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HAPPENINGS OF THE WEEK

Local, Personal and General News Furnished in Condensed Paragraphs for the Convenience of the Busy Reader

Life insurance. Henry Haasgen, adv. Rev. John Pinches spent Saturday in Bay City.

J. Sands of Flint spent Sunday with his family here.

John J. Love of Hale was in the city on business Tuesday.

Percy Smith went to Flint Wednesday for a few days stay.

L. H. Emerson visited his family at Gladwin over the Fourth.

Judge Albert Widdis was in Detroit on business a few days this week.

John Groff of Detroit visited his parents here a few days this week.

G. A. Prescott was at Detroit on business a couple of days this week.

Miss Kathryn Sands is acting as relief agent at AuSable for a few days.

T. F. Marston of Bay City was in the city on business a day or two this week.

Misses Grace and Nettie Laidlaw left Monday for a visit with friends at Bad Axe.

Chas. Walter and wife of Standish are guests at the home of her brother, A. Steinhurst.

Mrs. C. S. Funk of Calcite has been visiting relatives and friends in the Tawas this week.

The ladies of the M. E. church, will have a cake sale in Mrs. Kelly's building Saturday, July 10.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Timreck of Detroit spent the Fourth with friends and relatives in the city.

Misses Stella and Ellen Buswell left Thursday for a few weeks visit with relatives at Avon Lake, Ohio.

Bert Walker and two children of Detroit, arrived Tuesday for a visit with his mother and sister in this city.

Misses Harriet Soper of Twining and Grace Anderson of Darlington, Ind., spent Monday with Edna Gates.

Harold Brabant of Buffalo arrived Saturday for a couple of weeks visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. Brabant.

Mrs. M. E. Valentine and son, Carl, of Bakersfield, Calif., arrived last Monday for an extended visit with friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Woizeschke motored to Sterling Sunday and visited Mrs. W.'s uncle, Jas. Adams, for a couple of days.

Miss Ferne Mark came up from Bay City last Saturday and will spend the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Mark.

Mrs. M. E. Friedman and little daughter, Leah, are visiting her daughter, Mrs. Harry Schlanger, at Standish this week.

Rev. Wm. Roberts of Iron Mountain will hold services at the Presbyterian church next Sunday morning at the usual hour.

Rev. and Mrs. A. W. Brown and children of Marshall have been guests at the home of his sister, Mrs. L. H. Braddock, this week.

Misses Evelyn and Arminta Brabant came up from Bay City and spent a couple of days this week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. Brabant.

Mrs. P. B. Martin of Springfield, Ohio, and Mr. and Mrs. Leon Randall and children of Oxford came last week and are spending their vacation at Mrs. Martin's summer home, the M's.

Mrs. James Larmer of Rose City visited friends in the Tawas a couple of days this week. Miss Luella Patterson accompanied her on her return home and will remain for a several days visit.

Kaiser & Moore of Bay City have started the work of erecting their pickle salting station here. The building will be located on the old dock property a short distance in the rear of the Wilson elevator.

So far as the circus performance and animal acts were concerned, the Robinson Shows, which exhibited at East Tawas Monday afternoon and evening, were reported to be one of the best that have ever visited this section of the country. However, the number of short change artists and gamblers who were allowed to operate in the vicinity of the show by the management created an unfavorable sentiment in regard to the whole affair. The better class of shows in these days have absolutely prohibited any such fakirs operating in the vicinity of their exhibitions.

Autos for hire. Call 83-W. adv. Rev. Alex Anderson was a Bay City visitor last Friday.

Mrs. N. C. Harting, jr., was a Bay City visitor Saturday.

Geo. Feidler of Detroit has been visiting friends in the city this week.

Wm. Holzheuer of Owosso visited friends here a few days the past week.

Leo Halleck of Detroit visited friends in the city over the Fourth.

We all think too much of money and too little of the things it will do.

Miss Sophia Green has been confined to her home by illness the past week.

Temple Harris of Flint spent the Fourth with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Harris.

Clayton Baguley of Lansing spent the 4th with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Baguley.

Zenas Colby and wife of Bay City spent Sunday at the home of his brother, A. W. Colby.

Dr. A. B. Carson, dentist, is at his office in Tawas City every day of the week. Phone 44-W. adv.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. McLean of Whittemore were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Colby Monday.

Henry Neumann of Detroit has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Neumann, this week.

Miss Blanche Clover of Chicago arrived Saturday for a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Smith.

John Wakerly of Flint spent a couple of days with his wife and friends here the past week.

Miss Angeline Sands of Detroit is at the home of her parents in this city for several weeks visit.

Mrs. J. A. Campbell left last Saturday for Chicago, to attend the national Christian Endeavor convention.

M. J. Sands of California and Frank Sands of Oregon arrived the first of the week for a visit at their home here.

John R. Filarski of Kalamazoo and Jos. Valentyn of Alpena were visitors at the home of Herbert Gates Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Timreck were at Bay City last Saturday to visit Mrs. Timreck's father, Chris. Green, at the hospital.

Miss Effie Graham left Tuesday for Chicago for a visit with friends and also to attend the national Christian Endeavor convention.

Chancy Brown and family of Bay City came up Monday for a day's visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Brown of the Townline.

Allen Boomer and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Armstrong of Pontiac are guests at the home of their daughter and sister, Mrs. N. C. Harting, jr.

Mrs. Chris. Green was at Bay City Monday for a visit with Mr. Green, who is a patient at the Bay City hospital. She reports that he is improving.

Mrs. A. B. Carson returned Tuesday from a weeks visit with her parents at Wyandotte. The doctor, who had spent the Fourth in Bay City, returned with her.

A letter from Mrs. P. J. McCombs, Oakland, Calif., informs the Herald of their change of address to 3268 Market St., and also informs us that their son, Philip, graduated from the eighth grade at the Lockwood school in that city.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Armstrong and little son, of Bad Axe, were guests at the home of Miss Claire Shaw last week. Mrs. Armstrong was a resident of Tawas City before her marriage, her name being Josephine Holland.

Next Sunday afternoon the Alabaster ball team will come to Tawas City and cross bats with the Laidlawville ball team at Shien park. Game will start at 2:30. The fans are promised a good game, as both teams have added a few new players since their first clash at Alabaster two weeks ago, which was claimed to be one of the best games played on the Alabaster diamond this season. We expect Sunday's game to be the same.

BE KIND TO YOUR HORSE AND ALL DUMB CREATURES. IT SHOWS THE GENTLEMAN. adv.

AUTO AND BUGGY COLLIDE.

An accident which might have resulted seriously, but which fortunately did not, occurred on Perry street last Monday night. The automobile bus from the Hotel Iosco driven by John Patterson, was enroute to the midnight train when it collided with a horse and buggy occupied by Thos. Bradley and Fred Smith. As a result the buggy was considerably smashed up and the windshield of the auto broken and one fender bent.

Dr. W. N. Yeager was the passenger in the automobile, and just before the collision he had struck a match, temporarily blinding the driver and preventing him from seeing the approaching buggy. Yeager was somewhat bruised up and his face cut by the broken glass, but the other men escaped with only slight scratches.

BASE BALL.

The Tawas ball team will journey down to Turner Sunday and play the Turner boys. Last Sunday's game with East Tawas was held up on account of rain, but we hope to play it off in the near future.

EPWORTH LEAGUE.

Sunday, July 11, 6 o'clock std. time. Topic—"The Promise of Refreshment and Renewal." Everybody invited.

Last Sunday evening Miss Florence Smith gave a fine talk on "Remembering Jonah's Whale and Forgetting His Message," which is the common fault of most of us. Also uplifting talks commemorative of the nation's birthday were enjoyed.

Tho'ts.

The story of Jonah is not a fish story, but a world story. Does your influence touch the heathen world anywhere? Do you believe God loves the world? Do you believe his salvation is for the world? Well, then, what are you doing to show your belief to the world?

Our land is ringing with various watchwords at this hour. It is our duty, as Christians, to see that we subscribe to none that is low, none that is selfish, none that is narrow, none that is less than Christian. We cannot be true patriots on any other basis.

"Look up and lift up."

BAPTIST CHURCH.

Services on Sunday July 11th at the usual hours, 10:00 a. m. and 7:00 p. m. standard. Sunday school meets at 11:30 a. m.

Visitors are cordially invited to our services. Everybody made welcome. Alex Anderson, Pastor.

AN ARITHMETICAL PROBLEM.

In a western state famous for raising mules, a resident died possessed of 17 mules. In his will he disposed of them as follows:

One-half to the eldest son, one-third to the next and one-ninth to the youngest. But when the administrator came to divide the 17 into halves, thirds and nines he found it was impossible with live mules; so, mules not being very valuable, he unhitched one of his own and put it with the others when he proceeded to divide the animals as follows:

One-half, or nine, to the eldest; one-third, or six, to the next son, and one-ninth, or two, to the youngest. Adding up nine, six and two, he found that it made 17, so he hitched up his own mule and went home rejoicing.—Atlanta Georgian.

