

## PERTAINING TO PEOPLE

**Brief Mention of Culverites and Visitors in Town.**

### PEOPLE WHO COME AND GO

**Gathered From Many Sources for Readers of The Citizen.**

S. C. Shilling spent Sunday in "Logan."

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Wolford are visiting in Chicago.

Forbes, the Plymouth seed man, was in town Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas Stahl attended the Bourbon fair last week.

Mail Carrier Ezra Hawkins was a passenger to Chicago Tuesday.

C. D. Beyler of Bremen visited his sister, Mrs. Rev. F. B. Walmer last week.

Rev. F. E. Zechiel of Fostoria, O., is visiting relatives in Culver and vicinity.

Dr. J. A. Stevens of Teegarden was the guest of Sam Rugg Monday and Tuesday.

J. H. Koontz, Jake Saine and Col. Fleet were passengers to Chicago Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. James Shearer and Miss Olive Osborn were at the Bourbon fair last week.

H. G. Shilling of Knox came over on Friday to spend Saturday with his brother, S. C. Shilling.

Mrs. Ferrier, who has been down with typhoid for two weeks, is making progress toward recovery.

Ray Smith, who is attending commercial college at South Bend, was at home over Saturday and Sunday.

A. N. Leland and family and Mrs. Jessie Ritter and daughter Grace of Argos spent Sunday with L. C. Wiseman and family.

Joseph Busart, who has been spending the summer in Culver in the employ of Judge Winfield, left Tuesday for Logansport to spend the winter.

Frank E. Milner, wife and little daughter Olga of Plymouth, visited at the home of Rev. F. B. Walmer over Sunday. Mrs. Milner is a sister of Mrs. Walmer.

Rev. D. A. Kaley, pastor of the Evangelical church at Royal Center, was in town last week visiting his brother-in-law Fred Cook and the Zechiels who are also relatives.

Rev. F. B. Walmer and family have been spending the week in Bremen. Mr. Walmer was recalled Wednesday to officiate at the funeral of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Easterday's child.

Mrs. Kate Edwards and Mrs. Sue Hickman are preparing to leave Culver, much to the regret of a host of friends. They will make their home either in South Bend or Chicago.

Mrs. Anna Butler of South Bend was in town all last week in attendance upon her mother, Mrs. Aaron Jones, who has been dangerously ill with typhoid fever but is now better.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Lenon returned from Fort Wayne on Wednesday and departed for Camden on Friday. Mr. Lenon was obliged to cut short his vacation by the press of office duties at the depot and came back Monday. Mrs. Lenon remained in Camden, but expects to be at home the latter part of the week.

Culver sent a good-sized bunch of fans to the ball game in Chicago, namely: Alex Dinamore, John Mitchell, Joe Bozarth, Elmer Collier, Clyde Spencer, C. Hayes, I. G. Fisher, James Powers, John and Levi Osborn. Only five of the above saw the game; the other five were among the 25,000 for whom there was no room. It reminded Fisher of the parable of the ten virgins, five of whom were wise and five were foolish.

## CHURCH NEWS.

**Items Pertaining to the Work of the Local Organizations.**

The next meeting of All Saints' guild will be held with Mrs. Edward Church.

There will be preaching in the M. E. church next Sunday morning and evening by the pastor.

The quarterly conference of the M. E. church will be held Saturday afternoon at 2:30. Presiding Elder Carnick will be present to conduct the business program.

Prof. Hahn preached an excellent sermon on Sunday morning in filling the regular appointment of Rev. S. E. Klopfenstein who was in attendance upon the synod at Goshen.

Saturday evening preaching at the Evangelical church at Rutland; Sunday morning at South Germany; Sunday evening at Culver by the pastor, Rev. F. B. Walmer; Sunday school in Culver at 10 a. m., Y. P. A. at 6:30 p. m. A cordial invitation to all to attend these services.

### The School Building.

Good progress has been made during the past week, and it is expected that the bricklayers will finish their work by Saturday night. One of the pleasing features of the building is the foundation which is constructed of boulders laid in courses. Hardly two stones are alike in color, and they vary through every gradation of tint from dark brown and black and pink to crystalline quartz. Some are a soft green, some a delicate pink, others are speckled in gray-and-white, brown-and-white and black-and-white like granite, while others are crimson or gray with crimson streaks running through them. The masons have apparently taken some pains in placing the stones with reference to harmonious contrasts, an effort well worth the while. It is amazing to see how expert the masons are in splitting boulders into exactly the shape desired. Nothing but hammers are used for this purpose, and it requires an exact knowledge of the run of the grain in the stone to enable them to do this.

### Goes to Pen.

Fred Rettinger was taken to Michigan City on Monday to commence his life sentence. The judge asked him if he had anything to say before sentence was pronounced. He replied briefly and intelligently to the effect that the court had had a fair trial, but that if the jury were to try the case again he believed they would take a modified view and return a verdict of manslaughter, giving more weight to the testimony which showed his frame of mind as the result of the persecutions of his victim Bates.

### Dr. Rea's Well.

After a persistent attempt to obtain flowing water on the lower corner of his lot Dr. Rea met with disappointment. The well was drilled to a depth of 150 feet when a magnetic rock was struck which required the use of dynamite. The charge shattered the end of the pipe and stopped further operations. But for this mishap the doctor would have had the work continued until the effort proved successful or hopeless. Within a block of this well E. A. Poor struck flowing water at 35 feet. This makes the failure more aggravating.

### Nearly Completed.

The plasterers will just about finish their work on the new church Saturday night. When the doors are hung, the furnace pipes put up, the lights hung, and the pews located the church will be ready for use.

For Sale Cheap if taken at once—One new handy farm wagon, one secondhand 3-inch tire wagon at Culver Cash Hdw. Co.

## NEWS FROM ACADEMY

The forty members of the first class met on Friday to elect officers for their last year in the academy. The following were elected to fill the various positions: President, A. C. Moore; vice president, G. W. Fuks; secretary and treasurer, A. R. Betts.

Following the election the class took steps to secure the much-desired first class privileges. These privileges are in the nature of exemptions from some of the permit requirements of other cadets, and certain other liberties such as burning lights after taps, going to Palmer House at tattoo (9 p. m.) and visiting the library during study hours. A paper incorporating all these was drawn up and after being signed by each member of the class was presented to the commandant. The class is now awaiting the official approval of their petition, hoping, as every class before them has hoped, that its provisions will be granted in full.

The first dress parade of the year was held Monday the 8th. This was in preparation for receiving Gov. Hanly on Tuesday. On account of the close schedule which he was making on his campaigning tour, however, the governor was unable to pay the expected visit.

Dr. W. P. Kinnecutt of Cleveland, O., was the speaker at the morning services last Sunday. Dr. Kinnecutt is a physician, but he is interested in young men and the various lines of work being done in their behalf. It was through the auspices of the Y. M. C. A. that he came to Culver to address the cadets. His theme was "Service," and he held out to his audience the obligation resting upon those who had great advantages to share the benefits with their less fortunate brothers.

The first issue of the Vedette for the current year is now in press. A. R. Betts of Cincinnati, as the only member of last year's staff to

## ANOTHER IMPROVEMENT

The Hessels have purchased the double store building now occupied by their general merchandise store, together with the 30-foot lot on the south, and 70x90 feet on the other side of the alley in the rear of the property. It is their intention to remodel the store, putting in a new front, removing the dividing wall between the two rooms and otherwise making a modern store. Plans have already been prepared and it is expected to get at the work next week. The business section will be conspicuously improved by this change and the Hessels will provide themselves with quarters which their growing business demands. The Citizen congratulates the firm on its enterprise and prosperity.

### A Sad Affliction.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Easterday of Michigan City lost their first and only child, a nine-months old boy, last Monday night. The little one was the victim of pneumonia and had been sick but three days. The body was brought here Tuesday, accompanied by the parents, Miss Ella Zimmerman and Willie Easterday. The funeral was held at the Evangelical church yesterday afternoon.

Miss Edna Peoples entertained the following guests Tuesday evening: Misses Emma Peoples and Golda Thompson; Philip McLane and Harry Hissong.

Ladies' and children's coats at great reduction Friday and Saturday at Porter & Co.'s.

return to school, occupies the chair of editor-in-chief. Cadets Moore, McCarthy C., Watkins, Kendrick and Sanford have so far won positions on the staff.

Preparations for winter are progressing rapidly. The past week has seen the cutters put away, and the bathing pier taken down. Owing to lack of room in the boat house for fourteen cutters four of them have been stored in the little school house north of the grounds.

Haskins played the star game for Culver last Saturday, and his drop kick of goal from field was one of the neatest plays ever seen on the local grounds. He had to show his brother on the visiting team some of the things he knew about the game.

