

# THE PLYMOUTH MAIL.

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## Local Correspondence

### SALEM.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stanley of Plymouth have been spending a few days with their daughter, Mrs. Chas. Brown. Heeney & Boyle shipped two car loads of stock from here this week.

Frank Boyle visited friends on the south town line Sunday.

Married, at the home of the bride's parents, Wednesday evening, Miss Mae Highland and Mr. Ernest Potts.

Miss Winnie Rathburn of Plymouth visited Salem friends over Sunday.

Quite a number from here attended the box social at the home of James Gates in Superior township last Friday evening.

Miss Carrie Fossett is on the sick list this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bussey and children of Detroit visited over Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Bussey.

Mrs. Webster Lane and daughter Irma were Northville visitors Tuesday.

Miss Susie Dean is visiting at Geo. Herrick's.

Mrs. Fred Burnett visited relatives in Plymouth Monday.

Walter Rorabacher made a business trip to Detroit Monday.

Frank Westphal of Detroit has been spending a few days at his farm west of here.

Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Murray visited Wm. Murray's this week.

Chas. Stanbro was in Detroit on business Tuesday.

A. C. Wheeler was in Detroit in the interest of the Detroit Creamery Co. Tuesday.

Miss Vera Geer of Superior township visited Mrs. A. C. Wheeler Friday last.

Mrs. Roy Larkins has a new piano.

Quite a company of friends and neighbors of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Weibers gave them a pleasant surprise last Friday evening.

James Clark was happily surprised in honor of his birthday Tuesday evening, by about 50 friends.

Mrs. Maud Harper visited relatives in Ypsilanti Wednesday.

The Baptist Ladies' Aid society will hold their annual bazaar and supper at the church Friday evening, Dec. 11.

Mrs. A. Taylor, mother of Mrs. Webster Lane of this place, died at the home of her son, Geo. McFarlane of Northville, Friday morning, Nov. 13, of pneumonia after an illness of only a few days. Deceased was 74 years of age. Funeral services held in Northville Sunday. Burial in Oakwood cemetery.

### Watched Fifteen Years.

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### LIVONIA CENTER.

Horace Kingsley's house and wood shed was burned to the cellar's edge last Thursday morning at about 3 o'clock. Nothing was saved, as the fire was under such headway when it was discovered. There was no one at home at the time, and had not been since the morning before.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Peck visited friends in the city a few days of last week.

Mrs. John Beze, Sr., is having her house remodeled into a double affair.

Mrs. O. E. Chilton attended the S. S. convention in Detroit three days of last week and reports a fine time.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lee attended service in Plymouth Sunday.

Dr. Holcomb was called to see Mr. Simon's little child Monday, who is quite sick with pneumonia and Dr. Tupper was called on Tuesday to attend Wm. Coopersmith.

There was quite a large attendance at the social at Rual Lambert's Saturday evening, and a neat little sum was added to the treasury for cemetery work.

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### NEWBURG.

The L. A. S. made seventy dollars at their fair and supper. There are a few good aprons and rag rugs yet on sale, which will be brought to the society dinner in December.

Our aid society is invited to attend a society dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Pitt Everett the first Thursday in December.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Brackenreed are entertaining their daughter and granddaughter this week.

Carrie Ostrander is home from Detroit for a week's visit.

The Newburg store is being filled with groceries this week.

Mrs. Charles Ryder and Mrs. Clark Mackinder were Detroit visitors Wednesday.

### PIKE'S PEAK.

Quite a number from here attended the chicken pie supper at George Hix's of Tonquish last Friday evening.

Mrs. Chas. Wright and daughter Clara visited relatives in Plymouth last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Klatt and daughter Blanche and Hazel, were in Detroit on business last Friday.

John Wolf of Detroit was seen on our streets Tuesday.

Mrs. S. Cummings visited at D. Furlong's last Tuesday.

Thomas Bridge visited his mother Mrs. James Bridge last Sunday.

Charles Beyers' children spent Tuesday at Mr. Badelt's.

Wm. Ward of Tonquish is working for Mrs. Cummings.

### WEST TOWN LINE.

Our young people attended the Martha social last Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Holmes of Canton spent Sunday at Mr. and Mrs. Robert Holmes'.

Grandma Heeney and Tho's. Heeney visited Mr. and Mrs. Robert Holmes Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. Jack were guests of Mrs. Stout and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. O'Bryan Saturday.

The following pupils have been absent on account of illness: Nina Becker, Helen O'Bryan, Evert and Eloise Tiffin.

J. H. McCarthy of Chicago, who has spent his summers on his farm here, died very suddenly last Friday.

### ELM.

Miss Ida Cornell of Detroit called on her parents last Sunday.

Norman Wilson of Ann Arbor was in town several days last week.

John Shotka has been drawn as juror for the December term of the circuit court.

A large crowd attended the sale at Forest Rohde's Monday.

Ira Wilson was at Milford on business last week Friday.

Chas. Hirschlieb was in Detroit on business last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ash, Mr. and Mrs. Will Kort and Chas. Peters of Clarenceville called on Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hirschlieb last Sunday.

### LAPHAM'S CORNERS.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Packard returned from Detroit Saturday evening after a few days' visit with their sons.

Mrs. H. Nelson visited her daughter Mrs. T. G. Howe Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. W. J. Lyke visited Mrs. B. E. Lyke Saturday.

Mrs. Ida Curtis visited her mother Mrs. H. Whittaker Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Lyke visited Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Bovee, Sunday.

The Blues and Grays of the Ladies' Aid Society will hold their chicken pie dinner on Thanksgiving day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Weed. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

### Thanksgiving Services.

For many years there has been a feeble attempt to hold a union religious service on the morning of Thanksgiving Day in the various churches. The service has always been poorly attended, owing largely to the fact that the women have been busy in the morning preparing their Thanksgiving dinner. Last year the union service was held in the evening and the church was filled. This year it will again be an evening service held in the Presbyterian church beginning at seven o'clock. Rev. E. E. Carter will preach. The public is most cordially invited.

D. M. Litch and family spent Sunday at Elm.

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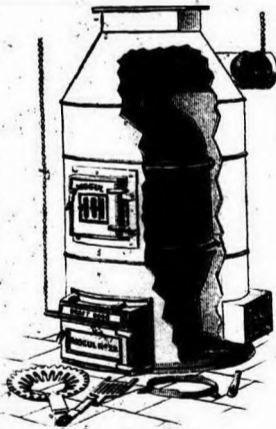
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MICHIGAN HAPPENINGS

MICHIGAN STATE NEWS

What the Harvest Has Done. The harvest of the great wheat-raising states has been well up to the average, and with the high prices, is to return more money to the farmer than in many years.

Benton Harbor.—Fire threatened the destruction of the business district of Benton Harbor and did damage estimated at about \$125,000. The blaze started in the feed store of H. P. Boehm and spread to the four-story Morrill & Horley building.

Saginaw.—Four months of the fresh air treatment by living in a tent at Highland, Mich., failed to arrest the ravages of the white plague in the case of W. J. McBratney, insurance broker, prominent in the city's public school affairs and long president of the board of education.

A Merry Heart. Why do you wear a harassed and troubled look? Are you really in trouble, or are you allowing the little worries of life to grind furrows in your face? Take a glance at yourself in the mirror and reform—that is, reshape your face into the lines of comfort and good cheer which it ought to wear.

Grand Rapids.—The children of Mrs. Cecilia Jane Monseau, as well as the Michigan Trust Company, which has had charge of her estate of \$30,000, are trying to break her will, which leaves the property in the hands of Attorney George C. Brown until the youngest of six children, now only six years old, shall become 21.