WEATHER FORECAST

Issued by the U. S. Weather Bureau, Washington, D. C., for the week beginning Wednesday, July 7, 1915.

For the Region of the Great Lakes: The weather will be partly cloudy with normal temperatures until the latter half of the week when there will be showers with lower temperature.

Maccabee Excursion to Tawas Beach.

Thursday, July 15. Train leaves Tawas City at 9:52 a. m. Round trip rate 15 cents, children 10 cents. Games, sports, boating, bathing, dancing. See hand bills. adv-28

Notice of Annual School Meeting

The annual meeting of fractional school district No. 7 Tawas City and Tawas Township, for the election of school district officers and for the transaction of such other business as may lawfully come before it, will be held at the high school building on Monday the 12th day of July, 1915, at 7:30 o'clock, p. m.

Dated this 2nd day of June 1915. J. B. King, Sec'y Board of Education.

The Tawas Herald, \$1.50 per year.

HALF OF ALL FOREST FIRES ARE PREVENTABLE.

With the opening of the season of fire danger on most of the national forests, the forest service is sending broadcast a warning that more than half of the forest fires in the United states are due to carelessness or other preventable causes, starting from campers, railroad locomotives, brush burning, incendiaries, and sawmills.

This statement is based on an analysis of statistics compiled from the forest fire records of the last season, when more than 7,000 fires were reported on national forests alone and approximately 10,000 on state and private holdings in the eighteen states which received federal co-operation in fire protection under the Weeks law, namely, Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont, Massachusetts, Connecticut, New York, New Jersey, Maryland, West Virginia, Kentucky, Michigan, Wisconsin, Minnesota, South Dakota, Montana, Idaho, Washington and Oregon.

Forest fires destroy millions of dollars' worth of timber and other property every year, and in some years cause considerable loss of life. It has been estimated from the best information obtainable that forest fires last year burned over an area of approximately 6,000,000 acres with a total loss of at least \$9,500,000.

THE FOOTBALL OF EMPIRES.

What is the "football" of the great empires to-day? In this world war what is it that the great powers are struggling to put across the goal line? Belgium and Poland have been thought of as fields on which the fierce game is being fought out. But there is another battle-field in the present war that for thousands of years has been the world's most important battle-ground. An article to be published in the Sunday School Times of July 17 will tell how and why the greatest empires the world has ever seen have struggled on this field for the possession of "the football of empires." A three-weeks' free trial of the paper will be sent to you, and a few of your friends, upon receipt of a post card request addressed to The Sunday School Times Co., Philadelphia, Pa.

HIS FOURTH OF JULY LETTER.

Dear Bill your Letter was Received & I was Very glad to Hear from you that you was Well & the Nice time you had Out Fishin well I said id rite so please excuse the pen and the Hand-writin which I Gess looks jess like our old Hen Wes makin marks for you to Read But never mind hear goss you Went to know just how us Kids put in the Fourth I spose well Bill I've got 3 Fingers left & Hoop you've got the same But paw sed After this year Fourth why gettinsburg was tamed the Firecrackers was good this year & went off with a Bing. Remember how last years ones sizzled. These made the welkin Ring well we had 27 packs which with the Gurls packs made just 30 what us Kids shot off because Gurl's is afraid you laffed to see the famly Cat jump over the back Fence & Chase herself just when the Fun was redy to commence. The gurls helped to unbraird the pack They come in handy there cause Kids pulls out the Stems unless they takes a lot of Care & in the first bunch was 3 Kings and Quite a lot of queans I wonder why the yellor ones makes more Noise than the Greens the Gurls would light one in the Ground then scream and run away but Frekerently they dont go off & then it doesnt pay its better if you wait until the Fuse begins to sizz Then toss em quick up in the air They bang then and dont sizz we put some under a Tin Can youd ort to heard em crack & then what did we go an do but let off a hole Pack the Cannon Cracker followed nex and goodness what a Roar & when we went up to the Place a grate big Hole was toar at Noon we feasted on Ice Cream and drank Fink lemonade then went down to the Tournament gave by the Fire brigade hose coupling contest fat Mans rases nothin you cant name & then down on the Ball lot was a reel champenship game at Nite down on the Green they had a Big fireworks Display & my I Gess them Skyroockets just turned Nite into day well that is All I guess Rite soon and is the dog alright & how is them ginnie pigs that came the other Nite Well i must cloas now cause the Kids is goin in to swim p. s. does Lizzie think im Mad? i ain't yours truly, JIM

A QUESTION.

Are the richest kiddies the happiest in the land or are the happiest babies the richest in the land? The millionaire mother who raises her little son like a crown prince and has him guarded as if he were going to some day inherit a throne, thinks her baby is the happiest in the land, but other fond mothers think she is mistaken. They believe that only a "poor" baby can be really happy.

When the "poor" child is a babe in arms the mother hangs over it, puts the tiniest stitches in the precious baby dresses and kisses it at every cry. When it begins to walk and falls over the threshold, it is the mother and not a stern governess, who runs and picks him up. This "poor" baby is left to play alone sometimes, and given a chance to spill a bottle of ink or pour mamma's best perfume out of the window "to see it wain."

This baby can play in a sand pile on pleasant days and have countless pans and dishes to pass the time away and make mud pies and play with rag dolls and have oodles of fun!

As the last hours of the day draw near baby tries to make the best of the time that is left him. The rattles rattle louder than ever, the toy horses rock harder and the small voices get stronger and shriller. Baby doesn't need a maid to put him to bed and stay with him because he knows the bogey-man can't get him while mamma is near.

Rag dolls, mud-pies and—often times even mamma is denied the richest babies.

That's what makes us think these rich babies are not the happiest babies. Do you?

The country is to be deluged with wheat this year. In years gone by it was not out of the ordinary to hear a farmer declare that he made more money out of a small crop than a big one, the latter generally depressing the price so that there was not much profit in raising it. But this season, the crop promises not only to be large but prices high.

Old newspapers for sale at this office, 5c. per bundle.

REBEKAH OFFICERS INSTALLED.

Installation of officers was held at Irene Rebekah lodge last Wednesday evening. On account of the disagreeable weather only about thirty members were present. The following officers were installed for the ensuing term:

Past Noble Grand—Clara Vaughan. Noble Grand—Clara Hamilton. Vice Grand—Mabel Syme. Rec. Sec'y—Helen Applin. Fin. Sec'y—Murel Misener. Treas.—Thos. Curry. Dist. Dep. Pres.—Mary Anderson. Warden—Jennie Beaushaw. Conductor—Margaret Dease. Chaplain—Sarah Ash. R. S. N. G.—Alla Alford. L. S. N. G.—Edla Applin. R. S. V. G.—Sadie Barbour. L. S. V. G.—Nell Harmon. I. G.—Rae Venners. O. G.—William Beaushaw. Organist—Carrie Parker.

After the installation Past Grand Master Flynn of East Tawas gave an interesting talk on Rebekah work. After the work of the evening the retiring Noble Grand, Mrs. George Vaughan was presented with a beautiful present. The members then repaired to the dining hall where light refreshments consisting of ice cream and cake were served.

MACCABEE HALL FIRE.

Early last Sunday morning an alarm of fire was turned in at about one o'clock and it was discovered that the roof of the Maccabee Hall was blazing. Owing to the boilers at the water works being almost empty the fire whistle could hardly be sounded hence few of the fire men turned out and the fire having a good start. The roof was completely burned as well as a part of the walls, floor, etc. A large part of the regalia was destroyed. The loss to the Maccabees was estimated at about \$800.00, almost covered by insurance. The property of Mrs. F. E. Dease's millinery store below was damaged considerable by water. Part of the goods from the store and the Hall were taken to Curry's livery stable and stores across the road but were damaged by moving. The loss of goods in the millinery department is estimated at between \$300 and \$400 which was partially covered by insurance. Some of the Hamilton Laundry property was also damaged by water. It is supposed that the fire was caused from sparks of sky rockets lighting on the roof.

BLACKSMITH SHOP FOR SALE.

I will sell my blacksmith shop, tools house and four lots. adv. M. Daley, Hale, Mich.

EAST TAWAS DEPARTMENT

Devoted to the General and Personal News of the Week From Our Neighboring City on the East

Wall paper, rugs and furniture at Sempliner's, East Tawas. adv-tf. Chauncey Dease was in Bay City the fore part of the week.

Will Teare of Bay City spent the Fourth with his parents in this city.

Erastus Babcock left for Detroit Tuesday morning where he will remain indefinitely.

John and Reuben Quarters of Detroit are visiting at the home of their parents in this city.

Mrs. John Hamilton was in Oscoda the latter part of last week visiting with relatives and friends.

Christ church services next Sunday: Holy communion, 7:30; holy communion, 10:00; evening prayer, 7:00.

Miss Bernice C. Chanel of Bay City, spent Sunday and Monday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Teare.

Mrs. Eli Miller returned from AuSable Monday evening after a few days visit with old friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas DeVal of Detroit arrived last Saturday and have been visiting this week with Mr. De Val's father.

Capt. Small left for Bay City Thursday morning. He will visit with friends and relatives across the bay before returning.