The following parents spent Sunday with their sons at the academy: Mr. and Mrs. Simon Hamberg, Chicago; J. S. Sullivan, St. Louis; A. E. Havens, Chicago; Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Ellis, Vinton, Ill.; C. R. Coleman, Wayne, Ill.

Captain and Mrs. Greiner had as dinner guests on Wednesday evening Captain and Mrs. Glascock and daughter, and on Thursday evening Captain and Mrs. Hunt, Major and Mrs. Gignilliat and Captain and Mrs. Towae.

Clyde Hunter '05 was one of the most enthusiastic rooters at the game on Saturday. He is now in the lumber business with his father at LaSalle, Ill.

Cadet Carstein has been made cadet manager of the football team and in that role plays host to all the visiting teams.

Captain and Mrs. Rarig entertained Captain Greiner and family at dinner on Friday evening.

Mrs. Hunt and Mrs. S. J. Fleet were guests of Miss Foreman and her aunt for luncheon on Tuesday.

## HONORED VISITORS

Hon. B. F. Shively was the guest of the academy yesterday, taking dinner in the mess hall with the boys and staff. At 2:30 he spoke to the cadets, and a dress parade was formed in his honor.

Today Congressman Brick will also be a guest of honor at the academy. He is expected to arrive at 11:52, dine at the institution, address the school at 2:30 and review the military demonstration to be given as a mark of respect for one who has done so much for Culver.

Mr. Bryan will stop in Culver ten minutes on Wednesday at 1:10 o'clock. He will doubtless give a brief talk from his car. His son, William Jennings Bryan Jr., who is a cadet at the academy, will join him here and accompany him to Plymouth.

Vice-President Fairbanks, Senator Beveridge, Congressman Tom Watson and John L. Griffiths, U. S. consul to Liverpool, will follow Mr. Bryan's itinerary. This will bring them through Culver a day or two later.

### Another New House.

Mrs. L. F. Stahl, living southwest of town, is building a house in the west part of town, back of Henry Zechiel's. Her son Albert is doing the work.

A good heavy 15-cent misses' and children's hose for 10 cents at Porter & Co.'s.

For Sale—A sow and eight pigs. Enquire of A. L. Warner.

## AUTUMN LEAVES.

**Though Not Yet Nipped by Frost They are Drooping.**

All around the lake the trees are beginning to show changes of color in the dull tints which are flecking the green. The ripeness of the foliage is due this year to the late season instead of to the frost which usually comes to hasten their decay about the 15th of September. For this reason it is predicted that the lake shore will not present the brilliant coloring that usually marks the month of October, but that the leaves will dry and wither into a dead brown. Some of the trees in town, particularly along cement walks, are shedding their leaves. This is notably the case with the big hard maple which grows in the center of the walk on Main street near the postoffice. All summer it has afforded a dense shade, but now the sun filters through the half denuded branches, and the leaves which remain are a golden yellow. This tree, by the way, is said to be the finest in town. Its shape is perfect and it measures five feet in circumference three feet above the walk. No one knows how old it is, though the rings about its trunk indicate at least fifty years. It is believed to be a native and one of the large number that grew all over this part of the town in the early days.

### Township Nominations.

At the Union township democratic convention on Saturday the following nominations were made: Justices—Hugh Clifton of Hibbard, Geo. W. Voreis of Culver; constables—Thomas Garver of Burr Oak, Eli Spencer of Culver; advisory board—James M. South of Maxinkuckee, Geo. M. Osborn of Burr Oak, Geo. Bozarth of Culver.

The republicans met in convention at 3 p. m. and nominated the following ticket: Justices—Arthur Morris, Geo. Peoples Jr.; constables—Geo. South, John Cromley; advisory board—Samuel Crossland, Frank Behmer, Benj. Curtis.

### W. C. T. U. Program.

Oct. 21, 3 p. m., M. E. church. Subject, Scientific Temperance in the Public School. Leader, Rose Moss.

Song.  
Scripture lesson  
Prayer.  
Song—Children's chorus.  
Roll Call—Scripture responses.  
Recitation—Grace Hawk.  
Song and chorus.  
Paper—Scientific Temperance in the Public School, Miss Butler.  
Discussion.  
Indiana's Scientific Temperance Law, Miss Stahl.  
Song—Children's chorus.

### Supreme Court Will Decide.

The question of which set of candidates shall appear on the republican ballot has been submitted to the supreme court which has consented to take up the case at once and has ordered both parties to file their briefs by the middle of next week in order that an opinion may be issued forthwith.

### Brick in Culver.

Hon. A. L. Brick will speak in Culver this (Thursday) evening at 7:30. If the weather is pleasant the speaking will be in the open air; otherwise in the assembly auditorium.

Lost—Between Culver and Maxinkuckee landing, a dark blue golf cape, plaid lining. Finder please leave at Citizen office.

MRS. W. H. SNYDER.

For Sale—At private sale, beginning Saturday, Oct. 20, our entire stock of household furniture.

MRS. KATE EDWARDS.

You will find the largest and most complete line of goods at Porter & Co.'s, and best of all at the right prices.

Wanted—A girl or middle-aged woman for general housework, apply the Lakeside hotel.

## LOCAL LIFE PORTRAYED

**Brief Glimpses of Doings in and About Culver.**

### AS SEEN BY CITIZEN ITEMIZER

**News that will Interest All the Newspaper's Readers.**

—The snowfall in Culver last Wednesday was 7½ inches in Plymouth 16 inches.

—Dr. Parker reports the birth of a girl on Oct. 12 to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Norris.

—Charley Hayes' house has been repainted a rich red with white trimmings.

—The Culver football team will play their first game with the Bremen boys at that place Sunday.

—The old calaboose has been bought by W. L. Warner who will remove it to his home lot and use it as a wood shed.

—Wm. Osborn and Mrs. A. N. Bogardus have had a Plymouth firm putting up monuments on their lots this week.

—"I have never seen eggs so high at this time of the year," said a grocer the other day when he named 21 cents as the retail price.

—Never carry a dollar very long in your pocket. It accumulates microbes that may result in giving you a serious illness. Bring it here.

—The Vandalia pay car came in Monday, and on the same day the officers of the road passed through on a special on their annual tour of inspection.

—The Plymouth Telephone company has completed a line to Twin Lake. Good. Now if Mr. Reeve will kindly put his Culver line into decent condition there will be further cause for commendation.

—An effort is being made to institute a course of five lectures and entertainments this winter at the small cost of \$1 per ticket. The town needs something of this kind and the soliciting committee should receive the help of everyone able to subscribe for tickets.

—Ferrier's delivery horse, hauling a jag of lumber, took fright at an automobile the other day near Clarence Behmer's new house, and ran away. Clemens, the driver, was thrown off the load, and the horse ran out to Dillon's where Mr. Dillon caught it. No damage was done.

### The Waterworks.

The town board at its meeting Monday night authorized the issue of \$4,000 of 5 per cent waterworks bonds, in series of \$400. The first is due in 1916 and one each year following, the whole covering a period of 20 years.

McFarland is at work on the well which is now down 45 feet. It is possible that the machinery will be here next week.

### Nature Humps Herself.

In addition to Ferrier's squash, Romig's gourd and Frye's apple the Citizen this week exhibits a Red Globe onion which weighs 1¼ pounds, grown by E. Queer on the Harry farm, two ears of corn raised by Philip Sickman, and a Rural New Yorker potato weighing 2 pounds and 6 ounces and measuring 2½x10½ inches in circumference, grown by B. D. Krouse.

Found—A lap robe. Owner can have it by proving property and paying for this notice. Wm. Foss & Son.

Full line of shoes now in. Remember we stand back of them. If you want style and wear buy of Porter & Co.

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John Bunyan's Cottage. The cottage in which, according to tradition, John Bunyan was born, at Elstow, is reported to be much dilapidated, and a writer to a London paper suggests that it be purchased by the nation and preserved.

Wrangling the Rich. Miss Correll makes David Helmsley, the millionaire hero of "The Treasure of Heaven," say amid many other opinions of which he is made the mouthpiece: "We who are richer than what are called the rich, do infinite wrong to our kind by tolerating so much needless waste and senseless extravagance."

Tastes in Cigars. The public taste for cigars varies in different localities and countries, and in all the large factories cigars are conditioned to suit the demands of the country to which they are to be sent.

An Ohio farmer claims to have a hen that lays eggs with the date on them. That might be a good sort of hen for a farmer, but if city people knew when the eggs they eat were laid they would quit eating eggs.

Recent floods in several provinces of Mexico caused the loss of 123 lives. Dr. Max Hempel, a well-known German educator, died in St. Louis from cancer of the stomach, aged 43.