Grand Rapids.—A petition for the probating of Daniel McCoy's will was made by his son, Gerald McCoy. In the petition the property is estimated as worth "upwards of \$50,000," of which \$10,000 is in real estate.

An English suffragette leader who is on this side says that American women are more timid than their English sisters in demanding their rights, and urges them to make equal suffrage a burning issue in "a fire of revolt."

Ann Arbor.—Geneva Ladner, five-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Ladner of Belmont, was brought to Dr. D. W. Myers two weeks ago for an operation on her eyes. The child was born with cataracts in both eyes and was almost totally blind.

Port Huron.—While hunting, Earl Morris, son of the proprietor of the Central hotel, was shot in the right thigh. Two of his fingers were also blown off when a gun in the hands of one of the party was accidentally discharged.

Gold, silver and lead mines are, it is said, to be worked extensively in the bleak district of Inishowen, county of Donegal, Ireland, overlooking the Atlantic, and experts have expressed the belief that it is almost impossible to estimate the wealth of the minerals.

Lansing.—Figures compiled by the state labor department show that the total daily wage scale in Lansing during 1908 has averaged \$11,220.12, and the aggregate annual wages for the year \$3,500,677.44.

Port Huron.—Charles Beeler, the Kimball township man who escaped from the Pontiac asylum, gives as his reason for leaving that institution that his farm was badly in need of his care.

Warnings have been issued in Egypt to look out for a bigger flood in the Nile than has appeared for a quarter of a century. When this was written the water had not risen at Khartoum, but nearer the sources of the river the banks were swollen to overflowing.

Hastings.—In the presence of a circus day crowd, Alonzo Cadwallader, attorney, paid an election bet by wheeling Delos Hopkins and H. F. Naylor, Republicans, through the business streets in a wheelbarrow.

Coldwater.—George W. Bowker, resident of Coldwater for 64 years, and civil war veteran, died at his home here, aged 76. He was captain in the Twenty-eighth Michigan infantry.

A lady with a talent for statistics is plaintiff in a lawsuit in Cambridge, Mass. She is suing the proprietor of a manufacturing plant for the loss of her hair, which was caught in the machinery, and she wants \$10,000 damages, which she alleges is "at the rate of one dollar for each hair destroyed."

Grand Rapids.—At a meeting of the vestry of St. Paul's Episcopal church, the resignation of Rev. Charles Donahue as rector was accepted.

Monroe.—Nate Clinton, Charles Williams and Frank Ellsworth were arrested, charged with having plundered the house of Ruth A. Hurd, at Frenchtown.

British suffragettes are posting their bills on monuments and public buildings and the doors of those who are in power. The London police are beginning to think it is impossible to keep a good woman-suffrage movement down.

Ann Arbor.—The divorce proceedings in which Mrs. Alfred Graham asked to be divorced from Dr. Alfred Graham of Detroit came before Judge Kinne, and Mrs. Graham was granted the decree.

Adrian.—Mrs. Catherine Tobey, 82 years old, widow of the late Thomas J. Tobey, and a resident of Lenawee county since 1832, died, suddenly of heart failure.

Ann Arbor.—The University Y. M. C. A. and the Sociology club are collecting money and clothing for the Franklin street social settlement of Detroit.

South Haven.—In a letter to a friend, who was in this city, O. B. Fuller, auditor general-elect, says that Nathan Simpson of Hartford will be the deputy auditor general.

Marshall.—John Sutherland of Eckford township lost his farm home by fire. Most of the furniture was saved. Loss, \$2,000.



BLOODY BATTLE IN OKMULGEE, OKLA.

FOUR MEN ARE MURDERED AND TEN WOUNDED BY NEGRO DESPERADO.

He is Then Slain by Mob—Sheriff and Police Official Among His Victims—Quiet Restored When Governor Prepares to Send Troops.

Okmulgee, Okla., Nov. 16.—Five persons were killed and ten others wounded Sunday afternoon in a fight between Jim Deckard, a negro desperado, and law officers.

Deckard Slays Four. The disturbances began at the St. Louis & San Francisco railroad station where Jim Deckard engaged in a fight with an Indian boy, Steve Grayson, and beat him into insensibility with a rock.

Murderer Himself Killed. Deckard's house was soon surrounded by a frenzied mob of armed men. Fire was set to a house just north of Deckard's house and he was shot down.

Gov. Haskell at Guthrie was notified of the battle and of the bad feeling between whites and negroes that had grown out of it and threatened a race riot. The governor at once ordered the militia company at Muskogee to prepare to go to Okmulgee.

NEW TREATY WITH JAPAN?

Honolulu, Nov. 18.—The Hawaii Shimbun publishes what purports to be a text of a new treaty between Japan and the United States, the official announcement of which, it says, will not be made until next February.

Three Ohio Counties Go Dry. Columbus, O., Nov. 17.—Three Ohio counties voted dry Monday in local option elections. Muskingum and Tuscarawas were both carried by the temperance forces with majorities exceeding 1,000, and Hancock county by 1,900.

EXPERTS IN CIVICS MEET

THREE BODIES IN CONVENTION AT PITTSBURG.

Prominent Men Gather to Discuss Good Laws and Government for American Cities.

Pittsburg, Pa., Nov. 17.—In the presence of a large number of prominent men the fourteenth annual meeting of the National Municipal league, the sixteenth national conference for good city government and the fourth annual meeting of the American Civic association assembled in joint convention in this city Monday.

The program is an important one and many addresses and discussions having for their purpose the adoption of good laws, selection of men of integrity for municipal position, and making American living conditions clean, healthful and attractive will be made before the convention closes Thursday evening with a banquet at the Hotel Schenley.

The first session was formally opened late in the afternoon in the rooms of the Pittsburg chamber of commerce, under whose auspices the convention is being held.

Clinton R. Woodruff of Philadelphia, first vice-president and secretary of the American Civic association, read his annual review. He referred to the municipal and civic developments throughout the country from the viewpoints of the National Municipal league and the American Civic association.

GERMAN EMPEROR YIELDS.

Promises in Future He Will Act Only Through Ministers.

Berlin, Nov. 18.—Warned by the angry tide of popular feeling that swept the empire from end to end, Emperor William Tuesday yielded to the nation and promised henceforth to conform himself to constitutional methods of conducting the policies of Germany.

The climax to the public utterances of the emperor was reached in an interview which he gave to an Englishman and which was published in the London Daily Telegraph on October 28. As the outcome of this the whole country was aroused; the reichstag endorsed the attitude of many of its prominent members when they denounced the sovereign, and Chancellor von Buelow, while he attempted to smooth away the affair, undertook to communicate to his majesty a straightforward and unvarnished statement of how the German people viewed his intervention in affairs of state.

FAMOUS HOTEL BURNED.

Lookout Inn, on Mountain Top, Is Destroyed by Flames.

Chattanooga, Tenn., Nov. 18.—Famous old Lookout inn, on the crest of Lookout mountain, was burned to the ground late Tuesday, together with all its contents. The owners, Messrs. Jung and Shammotalski, stated that a deal had just been consummated for the sale of the inn property, for a consideration of \$135,000 and but for the fire the deal would have been closed Tuesday. There were no casualties.

Cotton Compress Is Burned. Indianola, Miss., Nov. 18.—The plant of the Indianola Cotton Compress & Warehouse Company and several adjoining buildings were destroyed by fire Tuesday. The loss will probably be \$600,000, with a comparatively small amount of insurance.

THE NEWS IN BRIEF.

