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LOCAL BREVITIES

Masonic regular tonight. Work. G. A. Stimpson is home from Kansas.

Whyte Wilcox is home from Albion this week.

Frances Cooley is visiting in Lawton this week.

Hart Benton was home from Kalamazoo Sunday.

Mrs. Mertie Feely is home again for the summer.

Alson Hyames was calling on friends in town Monday.

Regular meeting of Eastern Star next Tuesday night. Election of officers.

Philip Miller of Kalamazoo spent Thursday night with Guy Graham and family.

C. Fairfield and wife of Allegan spent Sunday at Frank Fairfield's and W. J. Davis'.

Roger Cole of Alma college is spending the week at the home of his sister, Mrs. Al Wauchek.

Mrs. Earl Burhans and children of Paw Paw visited at L. O. Graham's the first of the week.

Oscar Everest left Sunday for Lansing where he has a position with the Klett Road Construction Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Kayner and Elias Nash have moved to Paw Paw and Lafe Geiger is working their farm.

Auction sale of household goods at the home formerly occupied by Charles Cook, Saturday forenoon, April 11. See ad next week.

The Parent Teacher Association meeting will be held Tuesday, April 7 at high school auditorium. Good program and speaker from Otsego.

Rev. Charles Myers of Berkley visited his brother, Ed, the first of the week and will officiate at the wedding of his nephew, Carl Myers in Kalamazoo on his way home.

We forgot to mention the vote for County Agricultural Agent next Monday. We believe this agent has helped many in this county in the past and believe that others will benefit from their teachings in the future and as we pay our school teachers so should we pay a farm teacher even if we do not use either. See their ad.

As Charles Thayer was driving through Kalamazoo Sunday a wild driver ran into his car, turning it over and pinning Charles beneath, breaking his hip and ankle and injuring him in other ways so that his condition is quite serious. His daughter escaped with a sprained ankle and his son-in-law with a broken hand. The car was badly wrecked. It is hoped that all will recover in due time.

We wrote you last week why you would get only half a paper but this with the notice of the social meeting of the Stars and Masons, and the local that Harold Wilcox was home for the week end were lost and did not show up until the paper was out. You are getting the installment of the story this week that should have come last so we are full size again.

About 90 members of the local Eastern Star and Masonic lodges with their families met at the hall Monday evening for a social hour. After the usual greetings all gathered in the lodge room where a short but very interesting program was given consisting of readings by E. E. Mann, Mrs. C. W. Newcomb and Mrs. Stimpson and a laughable farce by several ladies. The music consisted of community singing and saxophone solos by Luther Howard and several enjoyable selections by the orchestra, consisting of Miss Frances Connery and Messrs Chas. Benton, Luther Howard and Gerald Powers. The program was followed by a banquet, after which games and visiting held the crowd until a late hour when all departed declaring a very successful evening.

Ray Feely is home this week.

Mrs. H. S. Sheldin is home again. Pansy Sheldon is home from Romeo this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Miller are at the farm this week.

A card from W. R. Wood says they are headed for home again.

Ed Youderian and family are home from a trip through the Sunny South.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gault are home after spending 18 months in California.

The Sunny Day club will meet with Mrs. Hattie Phelps next Thursday, April 9.

Don't fail to hear the male quartet and gospel team Sunday night, Methodist church.

Mrs. S. E. Loveless has returned from Honolulu and is headed towards Gobles again.

Albert Allen has leased his farm to Glenn James and has moved to the Dr. Graves house.

The Methodist Ladies Aid will meet with Mrs. Will Wormeth next Wednesday afternoon.

The Methodist Church

The special meetings are progressing very nicely. Mr. and Mrs. Manning are doing fine work. Some very instructive pictures and illustrated songs are put on each night.

Sunday will be observed as Palm Sunday. Sermon theme, "Jesus' Triumphant Entry of Jerusalem." Evening hour 7:00. A male quartet from Kalamazoo will give the gospel in song; also the gospel team will be with us. Don't miss this treat.

For Township Treasurer

To the Voters of Bloomingdale township:

You are no doubt aware of the fact that I am a candidate for the office of Township Treasurer at the coming election to be held April 6. I feel I need no introduction as I was born here and have never lived anywhere else. Have paid taxes since I was twenty-one and have never held a township office. If elected I promise to make the best possible arrangements in regard to time and place for you to pay your taxes. If you can give me your support an X in the square before my name on the ballot will be very much appreciated.

Grover Shaw.

Special Notice

At the coming election, April 6, all taxes voted and all township business must be transacted at Precinct No. 1, Bloomingdale, according to a recent act of the State Legislature, which reads as follows:

Act No. 113 of Session law of 1923, on Page 159, at top of page, which reads as follows:

Electors of each election district in townships shall meet at 1 p. m. at polling place of District No. 1, unless some other place of meeting be designated by Board of Inspectors of District No. 1, which place shall be announced by the Clerk of each district to the electors present, and three notices thereof posted in 3 conspicuous places at each polling place not later than 9 a. m. on election day and therein transacted such business as is usually transacted at Township Meetings by viva voice vote. This act was passed in August, 1923.

Wm G Adams,
Township Clerk.

For Supervisor

As you know I received the unanimous support of the largest republican caucus help in this township in years. If you consider my efforts the past year will merit the same, will greatly appreciate your vote at the polls next Monday.

C. B. Stockham, supervisor
Bloomingdale Township.

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BASE LINE

Mrs. Sadie Smith spent the week end with her daughter in Kalamazoo.

Harry Winterburn and family, Geo. Christian and family and W. Short and family of Kalamazoo were Sunday guests of Bert Short and family. Mrs. Short and son, Clifford remained for a week's visit.

Sunday visitors at Lester Woodruff's were: Clair Woodruff, Glenn Woodruff and family, Elmer Foster and family of Kalamazoo, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Jacobs, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Enos and S. J. Rice of South Haven and Mr. and Mrs. R. Banks.