Miss Jessie Dicker, of Napoleon, O., took poison and died. Orson Brooks has been arrested and charged with murder for buying the poison for her.

Baron Moncheur, the Belgian minister, called on the isthmian canal commission at Washington and obtained copies of the proposed canal contract for the use of Belgian contractors.

COTTON IS DAMAGED BY FROST Oklahoma and Indian Territory Report Yield of Half Bale Per Acre. Guthrie, Okla., Oct. 12.—Advisers from important cotton sections of Oklahoma and Indian Territory are to the effect that the crop was materially damaged by the frost.

Wounded Editor Dies. Warsaw, Russian Poland, Oct. 11.—John Gademski, editor of the Gazeta Polska, who was shot by bandits, died Wednesday morning.

THE MARKETS. New York, Oct. 12. LIVE STOCK—Steers, Hogs, Sheep, Poultry, Eggs, etc. CHICAGO. CATTLE—Choice Steers, Common to Good Steers, Yearlings, etc. MILWAUKEE. GRAIN—Wheat, No. 1 Northern, December, etc. KANSAS CITY. ST. LOUIS. OMAHA.



REJECTED SUITOR MURDERS TEACHER

TRAGEDY ENACTED IN SCHOOL ROOM AT CLEVELAND BEFORE BOYS AND GIRLS. Fourth Cousin Bent on Marrying Comely Woman Meets Refusal with Bullets from Pistol and Later Commits Suicide.

Cleveland, O., Oct. 11.—While sixty school children were looking on, Harry Smith, aged 25, son of a Warrensville farmer, Wednesday shot and killed Miss Mary Shepard, a teacher, 22 years old, and, after eluding a posse which planned to lynch him, killed himself.

Smith walked about the house, refused to reply to the questions of his parents and sisters, and, going to the rear of the place, drew a revolver and sent a bullet through his brain.

Three weeks ago Smith went to Miss Shepard, though she endeavored to avoid him, protested against her treatment of him and begged her to give him another chance.

A few days later friends of the school teacher told her they had heard stories that young Smith was despondent and that it was reported he intended to do some desperate act.

Smith brooded over his unhappiness. His parents found him sullen, gloomy and discontented. He refused to discuss with them his trouble and grew angry when they quietly asked him about it.

GOLD WAVE EAST AND SOUTH

BREAKS ALL RECORDS FOR SEASON IN MANY PLACES. Telegraph and Telephone Wires Are Down and Communication is Generally Interfered with.

Washington, Oct. 12.—A cold wave swept over the east and south Thursday and broke all records for this season in many sections, but at night the weather bureau announced that while the temperature would rise "only slightly" Friday, there will be warmer weather Saturday, and by Sunday seasonable temperatures will again prevail east and south.

In many places it is already getting warmer. Down along the Blue Ridge mountains, in Virginia, was the coldest of the country, and at Mount Weather, the government observing station in the mountains, 60 miles southwest from here, the mercury was down to freezing, while four below zero was scored at Elkins, W. Va.

Buffalo, N. Y., Oct. 12.—Fourteen inches of snow has fallen in this city since Wednesday afternoon, when the worst October storm in the history of the city began.

Havana, Oct. 12.—An immense crowd of liberals, mostly negroes, from all parts of Havana and its suburbs, met Brig. Gen. Arenceles and other returning ex-rebel chiefs at the terminus of the Western railroad Thursday evening and escorted them across the city to the liberal headquarters, where there was a general jollification.

At the intersection of Gallano and San Rafael streets a street car broke knocked down a horse and four men. Some of the paraders at once drew their machetes and attacked the motorman.

Upon arriving at liberal headquarters the rooms were found filled with people. Various addresses were made expressing satisfaction at the results of the revolution and lauding American intervention.

Stamford, Conn., Oct. 10.—Nathaniel R. Hart, a prominent lawyer, was found dead in his office Tuesday, having shot himself sometime during the night. Mr. Hart formerly was assistant United States district attorney, and was about 55 years old.

Do you believe in progress? Do you believe that all the wonderful achievements of the nineteenth century—the railroad, the telegraph, the telephone, electric light, kerosene, sewing machine, agricultural machinery, steamships, trolley cars, etc.—have made life easier and better worth living? I do. I believe that a man who lives 40 years under modern conditions has experienced more life and better life than Methusalem, though he had lived 20 centuries of his time.

The triumphs of the nineteenth century were triumphs of human service—the placing of knowledge and the fruits of knowledge within the reach of the common man. Every man's life is better, happier, more secure because of them. We live more comfortable, more sociable lives in better and more comfortable houses because of them.

A small thing, indeed; yet several hundred large factories, employing thousands of chemists and skilled workmen, are running every day in the year to keep our houses fresh, clean and wholesome.

What He Most Wished For. John Fiske, the American historian, was an ardent lover of music and himself no mean musician.

Condemn Daytime Naps. Prolonged "40 winks" during the day are severely condemned by many doctors on the ground that they affect one's regular sleep.

Loose Teeth. Made Sound by Eating Grape-Nuts. Proper food nourishes every part of the body, because Nature selects the different materials from the food we eat, to build bone, nerve, brain, muscle, teeth, etc.

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STANDARD LOSES POINT IN COURT

EVIDENCE SHOWING RELATIONS OF SUBSIDIARY COMPANIES TO PRESENT CONCERN.

Documents Certified by Secretary of State of New Jersey Permitted to Go to Jury Despite Protest of Attorney for Defendant.

Findlay, O., Oct. 12.—The Standard Oil company had another bad day of it before the United States district court here Thursday. First of all, the court admitted evidence showing that the Standard Oil company of New Jersey was the link that bound together a number of producing companies, and, secondly, the president of the Manhattan Oil company, under assurance of immunity from prosecution, admitted that it only sold oil to the Standard company, that in one field it paid five cents more a barrel for crude oil than in other fields and that the purpose of this was to "meet" competition.

Owned by English Concern. President F. T. Cuthbert, the man given immunity by the court, said that the Manhattan Oil company of Ohio was owned by the General Industrial Development company, limited, of London, England, and that the company, which buys and pipes crude oil, does not compete with the Standard but does compete with independent companies.

Sold to Ohio Company. Explaining the nature of business done by the Manhattan in answer to questions, Mr. Cuthbert said that before he became its president the company did a general oil business, that it owned producing properties, pipe lines and a refinery at Galata, O. It had disposed of all but its pipe line to the Ohio Oil company, but he did not know who was now operating the refinery at Galata.

Standard Loses Fight. The day began with an extended argument by counsel as to the admissibility as evidence of documents certified to by the secretary of state of New Jersey showing the corporate powers of the Standard Oil of that state and the seven annual reports since those powers were increased. The court ruled the evidence in.

FARMERS OPPOSE FREE SEEDS. Urge Congress to Use Money for Agricultural Investigation.

Rock Island, Ill., Oct. 12.—Free distribution of seeds by congressmen was frowned upon in a resolution adopted by the Farmers' National congress Thursday. It recommended that money thus spent be devoted to investigating agricultural methods in foreign lands and introducing them here through agricultural schools.

"BIG ED" WALSH DEFEATS CUBS. American League Pitcher Strikes Out Twelve Chicago National Batemen.

Chicago, Oct. 12.—"Big Ed" Walsh pitched a great game for the Chicago American league team, allowing but two hits and striking out 12 men. Pfister also did good work, holding the White Sox well in hand in every inning but the sixth, when he filled the bases by breaking Hahn's nose with a pitched ball.

Fresh Boxer Troubles. Victoria, B. C., Oct. 11.—Fresh outbreaks of Boxers are reported in north China in districts west of Peking, according to mail advices received here.

Lavender Creighton's Lovers By OLIVIA B. STROHM

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CHAPTER XVI.—Continued.

Before Gerald could speak the haughty denial, his companion added: "Then since you did not, Mr. Winslow must have. The old man's blood is on his head. This, and his presence in the forest, for which he could not, probably, give a satisfactory reason—surely all this is condemnation enough? One other love affair, more or less—what does it matter? And you—it would distress your sister to know you were mixed up in this murder—" Gerald winced at the ugly word. "And you would much prefer not to be known in it."

the stab which had laid Winslow low was intended for himself. It was, therefore, a salute to his conscience to think the worst; to give a bad motive, however vague, for the stranger's presence there. Besides, had he not killed Sue's father? The recollection of his sweetheart's grief, quite, for the moment, overbalanced whatever of personal gain there might be to him in the taking-off of this old hunchback, whose murderous intent had nearly cost a life. The deed was done; Jabez was dead, and by Winslow's hand. Steeled by these thoughts, he allowed Gonzaga's sophistry to convince him that silence was best.