The pope celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of his joining the priesthood. Denver celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of its founding with a big banquet. C. W. Burton, former cashier of the Tri-City State bank of Madison, Ill., was indicted for embezzlement. Mrs. E. A. Caulfield of St. Louis was instantly killed in Kansas City by falling 12 stories down an elevator shaft. Emile Stricker was killed while driving an automobile in a race at Birmingham, Ala., the tires of his car exploding. Herman Billick of Chicago for the fourth time was sentenced to death, the date of his execution being set at December 11. Secretary of State Root said he would serve as senator from New York if elected, though he was not seeking the office. The Citizens' National bank of Monticello, Ky., closed its doors on account of a shortage of \$20,000 in the cashier's department. The schooner Jennie Thomas of Savannah, Ga., was abandoned at sea, the crew of seven being rescued by the steamer Afghanistan. In a football game at Monmouth, Ill., between Knox college and Monmouth two of the Monmouth players, McKitterick and Richards, were badly hurt. The bodies of Deputy Game Warden Julius Salmonson of Michigan, his brother Martin and Deputy Sheriff J. C. Hazeltine were found in White Lake. The racing balloon United States, which started from Los Angeles crossed the Sierra Madre mountains and then was blown back almost to the starting point. The United States government has sued the American Sugar Refining Company for forfeitures and customs duties amounting to \$3,624,121, alleging fraud in weighing shipments. The demurrer of the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad to the bill of information by Attorney General Malone of Massachusetts, to prevent the New Haven railroad from holding stock of the Boston & Maine railroad, was sustained by Judge Loring. The petition of Albert T. Patrick, the New York lawyer, who is serving a life sentence in the state prison at Sing Sing, N. Y., on the charge of having murdered the millionaire, William M. Rice, for a writ of habeas corpus was denied by the supreme court of the United States.

GUNNESS LETTERS READ.

"Murder Farm" Missives Speak of "That Crazy Lamphere."

Laporte, Ind., Nov. 17.—Prosecutor Smith played another trump card Monday when, with A. K. Helgelein of Aberdeen, S. D., on the stand, he offered in evidence and read to the jury copies of three letters written by Mrs. Belle Guinness to him during March and April, this year, in which references to "that crazy Lamphere" are made. These letters portray the methods employed by the arch-murderess in allying the suspicions of the relatives of persons she had murdered. Even with Andrew Helgelein lying dismembered in her private burying ground, she was asking his brother to come to Laporte to investigate and bring plenty of money with him. "That she had designs on his life, too, is confidently believed by that man.

Laporte, Ind., Nov. 18.—That Ray Lamphere made numerous threats against Mrs. Belle Guinness was conclusively shown by a number of the state's witnesses Tuesday, and through them also Prosecutor Smith was able to bring out quite clearly the fact that a strong motive existed for the defendant to annoy Mrs. Guinness, and that this annoyance terminated on the morning of April 28 in Lamphere's setting fire to the house. The love affairs of Mrs. Guinness and Lamphere were also told in an interesting manner by William Slaten.

THE MARKETS.

Table with market prices for various commodities including LIVE STOCK, FLOUR, WHEAT, CORN, EGGS, and CATTLE. Columns list item names and prices per unit.

# Peck's Bad Boy in Airship

BY HON. GEORGE W. PECK

## PREPARES TO INVADE AFRICA

Fa has had the hardest time of his life in Paris, and if I ever pried a man it was Pa.

You see, that last fly in the airship pretty near caused him to cash in his chips, and go over the long road to the hereafter, 'cause he got blood poison from the thorns that run into him where he landed in the top limbs of the thornapple tree, and he sprained his arm and one hind leg while being taken down with a derick, and then before we left the country town for Paris he drank some goat's milk, which gave him ptomaine poison in his inside works, and a peasant woman who sewed up his pants where they were torn on the tree pricked him with a needle, and he swelled up so he was unable to sit in a car seat, and his face was scratched by the thorns of the tree and there were blotches all over him, so when we got to Paris the health officers thought he had smallpox and sent him to a pest house, and they wouldn't let him in, but vaccinated me and turned me loose, and I went to the hotel and told about where Pa was, and all about it, and they put our baggage in a sort of oven filled with sulphur and disinfected it, and stole some of it, and they made me sleep in a dog kennel, and for weeks I had to keep out of sight, until Pa was discharged from the hospital, and the friends of Pa out at the airship club in the country got Pa's airship that he bought for a government out of the tree and took it to the club and presented a bill for \$200, and I only had \$7, so they held it for ransom.

Gee, but I worried about Pa! Well, one day Pa showed up at the hotel looking like he had been in a railroad wreck, and he was so thin his clothes had to be pinned up with safety pins, and he had spent all his money, and was busted.

The man who hired Pa in Washing-

ton had got me in," says Pa, as we went to our room.

"What in thunder did I have to do about it?" says I; just like that. "I wasn't with you when you framed up this job and let a man in Washington skin you out of your money by giving you a soft snap which has exploded in your hands. Gee, Pa, what you need is a maid or a valet, or something that will hold on to your wad." Pa said he didn't need anybody to act as a guardian to him, 'cause he had all the money he needed in his letter of credit to the American Express Company in Paris, and he knew how to spend his money freely, but he did hate to be hounded and made the laughing stock of two continents.

So Pa and I went down to the Express office, and Pa gave the man in charge a paper and the grand halling sign of distress, and he handed out bags of gold and bales of bills, and Pa hid a lot in his leather belt and put some in his pockets, and said: "Come, on, Henry, and we will see this town, and buy it if we like it."

Well, we went out after dark and took in the concert halls and things, and Pa drank wine and I drank nothing but ginger ale, and women who waited on us patted his old bald head, and tried to feel his pockets, but Pa held on to their wrists and told them to keep away, and I thought Pa was real saucy.

A head waiter whispered to me and wanted to know what ailed the old sport, and I told him Pa was bitten by a wolf in our circus last year, and we feared he was going to have hydrophobia, and always when these spells come on the only thing to do was to throw him into a tank of water, and I should be obliged to them if they would take Pa and duck him in the fountain in the center of the cafe, and save his life.

Pa was making up with the girl he

take something and then go to his hotel.

When Pa paid the check for the drinks they charged in two ducks they said Pa killed in the tank by falling on them. But Pa paid it and was so tickled to meet the old circus boys that he gave the girl he went in swimming with a 20-franc note, and after staying until along towards morning we all got into and on top of a back and went to the hotel and sat up till daylight, talking things over.

We found the circus boys were on the way to Germany to go with the Hagenbach outfit to South Africa to capture wild animals for circuses, and



Pa's Face Was Scratched, So They Sent Him to the Pest House.

when Pa told the boss, who was one of the Hagenbach's managers, about his airship and what a dandy thing it would be to sail around where the lions and tigers live in the jungle, and laso them, from up in the air, out of danger, he engaged Pa and me to go along, and I guess we will know all about Africa pretty soon.

The next day we went out to the club where Pa keeps his airship, with the boss of the Hagenbach's outfit and a cowboy that used to be with Pa's circus, to practice lassoing things. They got out the machine and Pa steered it, and the boss and I were passengers, and the cowboy was on the railing in front with his lariat rope, and we sailed along about 50 feet high over the farms, until we saw a big goat. The cowboy motioned for Pa to steer towards the goat, and when we got near enough the cowboy threw the rope over the goat's horns and tightened it up, and Mr. Goat came right along with us, bleating and fighting. We led the goat about half a mile over some fences, and finally came down to the ground to examine our catch, and we landed all right, and Hagenbach's boss said it was the greatest scheme that ever was for catching wild animals, and he doubled Pa's salary, and said we would pack up the next day and go to the Hagenbach farm in Germany and take a steamer for South Africa in a week.