Arvid Carlson came down from Saginaw last Saturday to spend the Fourth here and visit with friends and relatives for a time.

John Goodall, who has been visiting with his family here since last Saturday returned to his work at Flint last Wednesday evening.

Mrs. George Reece of Bay City visited with her sister, Mrs. C. R. Dease last Sunday and Monday.

Miss Selma Johnson accompanied her sister-in-law, Mrs. Axel Johnson, to Flint Thursday morning and will visit there for a season.

Mrs. Wm. Deckett and children of Harrisville spent the Fourth with Mrs. Deckett's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Burrows at the light house.

Rev. William Roberts of Iron Mountain will hold service in the Presbyterian church next Sunday evening at 7:00. Everyone cordially invited.

Mrs. Ole Peterson and children, who have been visiting with Mr. and Mrs. John Scholar for a few days, returned to their home in Onaway last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Venners and family spent the Home Coming days at AuSable renewing former acquaintances and meeting with many old friends.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Bristol, who have been visiting with friends and relatives at Royal Oak and Detroit for six weeks, returned home last Monday.

Fred Brant of Escanaba has been visiting for more than a week with his sister, Mrs. Alva Misener. From here Mr. Brant will go to Saginaw to visit relatives.

Mrs. Charles Hill of Flint arrived last Saturday night and will visit with her mother, Mrs. Mary Merick for a time. Mrs. Hill was formerly Miss Fern Merick of this city.

Floyd and Joe Walker arrived from Detroit last Thursday afternoon for a visit with friends. Floyd left Monday afternoon for AuSable going by boat to Detroit that evening.

Mrs. Merton Barnes, daughter Ardith and little son left for Saginaw last Friday morning after visiting at the home of Mrs. Barnes' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Curry for three weeks.

Axel and Andie Johnson came from Flint last Saturday to spend the Fourth at their home in this city. Mrs. Axel Johnson and little sister in law Edna, arrived a few days earlier.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Butler left for their home in Standish last Tuesday morning, after a few days visit with Mr. Butler's aunt Mrs. F. E. Dease. Ray Butler was formerly an East Tawas lad.

James Carpenter arrived from Vermillion last Saturday morning and began his duties as captain of the Life Saving Station at Tawas Point in the vacancy caused by the retirement of Capt. Small.

Mr. and Mrs. George Randall of Kindy, Mrs. Charles Randall of Royal Oak and Mr. and Mrs. P. LeVoie and son of Oscoda spent the fore part of the week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Parker. Mrs. Parker is a sister of George Randall and of Mrs. LeVoie.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Jackson visited in Bay City Thursday of this week. Arthur Huff came from Detroit last Thursday afternoon for a short visit with friends.

Mrs. H. Martindale of South Branch visited with Mrs. F. E. Dease the fore part of the week.

Thomas Sullivan arrived from Flint last Saturday night and is visiting at his home in this city.

Mrs. H. Stoorer left for Flint last Wednesday and will visit with friends for an indefinite period.

Miss Emily Culver of Bay City visited the fore part of the week with her friend, Miss Ida Davey.

Miss Miriam Alford left for Prescott last Saturday and will visit with friends there for three weeks.

Edward Gilmore came from Detroit last Saturday night and has been visiting with friends here this week.

Grant Gordon returned to his home at Curtisville Tuesday afternoon after visiting for a few days with his grandmother, Mrs. A. Gordon.

Allen Dunn came from Norvell near Jackson, last Friday afternoon and will visit for several weeks at the home of his aunt, Mrs. James Murray.

Miss Daisy Stockman who has been in Detroit since last winter arrived home last Saturday night and will remain for the summer with her parents in Wilber.

Mrs. Clare Grant and niece, Miss Rosamond Trudell left Wednesday morning for AuGres, to spend several weeks with Miss Rosamond's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Adelbert Trudell.

M. E. church services next Sunday: Morning service, 10:00; Sunday school, 12:00; Epworth League, 6:00. Prayer meeting every Wednesday evening at 7:00. Rev. John Pinches, Pastor.

Mr. Sempliner left Tuesday morning for Mt. Clemens where he will take treatment for rheumatism for three weeks. From there he will go to Munising to visit with his daughter for a time.

Andrew St. Martin left for his home in Onaway last Monday afternoon after a short visit with his mother, Mrs. Simon St. Martin and with other relatives. Mrs. Andrew St. Martin and little son will remain for a few days longer stay.

Miss Marian King left last Tuesday morning for a summer camp called "Camp Arbutus" near Traversa City. This outing party is given by Miss Clara Sargent, M. D., of Ann Arbor, a graduate of the U. of M. this year and an intimate friend of Misses Esther and Marian King.

CAPTAIN R. D. SMALL, RETIRED.

Last Saturday morning July 3, Capt. R. D. Small received word that he was retired from active service in the Life Saving service for duty well performed during a period of more than thirty years. Captain Robert D. Small was born in Kincardine, Ont., Canada, Dec. 9, 1862 and on April 11, 1881 was engaged as a surman at the Tawas Life Saving Station. Here he served for three years and was then transferred to Point Aux Barques Station and served there for six years. March 12th 1890, Mr. Small was promoted to Captain of Crisps Station, Lake Superior, and had charge of that station for seven years. He was transferred back to Tawas station Jan. 12, 1897, where he has had full charge for eighteen years and six months. July 3, 1915, Capt. Small was retired by order of the Secretary of the Treasury and by direction of the President on three-fourths regular pay amounting to about \$90.00 per month.

Captain Small is relieved by Captain James A. Carpenter, from Vermillion station, Lake Superior, who has had twenty-seven years of experience in the Life Saving Service.

Captain Small has served over 34 years in the Life Saving Service and is the first keeper in the District to be retired for length of service. He leaves a splendid record behind him for years of faithful and well performed duty in the Coast Guard Service.

To Wash Knit Underwear.

When washing knit wear or other garments by hand which have heavy buttons, button the garment together as if being worn and turn wrong side out. This does away with the annoying scraping on the washboard which injures the buttons, and also protects them as they go through the wringer.

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LAW ENFORCEMENT.

Considerable criticism has been heard the past few days regarding the non-enforcement of the law, both by officials of Tawas City and Iosco county.

Some three or four weeks ago our city council passed an ordinance intended to regulate the speed of automobiles in the city. This ordinance specifies that the rate of speed in the business section of the city shall not exceed ten miles an hour and in the residence section shall not exceed fifteen miles an hour. Other regulations were prescribed having for their object the safety of the public, and drastic penalties are provided for the violation of any of the provisions of the ordinance.

However, the ordinance seems to have become a dead letter even at this early date, as there has not been a single arrest or any attempt at one since its passage, though automobiles are to be seen violating its provisions every day. If those whose duty it is to enforce the city laws would make an example of one or two of the violators it would create in the minds of others a wholesome respect for the ordinance, but there is little use in spending time and money in passing laws and then allowing them to be broken with impunity, as in the present case.

The criticism of county officials, which has been just as severe and perhaps more merited than that of the city officials, hinges on the gambling which was allowed to proceed unmolested at the Robinson Bros.' circus at East Tawas on July 5th. The games were carried on openly and citizens of the county were fleeced out of sums ranging from \$10 to \$200 without a protest from the officers. Indeed it is reported that one of the officials charged with enforcement of the law said when asked about the games, "Oh, that is all right."

Of course there are many people who say that if a man is foolish enough to go up against another man's game he ought to lose his money. True enough, yet the argument does not exonerate the officials who are sworn to enforce the laws, which prohibit gambling in any form. Those laws were passed for the protection of those who, if the chance be given them would spend their last dollar in bucking games of chance, and if a county officer made the remark mentioned above he should be impeached for neglect of his sworn duty.

It is also reported upon good authority that when one of the men who was fleeced out of his money by the gamblers applied to the proper authorities for a warrant to apprehend the man who had fleeced him, the warrant was refused or delayed at first, and was only issued when pressure was brought to bear upon the official to compel him to issue it, by which time the gambler had escaped and it was necessary to send the sheriff after him to Alpena. This is a severe arraignment of an official sworn to uphold the law, and would not be made unless well authenticated.

The man who lost the \$200 accompanied the sheriff, and they found it necessary to follow the circus to Cheboygan. They failed to find the man they were after, but the manager of the show paid back \$75 to the loser, thereby acknowledging the connection of the gamblers with the show. This undoubtedly ends the enforced activity of the officers to catch the criminals.

The excuse offered by the officers for not stopping the games on the afternoon of the circus was that they saw nothing wrong, and that whenever they were around everything was running smoothly and no games in sight. This seems to be a rather flimsy excuse, when hundreds of people saw the games in operation and saw men lose their money time after time. Several special officers were supposed to be on duty and surely unless they were all blind, intentionally or otherwise, it would not have been hard to have caught the rascals red-handed. If the officials elected by the people have no better eyesight than they profess, it seems about time to make a change and put in men who have some regard for their oath of office.

Gen. Victoriano Huerta appears to have tired of rusticiating at his suburban home and changed his residence to the jail at El Paso. He no doubt realizes now that the American government is not joking when it insists that the Mexican situation must be cleared up.