And now was the time to press his advantage. These were dark days in Lavender's life. Days when the solitude of the forest seemed deepened by the brooding shadow of death. Night brought no rest to the body, dawn no relief to the mind. She would scarcely leave her mother's bedside, held there by a fancy that the strength of her own will kept the soul in the frail body. She would not give up, even when hope seemed folly.

Gonzaga saw them trembling on her lashes, and following up his advantage: "Perhaps I can help you to help her?" he ventured. "Oh, if you can—if you will, I shall be so glad, so grateful," was her impulsive admission. "May I try?" Before she could reply, they were at the door of the cabin. On the doorstep America sat in silence. Nor did she speak as they approached, only removing, at Lavender's hint, one ebony hand from the door sill where it barred entrance. For the Spaniard, with his dark eyes, olive skin and raven hair, found no favor in her sight.

Richmond.—From poverty to riches will be the case of at least two Indiana heirs who are to participate in the estate of Russell Sage, each receiving \$50,000. One of these heirs is a niece of the great financier, living at Columbus, Ind., who has been living on a pension of \$12 per month. She is Mrs. Emily Chadwick, a widow who long has been in straitened circumstances, and to her the bequest of \$25,000, which later was doubled to avoid litigation, comes more like a dream than reality. It will make her one of the wealthiest women in Columbus. From a farmer of limited means, with credit none too good, Ellzur Sage, of Jasper county, nephew of the dead millionaire, will be able to write his check for liberal sums. He is expecting the arrival of the check this week. For years Ellzur Sage has struggled on a rented farm, taxed to his utmost capacity to raise the sum necessary for rent and to support his family.

Wife No. 1 Not to Be Found. Conviction of Fletcher on Bigamy Charge is Now Doubtful. Jeffersonville.—The absence of the first Mrs. Ralph Fletcher, who was Miss Mattie Harvey, prior to her marriage 27 years ago, may prevent the conviction of Fletcher on the charge of bigamy, but the second Mrs. Fletcher, who was Miss Katie Kirk, of Otisco, this county, and who brought about Fletcher's arrest, is determined that she will be free from the entangling matrimonial alliance and has filed suit in the Clark circuit court to have her marriage annulled on the ground that her husband had at that time, and has still, a legal wife living. Mrs. Mattie Harvey Fletcher was living in Indianapolis at the time of Fletcher's preliminary hearing in the city court and she then came and testified against him. A summons for the Indianapolis wife to appear and testify in the circuit court, next week, has been returned unserved, because she can not be found, and the conviction of Fletcher looks doubtful. Fletcher married his second wife, May 7, 1905, at her home in this county. The acquaintance began the previous fall, when Miss Kirk was traveling to the world's fair, at St. Louis.



HE TOOK HER HAND IN AN ARDENT PRESSURE.

# FISHING FOR BASS

The big-mouth black bass is found in nearly every state in the Union, and the world does not produce a more game fighter for the rod fisherman.

This fish travels under more names than a burglar, being called bass, Oswego bass, black bass, moss bass, green bass, lake bass, big-mouth bass, and in the South, from the Carolinas to Texas, he is even misnamed trout. Its natural habitat is east of the Mississippi river, and from the Gulf of Mexico nearly to Hudson Bay, and from the river to the east coast.

The bass is a prolific breeder and a voracious feeder, and in these two points is his salvation and his usefulness to the fisherman, because he multiplies fast enough to keep up the supply, and is always hungry, consequently a ready biter. His habits in detail are about as follows, in so far as the angler's interest center. He loves clear, quiet water, with little or no current, and requires plenty of vegetation in the water to furnish feeding grounds and hiding places. He lives equally well in the lakes and sluggish rivers, provided the water is not too muddy. The clearer the water, the better he thrives, and he lives better in temperate water than in that which is very cold. Any water that is comfortable to bathe in outdoors is about the right summer temperature for bass at their best.

Their natural food consists of minnows, crawfish, frogs, insect larvae, and the insects themselves, therefore these creatures furnish the proper "live" baits.

One strange trait of bass character is the fact that all of the bass in a given body of water usually feed for the most part on the same thing. Thus one lake will be a "frog lake," meaning, in fisherman's parlance, that in that particular lake the bass feed almost exclusively on frogs—such a lake is usually a shallow one without inlet or outlet, and with tules, cattails, and water lilies growing at least part way round the margin. In such water the proper bait is a frog about four inches long.

Other lakes are "minnow lakes," where the bass feed almost entirely on minnows. This class of bass waters are usually of large size, having streams flowing in and out of them through which other fish travel, and thus furnish food for bass, which stay in the lake all the time. In this case the minnow is the proper bait, though there may be shallow, frog-haunted bays in this same lake where the bass get an abundance of frogs; and there the frog is the proper lure again.

There are other lakes, usually small, deep ones, with rocky or sandy shores without much vegetation, where the caddis fly breeds in abundance. Such a lake is almost invariably a "fly lake," because the bass are living almost exclusively on winged insects and the grubs that live in the water before they hatch and become winged insects.

If you want the best sport in the bass fishing catalogue, find a good "fly" lake and cast your flies on it morning and evening; then you will experience all the thrills that the angler is heir to, for bass fishing with the artificial fly has few equals anywhere.

The bass has one prominent characteristic that no fisherman has ever been able to account for to his own satisfaction. This is the habit of striking at almost anything that is moving and appears to be alive, regardless of what the natural food may be in that particular water.

This habit makes it possible to catch bass with a spoon, an artificial wooden minnow, a "bucktail," a piece of white pork, or in fact, almost any of the hundred and one artificial baits that are made for bass fishing, and which really resemble nothing under the sun.

Now, as to the method of procedure, if you expect to be a successful bass fisherman.

Your outfit should consist of a short, stiff casting rod, which you can buy at any sporting goods store at all the way from one dollar up to as high as you want to go. Next you must have a line and a free-running, multiplying reel so that you can cast from a boat by reeling your bait up to the tip of your pole; then, by a sharp side or overhead cast, you sling your bait away out among the weeds, then reel it back in slowly. This requires a three-foot double-gut leader, and a "weedless" hook, which

all sporting goods houses carry in endless variety. These hooks are protected with thin spring-wire guards that make it impossible to catch the hook point in the weeds and still do not interfere in the least with the bass hooking himself when he strikes. Your line should be one hundred and fifty to two hundred feet of "enameled silk casting line." With such an outfit you can, as soon as you are able to handle it, catch all the bass you can carry in any state in the Union, if you know the fish and its habits well enough.

Early morning and late afternoon and evening is usually the best time to fish for bass, regardless of where you may be. Contrary to the old idea, hot days are better than cool, cloudy ones, because the fish bite as well on hot days and are easier to locate, as they "lay up" on hot days anywhere that there is a cool shadow on their feeding grounds. This being a fact you can easily tell where to cast as your boat glides slowly along, because you can soon spot the thick bunch of weeds that grows just where the fish ought to feed if he follows his natural bent—and he does always.

Perhaps there is an old log half-submerged near some weed patch growing in the water edge. Under that log you will find your fish waiting, and if the end of the log nearest the shore is in from one to four or five feet of water the bass will be on the shady side of that log within two feet of the shore end of it.

If you want to find this out for yourself, just cast your bait so that it will hit that particular spot on a hot, bright afternoon—you will know all about it in ten seconds, more or less, for the bass will make your reel scream as he takes your bait and races away for deep water like a submarine torpedo.

Perhaps the cover is a rock, a thick weed patch, a bunch of floating lily leaves, a pile of sunken brush or treetops; in short, it can be anything that is in from one to four feet of water and furnishes shade and a place to hide, for the bass loves to lie in such places, balancing himself on his fins motionless and waiting for some luckless frog, minnow, or other live thing that is good to eat to come along; then he flashes after it at a speed so great that only the experienced eye can follow him.

Sometimes it happens that the fish will not take any bait unless it is cast within a foot of his nose; but he will take it like a flash then. At other times the same bass will come twenty feet to get it. Again he will strike the instant the bait hits the water, or even jump and take it a second or so before it strikes, or he may pay no attention to the splash that the bait makes when it strikes the water, and then follow along behind the bait for as much as fifty feet while you are reeling in, only to strike it suddenly and race away.

If the strike occurs in shallow water, you should strike back at once with a quick, hard pull that sets the hook through flesh and bone, but do not jerk, because that will usually pull the bait away without hooking the fish.