They were talking it over, and the cowboy had released the goat, when that animal made a charge with his head on our party. He struck Pa below the belt, butted the boss in the trousers until he laid down and begged for mercy, stabbed the cowboy with his horns, and then made a hop, skip and jump for the gas bag, burst a hole in it, and when the gas began to escape the goat's horns got caught in the gas bag and the goat died from the effects of the gas, and we were all glad until about 50 peasant women came across the fields with agricultural implements, and were going to kill us all.

Pa said: "Well, what do you know about that?" but the women were fierce and wanted blood. The boss could talk French and he offered to give them the goat to settle it, but they said it was their goat anyway, and they wanted blood or damages.

Pa said it was easier to give damages than blood, and just as they were going to cut up the gas bag the boss settled with them for about \$20, and hired them to haul the airship to the nearest station, and we shipped it to Berlin, and got ready to follow the next day.

Pa says we will have a high old time in Africa. He says he wants to ride up to a lion's den in his airship and dare the fercest lion to come out and fight, and that he wouldn't like any better fun than to ride over a royal Bengal tiger in the jungle, and reach down and grab his tail and make him snarl like a tom cat on a fence in the alley.

He talks about riding down a herd of elephants, and picking out the biggest ones and roping them; and the way Pa is going to scare rhinoceroses and hippopotamuses and make them bleat like calves is a wonder.

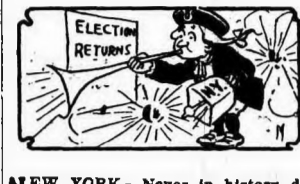
I think Pa is the bravest man I ever saw, when he tells it, but I noticed when he had that goat by the horns and he was caught in a barbed wire fence, so the airship had to slow down until he came loose, Pa turned as pale as a sheet, and when the goat backed him in the stomach Pa's lips moved as though he was praying. Well, anyway, this trip to Africa to catch wild animals is going to show what kind of a rascal there is in all of us.

Men Predominate. Ellis Island statistics show that nine male immigrants are landed in New York city to four females.

## TALK OF NEW YORK

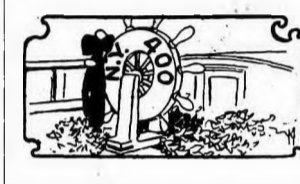
Gossip of People and Events Told in Interesting Manner.

### Election Night a Wild One on Broadway



NEW YORK.—Never in history did Broadway, center of New York's celebrating crowds, hold such a mass of people as slowly moved up and down its sidewalks from early evening on election night until dawn the next day. Between the flatirons, from Madison square to Longacre square, the walks and the street itself were filled with a densely packed election throng. The police, who lined the curbs, worked the crowd into some sort of order. Those bound uptown were herded on the east side of the street, while the west side was reserved for those going in the opposite direction.

### No New Ruler of Gotham Society Likely



In social circles there is much discussion these days of the question of Mrs. Astor's successor as society's leader. Among the names mentioned are Mrs. Stuyvesant Fish, Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt, Mrs. Clarence Mackay and Mrs. Ogden Goelet. All of these matrons are leaders of their special coteries, and have taken prominent parts in social affairs here and abroad. There is a prevailing belief, however, that the "400" of old has ceased to exist as a unit, and that it will henceforth be in many divisions, with leaders for each.

### Heavy Exodus Makes Flat Rents Fall



RENTS of flats are falling. People did not rush back from their summer vacations to crowd into dingy homes as usual. Vacant flats are seen everywhere in the old centers. Prices are down ten per cent. in many sections. Owners held their rentals firm this fall. Although their vacancies during the summer had been larger than in any other year, they thought that the rush back to town would fill their houses.

### Portrait Painter Sues Rich Woman



GEORGE BURROUGHS TORREY, the American portrait painter, whose portrait of President Roosevelt has become famous, has brought suit against Mrs. John H. Hanan, the beautiful society woman of New York and Narragansett Pier, for \$4,000, alleging breach of contract.

The carnival spirit was high. Men and women laughed when enormous tin horns were blown in their ears, when they were showered with confetti, when "ticklers" were thrust into their faces, and even when hats were broken and plumes were torn off.

The greatest crowds gathered in front of the uptown newspaper offices, where bulletins of the election were flashed on gigantic screens. If there was any noise-making device that was not present on the street it was because enterprising fakery failed to know it.

Thousands of people visited the theaters, in practically all of which election returns, most of them invented for the occasion, were read between and during acts. When the performances were over the theater attendants joined the crowds on the sidewalks.

her. It is true her influence was very marked at all times, but she did not participate actively in affairs, and marked changes have occurred since her reign ceased to be absolute. "Society is no longer a unit. When it was dominated by Mrs. Astor there was perfect unanimity and harmony. Now it is divided into many cliques, and I do not believe any one person will ever succeed in bringing these together again."

Mrs. Astor came by birth of old Knickerbocker stock. Before her marriage to the late William Astor, second son of William B. Astor, and grandson of the original John Jacob Astor, she was Caroline Schermerhorn. Her family name was among those honored in the old New York and the original Schermerhorn homestead was in the borough of Brooklyn. It was in 1853 that Caroline Webster Schermerhorn and William Astor were married. The bridegroom was 23. He died in 1893.

Mrs. Astor's townhouse at 824 Fifth avenue, has long been one of the more notable of the avenue's objects of interest to the sightseer visiting New York, and seeking out the abodes of the social mighty as feasts for the eyes. Her establishment, Beechwood, at Newport, has ever been the place of magnificent entertainments.

### UPWARD START

After Changing from Coffee to Postum.

### SOME REMARKS FROM MINNESOTA EDITORS.

What They Think of Western Canada.

A party of editors from a number of cities and towns of Minnesota, recently made a tour of Western Canada, and having returned to their homes they are now telling in their respective newspapers of what they saw on their Canadian trip. The West St. Paul Times recalls the excursion to the Minnesota editors from Winnipeg to the Pacific Coast ten years ago. Referring to what has happened in the interval the writer says: "Thousands of miles of new railway lines have been built, and the development of the country has made marvellous strides. Millions of acres, then lying in their wild and untouched state, have since been transferred into grain fields. Towns have sprung up as if by the wand of a magician, and their development is now in full progress. It is a revelation, a record of conquest by settlement that is remarkable."

The Hutchinson Leader characterizes Western Canada as "a great country undeveloped. The summer outing," it says, "was an eye-opener to every member of the party, even those who were on the excursion through Western Canada ten years ago, over considerable of the territory covered this year, being amazed at the progress and advancement made in that short space of time. The time will come when Western Canada will be the bread-basket of the world. It was a delightful outing through a great country of wonderful possibilities and resources."

Since the visit of these editors the Government has revised its land regulations and it is now possible to secure 160 acres of wheat land at \$3.00 an acre in addition to the 160 acres that may be homesteaded.

The crops of 1908 have been splendid, and reports from the various districts show good yields, which at present prices will give excellent profits to the farmers.

From Milestone, Saskatchewan, there are reported yields of thirty bushels of spring wheat to the acre, while the average is about 20 bushels. The quality of grain to be shipped from this point will be about 600,000 bushels. Information regarding free lands and transportation will be freely given by the Canadian Government Agents.

### A HINT TO GOLFERS.



The Visitor—What on earth does that chap carry that phonograph round for. Is he dotty?

The Member—No! But he's dumb. So he has that talking machine to give instructions to his caddie or to make a few well chosen remarks in case he fumbles his drive or does anything else annoying.