Did you get caught by the gamblers and short change artists who were allowed to operate unmolested by the officers at the circus Monday?

The American people are at war. But the object of their attack is the deadly typhoid fly instead of their fellow human beings.

None are so blind as those who will not see and sometimes the elongated verdant shade acts as the best blinder.

During every campaign we become firmly convinced that the world is getting better—that there are far more perfect men than we ever dreamed of. We get this idea from reading the literature the candidates send out.

WOMAN MAYOR IN TEARS.

Chicago Cafe Scenes Inspire Deep Sorrow for Girl Frequenters.

Mrs. A. R. Canfield, elected mayor of Warren, Ill., last month, came to Chicago "to broaden her views and learn something of the ways of the big world outside." She went to her lodgings with tears in her eyes, so deeply was she affected by what she saw.

From cafe to cafe she hurried in a taxicab. At Al Tierney's cafe flashily dressed men and women turned in their seats as the woman, now over 70, who had come to "learn something of the ways of the world" passed.

Once in her seat, she looked around. At the table to her left sat a young girl and a man. Both were drinking. Her eyes became fixed upon the end of the long room, where couples were dancing. Two girls brushed against her chair as they passed. One of them looked down and giggled.

Mrs. Canfield's escort watched her closely. He remembered having read of her as a fighter. He recalled her domination of a belligerent village council. He expected to see something of the spirit in which in less than two weeks had brought to the woman at his side the sobriquet of "The Fighting Mayor of Warren." But he was disappointed.

There were tears in Mrs. Canfield's eyes as she looked away from the revelers.

"Where are all their mothers?" she asked.

"Doesn't it feel good to be outside in the air—out here where it is dark?" she asked. "Somehow I know all this is wrong and yet it takes all the fight out of me."

"That girl we just saw seemed so young and innocent. I heard once that had it only good gone wrong. I never understood that until tonight."

"Do you know what I believe? I believe that girls will continue to live that way until we get wisdom and tolerance—tolerance to give us sympathy and understanding and wisdom to teach us that vice exists because the people have studied how to make it attractive."

"When I go back to Warren," she said, "I will do everything in my power to make the town attractive to young girls. If only I can keep Warren girls in Warren, I shall be happy."

—Minneapolis Journal, May 31, 1915.

ELBERT BEDE SAYS:

The broken promises that concern us are those made by others.

The more certain a person is the greater will be his mistake.

You'll get further by steady general progress than by jumping at conclusions.

You seldom hear women express sympathy for a sister who has become mixed in a scandal.

Before marriage a man finds it little trouble to live on love—afterwards he may wish he could.

Some folks imagine they are growing up just because they manage to keep others below them.

Some of the worst things we have got have come from discarding something that was satisfactory for something better.

Why is it that you so seldom hear of a photograph being used to furnish entertainment at a meeting of a woman's club.

A man doesn't mind so much having his wife boss the roost—but he does hate to have her show off before company.

Among ships that pass in the night might be mentioned senatorships and governorships that pass on election night.

A part of the world complains because of the taxes it has to pay—the other part complains because they have nothing on which to pay taxes.

When a man says he caught between 40 and 50 fish—and the fish have already been divided with neighbors—it is safe to say that the catch was under 25.

We would most of us make no effort to remember the things that are not worth while—but the trouble with many of us is that we do not know which is which.

Not one person in a hundred could write an item for a newspaper and have it correct grammatically and orthographically and otherwise—but every one of this hundred can find fault with a newspaper.

When we see how quickly the loss of a thousand lives in one disaster is forgotten, it makes us ponder as to whether or not it is worth while to spend these few years of ours in fussing around for name and fame.

HOME TOWN BUILDING.

Loss of Population in the Rural Districts of the United States.

Why are the country towns of the Middle West of the United States going backward? It is a fact known to many people that during the past ten years 650 towns in the state of Iowa have suffered a decrease in population. The rural districts of Illinois during the same length of time have lost 184,000 people. The states of Indiana, Michigan, Ohio, Missouri and Kansas have been adversely affected in the same way. It is predicted that like conditions will in the near future prevail in all states east of the Rocky Mountains. The larger cities in those states which have shown a decrease in the rural districts have, during the same time, made an astounding increase in population. This indicates that the young people are growing to dislike conditions prevailing in country towns and are leaving home to find employment in the big cities which attract them because of the natural allurements of city life, or the greater advantages which they seem to offer to the ambitious youth.

In any event, it is a condition which is not well calculated to improve the moral or business status of the nation. The question which is now confronting the American people is, how can this exodus from the country towns to the larger cities be checked? What is the cause, and who can supply the remedy?

We must all realize that a healthy industrial growth is a prime necessity for the future welfare of our Home Town and all other smaller towns throughout the country. Without prosperity and industry we cannot have life, progress or morals.

As far as our town is concerned, we are persuaded that we should shape our policy so as to give our young people a chance to develop a future at home instead of making it necessary for them to turn their eyes cityward. As a beginning to that end the merchants of this town must have the trade of its citizens and the people of the surrounding country. If they do not get that trade, the town will die of dry rot. Real estate values, including farm lands in the near vicinity, will decline. The Herald has decided to open its columns to discussion of this question of Home Town Building and an article bearing on the subject will hereafter be printed weekly. Contributions from our readers are invited. We believe that there is a remedy which will improve local conditions, both as to the financial betterment and a steady growth, rather than a decline of the kind which we all know is much in evidence in many towns in this section of the country. It may be true that we have not yet been seriously affected by the pull of city life which is depopulating some of the smaller towns throughout the United States, but prevention is better than a cure.

In another column is printed the story of Mrs. A. R. Canfield, Mayoress of Warren, Illinois, who recently visited Chicago to learn something of the ways of the world. She probably meant the underworld.

"When I go back to Warren," said she, "I will do everything in my power to make the town attractive to young girls. If only I can keep Warren girls in Warren, I shall be happy."

We know of no better way in which Mrs. Canfield can immortalize herself and her administration than by devising ways and means to accomplish the purpose she has in mind. However, we can all take a lesson from her experience. The question involved in it is one of the most important of the times. How can we keep our young people at home, is a big problem.

As previously stated, suggestions from our readers are invited. Let us have your views on the subject. Communications under this head will be printed in our next week's issue.

OUR SCRAP BASKET

The Week in History.

Monday, July, 5.—Immense strike of iron workers in Staffordshire, England, 1883.

Tuesday, 6.—British subjects warned to leave Egypt, (Egyptian-Turkish war), 1882.

Wednesday, 7.—Skobelev, Russian general, hero of Pleuna, dies, 1882.

Thursday, 8.—London society for prevention of cruelty to children founded, 1884.

Friday, 9.—Anne of Clews divorced from Henry VIII, 1540.

Saturday, 10.—Woman's suffrage bill vetoed by English House of Lords, 1884.

Sunday, 11.—Cleveland and Hendricks nominated for President and Vice-President, 1884.

Along Came Ruth.

"I'm thoroughly disgusted," said Ruth's mother, as that young lady came down stairs to help her with dinner, "these left-overs from yesterday, that I put in the refrigerator, have tainted the butter, the milk and even the drinking water with their smell. Everything is spoiled, what can I do?"

"I don't know what you can do now," replied Ruth, "but I know how you may avoid the same thing occurring in the future. It's very simple. You just provide screw-top preserve jars that are big enough to contain the left-overs, and by placing them therein and screwing on the tops, you will confine all odors to the jars, and nothing can be tainted. Then too, the jars are no harder than dishes to wash and keep clean."

"Hereafter Ruth," commented her mother, "I'm going to consult you about everything I do before I do it, for you certainly have a long head."

Kitchen Hints Worth Remembering

Salt is a good absorbent, as the housewife will discover if she runs for the salt receptacle when ink is spilled on the carpet or on the tablecloth, and puts on salt, renewing the salt as fast as it absorbs the ink. If the salt is put on the ink promptly it is generally so effective that practically no ink stain remains.

An added flavor is given to after-dinner black coffee if each lump of sugar to be served with it is rubbed with a piece of lemon peel a few moments before time to bring on the

coffee. Orange peel adds a delicate touch to the afternoon tea if the sugar to be used is rubbed with it a little while before it is served.

Dishes in which eggs have been prepared or butter and dough mixed in should be rinsed with cold water before they are washed. If put in hot water before the cold water is applied the heat will cook the eggs or the flour paste sufficiently to make it stick to the dishes.

Potatoes used instead of soap will keep the hands clean and the skin soft. The water in which potatoes have been boiled is a good wash for table silver, and keeps it bright with little or no exertion on the part of the housewife.

How to Fry Tomatoes.

These are especially good with roast or broiled meat of any sort. To prepare them cut firm tomatoes, perfectly ripe, that have been washed and dried, in slices half an inch thick, without removing the skins. Dust the slices with pepper and salt and dredge with flour. It is a good plan to mix the pepper and salt with the flour. Brown well on both sides in hot olive oil or butter. Cook carefully to avoid breaking the slices, but cook thoroughly, as they are better when cooked through. Drain on paper and serve very hot.