If the fish strikes in deep water, you should let him run with the bait for fifteen or twenty feet before you strike back. The reason for this difference in the time you strike after your fish bites is found in the fact that a bass in deep water usually takes his time to swallow the bait, in fact usually carries it some distance before attempting to swallow, while in shallow water he is hunting and hungry, therefore he grabs a frog, minnow or other food and swallows it at once. You should make a point of timing your actions to suit his, if you would be successful.

Generally speaking, the bass is a shallow water feeder, cruising along shore in from six inches to six feet of water, looking for frogs, minnows, crawfish, insects, or anything else that looks good to eat.

If the vegetation is thick enough he will come so near the edge of the water that his back will be partly above the surface some of the time, but if the water is clear of vegetation he rarely ventures into less than eighteen inches of water while feeding. You should cast your bait to fit these habits.

When you hook your fish, you should always keep a tight line on him, regardless of where he goes or what he does, for his mouth is big and composed of a lot of bony plates held together with nothing but thin skin, which tears into great holes under the pull of the hook as the fish struggles to get away.

Some bass fisherman say, "Drop your tip when a bass leaps," but personally I never lower my rod to much less than an angle of forty-five degrees, because this gives you considerable bend in the rod, which can be depended on to take up a good bit of slack if the fish

suddenly rushes toward you, and it also keeps a steady strain on the catch so that it helps to wear him out the sooner.

Generally speaking, you should fish from a boat, standing in the stern to do your casting, while some one else rows for you, parallel with the shore and just far enough away all the time so you can cast in easily, thus covering all the water where the fish are likely to be.

It is better for the oarsman to back the boat along, that is push it backward, than to row in the ordinary way, because this puts the fisherman "ahead of the boat" so that he fishes all the time in water that has not been disturbed, whereas he is always just a boat length behind his fishing if he stands in the stern and the boat is rowed forward.

A gentle wind, enough to make small waves on the water, is a better weather condition than a dead calm, for the reason that water that is broken by waves makes it easier to approach your fish without alarming him, because all the shadows are moving everywhere around the fish and he pays no attention to them. The waves usually splash against the weeds more or less, and the fish pays no attention to either the boat, its moving shadow, or the splash of the oars.

On calm days the reverse is true and the bass, naturally wary, sends for cover in the thick weed patches as soon as he sees a moving shadow or notes the splash of oars on the otherwise smooth surface of the water. He does this, not because it is a boat that disturbs him, but because anything that moves across the prevailing calm scheme of water and weeds alarms him—it is something that does not fit at the time, therefore from the fish's point of view to be avoided. At the same time the splash of the bait as it hits the water does not alarm him on a calm day, because fish and frogs jump and splash the water on all kinds of days and he is used to such commotion.

If you are in doubt as to bait, it is usually safe to begin by trying frogs, as they are the really great "stall of life" in bassdom. Remember that whatever bait you use it must be fresh, and at least appear alive, for the bass kills his own food and never feeds on dead food.

When the fish is hooked, keep a stiff line and play him carefully, but steadily, until he is alongside and into the landing net; for more bass are lost by overconfidence in your own ability to "snake" them in over the side after they are apparently done fighting than other wise, because they nearly always have "just one kick" left, and use it if you try to land them without a net—and thus you lose him at the last moment.—Chi. Rec.-Her.

### Our Darling.

Let the accents of mercy go round,  
And follow each last fleeting breath  
Of our darling that lies under ground  
That is wrapped in the mantle of death.

In the space of nineteen months  
and twenty-seven days  
She was spared by the cycle of time  
Then was laid in her coffin and grave  
Near the first of the year sixty one.

Our little Eliza Alvira's fair form  
That was blasted by death's cruel chain  
And the darling we held in our arms,  
A bud that was set for a flower.

How lonesome our dwelling appears  
The doors on their hinges now mourn  
Our place is a valley of tears  
For our loved one will never return.

But why should our thoughts here remain  
And hover around the dark tomb  
When each pleasure is followed by pain  
And each prospect is darkened by gloom.

Our darling is comforted now  
Her robes are out-shining the sun  
With the white-vested elders she bows  
Her converse with god has begun.

How lovely the place where she's gone  
Free from sorrow, temptation and woe  
Where no sickness or slanderous tongue  
Can ever disturb her repose.

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# CONDITION OF CORN ABOVE LAST YEAR'S

REPORT OF DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE SHOWS ADVANCE ON TEN-YEAR AVERAGE.

Ohio and Kentucky lead All States, Wisconsin Being Second and Iowa Third, While Indiana and Texas Form the Rear Guard.

Washington, Oct. 11.—The crop reporting board of the bureau of statistics of the department of agriculture finds, from the reports of the correspondents and agents of the bureau as follows:

The condition of corn on October 1, was 90.1, as compared with 90.2 last month, 89.2 on October 1, 1905, 83.9 at the corresponding date in 1904, and a ten-year average of 79.6.

The following table shows for each of the 25 principal corn states the condition on October 1, 1906, and October 1, 1905, with the ten-year averages:

State	Oct. 1, 1906	Oct. 1, 1905	Ten-year average
Alabama	87	86	85
Arkansas	87	86	85
California	87	86	85
Colorado	87	86	85
Florida	87	86	85
Georgia	87	86	85
Illinois	87	86	85
Indiana	87	86	85
Iowa	87	86	85
Kansas	87	86	85
Kentucky	87	86	85
Michigan	87	86	85
Minnesota	87	86	85
Mississippi	87	86	85
Missouri	87	86	85
Montana	87	86	85
Nebraska	87	86	85
Nevada	87	86	85
New York	87	86	85
North Carolina	87	86	85
North Dakota	87	86	85
Ohio	87	86	85
Oklahoma	87	86	85
Oregon	87	86	85
South Carolina	87	86	85
South Dakota	87	86	85
Texas	87	86	85
Virginia	87	86	85
Washington	87	86	85
West Virginia	87	86	85
Wisconsin	87	86	85
Wyoming	87	86	85

## Spring Wheat Estimates.

The preliminary estimate of the average yield per acre of spring wheat is 13.7 bushels. This and other preliminary estimates of yield made Wednesday are subject to such revision and correction as may be found proper when the final estimates of the bureau are made next December.

The following table shows for each of the five principal spring wheat states the estimated average yield per acre this year and the final estimate of average yield in 1905 and 1904, in bushels:

State	Oct. 1906	Final 1905	Final 1904
Minnesota	19.3	15.2	12.8
North Dakota	18.0	14.0	11.8
South Dakota	12.4	12.7	9.6
Iowa	14.9	13.2	11.4
Washington	19.6	22.2	18.9
United States	13.7	14.7	12.4

The average quality of spring wheat is 88.5, as compared with 89.0 in 1905 and 75. Figures on Oat Crop.

The preliminary returns indicate an oat crop of about \$6.3, 352,000 bushels, or an average of \$1.2 bushels per acre, as compared with 34.0 bushels as finally estimated in 1905, 32.1 bushels in 1904, and a ten-year average of 29.6 bushels.

The following table shows for each of the eleven principal oat states the figures of yield per acre for the last ten years in bushels, with the ten-year averages:

State	Oct. 1906	Final 1905	Ten-year average
Iowa	27.5	25.0	21.9
Illinois	27.5	25.0	21.9
Wisconsin	27.4	26.0	24.7
Minnesota	27.4	27.5	23.3
Nebraska	25.0	21.0	21.0
Indiana	25.0	25.0	21.0
New York	25.0	21.0	21.4
North Dakota	25.0	21.0	21.1
Pennsylvania	25.0	21.0	21.1
Ohio	25.0	21.0	21.1
Michigan	25.0	21.0	21.1
United States	21.2	24.0	21.6

The average for quality is 88.2, against 92.4 in 1905 and 91.4 in 1904.

The preliminary estimate of yield per acre of barley is 18.3 bushels, against 26.8 bushels as finally estimated in 1905, 27.2 bushels in 1904, and a ten-year average of 25.1 bushels. The average for quality is 89.1, against 86.2 last year and 88.7 in 1904.

## Condition of Other Crops.

The preliminary estimate of yield per acre of rye is 17.0 bushels, against 16.5 bushels as finally estimated in 1905, 15.2 bushels in 1904, and a ten-year average of 15.4 bushels. The average for quality is 94.1, against 92.6 last year and 91.6 in 1904.

The average condition of buckwheat on October 1, was 84.9 as compared with 91.2 one month ago, 91.6 on October 1, 1905, 88.7 at the corresponding date in 1904, and a ten-year average of 83.0.

The average condition of tobacco on October 1, was 84.6, as compared with 86.2 one month ago, 85.3 on October 1, 1904, and a five-year average of 80.2.

The average condition of potatoes on October 1, was 82.2, as compared with 85.3 one month ago, 74.3 on October 1, 1905, 89.5 on October 1, 1904, and a ten-year average of 74.7.