Mrs. Reno Morgan is on the sick list. Mrs. M. O. Morgan is caring for her.

Esther Short is spending her vacation in Kalamazoo.

Mr. E. Wood visited in Bangor one day last week.

Clair Woodruff and Mr. Clickner with their lady friends spent last Wednesday eve at L. Woodruff's.

Jay Tuckey of Kalamazoo spent Sunday with his family.

Max Dannenberg and family spent Sunday at the home of the former's sister, Mrs. Martin McAlpine and family of Grand Rapids. Betty and Yvonne McAlpine returned with them for a week's visit.

Mrs. Cornelia Connery fell Saturday and hurt her side, but is improving at this writing.

Clifford Clapp of Kalamazoo and Chas. Clapp and family and Harley Merriam spent Monday eve at M. Wilcox's and listened to the Bloomingdale high school radio program broadcasted from Berrien Springs.

WAGERTOWN

The baby of Mr. and Mrs. Wilford Joy passed away Thursday night.

Harry Irwin of Galesburg, Warren Sanford and son, Elwin spent Wednesday eve at Geo. Leach's.

Russell Montgomery and family, Bert Babbitt and family of Kalamazoo visited Sunday at J. Babbitt's.

Clarence Skillman and family visited Friday at Archie Copeland's.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen James of Kalamazoo have moved on the Albert Allen farm.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Brant and son of Kalamazoo, Mr. and Mrs. Rolla Eastman and family, Mr. and Mrs. A. Healy and family visited Sunday at Geo. Leach's.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Allen have moved to the Dr. Graves house in Gobles.

Norma Skillman is working in Kalamazoo.

Mrs. J. G. Eastman, Viva Beals and Emma Eastman spent Thursday night with Ethel Eastman.

Mrs. Albright has been on the sick list.

Wm. Pullin and family visited Sunday in Vandalia.

Mrs. J. G. Eastman and Emma Eastman are spending a few days in Kalamazoo.

Judson Holdeman is working for George Connery.

Vina Beals of Kalamazoo has been spending the week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Beals.

Clara Grauman spent the last of the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Grauman.

Mr. and Mrs. Ora Marsh of Otsego spent the week end with Mrs. Hattie Phelps.

Pickle Growers

Can get contracts at the News office. See us for new prices and particulars.

J. B. Travis.

Firemen Attention

Annual meeting this week Thursday night at 7:30. Election and other important business.

P. P. Petty, Chief.

Patronize our advertisers.

NORTH POINT

Mrs. Joe Stevens spent Friday afternoon with Mrs. Jay Manning.

Mrs. Fred Babbitt spent Tuesday with Mrs. Arthur Torrey.

Herman Grauman and family, Mr. Harlan Minkler and family and Walter Grauman spent Sunday with G. Grauman.

Lee Copeland and family spent Sunday with A. Copeland.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Manning entertained the pedro club Friday night, Mrs. Andy Camfield and Lester Clark winning first prizes.

Mrs. Nelson Clark and son and Will Shepherd spent Sunday at Lester Clark's.

Mr. and Mrs. I. Coffinger visited at W. E. Coffinger's Friday.

W. E. Coffinger spent Sunday in Kalamazoo.

John Newman and family spent Sunday at Chas. Newman's.

Eva Waite was home over Saturday and Sunday.

Arthur Torrey and family spent Sunday in Kalamazoo.

Hymeneal

A very pretty wedding was solemnized at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Slack Saturday eve, March 28, 1925 when their daughter, Grace was united in marriage to Robert Suferling. Paul Slack, brother of the bride, was best man and Gladys Manning acted as bridesmaid. Rev. McKeever officiated.

About 40 relatives were present. Ice cream and cake was served after the ceremony.

The happy couple will reside on the Charlie Breed farm.

BROWN DISTRICT

Mrs. Geo. Pike and Mrs. Woodard are on the sick list.

Mrs. Gene Morse of Kalamazoo visited at Dell Camfield's Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Gilbert spent Sunday at Geo. Fritz's.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Sackett and Iva Shepherd of Kalamazoo spent the week end at Andy Sackett's.

Mrs. Loren Camfield visited at John Russell's Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sevey of Kalamazoo spent Sunday at Dell Camfield's.

WATERLESS WATER

"What are you doing with that water, sir?" the little boy asked his teacher.

"Analyzing it, my lad."
"Analyzing it? What's that?"
"Finding out what it contains."
"Well, what does it contain?"
"Two-thirds hydrogen and one-third oxygen."
"Gee," said the little boy, "then there ain't no water in it at all, is there?"

The Schemer

Mrs. A—I saw a perfect love of a hat today.

Mrs. B—Did you buy it?
Mrs. A—Not yet. I've got to pick out a more expensive one for my husband to refuse to buy so that we can compromise on this one.—Kentish Observer.

A BURNING DESIRE



Mary—Why on earth will Mary continue to use cigarettes?
Maud—She says she can't tell—just has a burning desire to smoke.

Place Grabber

We use both eloquence and wit To manage the affairs of earth. The grip germ doesn't care a bit, But always finds a cozy berth.

Her Memory

Hubby (after climbing National pass)—Struth, I wonder who the bloke was who started this idea of going to the mountains?

Wife—I think it was some chap the name of Mohammed, my dear.—Sydney Bulletin.

Business Locals

Get cement at Milling Company warehouse.

Dairy farm for rent with stock, tools, milking machine and all equipment for running the same. Only good dairyman need apply. See M. Tychem.

Wanted—Middle aged lady at once by man and wife, as housekeeper. Little work, \$6 a week. Address Box 363, Gobles.

Get your cement at the Milling Company warehouse.

For Sale—1000 chick size hard coal brooder. This brooder was new last year, costing \$26.50. Will sell for \$18. The above is much larger than the cheap mail order brooders and is 100% better. L. B. Wooster.

