for the horse but a few days before.

During the past week much work has been put in on the base ball diamond and Buchanan now has one of the fastest ball diamonds in the state. Arrangements are being made for suits and a complete outfit, and probably by the time the first game is played the team will be in full uniform.

Arrangements have been concluded, whereby a round trip rate of \$2.00 has been secured from Chicago to Buchanan. These tickets will be good from Friday until Monday. If you expect friends to visit you, from Chicago this summer, write and tell them to ask for these tickets. It will help the town.

The financial needs of the University of Michigan have compelled the Board of Regents to make an increase in the annual fees in the professional departments. This action was taken at the last meeting of the Regents, and will go into effect next fall. The fees in all the professional departments here after will be forty-five dollars a year for residents of Michigan, and fifty-five dollars for other students, which is an increase of ten dollars over the fees charged heretofore. Even with this increase the fees at the University of Michigan are much lower than at other institutions of the same rank. No change has been made in the charges for students of the literary department.

A new line of candies at the Model Bakery.

FOUND—A chain, enquire of Wm. J. MILLER.

Don't do your baking Saturday. Get it at Portz's.

Home grown strawberries are retailing at 75 c per case.

D. L. Vanderslice came out yesterday with a new milk wagon.

A bed room suit and side-board for sale cheap. Inquire at RECORD office 1 t. p.

FOR RENT—Good pasture, with running water, for six head of stock. Inquire of John. H. Miller.
t. f.

WANTED—Berry pickers, leave your name at Treat's grocery or go to A. F. Peacock's place Tuesday a. m.

J. A. Childs and family arrived in town yesterday, from Evanston, Ill. They will occupy their summer home on Detroit street.

A large crowd was out Wednesday night to enjoy the first band concert of the season. Quite a number from surrounding towns were also here.

The Royal Neighbors will meet Sunday forenoon and assist with the flowers and in the afternoon attend in a body with the Woodman at their Memorial Exercises.

Sunday will be Modern Woodman Memorial Day. All Woodmen are requested to meet at their hall at 2 p. m. and march to the cemetery where appropriate exercises will be held.

Mr. O. H. Lohm, district deputy for the Modern Woodmen was in town yesterday, calling on friends. He reports a rapid increase in the membership of this popular order, in his district.

The Berrien County Farmers Mutual Fire Insurance Co., has issued 202 policies this month. Aggregating \$308,000, making a net gain of about \$95,000. This being the largest month's work ever done by the company.

A social dance was given at the Pears-East hall Tuesday night in honor of the Misses Elsie Smith, Winifred Morley, Edna and Hazel Miles. The music was furnished by Miss Ethel Stryker. About thirty couples were present and report a first class dance.

Rev. Strickland, the Baptist minister at Niles, will give a Moving Picture and Stereopticon entertainment at the Presbyterian church Saturday evening June 3. Views of the Russian-Japanese war will be given. "The Holy City" and "Rock of Ages" will be sung and illustrated. Admission 10 and 15 cents.

Mr. and Mrs. Franklin L. Sewell and children have gone to Boston. From there they will sail for Europe on the new Cunard line steamer, Hibernian. They will attend the World's Fair at Antwerp, Belgium, where he will act as correspondent and artist for the Reliable Poultry Journal of Quincy, Ill. They expect to remain in Europe about six months.

The teachers of the Buchanan Schools gave an announcement party Wednesday night at the home of Miss Theoda Treat, in honor of the Misses Holliday and Tatem. The feature of the evening was the way in which each one was to take their place at the table. A card was upon each plate and on each card was a picture that indicated the person who should occupy that position. From each of these cards a ribbon extended to the chandelier and hanging from the other end an English walnut, which when opened, contained the fortune of the possessor. A fine luncheon was served and a general good time had by all.

For several hours last night patrons of the Barren Lake Water Supply company, were without water, while a fire hydrant at the foot of Cedar street was being repaired. The plug has been out of order for some time. It could not be shut off, and as a consequence the Front street sidewalk for a distance of several yards was flooded. When the workmen reached the seat of the trouble, they were surprised to find an eel, three feet long, being held captive by the valve in the bottom of the hydrant. It is thought the eel has been "connected" with the Supply company for a good many years, inasmuch as a filtering screen has been in operation at the mouth of the main pipes for over ten years, and since that time it has been impossible for anything but water to enter the pipes. No doubt the eel swam into the pipe a wiggler and grew there to its enormous size.—Niles Star.