## HEAVY SNOWSTORM IN INDIANA

Seven inches of beautiful at Laporte is Doubled at Stillwell.

Laporte, Ind., Oct. 11.—The record in Indiana for early snowstorms was broken Wednesday when, according to the government observer here, six inches of snow fell during the day. At Stillwell, seven miles south of Laporte, the fall was the heaviest in this section, measuring 14 inches on the level. Running of railroad trains and electric cars was affected.

## Terrorists Again at Work.

Kazan, Russia, Oct. 9.—Two bombs were thrown Monday at Vice Gov. Kobeto, but he was only slightly injured. The would-be assassin escaped.

## ROOSEVELT MAY BE SENATOR

PRESIDENT IS SAID TO COVET PLACE HELD BY PLATT.

Ambitious to Enter Upper House of Congress and Stamp His Personality on National Legislation.

Washington, Oct. 9.—Reports that President Roosevelt wants to be senator from New York, to succeed Senator Thomas C. Platt, are revived here. The president, on the authority of men intimate with him, not only desires to be senator from New York after he ends his present term, but frankly admits that ambition. Moreover, he considers the trend of things in New York politics at this time distinctly favorable to his ambition and so do his friends. He is being looked to more and more as the leader of New York Republican politics and is being consulted by State Chairman Woodruff and other leaders almost daily.

That he brought about the nomination of Charles E. Hughes while avoiding appearance of doing so is declared by his closest friends. Mr. Roosevelt's warmest supporters say a New York legislature will be elected pledged to him for the senate and that the president is determined to keep his word not to take a third term, but to get into the senate if possible and there stamp himself on national legislation.

## TO BUILD CANAL BY CONTRACT

Chinese to Be Employed by the Successful Bidders.

Washington, Oct. 9.—It has been finally decided that the Panama canal will be completed by contract. In a few days the commission will make public a statement setting forth its reason for favoring the contract system and at that time a form of contract will also probably be published showing exactly the sort of document believed by the commissioners to be necessary for safeguarding the work. President Roosevelt is known to support the commission in its position that the work can be done more satisfactorily by contractors than by the government.

This change in the building of the canal will in no way affect the employment of Chinese labor. Proposals for furnishing the Chinese labor were made under such conditions that they can be transferred to contractors and the terms can be fulfilled in such a manner that the government can give the coolies just as much protection as it could if the government were the direct employer.

## VENDETTA IN INDIANA REVIVED

Feud Renewed When Young Man Calls on Sweetheart in Rival Town.

Kokomo, Ind., Oct. 9.—The vendetta existing between Oakford and Hemlock, rival villages, eight miles south of here, has broken out afresh.

Late Sunday night Carl Vanderbart, of Oakford, was shot from ambush, receiving a dangerous scalp wound. Vanderbart returned the fire, shooting four times at his assailant. He had been calling on a young woman in Hemlock, and was en route home when shot.

The feud is confined to young men and boys, and when a man of one village calls upon a young woman of the other town it is a signal for bloodshed.

## SEVEN PERSONS HURT IN WRECK

Four Cars on Overland Limited Thrown From Track by Broken Rail.

Topeka, Kan., Oct. 10.—Seven persons were injured seriously and many more slightly in a wreck which occurred at 8:30 o'clock Tuesday night two miles east of Wamego, on the Union Pacific railway. Four cars on the Overland limited, No. 101, west-bound, were thrown from the track by a broken rail and the wreckage is strewn over a distance of a quarter of a mile. The train was late and was running at high speed at the time of the accident. The engine, tender, baggage and mail cars together with the smoker did not leave the track.

## CONSTRUCTS HIS OWN COFFIN

Aged Man Orders Striped Shirt and Overalls for Shroud and Ends Life.

Litchfield, Ill., Oct. 9.—After working diligently four weeks in constructing his own coffin Charles Stout, aged 85 years, a pioneer of this county, committed suicide Monday at his home here by shooting himself.

He left two notes insisting that he be buried in a striped shirt and overalls, and that the funeral expenses be not over five dollars. He left \$300 to his wife.

## Loses Frisco Insurance Suit.

Sau Francisco, Oct. 9.—The Transatlantic Fire Insurance company loses in the first decision to be rendered in the superior courts regarding the liability of companies which have refused a dollar for dollar settlement. The company has not a single excuse in law for repudiating the claims of its policyholders, according to the decision rendered by Judge Carroll Cook.

## Hummel Must Stay in Jail.

Albany, N. Y., Oct. 10.—The court of appeals in a decision handed down Tuesday decided that Attorney Abraham N. Hummel, under conviction for conspiracy in the Morse-Dodge case, was not entitled to be out on bail pending the determination by the court of an application for a certificate of reasonable doubt.

## CONDITION OF IRISH FARMERS.

Modern Methods and Cooperation Are Needed in the Island.

John Dryden, former minister of agriculture for Ontario, has returned from the old country, where he was acting as one of the representatives of the imperial government on the commission appointed to investigate the working of the department of agriculture and technical instruction in Ireland, says the Montreal Family Herald. The commission determined to examine the officials of the department, the heads of agricultural bodies, private individuals and all who could give evidence concerning the working of the department and the methods best calculated to carry out the intention of the statute.

Mr. Dryden expressed himself as being favorably disappointed with the agricultural possibilities of Ireland, and declares that as a paying proposition he would rather have his farm there than in Ontario. "I do not think," said he, "that it would be easy to find a better agricultural district of its size than that found in Ireland, if one deducts two areas, that of the peat bog district, whence is secured the peat which takes the place of much of the coal and timber for fuel, and what is termed the congested district—hardly expressive of the real condition, for it is but sparsely settled. It is situated on the west coast, and is mountainous, rugged and stony—the little patches of tillable soil having to be worked with a spade, as it is impossible to use machinery.

"The balance of the country compares very favorably with any other agricultural district I know of. Some of the grass land is magnificent, and the climate is lacking in extremes. It will, in my judgment, grow almost anything.

"For some years practically no attention has been paid to the organization of the agricultural classes. They have carried on their work as their fathers did before them, a good many of the holdings are small, and as a result the best was never brought out of it."

## Rebuking a Dog.

With the opening of the hunting season the usual crop of stories about dogs and shooting has begun to spring up. This one about the jealousy of an English setter was told the other day to the Observer.

"I had two dogs that season," began the man who told the story, "one about nine years old, the other less than a year. Both were setters, the young one being a pup of the old dog. The first day the law was off I took both the dogs for a try at the birds. The pup, though I had worked him in the field but little, showed that he was going to be a hunter, and from the very first covered his ground and made his points without flushing the birds but once or twice in the whole forenoon. He made such a fine showing that I made a good deal over him that noon, when we rested for lunch, and the old dog was sort of left out of it. I suppose it made him jealous, and that afternoon he wouldn't hunt at all. The pup worked out fairly rangy, but the old dog stayed close to our heels. Finally losing patience with the old fellow, I half turned, and said, pretty much in ordinary tones: 'Don, if I couldn't hunt any better than that I'd go home.' And go home he did, and all that season he never would work when the pup was in the field with him. When the pup wasn't there he was as good a dog as you'd find anywhere, but he was jealous and sord at the young dog."

## Noah's Advantage.

Mrs. Noah was complaining that her clothes looked as if they had come out of the ark.

"On the contrary," returned her spouse, "they have just come across the water."

Herewith he congratulated himself on the cheapness of imported goods.

## Very Aggravating.

Maud—As if it wasn't bad enough to have no men escorts at the beach, the manager made things still more aggravating.

## Mabel—In what way?

Maud—He hired a female orchestra to furnish music for the hotel.

## A Precarious Calling.

"The picture business, I suppose, is a very risky one," remarked the curious observer to the art dealer.

"Not necessarily," replied the latter; "what makes you think so?"

"Oh, I notice that it is always going to the wall," was the reply.

## Used Every Possible Effort.

"Is it a fact that your mother-in-law threw herself out of the third-story window and you did nothing to restrain her?"

"Excuse me, I went to the first story to catch her, but she had already passed."

## When Woman Yields.

A woman may stoically resist temptation at every counter in the store and yet fall a helpless victim to the wiles of the saleswoman in the lingerie department, lured by the beauty of the wares she displays.

## Not Literary.

"That man may seem to you somewhat uneducated, and yet he makes a fine living by his pen."

"Why, I would never take him for a writer."

"He isn't; he raises pigs."

## Small Price for Growsome Relic.

A rope that had been used by the public executioner in the hanging of several murderers was sold at auction in London the other day and brought \$1.25.

## NO REST NIGHT OR DAY.

With Irritating Skin Humor—Hair Began to Fall Out—Wonderful Result from Cuticura Remedies.