Efficiency Conference

The efficiency conference of the Council of Religious Education, held at Hartford last week Tuesday was well attended and proved to be most interesting.

This conference was for all county and district officers and representatives were present from Allegan, Cass, Berrien, St. Joseph and Van Buren counties, together with 4 members of the State Board from Lansing. Mr. H. M. Cole of Sturgis was elected as a member of the State Board.

The program as outlined for more definite work along religious lines was taken up step by step and in this way each officer was able to know just what was expected of them.

Much credit is due our County President, Mr. Cort Burbank for his part in seeing that all arrangements were carefully made so the meeting might be a success.



UNFAIR TRADING

"I'm not surprised that you make such a splendid profit in your business," remarked the grocer to the coal dealer. "But it's hardly fair, you know."
"Hardly fair?" rejoined the other. "What do you mean?"
"Well, was the reply, "If I sell a pound of butter it goes to the purchaser, while if you sell a ton of coal it goes to the cellar!"

His Only Chance

Travers—Robinson told me yesterday that he is going to marry his landlady—the one he's been lodging with so many years. Not long ago that fellow was wealthy, and now I don't suppose he's worth a penny.

Jagaway—Why on earth is he going to get married, then?

He wants to get his money back.—Stray Stories.

A Canine Speedometer

The city motorist was indignant. "How do you know I was exceeding the speed limit when you haven't a watch or anything?" he demanded.

"Wal, ye seen that yaller dog a-chasing ye, didn't ye?" inquired the rural constable. "When that dog can't keep up with a feller I know that feller's goin' more'n thirty miles an hour, b'gosh!"

OF NO USE



The Idiot—So you won't let me make love?

The Girl—Why certainly not! Of what use would it be after you'd made it. I'd like to know?

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Veal calves wanted. See or phone Lester Woodruff.

Wheat for your chickens at the Co-op.

Indian relics wanted. See Van Ryno.

Asparagus roots No. 1 roots at extra special price. Also high grade nursery stock of all kinds. See Albert Hosner.

Cash paid for false teeth, platinum, discarded jewelry and old gold. Hoke Smelting & Refining Co., Otsego, Mich.

Fur Wanted—Highest market price paid. See F. J. Austin.

Full blood roan Durham bull for service, \$1.50. Elmer Simmons.

Get your chicken wheat at the Co-op.

Buy Miller tires at Dorgan's filling station.

The saw mill will run again in the spring. Parties having logs to saw can call Lee Carter for further particulars. J. L. Clement & Sons.

For tires, batteries, etc. see Cash Supply Store. We can save you money.

Good dry hard wood and nice dry mixed wood. Phone Ed Markillie.

Horses for sale. See Stanley Styles.

Hay for sale. See Roy Sage, west of town.

Dining extension table for sale. See Mrs. R. Hill.

Canna, dahlia and gladioli bulbs for sale. Bert Coffinger, farmers phone.

Runabout Ford truck for sale cheap. See J. V. Wise, Gobles, Mich.

See Jud Wormeth for your painting and decorating.

Will trade lumber at Clement's mill for a good cow. Inquire at News office.

2 good, fresh cows for sale. See Walter Ruell, McKeown farm.

6 tons clover and timothy, about 30 tons fine alfalfa, no weeds, J. V. Wise, R. 3, Paw Paw, one half mile west of Covey Hill church, Kibbie phone.

Lady to demonstrate our Radium Hot Pad and give Radium Apron free with each pad. We pay \$22 week to workers. Write for free offer. International Radium Syndicate, Hofman Bldg., Detroit, Michigan.

Span horses weight about 2800 for sale. See Solomon Abbott.

Hay for sale. See Bert Coffinger farmers phone.

Collie pups for sale. See Ed Stiles.

Early Dean seed potatoes for sale at White Lunch.

The registered draft stallion Max De Foster will stand this season 1 1/2 miles south of Gobles. W.D. Thompson, farmers phone. 28-5t-tf.

Found—A purse with a small sum of money which the owner can have by calling at my place between the hours of ten and twelve, proving property and paying for this notice. Mrs. L. S. Cornell.

Salesman Wanted—For lubricating oils, greases and paints. Excellent opportunity. Salary or commission. The Jed Oil and Paint Co., Cleveland, Ohio.

Fields to rent. Inquire Mrs. W. V. Sage 301 West Dutton St. Kalamazoo, Mich.

Baby Chicks—We have a hatch coming off every Monday. Barred Rock and R. I. Red chicks, \$15 per 100. S. C. white leghorn chicks at \$12 per 100. L. B. Wooster, farmers phone.

PREMIER HITS CARDINALS' ACT

Riot in French Parliament as Deputies Approve of School Laws.

Paris.—The French government's policy for maintaining intact the separation of church and state and applying the secularization laws as passed by previous parliaments was endorsed by a vote of 327 to 95 in the chamber of deputies at a sitting filled with disorder.

The vote of confidence in Premier Herriot was taken after he had made a stubborn defense of his policy. During it he attacked the recent manifesto of the French cardinals and archbishops, which protested against the government's efforts to make the non-denominational school laws effective in Alsace, and compared the "Christianity of bankers" with the "Christianity of the catacombs."

The address of the premier opened the floodgates of temper of his opponents, which culminated in one of the worst disturbances the chamber ever has seen. Old and new orders in France came into dramatic conflict on the floor, first when the Catholics and the anti-Clericals indulged in a free-for-all pummeling match, and, second, when a censured deputy, Marquis de la Ferronaye, refused to leave the chamber when he was ordered to do so and was finally expelled.

The premier's speech was interrupted at the outset by Abbe Lemire's admission that the manifesto of the cardinals had "troubled many consciences in profoundly Catholic communities." To that M. Herriot replied: "We deeply respect all religious convictions. We will not allow any injury to their liberty, which we have to safeguard."

Then, turning to the opposition, the premier said: "These gentlemen are grieved to hear me pronounce words of tolerance."