Milk Sherbert.

Into a freezer put one quart of milk and one pound of sugar. Pack the freezer and freeze to the consistency of soft mush. Open the freezer and put into the frozen material the juice of three lemons. Repack the freezer and freeze till hard. Pack and let stand to ripen for about two hours.

OPTOMETRY

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TO MAKE ORANGE CUSTARD.

Cut sweet oranges into cubes and put them, with a little sugar, into a deep glass dish. Pour over them a thick custard, and on top pile little meringues. The custard should be made from the yolks of eggs and the meringues made from the whites. Beat the whites and to each add a tablespoonful of granulated sugar and a pinch of cream of tartar. Beat well and pile in little mounds on a wooden board and brown in the oven, very slowly; cool slowly in slide on the custard.

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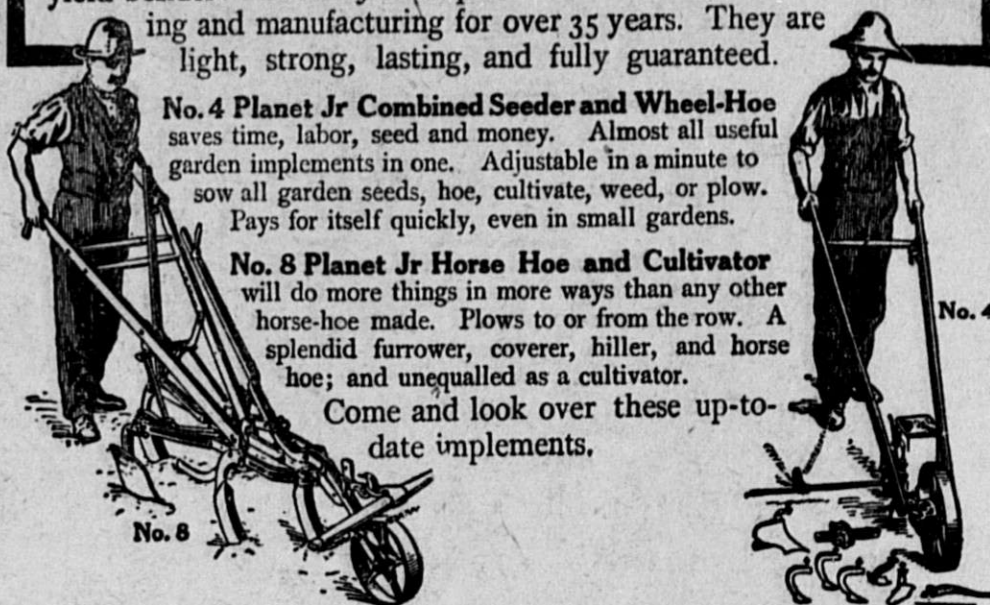
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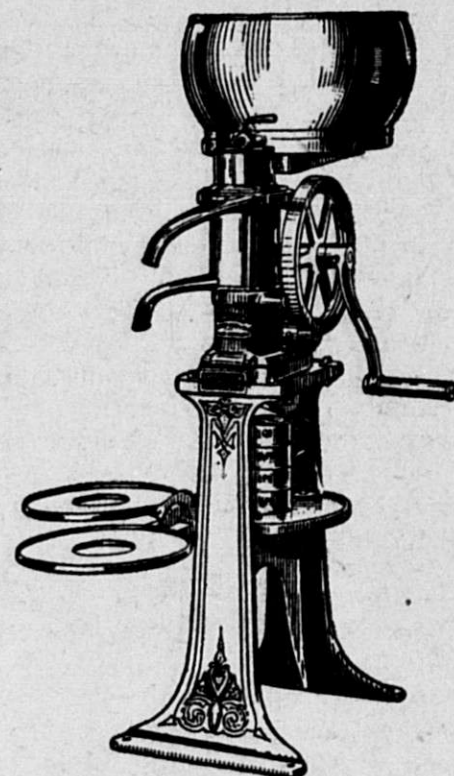
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A MATTER OF BUSINESS

By OLIVE MABIE.

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The three girls looked at the lawyer in frightened disbelief.

It could not be possible that their father's fortune had been such a hollow mockery. How had they lived all these years in such quiet comfort?

"It was the nature of his business," explained Mr. Ames; "a broker never really knows whether he is a rich man or a pauper. Your father was undertaking a big coup when his illness and death put a finish to everything. He was on the wrong side of the market when he was stricken. There will be nothing left for you except the place in the country—your mother's old home."

"But that is only a house and furniture. How can we earn our bread and butter?" asked Kitty.

"We might take summer boarders," suggested Dorothy gravely.

"That isn't a bad idea!" said Mr. Ames. "I'll send you all the people I can. Can any of you cook?"

"I can," said Dorothy proudly. "I have taken a prize at cooking school."

June found the Henderson girls settled in the old house in which they had been born.

Old village friends called upon them, and, to Cousin Keziah's great satisfaction, several young men were attracted to the Henderson house. Tom Bixby, Walter Mott and Paul Clarkson had all been to the village school with the Henderson girls.

Lillian Henderson, the eldest sister, was ambitious. She had determined that her sisters, as well as herself, should improve their fortunes by good marriages. And with that end in view she discouraged the attentions of the village doctor and all his friends, who were law partners.

"I thought you liked Doctor Mott," observed Kitty when Lillian delivered her ultimatum.

"I do, dear, but we must think about practical matters. We should marry well," she returned decidedly.

"I wouldn't mind working hard for a man I liked," declared Kitty, stoutly, and Dorothy added, "I don't suppose a real man would mind our hands if they were red and coarsened by honest toil!"

"I didn't mean that, dears," cried Lillian sharply, "but I am afraid you will miss all the things we have been accustomed to. You know, Dorry, dear, that since Harry Blake has followed you here—of course it would be perfectly fine if you could love him well enough with all his money."

"My word!" mocked Kitty. "Does that mean that you are going to accept old Mr. Allison?"

Lillian whitened, but she nodded. From the lawn tennis courts came a man's jolly laugh.

Kitty looked embarrassed. She knew that her sisters wondered if she was going to accept Lester Marshall, whose sister had been their first guest.

Marshall was young and handsome and rich, and he made no secret of his devotion to charming Kitty.

"I suppose I would be foolish to let such an opportunity pass," laughed Kitty oddly. "Well, girls, we might have a triple wedding in October and announce to our friends that our business had been a very profitable venture!" As she ran from the room her sisters caught the flash of tears in her brave eyes.

There was a strained look in Lillian's face as the days went by. Mr. Allison was becoming more marked in his devotion; any day, now, the old financier might make a declaration of his love.

Doctor Mott and his friends tactfully eliminated themselves from the company of the busy old house. Perhaps they had heard of the three city men who were wooing the Henderson girls.

Summer waned and Labor day passed, and with its passing went the last summer guest. For the first time in three months the girls were alone. They sat in the great living room and regarded each other with furtive glances.

On the left hand of each sparkled a ring. Lillian's was a solitaire diamond. Dorothy's a great pearl and Kitty's a sapphire, like her own eyes. "Well," began Kitty, with a nervous laugh, "I suppose you are going to announce your engagement, Dorothy? Harry Blake—"

"I am not engaged to Harry Blake," retorted Dorothy, blushing hotly. "Lillian may do as she pleases—but I am going to marry the man I love—Paul Clarkson!"

"Brave!" cried Kitty. "Now hear my little declaration of independence! I refused Mr. Marshall because I prefer Tom Bixby. Yes, he gave me this pearl. It was his mother's engagement ring, and it is also mine."

The two younger girls looked defiantly at Lillian. Her lovely face was crimson with embarrassment as she fingered the glittering diamond.

"Doctor Mott—Walter—said that—" Lillian faltered.

"Doctor Mott? Lillian dear, didn't Mr. Allison give you that ring?" shrieked Kitty.

Lillian shook her fair head. "I couldn't, after all," she confessed, as their arms closed around her. "I know it was poor business policy, but I wasn't quite equal to it."

Many a family Bible is more ornamental than useful.

WISE PROVISIONS OF NATURE

Nutritive Conditions Such That Man Is Enabled to Live in Any Part of Earth.

Two studies recently made by European scientists illustrate the range in nutritive conditions to which the human being can adapt himself.

In one case an Eskimo on the island of Disco in western Greenland consumed in one day nearly four pounds of boiled meat corresponding to 85 grams of nitrogen and 218 grams of fat. This is said to be far below the record figure among these people, who eat very large meals at irregular and somewhat frequent intervals.

Indigestion and other nutritive disorders, however, are rare among them, and their physical endurance and resistance to cold is very high. The way the above extraordinary meal was utilized by this Eskimo was found to be very satisfactory.

The other study was of a man in Copenhagen "who was able to maintain himself in excellent nutritive equilibrium and muscular efficiency through long periods of months, not merely days, on a diet essentially composed of potatoes and margarin." Four pounds of potatoes were eaten daily, yielding 3.62 grams of digestible nitrogen which with the margarin amounted to 3,900 calories.