"About the latter part of July my whole body began to itch. I did not take much notice of it at first, but it began to get worse all the time, and then I began to get uneasy and tried all kinds of baths and other remedies that were recommended for skin humors; but I became worse all the time. My hair began to fall out and my scalp itched all the time. Especially at night, just as soon as I would get in bed and get warm, my whole body would begin to itch and my finger nails would keep it irritated, and it was not long before I could not rest night or day. A friend asked me to try the Cuticura Remedies, and I did, and the first application helped me wonderfully. For about four weeks I would take a hot bath every night and then apply the Cuticura Ointment to my whole body; and I kept getting better, and by the time I used four boxes of Cuticura I was entirely cured, and my hair stopped falling out. D. E. Blankenship, 319 N. Del. St., Indianapolis, Ind., Oct. 27, 1905."

## New York's Great Ocean Trade.

New York is the second great seaport of the world. In 1903 over \$9,000,000 tons of imports and 8,700,000 tons of exports were cleared through New York harbor. London is the greatest seaport, exceeding New York in imports, though not by exports. Antwerp and Hamburg are third and fourth, respectively.

## \$100 Reward, \$100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in its own way, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have one Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for the free booklet.

Address: F. J. CLEMENT & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by all Druggists, 75c.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

## Remarkable Double Wedding.

A remarkable double wedding has been celebrated in a Viennese church. A manufacturer named Muller married a widow, while at the same time his son married the widow's daughter. Thus the father becomes the father-in-law of his own son, and the mother also the mother-in-law of her daughter.

## Cheap Excursions South.

On the 1st and 3rd Tuesday of each month the Big Four Ry. will sell excursion tickets to most all points in Virginia, South Carolina, Tennessee, Alabama and Georgia at rate of one fare plus \$2.00 with return limit 30 days. Liberal stopover privileges. Write I. P. Spining, General Northern Agent, Big Four Route, 238 Clark St., Chicago, for further information.

## Evangelists Torrey and Alexander

are under engagement to conduct meetings next winter in the following cities: Nashville, Omaha, Winnipeg, Buffalo, Pittsburg and Montreal.

## Washing Windows.

The method of washing windows has changed very much of late. Have a pair of lukewarm suds made from Ivory Soap. Dip a soft cloth in the water; squeeze almost dry, and wipe the glass off. Then polish with camellia as it leaves no lint and does the work with more ease.

ELEANOR R. PARKER.

## The most important events in the average man's career are his birth and death.

Smokers appreciate the quality value of Lewis' Single Binder cigar. Your dealer or Lewis' Factory, Peoria, Ill.

## About two-thirds of a man's friends are enemies in disguise.

Hurt, Bruise or Sprain. St. Jacobs Oil relieves from pain. People with real troubles never acquiesce them.

## NERVOUS DEBILITY

A Scranton Woman Tells How Dr. Williams' Pink Pills Made Her Well and Strong.

Nervous debility is the common name for what the doctors term neurasthenia. It is characterized by mental depression, fits of the "blues," or melancholy, loss of energy and spirits. The patient's eyes become dull, the pink fades from the cheeks, the memory becomes defective so that it is difficult to recall dates and names at will. Some of these symptoms only may be present or all of them. The remedy lies in toning up the nervous system and there is no medicine better adapted for this purpose than Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.

Mrs. Jane J. Davies, of No. 814 Warren street, Scranton, Pa., says: "Some years ago I became greatly reduced in health and strength and my nervous system became so debilitated that I felt wretched. I could not rest or sleep well at night and woke up as weary and languid in the morning as I was when I went to bed. My head ached in the morning and often there was a pain in my right side which was worse when I sat down. My nerves were on edge all the time, every little noise bothered me and I was generally miserable. Then I decided to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People, as my husband had taken them with good results, and they did wonders for me. Now I have no more pain in my side, no more headaches, I sleep well and feel strong and able to do my work."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills cured Mrs. Davies and they can do just as much for other weak, pale, ailing men or women who are slipping into a hopeless decline. They strike straight at the root of all common diseases caused by poor and impoverished blood.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are sold by all druggists, or will be sent postpaid, on receipt of price, 50 cents per box, six boxes for \$2.50, by the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Schenectady, N.Y.

# WHO SHE WAS

## SKETCH OF THE LIFE OF LYDIA E. PINKHAM

And a True Story of How the Vegetable Compound Had Its Birth and How the "Panic of '73" Caused it to be Offered for Public Sale in Drug Stores.

This remarkable woman, whose maiden name was Estes, was born in Lynn, Mass., February 9th, 1819, coming from a good old Quaker family. For some years she taught school, and became known as a woman of an alert

restore the family fortune. They argued that the medicine which was so good for their woman friends and neighbors was equally good for the women of the whole world.

The Pinkhams had no money, and little credit. Their first laboratory was the kitchen, where roots and herbs were steeped on the stove, gradually filling a gross of bottles. Then came the question of selling it, for always before they had given it away freely. They hired a job printer to run off some pamphlets setting forth the merits of the medicine, now called Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and these were distributed by the Pinkham sons in Boston, New York, and Brooklyn.

The wonderful curative properties of the medicine were, to a great extent, self-advertising, for whoever used it recommended it to others, and the demand gradually increased.

In 1877, by combined efforts the family had saved enough money to commence newspaper advertising and from that time the growth and success of the enterprise were assured, until today Lydia E. Pinkham and her Vegetable Compound have become household words everywhere, and many tons of roots and herbs are used annually in its manufacture.

Lydia E. Pinkham herself did not live to see the great success of this work. She passed to her reward years ago, but not till she had provided means for continuing her work as effectively as she could have done it herself.

During her long and eventful experience she was ever methodical in her work and she was always careful to preserve a record of every case that came to her attention. The case of every sick woman who applied to her for advice—and there were thousands—received careful study, and the details, including symptoms, treatment and results were recorded for future reference, and to-day these records, together with hundreds of thousands made since, are available to sick women the world over, and represent a vast collaboration of information regarding the treatment of woman's ills, which for authenticity and accuracy can hardly be equaled in any library in the world.

With Lydia E. Pinkham worked her daughter-in-law, the present Mrs. Pinkham. She was carefully instructed in all her hard-won knowledge, and for years she assisted her in her vast correspondence.

To her hands naturally fell the direction of the work when its originator passed away. For nearly twenty-five years she has continued it, and nothing in the work shows when the first Lydia E. Pinkham dropped her pen, and the present Mrs. Pinkham, now the mother of a large family, took it up. With woman assistants, some as capable as herself, the present Mrs. Pinkham continues this great work, and probably from the office of no other person have so many women been advised how to regain health. Sick women, this advice is "Yours for Health" freely given if you only write to ask for it.

Such is the history of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound; made from simple roots and herbs; the one great medicine for women's ailments, and the fitting monument to the noble woman whose name it bears.



and investigating mind, an earnest seeker after knowledge, and above all, possessed of a wonderfully sympathetic nature.

In 1843 she married Isaac Pinkham, a builder and real estate operator, and their early married life was marked by prosperity and happiness. They had four children, three sons and a daughter.

In those good old-fashioned days it was common for mothers to make their own home medicines from roots and herbs, nature's own remedies, calling in a physician only in specially urgent cases. By tradition and experience many of them gained a wonderful knowledge of the curative properties of the various roots and herbs.

Mrs. Pinkham took a great interest in the study of roots and herbs, their characteristics and power over disease. She maintained that just as nature so bountifully provides in the harvest-fields and orchards vegetable foods of all kinds; so, if we but take the pains to find them, in the roots and herbs of the field there are remedies expressly designed to cure the various ills and weaknesses of the body, and it was her pleasure to search these out, and prepare simple and effective medicines for her own family and friends.

Chief of these was a rare combination of the choicest medicinal roots and herbs found best adapted for the cure of the ills and weaknesses peculiar to the female sex, and Lydia E. Pinkham's friends and neighbors learned that her compound relieved and cured and it became quite popular among them.

All this so far was done freely, without money and without price, as a labor of love.

But in 1873 the financial crisis struck Lynn. Its length and severity were too much for the large real estate interests of the Pinkham family, as this class of business suffered most from fearful depression, so when the Centennial year dawned it found their property swept away. Some other source of income had to be found.

At this point Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound was made known to the world.

The three sons and the daughter, with their mother, combined forces to

NO MORE MUSTARD PLASTERS TO BLISTER. THE SCIENTIFIC AND MODERN EXTERNAL COUNTER-IRRITANT.