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Date.....
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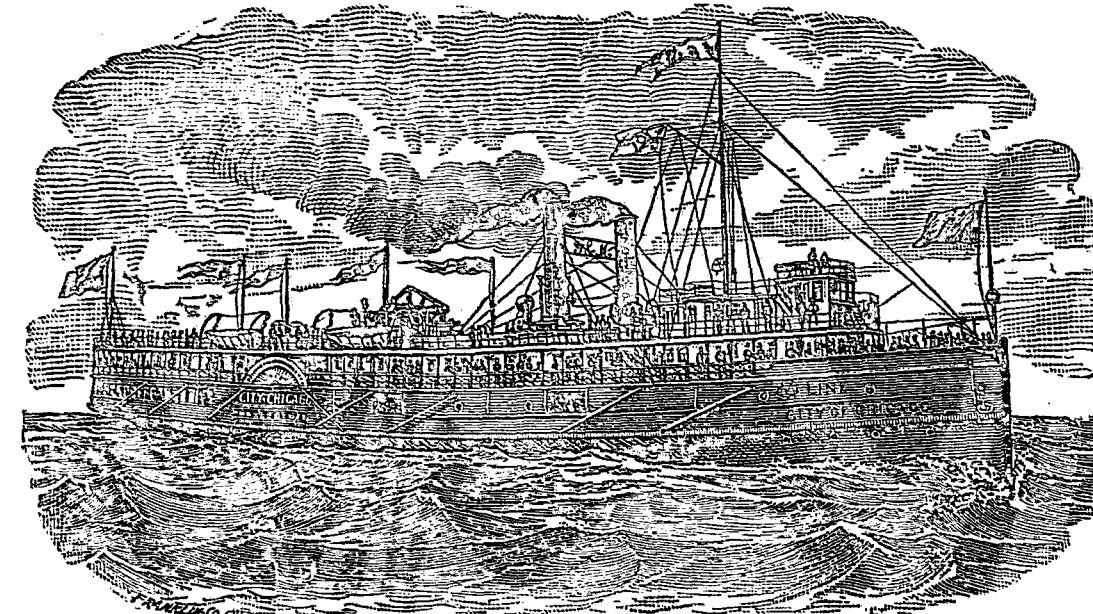
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Melville Harger is staying with
Clarence Weaver for the summer.

Mrs. Will Kimble is reported quite
ill with nervous prostration.

DAYTON

Mrs. Clenden and son Clare were
Buchanan last Thursday on business.

Mr. A. C. Weaver is working ag-
Gallen for a short time.

Mr. and Mrs. John Martin, of
Niles, visited friends and relatives
here, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wash Paul, of Paoli,
Indiana are visiting relatives here
this week.

Mr. Clarence Paul of Dowagiac, is
visiting his mother, Mrs. L. Paul. in
Mrs. Em Redding was in Gallie
Wednesday on business.

Mrs. S. P. Phillips spent Tues-
day in Gallie.

Mrs. Rosalinda Redding and Mr.
Cady Bush, of New Carlisle visit-
Mrs. A. C. Weaver last Friday.

Miss Caddie came home, Thurs-
day. Mrs. F. H. Weaver and baby from
Jackson are visiting at Mrs. A.
Weaver's.

Miss Blanche Sheldon is work-
ing at South Bend.

Mrs. Esther Leggit returned Wed-
nesday from Michigan City, where
she has been visiting the past
week.

Mrs. S. P. Martin is on the sick
list this week.

Mrs. A. C. Weaver and child I
were in Buchanan, Decoration Day.

Mr. Fred Richter was home on
Sunday from Dowagiac.

Miss June Bromley and father were
in Gallie Decoration Day.

MAN WHO ONCE MADE DIAMONDS
By Cutcliffe Hynes
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IT is a remark past doubt that
Conrad Macdonald was the
most wonderful chemist.

Myself I know this, yes,
that's why I say it. His small knowl-
edge of acquaintances are, with few ex-
ceptions, entirely ignorant on the sub-
ject. Even the Hatton Garden people,
ought to know, have overlooked the
talent in their awe at one another's
peculiar attributes.

Pedantically Macdonald was Ph.D. in
of Leipzig and a D. Sc. of London,
which, of course, does not go for
much, and he was also a B. A. of Cam-
bridge, first class Nat. Science Tripos,
both parts, which naturally goes for
nothing at all. Honors men are no-
torious fizzes in after life, and so
none of these things in the least proves
that he was usefully and practically
clever. Even the post at Burton-on-
Trent, from which he derived a living
during some sixteen preparatory years,
was no criterion of his powers. He
was merely analyst in a brewery. Of-
ficially that may argue certain niceties
of manipulation and an elementary
knowledge of organic work, but no op-
erations are required which are not ex-
haustively remarked upon in the text
books. Original research is entirely
foreign to that branch of the trade.