Like a Dream. A bubble of air in the blood, a drop of water in the brain, and a man is out of gear, his machine falls to pieces, his thought vanishes, the world disappears from him like a dream at morning. On what a spider-thread is hung our individual existence. Fragility, appearance, nothingness. If it were not for our powers of self-deception and forgetfulness, all the fairy world which surrounds us and brands us would seem to us but a broken specter in the darkness—an empty appearance, a fleeting hallucination. Appeared—disappeared—there is the whole history of a man, or of a world, or of an infusoria.—Amiel.



After Pa Had Been Ducked in the Fountain They Charged for Two Ducks He Killed by Falling on Them.

ton to go abroad and buy airships for the government told Pa to use his own money for a month or two and then draw on the secretary of the treasury for all he needed, so before Pa went to the hospital he drew on his government for \$10,000, and when he came back there was a letter for him from the American consul in Paris telling him to call at the office, so Pa went there and they arrested him on the charge of skull digging. They said he had no right to draw for any money on the government at Washington. Pa showed his papers with the big seal on, and the consul laughed in Pa's face, and Pa was hat under the collar and wanted to fight, but they showed him that the papers he had were no good, and that he had been buncoed by some chit in Washington who got \$500 from Pa for securing him a job as government agent, and all his papers authorized him to do was to travel at his own expense, and to buy all the airships he wanted to with his own money, and Pa had a fit. All the money he had spent was a dead loss, and all he had to show for it was a punctured airship, which he was afraid to ride in.

Pa swore at the government, at the consul, and at the man who buncoed him, and they released him from arrest, when he promised that he would not pose any more as a government agent, and we went back to the hotel.

had paddled with the silver tray, buying champagne for her and drinking some of it himself out of her slipper, when the head waiter called half a dozen Frenchmen who were doing police duty, and told them to duck Pa in the fountain, and they grabbed him by the collar and the pants and made him walk turkey towards the fountain, and he held on to the girl, and the Frenchmen threw Pa and the girl into the brink with a flock of ducks, and they went under water, and Pa came up first yelling murder, and then the girl came up hanging to Pa's neck, and she gave a French yell of agony, and Pa gave the grand halling sign of distress, and yelled to know if there was not an American present that would protect an American citizen from the hands of a Paris mob. The crowd gathered around the circular fountain basin and one drunken fellow jumped in the water and was going to hold Pa's head under water while the girl found his money, when Pa yelled "Hey, Rube," the way they do in a circus when there is a fight, and by ginger it wasn't a second before half a dozen old circus men that used belong to the circus when Pa was manager in the states made a rush for the fountain, knocked the Frenchmen galley west, and pulled Pa out of the water and let him drain off, and they said: "Hello, old man, how did you happen to let them drown you?" and Pa saw who the boys were and he hugged them, and invited them to all

**PLYMOUTH MAIL**

BY  
**F. W. SAMSEN.**

**ADVERTISING RATES.**

Business Cards, \$5.00 per year.  
Resolutions of Respect, \$1.00  
Cards of Thanks, 25c.  
All local notices will be charged for at 5 cents per line or fraction thereof, for each insertion. Display advertising rates made known on application. Where no time is specified, all notices and advertisements will be inserted until ordered discontinued.

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One Year ..... \$1.50  
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FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 20, 1908.

\$1 Wheat? Why It's \$1.06 1-2.

Detroit Free Press:—Wheat in Detroit reached \$1.06 1-2 yesterday. It was not a mere speculative marking up of figures, representing only the price one broker must pay another for something neither had ever seen or would ever have. This was cash wheat. The rate of 1.06 1-2 was the price that was ready to be paid down on the nail to the farmer who carted into town his load of grain. The real money went into the farmer's pocket, an assurance to him of prosperity in the most tangible form.

Michigan is not as great a wheat state as it was at one time. In place of the 35,000,000 bushels of former years we raise something like 15,000,000 or 18,000,000 bushels now. But with increasing competition the Michigan farmer has grown in wisdom. He has learned the signs of the market. He has held his wheat this year and now is in a position to profit by his shrewdness. The price has gone up and up until the smaller crop will yield vastly more net profit per bushel than in the years past.

It is the day of the farmer.

**U. S. Senatorial Candidates.**

Free Press: Now that the campaign of 1908 is over and done for, all but the shouting and distributing the jobs, the Republicans of Detroit are beginning to fuss, or at least to talk, about the campaign of 1910, particularly with reference to the election of a United States senator to succeed Julius Caesar Burrows, of Kalamazoo. A good many people may have forgotten that the last legislature amended the law to provide that each political party shall nominate its candidate for senator at the state primary, the same as its candidate for governor and lieutenant-governor, so that unless the law is again changed at the coming session the electorate of the whole state will have a chance to vote of senator September 1, 1910, and the legislature of 1911 will merely ratify the choice of the people, according to the party that happens to be in power at the time.

The politicians take it for granted that there will be at least four men in the race—Burrows for re-election, Gov. Fred M. Warner with all the power of the state machine that he used to secure his own election for a third term as governor; Charles E. Townsend, of Jackson, who was a candidate the last time when William Alden Smith ran away with the plum, and Truman H. Newberry, who, in spite of his denials and statements that he wants to see Burrows and Smith kept in the senate as long as they live, is persistently credited, in the talk that floats around political circles, with being actively at work setting up pins in preparation for making the run.

**Married in Ypsilanti.**

Arma Cady and Miss Marie Clark were married at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Clark, 502 Congress St., Ypsilanti, Wednesday night, only the immediate friends of the families being present. Miss Clark is a popular young lady of Ypsilanti and Mr. Cady has many friends here, being a graduate of the P. H. S., '03, and also in Ypsilanti. After a short wedding trip they will make their home in Ypsilanti, where Mr. Cady is employed as chief dispatcher on the D. J. & C. R. R.

**CHURCH NEWS.**

**CHRISTIAN SCIENTIST.**

Next Sunday morning at First Church of Christ, Scientist, 10:00 A. M. Subject, "Soul and Body." Sunday-school for children 11:00 A. M. Wednesday evening testimonial service, 7 P. M. Every one is welcome. There will be a Thanksgiving service in the Christian Science church at 10:10 Thursday morning Nov. 26.

**UNIVERSALIST**

Rev. F. W. Miller, Pastor. The usual service next Sunday at 10:00 A. M. The sermon will be by the pastor upon the subject, "Human (Divine) Interests versus Interests." Sunday school at 11:15 A. M. A Y. P. C. U. devotional service will be held at 7:00. This service will be appropriate to Thanksgiving. Mrs. Miller, leader. Every one cordially invited to all these services.

**BAPTIST.**

Rev. C. T. Jack, Pastor. Services as follows for next Lord's day: Morning worship 10:30. Theme of morning sermon, "Devoted Attachment to the Church." Sunday-school 11:45. B. Y. P. U., 6:00. Leader, Mrs. Bartlett. Topic, "Gratitude and How to Express It." Evening service 7:00. Sermon by the pastor. Mid-week service Wednesday night 7:30. This will be a Thanksgiving prayer service. Union Thanksgiving service in the Presbyterian Church Thursday evening 7:00; sermon by Rev. Caster. Theme for Sunday evening sermon, "Not a Christian? Why not?" A welcome to all services.

**METHODIST.**

Rev. E. King, Pastor. Regular services will be held next Sunday. Morning service at 10 o'clock. Preaching by the pastor. Sunday-school at 11:30. Epworth League at 6 p. m. Evening service at 7 p. m. The pastor will preach. Arrangement has been made to purchase a hundred new hymnals with the latest and best hymns to be used in the evening service. With the aid of a young ladies' chorus, this will be an interesting feature of the evening service. The books will be used commencing the first Sunday in December.