The manifesto of the cardinals, M. Herriot asserted, "was not the error of a moment or the work of one or two prelates; it was the conclusion of an entire campaign, and its application was one of an entire doctrine."

The premier said the French government must protest solemnly against the speech of Pope Pius delivered February 10 of the present year "reproaching the government for following an ungenerous and un-French policy."

Cincinnati Cops Indicted for Violating Dry Law

Cincinnati, Ohio.—Chief of Police William Copelan is reorganizing the Cincinnati police force as a result of the suspension from duty of forty-eight policemen and detectives following their indictment by a special federal grand jury on charges of violating the national prohibition law. Only one member of the night detective squad was not indicted.

United States District Attorney H. E. Mau filed a second indictment against Lieut. Aubrey Houston, two sergeants, three detectives, and six patrolmen. The indictment charges that they conspired to violate the federal prohibition act and the Harrison anti-narcotic law.

The arrival in Cincinnati of a group of federal prohibition officials caused speculation. They were headed by Roy A. Haynes, United States prohibition commissioner.

Assistant United States District Attorney A. Lee Beatty, in asking United States District Judge Benson W. Hough to set high bonds for the indicted men, told the court that the trials of the police would reveal startling conditions in Cincinnati.

2,000 Phones Wrecked by Storm in Lower Michigan

Detroit.—Demoralization of communications was the chief effect of the storm that touched lower Michigan, skirting the edges of the tornado. Hundreds of telephone poles were down, and wire communication was paralyzed in many parts of the lower peninsula. Two thousand telephones were put out of commission by the wind in Detroit.

There were no casualties so far as is known.

Train service was not affected, but street car service in Flint and Detroit was handicapped for hours.

Motor Racer Badly Hurt as Car Goes Into Fence

San Francisco.—Ralph Johnson, twenty-seven, of Philadelphia, a driver of racing automobiles, was injured seriously when a racing automobile in which he was practicing at Tanforan park left the track and plunged through a fence. Surgeons expressed the belief Johnson would die from his injuries.

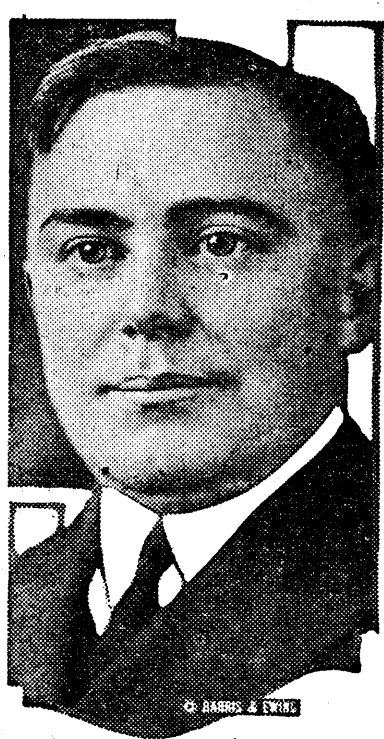
Irish Redeem Bonds

London.—Irish Free State government bonds issued to finance the republican struggle are to be redeemed in 1927, it is learned here. The bonds amount to £3,000,000. Most of the amount was subscribed in the United States, it is said.

Parachute Saves Pilot

Dayton, Ohio.—Jumping when his airplane became disabled, Lieut. F. O. Sumter of Selfridge field saved his life by using his parachute.

F. A. ZEUSLER



Portrait of Lieutenant Commander E. A. Zeusler, United States coast guard, who has been detailed as oceanographer for the international service of ice observation and ice patrol in the north Atlantic ocean, the patrol that was instituted following the Titanic disaster.

MARQUIS CURZON, STATESMAN, DEAD

Held Most Every High Office of British Empire.

London.—Marquis Curzon of Kedleston, lord president of the council, died here. He was sixty-six years old.

The marquis collapsed on March 5 at Cambridge, while dressing to attend a public dinner. It was said at the time that he had suffered from a hemorrhage.

When the necessity for an operation was announced his friends recognized that it would be serious for a man of his age. Nevertheless, Lord Curzon stood the ordeal better than had been expected.

The Marquis Curzon (George Nathaniel Curzon), from the cradle to the tomb, exemplified in every detail the type of superior personality known as the ruling aristocrat. He was bred for public life and followed the career of politics and government with such success that he held almost every great office under the crown except the highest of all—the post of prime minister.

Lord Curzon was born at Kedleston January 11, 1859, the eldest son of Rev. Alfred Nathaniel Holden Curzon, the fourth Baron Scarsdale. He married twice, taking an American as his wife on both occasions. In 1895 he married Miss Mary Victoria Leiter, daughter of L. Z. Leiter of Chicago. She died in 1906, the year after they returned from India, leaving three daughters. His second wife, whom he married in 1917, was Mrs. Grace Elvina Hinds Duggan, widow of Alfred Duggan of Buenos Aires.

His barony of Ravensdale, in the peerage of Ireland, passes to Lady Irene Curzon, a daughter by his first wife, who was Mary Leiter of Chicago.

Program of Fleet's Trip to Australia, New Zealand

Washington.—The Navy department made public the revised schedule for the proposed cruise of the United States fleet to Australia and New Zealand. The fleet will be split in two parts, one half of the ships visiting Melbourne and Wellington and the other half going to Sydney and Auckland.

When the scouting fleet returns to the west coast, June 8, after conducting maneuvers around Hawaii, the U. S. S. Seattle, the battle fleet, certain units of train squadron No. 2, the aircraft squadrons of the scouting fleet, and one light cruiser division will continue in Hawaiian waters until July 1.

Sea operations will be conducted between June 8 and 19 by the fleet, while from June 19 to July 1, they will base on Pearl Harbor.

New Hampshire Rejects Child Labor Amendment

Concord, N. H.—The New Hampshire house of representatives voted against ratification of the federal child labor amendment. The amendment will not be referred to the state senate.