# CAPISICUM VASELINE

EXTRACT OF THE CAYENNE PEPPER PLANT

A QUICK, SURE, SAFE AND ALWAYS READY CURE FOR PAIN—PRICE 15c.—IN COLLAPSIBLE TUBES—AT ALL DRUGGISTS AND DEALERS. OR BY MAIL ON RECEIPT OF 15c. IN POSTAGE STAMPS. DON'T WAIT TILL THE PAIN COMES—KEEP A TUBE HANDY.

A substitute for and superior to mustard or any other plaster, and will not blister the most delicate skin. The pain-appeasing and curative qualities of the article are wonderful. It will stop the toothache at once, and relieve Headache and Sciatica. We recommend it as the best and safest external counter-irritant known, also as an external remedy for pains in the chest and stomach and all Rheumatic, Neuralgic and Gouty complaints. A trial will prove what we claim for it, and it will be found to be invaluable in the household and for children. Once used no family will be without it. Many people say "it is the best of all your preparations." Accept no preparation of Vaseline unless the same carries our label, as otherwise it is not genuine. SEND YOUR ADDRESS AND WE WILL MAIL OUR VASELINE PAMPHLET WHICH WILL INTEREST YOU.

CHESEBROUGH MFG. CO. 17 STATE STREET, NEW YORK CITY

## Enameline NO DUST

**Obituary.**

William Frisinger was born in Champaign county, Ohio, Sept. 2, 1828, and departed this life at Tyner, Ind., Oct. 11, 1906, at the age of 78 years, 1 month and 6 days. He was united in marriage to Narcissus Wiley in Mercer county, O., Dec. 19, 1850. To this union were born eleven children, two of whom died in infancy. The living children are Mary of Tyner, Martha E. of Rutland, Robert W. of Argos, Lewis B. of North Dakota, Belle of St. Joe, Ind., Wm. H. of Auburn Junction, Ind., Della F. of South Bend, Emma F. of Tyner, John H. of Teegarden. Forty-six grandchildren and twelve great grandchildren survive him.

We miss thee everywhere,  
One by one earth's ties are broken  
As we see our love decay,  
And the hopes so fondly cherished  
Brighten but to pass away.

One by one our hopes grow brighter  
As we near the shining shore,  
For we know across the river  
Wait the loved ones gone before.

Funeral services were conducted by Rev. F. B. Walmer, pastor of the Evangelical church of Culver, in the Poplar Grove church. Interment was in the Poplar Grove cemetery.

**Farewell Party.**

On the eve of his departure for Los Angeles, Cal., the Epworth League gave Ed McLane a farewell reception on Tuesday night. About 40 were present, including Pastor Nicely and a number of prominent members of the church and citizens besides the young people of the league. The evening was a joyous one in spite of the fact that the league members were soon to part with one of their useful and much-liked co-workers. Games made the hours fly all too swiftly. Partners for supper were chosen by the young men selecting from the hands thrust through the door, and surprises were universal. Ed was presented with a beautiful volume of The Scarlet Letter as a memento of Friday morning. He leaves Culver

**The Bourbon Fair.**

The Bourbon fair was completely ruined by the storm last week. It was most unfortunate, too, for the fair promised to be a great success. There were 81 entries in the races for Thursday and Friday. But there was nothing to do under the circumstances but for the race men to blanket their horses and flee, and the merry-go-round and the hokey-pokey man to skidoo for winter quarters.—Bremen Enquirer.

The foregoing was sprung a little prematurely. Naturally the first three days of the fair were a failure so far as attendance was concerned, but on Friday there was a large crowd, estimated at 5,000, and the fair was continued Saturday.

**Hog Breeders, Attention.**

I have a lot of male Poland China pigs, which parties needing good breeders can have at low prices, if called for in a week or ten days. Also a number of female pigs and gilts. Also four Polled Durham bulls, serviceable age. — J. E. MEYERS & SON.

Red Seal gingham at 12 cents. Where? At Porter & Co's.

**OBER OBSERVATIONS.**

J. W. Heath and wife visited their son Charles and family at Wheeler Sunday... Mrs. E. R. Hisey, who has been sick all summer with dropsy is in a serious condition at this writing... Fannie Hisey and child visited relatives at Knox Friday and Saturday... W. P. Stanton and wife called on Mr. and Mrs. Crist Sunday... Mr. and Mrs. Werblo visited at Geo. Emigh's Sunday... Moll Geiselman and wife of Knox visited at Olin Hisey's Sunday... Henry Waldhauser of Chicago moved back to Ober last week... Mrs. Lela Bolen returned from an extended visit in Illinois Saturday... Miss Maudie Osborn and Mrs. H. Kelley attended teachers' institute at the Finch school house.

**Notice of Bond Sale.**

Notice is hereby given, that the Board of Trustees of the incorporated town of Culver, City, Starke county, Indiana, will on THURSDAY, OCTOBER 25, 1906, at the court chamber in said town at two o'clock p. m., on said date, offer for sale the waterworks bonds of said town amounting to the sum of Four Thousand Dollars (\$4,000.00). The said bonds are in the principal sum of Four Hundred Dollars (\$400.00) each, due one year commencing on November 1st, 1906; said bonds draw five per cent interest per annum, payable semi-annually on the first days of July and January each year from date. Said bonds will be sold to the highest bidder for cash at not less than par. Copies of the proceedings authorizing said bond issue may be examined at the office of Levi A. Osborn, town clerk of said town. Witness the hand of the undersigned, town clerk, and the seal of said town hereunto affixed this 15th day of October, A. D. 1906. (Seal) LEVI A. OSBORN, Town Clerk.

**INTRODUCTORY SALE OF LADIES' '06 SUITS COATS, SKIRTS, FURS**

**NOVEL CREATIONS IN SMART OUTER GARMENTS FOR FALL AND WINTER**



**S**ATISFACTION is a great thing. If you visit this store you will always find everything just as we represent it to be, or we stand ready to make good any just claim you should make. We have the largest Cloak and Suit department in this section of the State, and we carry the most exclusive styles in the most desirable and up-to-date materials, for which THE GOLDEN RULE stands preeminent over all others. No matter how highly our showing of superb models has been regarded in the past, the present collection will increase your appreciation a hundred fold, and at prices that will please the most economical buyer. We most cordially invite you to call and see these most wonderful creations in women's ready-to-wear garments when seeing is believing.

**WE QUOTE THE FOLLOWING FOR YOUR CAREFUL CONSIDERATION**



- Ladies' Tailor-Made Suits**, in a full range of pretty plain shades and fancy mixtures. Sale price, \$7.50, \$9.98 up to..... **\$50**
- Ladies' 50 in. Coats** in black, brown, blue and castor, and fancy, mannish mixtures, cut full, velvet collar and cuffs, braid trimmed.. **\$7.50, \$10 and \$12.50**
- Children's Coats**, made of plain Kersey, Scotch mixtures and Astrakahn, 4 to 14, best values on earth, **\$2.48, \$3.97 and \$4.98**
- Infants' Coats**, in bear skin, astrakahn and crushed velour, neatly made and trimmed, red, brown, blue and white. Very special at..... **\$2.48**
- Ladies' Near Seal Jackets**, elegantly made, satin lined. Sale price, \$15 and..... **\$25**
- Ladies' Near Seal Jackets** in a beautiful line, handsome beaver collar and cuffs, Skinner satin lined, value \$50. Very special at..... **\$35**

- Watermink Blouses**, a very new and desirable garment, beautifully lined, a \$50 garment, Very special..... **\$29.50**
- Ladies' Skirts**, representing a large assortment of plain shades, blue, black, brown, castor and gray, and in the fancy weaves; very specially priced at **\$1.48, \$2.98, \$3.98 and \$4.98**
- Ladies' Shirt Waists** in plain and fancy check mercerized materials and all-wool mohair, neatly made and trimmed in all the latest effects, **97c and \$1.50**
- Ladies' Mercerized Petticoats** in black only, made full double flounce, an elegant skirt at \$1.25, very special at..... **98c**
- Ladies' Fur Neck Pieces** in blended black coney, 6-cluster tails, two specials at **\$1.50 and 98c**
- Ladies' Isabella Fox Scarf**, a very beautiful and serviceable neck-piece, splendid \$12.50 value; Sale price..... **\$7.50**
- River Mink Scarfs**, very handsome, six cluster tails; special at..... **\$1.98**
- Ladies' 72-in. Coney Scarf**, in black, new storm collar effect; \$7.50 value; special at..... **\$4.98**



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I HAVE purchased the Grocery and Meat business of STAHL & CO., and am ready to serve the patrons of the old firm and the new customers which my large personal acquaintance justifies me in expecting, in the best possible manner with an up-to-date line of goods. Look for an Important Announcement of a Bargain Sale soon.

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