**PRESBYTERIAN.**

Rev. H. W. Ronald, Pastor. Sunday, Nov. 22, Foreign Missions Day, 10:00. Morning Worship. Special sermon by the pastor on a Thanksgiving Foreign Missions theme. At the close of the sermon the annual thank offering for foreign missions will be received. The session has "set the mark" for the offering at \$150. 11:15. Sunday-school. 6:00, Young People's Meeting. 7:00. Evening praise service. Preaching by the pastor on "All His Benefits." Union Thanksgiving service at seven o'clock in the evening of Thanksgiving Day in this church. Preaching by Rev. E. E. Caster. You are most cordially invited to these services.

Mrs. Carrie Critten and daughter Edwina, of Petaluma, Cal., and Mrs. Elsie May of Kellogg, Cal., visited at A. R. and J. W. Cady's this week.

Wayne Review:—It is reported there is but little water in the wells of Wayne. In some parts of the village they seem about dry. What Wayne must have is water works. This is the next proposition for our citizens to take in hand.

The Plymouth Lumber & Coal Co., successors to the Mich. Mfg. & Lumber Co., have an advertisement elsewhere. The new company say they will carry a general assortment of the best lumber at all times and invite the patronage of the citizens of Plymouth and vicinity. Chas. Mather is the manager of the new concern.

**Mind Your Business!**

If you don't nobody will. It is your business to keep out of all the trouble you can and you can and will keep out of liver and bowel trouble if you take Dr. King's New Life Pills. They keep biliousness, malaria and jaundice out of your system. 25c. at The Wolverine Drug Co. and John L. Gale drug stores.

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THAT FILL OUR STORE

First, we want to talk to you about our Line of

**DRESSGOODS**

Our immense line of new Fall and Winter Dress Goods offers a far better selection of styles than ever before. Instead of limiting our stock to just a few grades, we aim to supply the wants of everybody with equal satisfaction. **Pure Worsted Serges**, 36 inches wide, one of the finest and most practical fabrics for Street Suits and separate Skirts, in black, red, brown, royal and navy blue. Our price 50c.

**Mercerized Sateen Linings**, no trouble to match material for Suits or Coats.

**Satin Coat Linings**, yard wide, guaranteed for two years. \$1.25.

**Kimona Flannels**, a timely bargain for women who intend making up Kimonas and Dressing Sacques.

**Our Fall and Winter Line of Skirts**

Has just arrived. If we cannot fit you in a ready made Skirt, we will sell you the material. You pick out your pattern and for only \$2.50 additional you can have a Skirt made to your measure and guaranteed to fit.



See our line of Mercerized Sateen, Heatherbloom and Silk

**PETTICOATS,**

Short Knit Wool and Cotton Petticoats.



**Bath Robes Ready-to-Wear and Bath Robe Blankets**

Blanket time—See the bargains in Blankets and Comfortables—low priced, but good. We especially call your attention to our home-made Comfortables, \$2.75 and \$3.00, large size. Also our Down Comfortables—\$6.00 and \$8.00.



Price \$3.

ADJUSTO for Stout Women

**The Royal Worcester Corsets**  
The Season's Best Models.

The season's best gowns demand a lithe, slender figure, with a rounded waist and sloping hips. To produce these results and that your gown may be just right, rests with the Corset.

**ADJUSTO CORSETS**

are strongly made and are universally worn by women of stout figure, who invariably praise the supporting features of this obesity garment. **Adjusto** Corsets bring comfort, decrease the hip size and transform large women into graceful subjects for the dressmaker. Try them.



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**WAISTS**

Net Waists in white ecru and black. Lined with silk, beautifully trimmed with fine lace.

Silk Waists, in Plaids, Checks and Plain Colors.

Wool Waists, in colors. Make your selections early, as there is nothing more stylish and dressy, whether for afternoon or evening functions.

We have something fine in Satin Party Waists



**We handle the Mason Gloves and Mittens**

Ladies' Gauntlet Gloves, Tan, Black and Gray, \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.00.  
Ladies' Mocha Gloves, lined and unlined, in colors, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50.  
Ladies' and Children's Mittens and Golf Gloves.  
Gloves and Mittens for Men and Boys.

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Our line is complete in woolen and cotton for Ladies', Gents' and Children

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**CALUMET Baking Powder**

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World's Pure Food Exposition Chicago, November, 1907

What does this mean?

It means that Calumet has set a new Standard in Baking Powder—the standard of the World. Because this award was given to Calumet after thorough tests and experiments, over all other baking powder.

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And this means that Calumet produces the light, most delicious, lightest, and purest baking of all baking powder.

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## Where Shall I Buy My Winter Cloak?



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The answer is easy. Buy it where the latest and most tasty style effects are to be found; where the most graceful fitting garments are to be had; where the prices are the fairest. That means at E. L. RIGGS' STORE.

We sell and make a feature of garments "Tailored in the Workshop of Worth" because they combine wool fabrics with perfect tailoring and perfect fit. We make the prices so as to complete the satisfaction of our customers.

When you see the beautiful cloak models we offer at \$7.50, \$10, \$12 and \$15, you will agree that they are the best cloaks that can be made at these prices; better than \$7.50, \$10, \$12 or \$15 ever bought before.

The range of choice is temptingly varied; every model has the double sanction of the Workshop of Worth; your personal preference is bound to be a correct choice.

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## Great Bell Furnace

This furnace solves the heating problem for all kinds of small and medium sized houses. A Furnace constructed for durability and efficiency, economical in fuel and installation.

We have up-to-date installed over

30 BELL FURNACES THIS FALL

**\$75.00** puts one in your home complete, ready for fire.

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Makes a Reply.

In reply to the item in last week's paper concerning the young people going out of town for their dances, I will say: When a stranger comes up here to a dance, the majority of the club members hold themselves aloof from him and consequently the stranger gets acquainted the best way he can. If you go out of town to a dance they have a reception committee and they see that you get acquainted and have a good time.

WILL HETZLER.

## Local News

Miss Mabel Childs spent Sunday in Ann Arbor.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Burch spent Sunday at Union Lake.

Eugene Rooke spent a few days this week at Portage Lake.

Miss Viva Willis spent Saturday and Sunday in South Lyon.

Mrs. E. King is spending several days in Detroit this week.

Warren Kendrick of Milwaukee visited at J. R. Rauch's Friday.

Mrs. Arthur Briggs of Detroit visited at F. J. Burrows this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Warner of Denver, Col., is spending the week at Asa Joy's.

Luther Passage is caring for P. E. White of Northville, who is very seriously ill.

Mrs. Fred Reiman attended the funeral of her sister-in-law in Ypsilanti Wednesday.

H. G. Ryan of Detroit, employed by the Bell Telephone Co., is in town a few days this week.

Congressman Charles E. Townsend's total majority over J. C. Henderson, of Ann Arbor, was 8,857.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred George have returned from Clare, where they went on a hunting expedition.

P. W. Voorhies and wife spent Sunday in Ann Arbor, Mrs. Voorhies remaining over a few days.

Robert Birch, Isaac Tillotson and Warren Smart leave Monday on an extended trip to Alabama.

Rev. E. E. Caster has moved into his new house and Supt. Isbell will occupy the one vacated by Mr. Caster.

Mrs. J. A. Safford, who has been visiting here for several months, returned to her home in Traverse City this week.

Congressman S. W. Smith's total majority is now figured at 10,586, which is over 2,300 more than he received two years ago.