Negro Taken From Jail in Virginia and Lynched

Norfolk, Va.—An unidentified negro, charged with attacking a white woman, was taken from the Sussex county jail at Waverly, Va., and lynched by a mob of 2,000 persons.

Poland Bars Chinese

Warsaw.—In the belief that the visits to this country of orientals prefigured a Chinese invasion, the Polish government has decided to admit no more Chinese until their applications have been passed upon by Warsaw.

Quake and Fi: Raze Town

Shanghai.—The town of Talifu in western Yunnan province has been destroyed by an earthquake. A disastrous fire followed, says a message received here calling for help.

FLOOD FOLLOWS GALE AT GRIFFIN

Relief Work Handicapped by Waters—More Nurses Needed.

Griffin, Ind.—In this little hamlet, torn by the tornado which last Wednesday killed 53 persons and injured most of the other inhabitants, nature has further handicapped relief work by sending the flood waters of the Wabash and Black rivers across the surrounding lowlands, making impossible automobile travel to and from the village. With the exception of the Illinois Central railroad, Griffin was cut off from the outside world.

Waters of the Wabash and Black rivers backed up over all the highways leading into the town, covered the bridge approaches, and even threatened to carry off the bridge itself.

John T. Nolan, Red Cross official in charge of the relief work here, said the road to Graysville also had been submerged and caused temporary abandonment of the carrying of supplies to the town.

No sightseers were allowed within a radius of five miles of the town.

Carbondale, Ill.—Henry M. Baker, national director of the Red Cross disaster relief, in charge of the Red Cross operations in the tornado zone, announced that an emergency unit has been established in every stricken area and all injured have received medical attention and all the homeless have been temporarily sheltered.

The total number of persons killed is now put at 811, with 2,939 injured.

With the most pressing relief work out of the way, plans were being made to establish permanent relief headquarters where the local Red Cross activities are already centered, along with the medical units, the army distribution units and other relief agencies.

From here the rehabilitation work will be directed, and Mr. Baker said that the permanent rehabilitation of every family affected by the tornado will get under way in a few days.

Chicago.—Fear that pestilence or plague may follow the tornado brought a call for more nurses from stricken southern Illinois.

Many of the city's leading hospitals were asked by military medical men and Red Cross officials to send every available nurse.

Murphysboro, Ill.—Murphysboro's tornado death list was raised to 193 while 51 of the more seriously injured, all of them in desperate need of expert surgical attention, were taken to St. Louis on a special train.

Between thirty and fifty victims of the wind were buried during the day.

At the cemetery busy grave diggers laid aside their picks and shovels to act as pallbearers and the hearse itself was hurried away for another body. A minister who remained at the cemetery read the burial service if no minister accompanied the funeral party and the body was lowered into the grave.

Thirteen Killed When Trains Crash in Mist

New Orleans, La.—Thirteen persons lost their lives in a wreck when two fast mail trains of the Southern Pacific railroad collided during a fog at Ricohoc, La., between Franklin and Patterson. Four of the dead were white men. The others were negro passengers. Five were seriously injured.

The official report said that Engineer Mathews of the eastbound San Antonio express came through the fog and passed the switch signal at Ricohoc, where he was scheduled to have put in for the westbound mail. About nine hundred feet past the switch the two trains came together.

Five Persons Perish in Gotham Tenement Fire

New York.—Five persons, including two women and two children, lost their lives in a fire that destroyed an East Forty-seventh street tenement house occupied by 11 families. Four persons were injured. Fire department officials said the blaze was started by a pyromaniac, who set fire to a baby carriage in the ground hallway.

The police redoubled their efforts to find the "baby carriage" pyromaniac believed responsible for other recent fires in the same neighborhood.

Couple Drown When Auto Plunges Off Lake Bridge

Forrest City, Ark.—Mr. and Mrs. Otto Schwarz of 5740 Winthrop avenue, Chicago, were drowned when a closed car in which they were driving plunged off a bridge over Brunt Cane lake on the Bankhead highway about eleven miles east of this city.

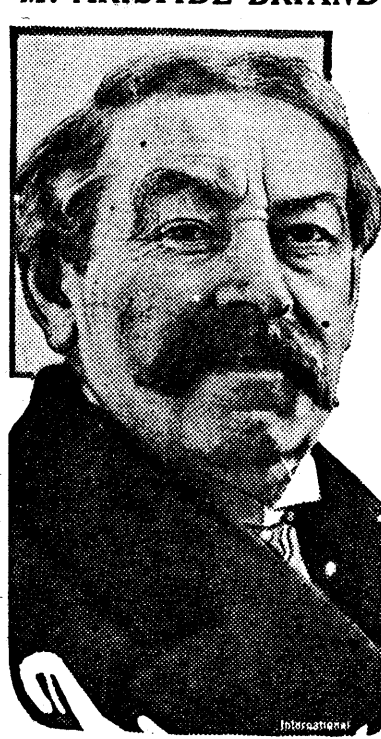
1 Killed, 1 Hurt in Plane Crash

Ardmore, Okla.—F. S. Bennett, oil man, was fatally injured and William Krohn, newspaper man and oil writer, bruised and lacerated when their airplane fell at Springer. Bennett died almost immediately.

Noted Political Writer Dies

Milwaukee.—George P. Mathes, for two score years a member of the Sentinel staff and for many years one of the best-known political writers in Wisconsin, died at his home here.

M. ARISTIDE BRIAND



Portrait of M. Aristide Briand, former French premier, who bitterly attacked the decision of Austin Chamberlain, British foreign secretary, in rejecting the proposed protocol, which plan, for assuring world peace by obligatory arbitration of international differences, was drafted chiefly through the efforts of Ramsay MacDonald, former British labor premier.

U. S. GOVERNMENT MARKET QUOTATIONS

Washington.—For the week ending March 19.—HAY—Quoted March 19: No. 1 timothy: Chicago, \$23.00. No. 1 alfalfa: Kansas City, \$19.50. No. 1 prairie: Chicago, \$16.00.