For the style of work he drew a good
income—few journeymen analysts could
boast a better—but the exoteric public
failed to see how he spent it. He fared
on Spanish claret, Camembert cheese,
brown biscuit and plug tobacco entire-
ly; bought one inferior suit of black
per annum, which became many hues
with bleach and acid before the day of
discarding; never purchased letter-
press, amusement or new hats, and yet
wore his money down to the breaking
strain. The local bank manager while
sending him uncivil letters about over-
drawing his account used to wonder
whether Macdonald was supporting an
invalid mother in luxury elsewhere.

Macdonald knew very few people
outside the brewery. Myself and one
other man made up his list of callers



a long time was in thinking with other
chemists that diamonds were nothing
but pure carbon. I did crystallize that,
though I didn't say anything about it.
Another man—Mr. Hannay of Glasgow
—also did the same thing and published
his results in 1880. He exposed a
mixture of paraffin spirit and bone oil
distillate with lithium in a strong iron
tube to the prolonged heat of a re-
verberatory furnace. He got speci-
mens of diamantoid carbon, but they
were small in size and when placed on
the polishing wheel immediately crum-
bled. I was about as lucky, except
that in addition I had a bad blow-up
which cost me half a femoral muscle
and will make me limp to my dying
day. Afterward I found that there was
something else in natural diamonds be-
sides pure carbon, and, working with
that something else and a mechanical
contrivance with electrical adjuncts—
"Oh, look here," I cut in, "that'll do.
You make me tired."
"Greek, still Greek to you?"
"Emphatically; so come to results.
You say you know how to make dia-
monds of large size for half nothing a
carat—diamonds which will stand cut-
ting and which are in all respects equal
to the dug up animal?"
Macdonald nodded and rubbed his
hands softly.
"And now you're going to put them
on the market? Well, don't flood it and
you've got the softest thing any one
man ever owned since Noah had the
monopoly for live stock."
"It's highly improbable that I make
or sell a single crystal."
I turned and stared at him. Was the
man crazy?
"There's a much better dodge than
setting up a diamond factory."
He paused again and laughed.
"Speak, you scoundrel!" I shouted.
"Don't keep me in the thumbscrews
here. What's better?"
"Why, not doing it and being paid
for that same. Don't you know that
all the diamond people have clubbed
together into the biggest ring or trust
or corner or whatever you choose to
call it of any commercial fraternity in
all the world? This ring either owns
or has a governing interest in all the
big mines in Africa, Brazil and India,
and even the lesser ones in Virginia
and Borneo and those places, and it
regulates the output and brings the
price to what it exactly likes. Do you
think that ring would submit to hav-
ing another mine opened—my mine—with-
out trying very hard to have two fin-
gers and a thumb in it?"
"Not much. And so you offered to
trade with the ring?"
"I wrote to two Hatton Garden fel-
lows I knew—they were merchants I
used to buy my diamonds from to ex-
perimentalize with—and invited them
to come down here with an expert
friend. They came and brought a man
with them who—on paper, at any rate—
is one of the first chemists of the day.
I treated them to a short scientific lec-
ture, stated some facts and showed
them some specimens. Then before
them I loaded up a small gun metal
cylinder with various things, screwed
on the top and sealed it.
"Now, Mr. Levenstein," said I to
one of them, "you put that in your
pocket and take it away with you. If
you leave it as it is the thing's safe
as a paving stone. If you try to un-
screw it before a week's out you'll have
an explosion which an anarchist might
be proud of, and, whatever else hap-
pens to the diamond ring, their subse-
quent proceedings won't interest you
any more. But if at the end of the
week you take out the stopper, which
you can do then as safely as I put it
in, you'll find a colorless liquid and
rather a good diamond. I'll make you
a present of the lot to do what you like
with."
"They went away then, and I heard
at the end of the week they'd found
the diamond all right—a gem, I guess,
worth about £150—and that they sent to
Amsterdam to get it cut into a bril-
liant."
"Well, that specimen gem took its
facets all right, and then I didn't hear
anything more from the diamond ring
directly for some time. They commu-
nicated indirectly. First a pyramid of
beer barrels took the opportunity of
collapsing as I was crossing the brew-
ery yard. I escaped by the skin of my
teeth and thought it was an accident.
Then there was a gas explosion in my
laboratory, and the place was wrecked
body and walls. By the greatest mir-
acle on earth I'd just gone outside, and
the only victim was a strange man,
who was blown to rags. That made
me suspicious, and when walking
across the fields here tonight a man

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came for me with a white. I'd this re-
volver ready in my pocket and shoved
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lice. Nice saug place to spend the even-
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