When hard work had to be performed this man ate eight pounds of potatoes with liberal additions of fat, so that the entire energy content was brought up to 5,000 calories with 10 grams of digestible nitrogen. No dilatation of the stomach was found to result from these monster meals.

Such curiosities of the literature of nutrition simply show the great adaptability of the human organism, which has enabled man to live in every region of the earth. It is needless to say that neither the maximum nor the minimum of any nutritive element is desirable. The normal individual lives in the safe medium.

COULD NOT SEE THE FUTURE

Two Men of Great Inventive Ability Who Had Not the Quality of Foresight.

Not infrequently great inventors do not comprehend the significance of the thing they have produced. An interesting anecdote of two famous men of science whose foresight did not equal their inventive ability follows.

When Hertz first began to obtain satisfactory results from his now famous researches into the possibility of transmitting electric waves, certain men of science suggested that some day similar vibrations might serve to transmit messages through space. Hertz laughed at the hypothesis, and assured all comers that his experiments were for laboratories only. Now, after a few short years, it is hard to find a single issue of a daily paper that does not record some noteworthy example of the use of wireless telegraphy.

Levassor was the great engineer who sketched the automobile with such skill that his design has not been materially changed to this day. After Levassor accomplished his historic trip from Paris to Bordeaux and return, at the dizzy speed of about fifteen miles an hour, his admirers gave him a banquet. During the toasts, one of them, stirred by the spirit of the occasion, rose and enthusiastically called on the assembly to drink to the approaching day when carriages should travel at the speed of sixty miles an hour. Levassor turned to his nearest neighbor and asked in a quick undertone, "Why is it that after every banquet some people feel called on to make fools of themselves?"—Les Inventions illustrees.

Set Off by Human Electricity.

The theory that a man's body may contain enough electricity to set off a charge of explosive was put forward by a British government expert on combustibles to account for an explosion at Stowmarket which resulted in the death of four men. Major Cooper-Key, the expert, expressed the opinion that one of the men had accumulated electricity in his body, "and not having earthed himself, a spark passed through a dangerous commodity and so caused it to explode." He added: "It was an exceptional accident, which could probably have been prevented by the insertion of a metal stud in the worker's rubber overshoes. A regulation to this effect will probably be made in the future."

How Edward Can Draw.

Edward was showing Miss Brown how well he could draw a cow. As he drew, he glanced from time to time at a cow grazing in a nearby yard.

"This is her nose," he said, drawing a curved line.

"Here's her body," he explained, and after a look at his model he added another curved line.

"Now here's her tail," and he placed a curved line opposite the so-called nose.

As he held the finished drawing up for inspection, an embarrassed smile spread over his countenance.

"Perhaps we'd better call it a pump," he said.—Youth's Companion.

Nothing to Worry About.

The man who had been eating oysters off the half shell stopped long enough to eject a hard substance, which dropped to the floor and rolled under the counter.

"What's that?" asked the man on the next seat. "A pearl?"

And the other nonchalantly replied: "Nope; tooth!"—Judge.

MEAT IN HOT WEATHER.

A Few Simple Precautions for the Housewife Who Does Not Want Her Supplies to Spoil—Condition of Refrigerator Important.

A few simple precautions will aid the housewife in keeping meat untainted in hot weather. It is, of course, common knowledge that the higher the temperature, the quicker meat will spoil, but the family's supplies are not absolutely at the mercy of the thermometer. Ice and cleanliness are two great weapons of defense.

For many families a refrigerator is obviously out of the question, but it is perhaps better to have no refrigerator at all than a neglected one. Merely to wash it out occasionally does little good; it should be thoroughly scalded at frequent intervals, in particular the drain. This, if overlooked, is apt to harbor fungous growths, which may spread to the food. On one occasion a man applied to the department because he had found that a joint of beef placed in his refrigerator had turned a peculiar bright red. Upon examination it was ascertained that the meat was covered with a peculiar fungous growth due entirely to the condition of the refrigerator. Growths of this kind do not always advertise themselves so prominently and there may be much evil in an ice box that the eye can not detect.

If the refrigerator drain is not thoroughly cleaned, moreover, it is likely to become choked, the water is not carried off quickly enough and little pools are left standing in the interior. Dampness is one of the conditions most favorable to bacterial growth. An ice box in this state will not protect food long. It is, in fact, a wise precaution to wipe the interior of a refrigerator every day with a dry cloth.

The temperature of the average refrigerator is higher than most persons suppose, and in those households where a regular supply of ice is not obtainable a cool cellar, a spring house, or the depths of a well may serve somewhat the same purpose. On farms where there is an ice house the meat may be placed in some form of closed retainer and buried in the ice. In any event, the meat must be carefully screened from flies. The danger from infection from these pests has been pointed out many times, but familiarity breeds contempt and they still persist. The fly not only does the meat itself no good, but it may readily deposit upon it some infection, which is carried in turn by the meat into the human system. Some flies will deposit their eggs on the meat and these in a short time will become maggots, and the meat is "flyblown."

Much sickness that is popularly ascribed to ptomaine poisoning or to bad food, in itself perfectly wholesome, acting merely as a mechanical carrier for the "germs" which cause the trouble. Some of these sorts come from the human intestine, and their presence is sure indication that filth is present, even if the amount is too small to be seen. Filth of this kind may be carried by dust, but it more often comes from soiled hands. One might wish that every kitchen could have the sign found in some well-managed food factories—"When you leave the room for any purpose, wash your hands before you return to work."

"Germs" which grow in foods and cause illness grow very rapidly, particularly if the food is a little warm, and are not destroyed unless the food is well cooked before serving. Simply "warming up" is not enough, as was found in a case of illness recently reported after eating some warmed-up creamed vegetable. Certain kinds of food—creamed chicken, or custard, or warm vegetables, for example—are excellent culture mediums for bacteria which may have been introduced into them by accident. For this reason it is a safe rule to have as short time as possible intervene between the preparation of food and its consumption. Broth is another excellent medium and in consequence should be drained off if it is intended to keep the meat for any length of time before serving. If the broth is used also it should be boiled thoroughly first. All food, cooked or uncooked, should be kept in a clean, cool place in order to reduce the danger of infection to a minimum.

When meat must for any reason be kept for unusually long periods of time or when the conditions are unusually unfavorable scalding may be resorted to advantageously. Dropping the meat into boiling water for a few minutes will not seriously affect its flavor when it ultimately appears upon the table, and it will put it in a much better condition for keeping. It is important, however, that it be dipped in a large body of boiling water. If only a small amount of water is used, the introduction of the meat will lower the temperature to such an extent that the whole process becomes worthless. With such meats as veal or pork, which are always—or ought to be—thoroughly done, the precaution

can be carried further and the joints partially cooked before being stored away. Care should be taken, however, to see that the re-cooking is thoroughly done.

Hot weather also calls for additional precautions on the part of the housewife in regard to canned products. Once these have been opened and exposed to the air they spoil as quickly, if not more quickly, than fresh food. The contents of a can should therefore be disposed of without delay. In no event should they be left in the can after it has been opened, but should be used at once unless the housekeeper wishes to "air" the canned material, which some believe is desirable. If this is done, the can contents should be transferred to a clean earthen or glass dish and put away for an hour or two in a cool place where dust will not reach it.

Prosecuting Attorney's Report.
Report of the official business of the Prosecuting Attorney for the County of Isosco, for the six months ending, June 30, A. D. 1915, sent to the Attorney General's Department, Lansing, Michigan.

Total number prosecuted 16
Total number convicted 10
Total number acquitted 1
Total number discharged on examination 5
All fines collected have been paid in to the County Treasurer. All costs collected have been paid to the officers. This report does not contain list of the complaints received, and investigations made, upon which no warrants were issued.

Albert W. Black,
Prosecuting Atty.

MODERN FABLES.

Once upon a time, a young man whose paternal ancestor had died and left several thousand dollars life insurance, started for a large and wicked city to become a captain of finance. Previous to his exodus the village sages had called him to their side and earnestly warned him against the devious pit falls that lie about the path of the unwary, and whispered to him the many tales of the country visitors to the metropolis who had returned home poorer and wiser, because of the wiles of the confidence men who dwelt and operated there.

And the young man heeded them all. He placed his heritage in a savings bank and took rooms at the Y. M. C. A. He procured a place of employment where he filled his duties so well that in ten years the man who wrote the checks took him into the firm and helped him invest his money in a place where he could collect enough dividends to own a "car" and attend two ball games a week.

And did the confidence men swarm in his wake, seeking to relieve him of his money? They did not. The only time when he realized that any such animal existed, was when he read the police news in the daily papers.

But after a decade had elapsed, our hero found himself cherishing a desire to return for a visit to the scenes of his boyhood and display his wealth to his old comrades. So he put an extra quart of gas in his "tinmer's dream" and made the trip.

The greetings were scarcely over, in the innocent little village, before the old, back-woods real estate agent had coaxed him into his little office and sold him two thousand acres of timber land in Patagonia.

Moral—All boobs do not reside in the rural districts; neither do all gold brick agents remain in the midst of the bright lights.