FRUITS AND VEGETABLES.—Northern sacked round white potatoes, \$1.00 @ 1.05 on Chicago carlot market; 75 @ 90 c. f. o. b. Northwestern extra fancy winesap apples, \$3.50 @ 3.75 per box.

GRAIN.—Quoted March 19: No. 2 hard winter wheat: St. Louis, \$1.65 @ 1.66. No. 3 hard winter wheat: Chicago, \$1.65. No. 3 mixed corn: Chicago, \$1.13. No. 2 yellow corn: Chicago, \$1.18 @ 1.20. No. 2 yellow corn: Chicago, \$1.14 @ 1.17 1/2. St. Louis, \$1.12 @ 1.15. No. 3 white corn: Chicago, \$1.15. St. Louis, \$1.13. No. 3 white oats: Chicago, 44 1/2 @ 47 1/2 c. St. Louis, 47 1/2 @ 48 1/2 c.

DAIRY PRODUCTS.—Closing wholesale prices of 92-score butter: New York, 48 1/2 c; Chicago, 48 1/2 c; Philadelphia, 49 1/2 c; Boston, 48 1/2 c. Wholesale prices on Wisconsin primary cheese markets March 18: Single daisies, 23c; double daisies, 22 1/2 c; longhorns, 23c; square prints, 23c.

LIVE STOCK.—Chicago hog prices closed at \$14.50 for top and \$14.00 @ 14.30 for bulk. Medium and good beef steers, \$8.35 @ 11.25; butcher cows and heifers, \$8.25 @ 11.00; feeder steers, \$6.25 @ 8.75; light and medium weight veal calves, \$9.00 @ 12.00. Fat lambs, \$14.50 @ 16.50; feeding lambs, \$15.00 @ 16.75; fat ewes, \$6.25 @ 9.75.

President Wants Help to Enforce Prohibition

Washington.—Adequate enforcement of the Volstead act never will be attained unless municipal, county and state authorities accord the federal government full and active co-operation, is the belief of President Coolidge.

The President's views were made known officially at the White House. Their expression was prompted in part by the findings of a special grand jury in Philadelphia which met to consider ways and means to make the dry laws effective in operation.

The President's spokesman made it known that Mr. Coolidge no longer is inclined to favor transfer of all federal activities under the dry act to the Department of Justice.

Vice President to Visit Ancestor's Home in East

Boston.—Vice President Charles G. Dawes will come to Concord and Lexington on April 20 for the celebration of the outbreak of the American Revolution in which his ancestor, William Dawes, Jr., shared responsibility with Paul Revere in rousing the countryside to arms. It is expected the vice president will reach Boston in time to witness the unveiling of a bas-relief of his ancestor on a bronze tablet to be placed in North square.

If possible he will ride by automobile through the towns through which his ancestor or Revere galloped on horseback.

President Coolidge will be unable to attend the celebration.

Senate O. K.'s Sargent as Attorney General

Washington.—John Garibaldi Sargent, former attorney general of Vermont, on Tuesday became attorney general of the United States through nomination by the President and confirmation by the senate.

Simultaneously with the announcement of the nomination the White House made public an exchange of letters between the President and Warren in which the latter was offered a recess appointment and declined it.

Britain Ready to Cut Arms

London.—P. W. C. Bridgeman, first lord of the admiralty, told a questioner in the house of commons that Britain will be only too glad to arrange anything compatible with security that will lessen the cost of armaments.

French Living Costs Lower

Washington.—The cost of living, on a gold basis, has increased more in the United States and Great Britain in the last ten years than in France, the federal reserve board estimates.

\$4,000,000 FIRE AT PALM BEACH

Five Missing After Breakers Hotel Is Destroyed—Martial Law Declared.

Palm Beach, Fla.—Fire destroyed the famous Breakers hotel, wiped out the smaller Palm Beach hotel, and for hours held a threat of destruction over the entire northern section of this celebrated winter playground of the wealthy.

Four cottages belonging to the Breakers were also burned, as were several private homes and shops near the razed structures.

The damage by fire along with the personal valuables lost by hundreds of wealthy guests is estimated at \$4,000,000.

Martial law was put into effect by Governor Martin at the request of local authorities after police in West Palm Beach had captured two motor trucks and several automobiles loaded with valuables stolen from the ruins, arresting eight negroes and one white man.

Troops were immediately placed on guard at all bridges between the resort and West Palm Beach.

An elderly man and woman were reported burned to death in the Breakers, and two small children and their nurse were said to be missing from the same hotel. Parents of the children were searching frantically for them, but would not give their names.

A young girl was run over and killed in West Palm Beach by an automobile speeding to the fire.

For a time the Royal Poinciana, another famous hotel, and the almost equally celebrated Bradley's club appeared certain to burn, and the guests were ordered to leave. The structures were saved, however, although a number of shops were destroyed.

Fire-fighting forces from Palm Beach, West Palm Beach, Lake Worth, Miami and several other towns fought the flames, and other firemen were on the way when the upper hand was gained by those on the scene about nine o'clock.

The fire started late in the afternoon in an upper floor of the south wing of the Breakers, which had nearly 900 rooms and provided accommodations for nearly 2,000 persons. The cause of the fire was variously reported as a carelessly handled cigaret, a plumber's torch and a woman guest using an electric appliance.

Flames broke through the roof and smoke almost immediately spread throughout the hotel. Guests hurriedly left the burning structure, many not waiting to save their personal belongings, and the loss of valuables of persons residing in the hotel is expected to be great. The hotel, constructed of highly inflammable pine wood, burned rapidly.

Thousands of spectators joined the firemen in their struggle and the crowd was so great an attempt to check the onrush of the flames with dynamite had to be abandoned.