Mrs. Maude Maxfield Boyd of North Adams spent Sunday with Mrs. W. T. Pettigill. Mrs. Boyd was formerly a Plymouth girl.

Mrs. Harrison and her milliners gave a supper in the former's store Monday evening, which was partaken of by a few friends, who greatly enjoyed the bounteous repast.

M. F. Gray, formerly of this village, who ran for representative in the Lansing district, received the handsome plurality of 1,207 votes. M. F. appears to be getting to the front politically in the capitol city.

Our correspondents will please bear in mind that next week Thursday is a legal holiday and that The Mail force desires to observe it with the rest of the citizens. Send in all communications not later than Wednesday noon.

Chas. Armstrong was drawn to serve as juror for the December term of the circuit court. George H. Sittlington, John Weist, Frank Hubbard and Wilson Long of Canton and John Shotka of Livonia are also on the jury panel.

Petitions are being circulated in Livingston and Washtenaw counties to submit the question of local option at the spring election, and the indications are said to be very favorable to bringing both counties into the "dry" column.

The Universalist ladies held an all day's meeting at the home of Mrs. Joel Bradner Wednesday. A picnic dinner and the promotion of the coming fair brought out a good attendance resulting in an enjoyable time all around.

The Carey-Moran Granite Co. have an advertisement elsewhere this week. This is the firm that has bought the old Yoxen yards and will continue the business in an improved manner. Mr. E. J. Moran will be the manager of the Plymouth branch, the company also having yards at Manchester.

"It looks just now like a good fat turkey and not a very high price for it," says the Free Press of Wednesday morning. "Turkeys go up and dealers say they'll cost 20c per pound," is the way the News put it. You can take your choice. But if you can't afford the turkey you can buy a chicken at 12½c.

In mentioning the names of Plymouth pupils of Frank Stephens, who took part in a musicale at the Detroit Conservatory of Music last week, The Mail unintentionally omitted the name of Hazel Smitherman. The program consisted of eight numbers and the participants received some flattering commendations on their cleverness in manipulating the ivories.

The best date the Chicago Lyceum Bureau could give the Plymouth Citizens' Lecture Course for "Bill Bone," was May 3 or 4. The executive committee considered this date to be too late in the season and availed themselves of the opportunity of getting a better and higher-priced attraction—the Beilbarz Entertainers. This company will come here March 9th. More particulars will be given later. But remember the date.



PHONE US YOUR ORDERS—FREE DELIVERY.

Additional local on eighth page.

Mrs. Fred Burnett of Salem was in town Monday.

Howard Brown is visiting his brother in Flint today.

Mrs. James Woodworth of Salem was in town Wednesday.

O. F. Beyer attended his brother's wedding in Detroit Tuesday.

Mrs. John Bentley and Clyde of Elm were in town yesterday.

Miss Meda Wheeler of Detroit visited Miss Mary Conner last Thursday.

Miss Alice Crufts of St. Thomas, Ont., is visiting her sister, Mrs. E. King.

Mrs. E. King entertains the teachers of the Plymouth school at her home tonight.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Tighe and children of Detroit are visiting Mrs. Geo. Starkweather.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. VanWermer of Toledo visited Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Beyer Wednesday.

Mrs. Henry Smitherman of Detroit visited Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Smitherman and family Sunday.

Mrs. Frank Beals and Mrs. Frank Shattuck visited Mrs. W. O. Stovall in Detroit Saturday.

A new telephone directory by the Wayne Co. Telephone Co., will be out the first of the week.

Claude Burgess of Detroit and John Kennedy of Northfield, Minn., were at W. O. Allen's Tuesday.

Arthur Phillips, a pharmacist, of Northville is clerking in Pinckney's store during Mr. Pinckney's sickness.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Rattenbury and Mr. and Mrs. Silas Sly and family attended the funeral of Harris Ewing in Ypsilanti yesterday.

There will be services in the German church Sunday afternoon at 2:30, local time. A meeting of the L. A. S. will be held immediately after the services.

Mrs. Larkins, Mr. and Mrs. Withee and two sons and John Sage of Detroit and Geo. Sage from California visited at Henry Sage's Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. J. Rattenbury, Mr. Harry and Miss Josie Rattenbury and Mrs. A. Austin of Livonia spent Wednesday with the former's daughter, Mrs. H. Austin.

J. R. Rauch & Son have a most conspicuous advertisement this week. Their store is crowded full of fine, seasonable goods of every description and the prices are much lower than you can obtain in the city. They have on their shelves and counters a handsome line of ladies' waists and ready to wear goods and invite the ladies to come and inspect them.

**Wants, For Sale, To Rent, etc.**

5c. per Line, One Insertion.

FOR SALE—New seven room house, with cellar and cistern, on Ann Arbor street. Call or address Mrs. FLOBA PROCTOR.

FOR RENT—Large, fine office room, best location, above J. R. Rauch & Sons store. Key at store. 5t

FOR SALE—Dressed geese for Thanksgiving. Chas. Miller.

FOR SALE—Nice coal stove. Enquire Mrs. E. KINNEY.

FOR SALE—Hard wood, \$2.50 per cord. N. C. MILLER.

FOR SALE—New milch cow with calf by her side. At H. VAN VOORHIES

FOR SALE—Well bred male colt 5 months old. C. E. Mitchell, 2½ miles east of Plymouth on car line.

Dressed Poultry for Sale.

W. C. Pfeiffer will deliver to all who may order, choice dressed poultry of all kinds at current market prices. You can get just what you want. Order by phone—No. 174.

If you really want to find out how many men want work, get elected to some public office.

Our Motto--THE BEST FOR THE LEAST.

## THANKSGIVING DINNER

BILL OF FARE

Size up your Turkey and give your order accordingly

Celery	Lettuce	Hubbard Squash
Catawba Grapes	Malaga Grapes	Sweet Oranges
Lemons	Raisins	Currants
Sweet Potatoes.	Bananas	Figs
Olives, plain or stuffed	Oysters in can or bulk	Pickles, sweet, sour and mixed
Maraschino Cherries	French Mushrooms	English, Brazil, Almond and Mixed Nuts
McLaren's, Swiss, Canadian, Limberger and N. Y. Cream Cheese	Candies—the best—prices as low as the lowest	Kar-a-Van Tea (last but not least)
		Kar-a-Van Coffee

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## GALE'S.

WE HAVE TAKEN PAINS TO BUY

## Fresh Goods for Thanksgiving Dinners

All goods of the best quality and will be sold as cheap as possible, such as Raisins, Currants, Citron, Orange and Lemon Peel, English Walnuts, Brazil Nuts, Mixed Nuts, Salted Peanuts, Oranges, Lemons, Malaga Grapes, Catawba Grapes, Dates, Figs, Bananas, Sweet Potatoes, Celery, Apples, Cranberries, White Honey, etc. Fresh stock of Candy.

For Lamps, go to Gale's.  
For 100-piece Dinner Sets go to Gale's.  
For Postal Cards go to Gale's.

### JOHN L. GALE



We have Everything

In the line of Staple and Fancy Groceries which you will need for Thanksgiving, or to set an appetizing and satisfactory meal at any time. The assortment is especially good as are also the delicacies. Of course you know our prices are always lower than can be found elsewhere for equal quality.

B. & P. Coffee, 25c New Compradore Tea, 50c

Oysters and Cranberries  
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But he'll adorn a plate When we shall celebrate Thanksgiving day.

## A TURKEYLESS THANKSGIVING

The Story of the Three Birds That Were Three Times Won and Lost.