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Probate Notice.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, The Probate Court for the county of Isosco.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the city of Tawas City in said county, on the 18th day of June, A. D. 1915.

Present: Hon. David Davison, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of William C. Clemo, deceased.

Thomas W. Clemo, executor, having filed in said court his final administration account and his petition praying for the allowance thereof and for the assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate.

It is ordered, that the SIXTEENTH day of JULY, A. D. 1915, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said petition;

It is further ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Tawas Herald, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

A true copy. David Davison, William H. Flynn, Judge of Probate. Register of Probate. 29

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At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Tawas City in said county, on the 18th day of June, A. D. 1915.

Present: Hon. David Davison, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of William Draeger, deceased, Gottlieb Draeger, having filed in said court her final administration account, and her petition praying for the allowance thereof and for the assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate.

It is ordered, that the NINTH day of JULY, A. D. 1915, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said petition;

It is further ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Tawas Herald, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

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Probate Notice.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, The Probate Court for the County of Isosco.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Tawas City in said county, on the SECOND day of JULY, A. D. 1915.

Present: Hon. David Davison, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of John Chevalier, Charles Fortune, administrator, having filed in said court a petition, praying for license to sell the interest of said estate in certain real estate therein described.

It is ordered, that the THIRTIETH day of JULY, A. D. 1915, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition, and that all persons interested in said estate appear before said court, at said time and place, to show cause why a license to sell the interest of said estate in said real estate should not be granted;

It is further ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Tawas Herald, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

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RENO RUMBLINGS.

Mr. and Mrs. Dykes were Hale visitors Tuesday.

Miss Effie Westervelt has gone to Flint for a visit.

Mr. Gage of the Prescott ranch was in Reno Monday.

Robt. Nash of Bay City is visiting at John Auttersson's.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Westervelt returned to Flint Monday.

Willie White came home from Linden to celebrate the Fourth.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Murray attended the circus at Saginaw Monday.

Mrs. Fred Latter has been entertaining company from Bay City this week.

A number of our young people attended the celebration at Prescott Saturday.

Tracy very accompanied his father to the ranch last Friday returning Monday.

Professor Ford and wife of Yale college are visiting at the Brainard Brown ranch.

Mrs. John Auttersson has been entertaining her niece and nephew from Buffalo of late.

A goodly number of our people attended the Robinson Shows at East Tawas Monday.

Willie Degrow who has been at Bad Axe since early spring is enjoying a vacation at home.

Mrs. Jay Clark who has been visiting friends and relatives for a few days returned home Wednesday.

Seth Thompson was home for a few days returning Monday. His wife and little daughter Jeanetta accompanying him.

Mr. Very has so far recovered as to come back to the ranch for a short time. His son Carlton and a brother-in-law are here with him.

Mr. Chas. Dyke and a lady friend autoed up from St. Johns last Friday and was the guest of his son B. V. for a few days, returning Tuesday.

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Chas. Thompson and son Johnny accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Dunham and Mr. Yant autoed to Saginaw Monday to the Ringling show. We understand they had a blowout on the way which hindered their progress but for a short time.

Archie and Freeland Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Johnson, Johnny Smith and Mrs. Blackmore of Flint have been here renewing old acquaintances for a few days. The boys went to the lake on Tuesday to try their luck at fishing, remaining until a late hour and catching two chubs.

Believe me when the men folks stay at home to mind the kiddies they have some time as did one of our fellowmen who stayed at home to mind the children while his wife went to the show. He discovered the pig he had recently purchased was gone. So he immediately set out to hunt for the pig and on returning learned the baby was gone, which kept him busy hunting till a late hour in the afternoon. One of the neighbors took him word the baby was safe at a picnic mile and a half distant. He says "I never put in such a day in my life."

WHITTEMORE.

A number from here attended the circus at East Tawas Monday.

Miss Anne Riley of Emery Junction was in the city Wednesday.

Simon Goupil was up from Emery Junction on business Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Girard of Tecumseh, Ont., visited at the home of their son, H. J. Jacques, a few days the past week.

The grading of the road between here and Emery Junction is completed and the work of putting on the gravel will soon begin.

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No trace has yet been found of the burglars who blew open the safe in Simpson Bros. store a few weeks ago and secured considerable cash and other valuables. They seem to have done a good job at covering up their tracks, or else the officers are blind.

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SOUTH BRANCH.

D. R. Stewart went to Lupton Monday night.

Clara Berry came home from Detroit Tuesday.

Mrs. Bell Richardson is quite sick at her home north of South Branch.

Quite a few of South Branch folks attended the circus at East Tawas Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Seyffardt of Saginaw with some friends spent Sunday at Jose lake.

Miss Della Neal of Rose City was the guest at the home of Mrs. Charlie Tabor over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Adams left Wednesday for Flint and Pontiac for a visit of a few weeks.

Mrs. Gertrude Harrington is visiting her son at Flint and other relatives at Hadly for a couple of months.

Mrs. Clara Ric and Mrs. Ed. Hanson of Muskegon came Friday night for a few weeks visit at the home of Frank Trudell.

Mrs. Albert Schrieb and two children of Saginaw are spending their summer vacation at the home of Charles Tabor.

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ELLAKE ECHOES.

Seth Clayton and Henry Ballard were Hale visitors 1st Saturday.

Mr. Holbeck and family came last week to live here for some time.

Miss Clara Palmer of Lansing was here for a couple of days visiting her sister.

Several people from here went on the excursion Monday to Tawas and Bay City.

O. S. Nicholls has purchased the Chuck property and is beginning to improve it.

Mr. Gracie and family of Bay City are spending a short vacation at Henry Ballard's.

Norman Ballard and James LaBerge were South Branch visitors Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Elenor Sutherland of Rose City is here visiting Miss Mavis Vosburg for a few days.

Mr. Jos. Cluck and wife of Turner are here packing up stuff in their house to move to Turner.

The state convention which is at the Christian outing grounds for a week, started Wednesday night. There were several delegates that came to attend the services.

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LADLAWVILLE.

A large crowd from here attended the doings at Sand lake last Saturday.

A goodly number from here attended the circus at East Tawas Monday.

Miss Nona Long of Tawas City is visiting her cousins Misses Helen and Margaret.

Anthony Fahselt of Bay City, spent a few days of this week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Fahselt.

Miss Edna Anschuetz came up from Bay City last Friday for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Anschuetz.

Mrs. James Carpenter and little daughter of Tawas City spent Sunday and Monday at the home of Malcolm McLeod.

Mrs. George Lake and children returned home last week from Bay City where they have been visiting the past few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Burtzloff and children of Tawas City returned to their home Monday evening after a few days visit with Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Fahselt.

Mr. and Mrs. Zenas Colby and son and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rushford of Bay City came Saturday to spend the Fourth with the ladies' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wood.

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Old newspapers for sale at this office, 5 cents per bundle.

WILBER WARBLINGS.

Frank Cross has purchased a fine new two seated light rig.

John Miller and George Kirkendall have each purchased a new Maxwell car.

Russell Alda returned to Taft Tuesday after spending the Fourth at home.

Myron Brooks came up from Flint and spent Sunday and Monday at home.

Ben Clute and daughter, Marion returned to their home in Detroit Monday afternoon.

Miss Mildred Hiller of Mikado is spending the week with her mother, Mrs. Geo. Judd.

Several friends of Mr. Harrod motored up from Flint and spent the Fourth with him.

Harry Brooks and a friend came up from Flint last Friday and is spending the week at home.

Miss Matie Wendt of Tawas City is visiting at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Arthur Dawes.

Clarence Phelps returned to Detroit Wednesday. He was accompanied by his sister, Miss Anna.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Cornett spent Saturday and Sunday at Mio with their daughter, Mrs. Harry Goodale.

Quite a number from here attended the home coming at Oscoda Sunday and Monday. All report a good time.

Wallace Minthorn of Mikado visited a portion of last week and this at the home of his aunt, Mrs. E. F. Abbott.

Chas. Bennington of East Tawas spent a portion of last week at the home of John Alda and fishing on Silver Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Simmons came up from Alabaster and spent Sunday and Monday at the home of his father, Allen Simmons.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Goodale and daughter, Anna Bell, motored from Mio Monday and took in the circus and spent a day or two with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Becker of Mio and Mrs. Wm. Scott of South Branch visited a portion of Friday and Saturday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Stickle.

August Cholger, jr., motored to Whittemore on Saturday. He was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Bert Sharp who remained for a day or two to be present at the Latter Day Saints gathering at that place.

Mr. Ed. Smith and son Nelson, and Mrs. H. Henke and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Phelps motored to Traverse City. They left Sunday at 6:00 a. m. and returned Tuesday at 2:00 a. m. They found Mrs. Smith no better and no hope of her recovery.

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Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Simmons and children came up from Saginaw on Friday last and spent Saturday and Sunday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Simmons. Mrs. Aaron returned to Saginaw on Monday but the family remained for a weeks visit.

Several from here attended the Robinson circus at East Tawas on Monday. Quite a number report having their pockets picked, and all around there were quite a few slippery fellows with the show picking pockets and in changing silver for bills.