The confusion and wildly flickering flames continued far into the night, and no reasonably accurate survey of the loss was possible. A few of the more fortunate guests and their servants had saved clothing and jewelry by tossing them hastily into pillow slips and sheets, but many were left only the articles they wore. Some bundles worth thousands of dollars were thrown to safety from windows, while the owners of other similar packages clung to them despite the added danger to themselves.

Two Bank Bandits Slain, Two Captured in Missouri

Steelville, Mo.—A sheriff's posse was waiting when five bandits attempted to rob the Farmers' bank of Steelville. The result was that two of the robbers were slain, two were captured, and one escaped. No loot was obtained. G. A. Schweider, a citizen, was shot in the battle.

Revolvers and shotguns poured their deadly fire into the holdup men when they attempted to scoop up available cash after driving two bank employees into the vault. The captured men identified their dead companions as "Bozo" Walters, thirty-three of Mitchell, Ill., and Basil Doman, thirty, of Madison, Ill.

6 Killed, 9 Injured When Cars Collide Head-On

Carlinville, Ill.—Six persons are dead and three more are expected to die as the result of a head-on collision between two Illinois Traction system cars south of here. Nine were injured. The dead are: Babe Channon, thirteen, Virdin; George Goldberg, St. Louis; Henry Robinson, sixteen, Carlinville high school student; William Peele, Staunton, motorman; an unidentified man, and Mrs. Marie Marlenecke, Gillespie, who died in Springfield hospital.

Kansas Trade Board to Fight

Topeka, Kans.—Boards of trade are planning to challenge the privilege of membership extended by the state legislature to more than 550 co-operative grain marketing associations, in any Kansas board of trade, it is said.

First-Degree Robbers to Die

Jeffers City, Mo.—By a unanimous vote the house of the legislature ordered engrossed the bill providing the death penalty for first-degree robbers.

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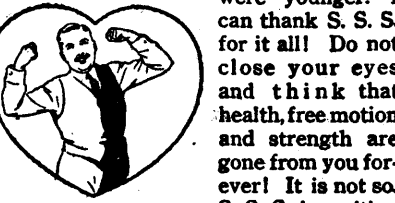


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Goldie was working in his garden when the minister passed. "Allow me to congratulate you," said the pastor. "Oh, my garden isn't so much," modestly said Goldie.

"I didn't mean that," the minister explained; "this is the first time I ever saw you on your knees."

Lowering Herself

"Since Ethel married she has stopped wearing French heels; her husband disapproves of them." "I always said she'd lower herself by marrying that man."—Tit-Bits.

Are You Nervous?

Portsmouth, Ohio—"About twenty years ago I was clear down and out physically, my nerves were completely gone and I could not sleep or eat. I was able to sit up only about an hour at a time. I doctored for six months but instead of getting better I grew worse. A neighbor persuaded me to take Dr. Pierce's medicines. I took his 'Favorite Prescription,' 'Golden Medical Discovery' and 'Pleasant Pellets,' and in three months I was back to normal health, my nerves were good, I could eat, and sleep well and do all my own work."—Mrs. Edward Pollitt, 844 Front Street. All dealers.

TORNADO RUINS SHOW 823 DEAD IN FIVE STATES

Relief Workers Aid Victims of Storm in Illinois, Indiana, Missouri, Tennessee and Kentucky.

Chicago.—Following the organization of relief in the tornado-stricken area of Illinois, Indiana, Missouri, Kentucky and Tennessee, it was disclosed that about 823 persons had been killed and 2,990 injured. Several towns were completely obliterated and thousands were made homeless.

The Illinois total of deaths is 645, Indiana 100, Missouri 27, Kentucky 18 and Tennessee about 33.

Following the wind in many cities and towns, fire broke out. In some cases the relief work already had been organized so well that the conflagrations were under control in a short time. In others scores of maimed and dead were burned almost beyond recognition.

Illinois Suffers Most.

Murphysboro, West Frankfort and De Soto were the Illinois cities that suffered most from the terrific wind blast. Gorham also suffered heavily in dead and wounded. In Indiana, Griffin, Princeton and Owensville were hardest hit while in Missouri, Blehle suffered about ten deaths. Gallatin, Tenn., reported that about thirty had been killed there.

In a number of towns lighting systems were out of order and darkness hampered the workers at night. National Guard troops are protecting these places from possible looting. Pullman cars have arrived in many of the villages to provide sleeping places for the thousands of homeless while tent villages are arising rapidly.

In a few cities where there had been happiness, prosperity, and future, the tornado blasted all. In others it showed fiendish eccentricity by leveling and blackening portions, while sparing the rest.

Towns Swept Away.

Nearly half of Princeton, Ind., was smitten. A sister city, Griffin, was virtually carried away. De Soto, Ill., with 500 people, lost its existence. A neighbor, Gorham, of 300 souls, was wiped out. Murphysboro, Ill., lost nearly three square miles of its business and residential sections. Other hamlets are yet cut off from telling their story.

Property Losses in Millions.

Those in charge speak in millions when asked to estimate material losses. The brief dispatches read: "\$100,000 in southwestern Kentucky," "\$2,000,000 at Princeton," "\$6,000,000 in southern Illinois," "\$100,000 in Missouri." At the other scenes no one yet ventures to estimate.

The tornado took its toll over a territory of 300 miles in five hours and within the same period of time outside aid was covering that distance to carry help and comfort to survivors. The Red Cross rushed supplies from St. Louis. Chicago offered \$500,000. The Illinois legislature appropriated a like amount and the Missouri legislature \$25,000.

Toll of Dead Mounting.

In southern Illinois, where terrific havoc was wrought in four towns, Murphysboro, West Frankfort, De Soto and Gorham, all in coal mining territory within a twenty-five mile radius of Carbondale, the relief center, the toll of dead and injured continued to mount as additional bodies were taken from the ruins. The death list was above the 500 mark, while between 2,000 and 3,000 were injured and thousands were homeless. Relief workers said the loss of life might reach 1,000. The property damage in the area was estimated at \$7,000,000.