WHEN the railroad builders invaded the great northwest, not seeking a passage to the Pacific coast but rather anticipating the development of an agricultural empire which must have arteries of steel, they were quickly followed by the same class of hardy settlers that had moved westward since the early days. Through the generations that movement has proceeded, slowly at first but ever increasing in speed and volume. Over the Alleghenies, among the woodland and meadow stretches of Ohio and Indiana, across the prairies of Illinois and Iowa, through the Wisconsin and Minnesota forests to the valleys of Dakota and on to Puget sound. The descendants of New Englanders have always been noticeable in the advancing tide of home makers and fortune-builders along those parallels of latitude.

Thanksgiving day as an annual November celebration marked by family reunions and feasting is one of the good things that have persisted among transplanted New England customs. It is now a national event, most generally honored. And the distinguishing feature of this feast-day is the tragedy of that royal fowl, the turkey. A Thanksgiving day without turkey is a church service without lesson, music, or benediction. There are makeshift collations, of course, that pass for dinners with those not to the manner born, but the sons of the sons of New England realize their hollowness. Not one of these but would rather go through trials by fire and water rather than endure the absence of that glorious head-piece from the Thanksgiving board.

In the first years of the '80's two great rival railroad companies were hastening to secure for themselves in eastern Dakota the rich fields of a traffic yet to come into being. Both had entered the wonderfully fertile James river valley from the east, and as one turned its line northward from Huron the other turned southward from Aberdeen, and the near approach of winter and the close of active operations found the two competing construction camps only a few miles apart. With the advance of the railroads or a little preceding them had come settlers upon the government domain, and though farmers and wheat-raisers were in the van, such nomadic and adventurous spirits as land agents and townsie boomers, traders and newspaper men could be discovered even more easily. Early in November work upon the railroad lines halted, and the builders retired to await the opening of spring. At the terminus of each road a little settlement had sprung up, less than a half-dozen structures marking the site of what was hoped to be and already was heralded as the metropolis of the valley.

Upon such a situation steadily but surely crept the Thursday which the president of the United States had chosen as the annual day of thanksgiving, and at the distance of only one short week the fact suddenly dawned upon the clustered intelligence of these two Dakota towns that there was not a turkey in the great Jim valley north of Sioux Falls, and that 80 miles of wind-swept prairie lay between a more hopeful field of possible supply at Watertown, near the Minnesota boundary. There is material for a volume of adventure in the account of the two rival expeditions dispatched simultaneously yet with all secrecy on a journey of a hundred and sixty miles for fowls to furnish forth a Thanksgiving dinner, but this story must omit the details. One party returned hilariously successful with the three turkeys that eloquence, strategy and money combined were able to procure in Watertown; the other, downcast, dejected, and pessimistic, came back empty-handed.

To emphasize their victory the successful town announced a prize turkey shoot (at which all but Redfield marksmen were barred), a turkey dinner at the hotel, and a grand ball in the rail-



All Three Fell Before His Trusty Rifle.

car in spite of his verbal and static protests, and the turkeys were handed over to the hotel proprietor and his cook to be prepared for the grand public dinner.

The short winter day came to an end and darkness fell upon the plain, hardly whitened by the snow that had melted as fast as it had fallen. Suddenly there was great excitement and confusion at the hotel. Nothing was to be found of the cook or of the turkeys which had been roasting for hours in the oven of the hotel range. The chef had been bribed in advance by a wily Ashtonian, and with the first shades of night he had stolen away, figuratively and literally, with the turkeys already done to a turn.

At Ashton all went merrily. The oyster supper began decorously, but when plates bearing small but indubitably genuine slices of turkey, and generous helpings of dressing flanked by quivering masses of crimson cranberry jelly, were swiftly passed down the long table, a wild, exultant shout went up that lifted the roof of the frail hotel structure and shattered the silence of a Dakota night outside.

Among the unspeakable crimes of the great west that are still shrouded in mystery is the bribing of the hotel cook. The briber possibly still lives in luxury, with his secret all his own; in some kitchen far away may still preside the chef who accepted his corrupting fund.

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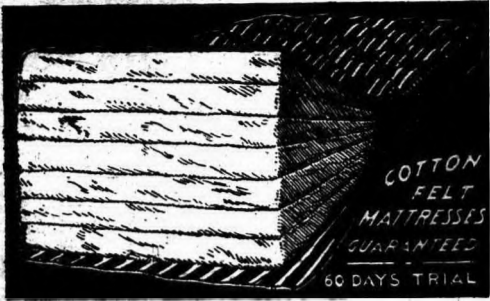
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### SCHOOL NOTES.

Miss Huffman's pupils are making imitation glazed vases.  
Miss Cole attended a family reunion at her home last Friday.  
The third grade are making Thanksgiving Booklets this week.  
High School visitors this week were Marguerite Hough and Nina Stuart.  
The Sophomore's books on "Ivanhoe" have come and they are preparing to "dig in."  
The seventh grade are making some very fine specimens of enlarged maps of Europe.  
Mr. Nutt, an agent of the American Book Publishing Co., visited school on business Wednesday.  
The Sophomore party at Helen Smith's was postponed until later because of a negative conveyance.  
Pearl Micol received a letter from Miss Haner stating that she would be in Plymouth Friday after Thanksgiving.  
Now, upon entering the Supt.'s office, one will have the pleasure of seeing a fine picture of School Commissioner Yost, which was presented to the school this week.  
Teacher, in the geography class: "Willie, what did I say the equator was?" Willie, who had not been listening attentively: "A menagerie lion running around the earth."  
A High School girl when supplying for a grade teacher was told by one of the little girls that the teacher was reading the Corn-Hill Stories to them. She failed to find any book by that title but finally discovered it to be the Colonial Stories.

Three months, we have had our Freshmen with us never realizing their value, until the other day in American History Class we heard about Washington marching with 2000 Continental and 4000 "Freshmen" toward Yorktown.  
The following pupils from the second grade have not been absent or tardy this month: Mildred Bennett, Curtis Jordine, Ruth Bradley, Lois Ehnis, Albert Fisher, Elsie Gayde, Donald Grow, Raymond Koss, Bernice Lane, Mary Peterhaus, Irving Ray, Carl Sage, Harold Schreyer, Hazel Spinks, Flora Stewart, Vella Truesdell, Gertrude Walker, Arthur Walker, Vena Willett, Marie Powell.

### Passed Away at Old Age.

Mrs. A. D. Mosher, mother of Mrs. Elmer Toncray, died at the home of the latter last Friday. The funeral occurred Monday forenoon, the remains being taken to Milford for burial. Rev. E. Kiug conducted services both here and at Milford.  
Charlotte Geising was born in Tompkins Co., New York, 1826. About 61 years ago she was united in marriage to Ambrose D. Mosher. Seven children were born to them, two are dead. In 1868, she came to Michigan and lived in the township of Southfield for a short time, moving from there to Milford, where she resided until the death of her husband in 1899. Since then she has made her home with her children. In her younger days she united with the Christian church. She was a kind mother and faithful friend, always speaking well of neighbors and friends.

### Thanksgiving Foot Ball Game.

The "Bulldogs" and the "Bloodhounds" will have a battle royal at Athletic Park next Thursday afternoon at 2:30. No one need be alarmed however, as the "animals" won't bite. It's only a football "scrap" and the so-styled teams will be composed of members of the alumni and high school. It will be a good place to go and "work off" your Thanksgiving dinner, and at the same time see a real sporty game. Both teams have had lots of foot ball experience and are able to put up a great game. Turn out and see it. Admission—ladies 15c, gents 20c, children 10c.

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