Mr. Clarence Bennett of Port Huron and two sons of Wm. McMurray of East Tawas called at the home of John Alda on Wednesday of last week. Mr. Bennett had just two days previously buried his wife, who will be remembered as Ethel, the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James McMurray who lived here for a number of years and where Ethel spent most of her school days. The lady was taken to the hospital and operated on for appendicitis which she came through all right but in a day or so she was stricken with pneumonia and she was weak to stand the ordeal and passed away after ten days of suffering. She leaves three children, the youngest two years old. We sympathize deeply with all in their sad bereavement.

SHERMAN SHOTS.

Will Fringle was at Whittemore on business.

John Rhodes of Flint is home for a couple of days.

Leo Sass spent the Fourth with friends at Linwood.

Mrs. W. H. Pringle was at Bay City on business Wednesday.

Earl Crum who is working at Detroit is home for a short visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Smith spent Sunday with his brother at Alabaster.

Sim Pavelock and Frank Goldsmith took in the circus at Saginaw Monday.

Mrs. Geo. Fau of Flint is spending a week with her mother, Mrs. J. Rhodes.

Forty-two from here and Emery took in the circus at East Tawas Monday.

Mrs. Stone and daughter of Whittemore spent Sunday and Monday with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Powell entertained some visitors from Indiana the first part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Jordan of Grayling spent a couple of days with relatives here this week.

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Nationalism in Literature.

"The process of reading is not a half sleep, but, in the highest sense an exercise, a gymnast's struggle." A civilization in which thinking is not athletic, and feeling not intense, is a civilization without the fire of life. Nationalism in literature, therefore, requires that the infant industry be protected, but not at the expense of its vitality. We must conspire for our Mark Twains, our Stephen Crane's our O. Henrys, our Finley Dunnes, our Sarah Orne Jewetts, our George Adas But to vindicate these real interpreters is not our sole concern. Against our false interpreters and their subservient publics, we must, if we are to have a true literature in America stand destructive and irreconcilable.—The New Republic.

HEMLOCK SLIVERS.

Mabel Smith returned home from East Tawas Monday.

Grant Hayes came home from Detroit to spend the Fourth.

A large number from here attended the circus at East Tawas Monday.

Mrs. Mike Halleck and little daughter returned home from Flint Saturday.

Mrs. Morgan of Sand lake visited Mrs. D. Watts and attended the circus at East Tawas.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Davidson spent Sunday at the home of David Davison in Tawas City.

Mr. D. Watts, returned home Tuesday after a weeks visit at Gagetown. His mother, Mrs. C. Watts accompanied him.

A. H. Dixon of Detroit is visiting friends on the Hemlock, and with his wife, daughter, and little son is enjoying a weeks outing at Sand lake.

On Tuesday Willie Rapp with his auto started with Fred and Mable Smith to the Miss McCaulon to her home at Selkirk. The auto broke down and they were compelled to stay all night.

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A large crowd attended the celebration at Sand lake Saturday. A calisthumpion parade, dancing and ball playing were the principal amusements of the day. The Sherman girls played against a team composed of married men. The girls winning by a score of 10-6. Hemlock and Sherman boys played a game. Hemlock winning by a score of 8-5.

A number of the friends of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Scarlett gave them a pleasant surprise at their cottage at Sand lake last Wednesday evening. After furnishing quite a lot of music with tin pans, cow bells, etc. Miss Emmeric rendered a selection entitled "I do." Together they spent a very pleasant evening on the shores of the lake. Mr. and Mrs. Scarlett left Friday morning for Bay City where they will make their home. Their many friends join in wishing them success in their new home.

The Charivari.

We all went to the charivari, Where we knew everyone would be; We took along a host of boys For they are the ones to make the noise.

Yes, we went to the charivari, Where the goodies were all free; There were a lot of things so sweet, Oh my! How everyone did eat.

We went right into the shack, No one wanted to stay back; Chocolates, caramels, ice cream and cake, We stayed until it was quite late.

We were not satisfied even with this treat And so a can of cream did eat; And with very much laughter, Filled the can with sand and water.

Then homeward we did wend our way, No one caring much for play; But when we came to the small creek side, We took a drink on the groom and bride.

Now we shall never forget this spread, Even if the next day some were nearly dead, But we will always remember those cigars, And what a lot there were. Oh my stars!

BALDWIN BREEZES.

Recent rains and warm weather have made the crops look fine.

John H. Johnson and Carl Burgess spent the Fourth at Oscoda Monday.

Mrs. Algoth Johnson and children spent a couple days with Mrs. John Burgess this week.

Miss Lillian Johnson spent a few days at Tawas City with her aunt, Miss Alma Johnson.

Chester Norris of Sherman spent a couple days this week at the home of Nels Johnson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Halterman and son of East Tawas are living in the Norris house, while Mr. H. is employed at N. Johnson's.

Orvid Carlson and lady friend of Saginaw came up for the Fourth and will visit for a week at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Carlson.

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Nelson Johnson is having his home raised, and a new foundation will be made of cement blocks, and a cellar and other improvements will be made in the house. L. H. Kleno has the job and Claud Halterman is doing the work.

Bats With Peculiar Faces.

Some bats have the strangest of faces, both pretty and ugly. The American false vampire (rare) has hard ears and teeth like a wolf. The tub-nosed bat has big eyes and nostrils that protrude from the face. The Malayan masked bat's head is in miniature like that of a hippopotamus. The Indian false vampire has immense ears and a countenance that actually laughs. The hammerhead has immense protruding jaws. The flower-nose really suggests a pretty flower, and the chin-leaved bat might be a pansy with sharp teeth almost concealed in the center of the flower. Some of the bats of tropical countries attain to the size of gray rats, with wings having a spread of five feet. Of this order of Chiroptera more than 400 species have been noted and volumes have been written telling of their structure and habits.

Daily Thought.

Most people think they are virtuous merely because they are tame and inoffensive. Tameness is not a virtue, it is merely the absence of a vice.—J. S. Blackie.

MATTER OF JUSTICE FIRST

Vermont Judge Had Little Use for Legal Quibbles That Amounted to Nothing.

The Central Law Journal says that Theophilus Harrington, a Vermont judge in the early part of the last century, was a man who loved the right and cared little for mere legal quibbles. "If justice controls your verdict," he would often say to the jury, "you will not miss the general principles of the law." At one trial when the possession of a farm was in question the defendant offered a deed of the premises to which the plaintiff's lawyer, Daniel Chipman, objected because it had no seal.

"But your client sold the land, was paid for it and signed the deed, did he not?" asked the judge.

"That makes no difference," said Chipman, "the deed has no seal and cannot be admitted in evidence."

"Is anything else the matter with the deed?" asked the judge.

"I don't know that there is."

"Mr. Clerk," said the judge, "give me a wafer and a three-cornered piece of paper."

The clerk obeyed, and the judge deliberately made and affixed the seal.

"There, Brother Chipman," said he, "the deed is all right now. It may be put in evidence. A man is not going to be cheated out of his farm in this court when there is a whole box of wafers on the clerk's desk."

A Mistake in Scott.

Novel readers who like to combine the classic with the topical may be turning back, now that another great chapter in the history of Constantinople is opening, to one of Scott's less popular works, "Count Robert of Paris." And there they will find one of those curious slips, analogous to the lady novelist's horse that won the Derby three years running and the eclipse of the sun in "King Solomon's Mines" followed by a moonlight night. Scott's slip is more excusable, seeing that he had not seen Constantinople, but it cannot be explained away. Sir Edwin Pears, while testifying that Scott's descriptions are upon the whole singularly exact, observes that he makes the Crusaders wait before crossing a bay on the Bosphorus until the tide has ebbed. Now there is no tide in either the Bosphorus or the Marmora.

Eyes Stand the Strain.

The number of persons wearing glasses is often taken to mean that eyes are deteriorating. But scientific opinion does not hold to this view. So far as science knows there has been no change in the structure of the human body in historic times.

Examination of the eyes of Indian students in schools shows as large a proportion with defective vision as of white pupils. Several years ago an oculist measured the refraction of the eyes of many wild animals in the Bronx Zoo of New York. Their eyes proved to be as defective as the eyes of human beings. Nature is often a bit careless in its work. But there is no evidence that its optical glass is breaking down under the strain imposed by civilization.

Life and Death.

The final use of the greatest men of a nation is, after all, not with reference to their deeds in themselves or their direct bearing on their times or lands. The final use of a heroic, eminent life—especially of heroic, eminent death—is its indirect filtering into the nation and the race and to give, often at many removes, but unerringly, age after age, color and fiber to the personalism of the youth and maturity of that age and of mankind.

The dramatic deaths of every nationality are its most important inheritance value—in some respects beyond its literature and art.—Walt Whitman.

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Unhappy Indolence.
Indolence is, methinks, an intermediate state between pleasure and pain, and very much unbecoming any part of our life after we are out of the nurse's arms.—Sir Richard Steele.

Optimistic Thought.
Feelings come and go like light troops following the victory of the present, but principles, like troops of the line, are undisturbed and stand fast.

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