Grim Story in Morgue.

It was at the morgue of southern Illinois' largest city where the story of West Frankfort's tragedy was briefly but grimly told. Ninety-one bodies lay stretched in long rows, and the first twenty-one were the forms of little children, ranging from eighteen months to four years in age.

They lay in a pitiful row on a long table, faces uncovered so some heart-broken mother or father or perhaps an older brother or sister might claim them. One by one the little bodies were tagged with a family name as identifications were made.

At a mine known as No. 18 twelve men went to their deaths when the plant above ground was demolished.

Terrible was the destruction vented on Murphysboro.

Makes Kindling Wood of Homes.

More than half of it now is little more than kindling wood and smoldering ruins of hundreds of homes.

Hours of battering by field artillery could do no more to a town than the tornado did to the stricken area of

Murphysboro. Brick buildings went with the weaker frames. Thirty-seven children were crushed to death in the collapse of two school buildings. Two square miles which contained 500 residences and 100 business houses were leveled.

One of the buildings destroyed was a new \$85,000 Baptist church, where a funeral was being held when the tornado struck. Another was a new \$267,000 addition to the high school.

Chief of Police Joe Boston found the body of his daughter in these ruins. The dry grass on some of the lawns was actually uprooted.

Soldiers Fire at Looters.

Looting began early at West Frankfort and guards fired several shots in the darkness at prowlers in the ruins, but none were wounded or captured.

West Frankfort is without water, except that hauled in.

Thirteen persons are said to have burned to death when they fled to the basement of a Murphysboro restaurant. A woman and her small twins were found side by side, dead, in a field near De Soto.

There the disaster fell largely on persons of limited means, some out of work because of the shut down of coal fields. Many women and children and a score of babies appeared on the death lists. Entire families were wiped out. One man, searching through a morgue for his wife and three children, found the bodies of his babes side by side in one room, his wife in another.

Identify Dead by Jewelry.

Many of the bodies were mangled, scarred or burned, some beyond recognition. Identification in many instances had to be made by rings or other personal belongings.

The government, Red Cross, state troops, private institutions and individuals combined in the huge task of caring for the injured, giving shelter and hunting bodies.

In Murphysboro, where 147 bodies have been recovered, 8,000 persons, or two-thirds of the population, were homeless. One hundred city blocks were demolished there and the power plant wrecked. Seventeen students were killed in the destruction of school buildings.

Woman Blown into Treetop.

Forty-five bodies had been recovered at De Soto, which virtually was obliterated. More than a dozen other Illinois towns reported from one to forty deaths. At De Soto a woman with a baby in her arms was blown to the top of a tree, where she clung until the storm passed, and then descended virtually without injury.

Soldiers Patrol Wreckage.

Soldiers are everywhere on duty in the area of suffering and citizens have organized themselves and are digging in the ruins of their homes. Some who probe the wreckage are seeking to retrieve a little part of what were once their belongings.

Witnesses said the towns in the storm's path were wrecked in a few minutes. One described the deadly visitor as a greenish black funnel, slanting at an angle of 45 degrees. A deluge of hail followed in its path. A committee from the Illinois state legislature visited the stricken area with Gov. Len Small.

Relief Work in Indiana.

In Indiana relief measures also were going forward rapidly under the direction of Gov. Ed. Jackson. Of five towns struck in that state, Griffin, a Posey county village, suffered most. With 47 bodies recovered, it was believed that the death list might mount to 125. Griffin virtually was wiped out, and systematic work at rescue was held up for a time because few were left uninjured in the village. Military lines have been drawn about the entire area.

At Princeton, which counted 20 dead, the 2,000,000 shops of the Southern railway were destroyed, throwing 400 persons out of work. Most of the homes destroyed were those of workmen.

It was announced from Washington that national headquarters of the Red Cross, with its chief, President Coolidge, taking the initiative, had set in motion its entire machinery of mercy to the injured and homeless.

From Chicago additional nurses and physicians, assembled by Dr. Herman N. Bundesen, departed for southern Illinois with medical equipment. Plans were made to raise \$500,000 as Chicago's relief quota.

Sees Children Die in School.

Centralia, Ill.—A dramatic eye-witness story of the death of a score or more of children in the school at De Soto and of the virtual destruction of the town was told here by Jax Burton. Burton is telegraph operator for the Illinois Central at Tamaroa, a few miles from De Soto, and on receiving a flash of the destruction he motored there, being the first outsider to arrive, and found the town a mass of debris, with dead and injured strewn in the streets.

All Houses Destroyed.

"It seemed to me there was not an entire house in the town," Burton said. "People were hurrying out on the road, north and south, with a few belongings clutched in their arms, more

823 Killed, 2,990 Hurt in Tornado

Reports from towns affected by the tornado announce 823 dead and 2,990 injured, as follows:

ILLINOIS		Dead	Injured
Murphysboro	210	500	
West Frankfort	107	200	
De Soto	118	200	
Gorham	90	200	
McLeansboro	37	70	
Parrish	20	100	
Logan	13	50	
Benton	13	75	
Enfield	12	60	
Thompsonville	8	40	
Hurst	4	45	
Bush	4	10	
Akin	4	25	
Carmi	2	10	
Grossville	1	10	
Totals	645	1,945	
INDIANA		Dead	Injured
Griffin	50	200	
Princeton	20	200	
Owensville	22	65	
Poseyville	5	30	
Elizabeth	3	20	
Totals	100	515	
TENNESSEE		Dead	Injured
Gallatin	27	50	
Shelbyville	2	10	
Wartrace	2	10	
Knoxville	1	10	
Kirkland	1	10	
Totals	33	50	
MISSOURI		Dead	Injured
Blehle	11	50	
Cape Girardeau	7	62	
Perryville	6	87	
Annapolis	2	150	
Altenburg	1	10	
Totals	27	349	
KENTUCKY		Dead	Injured
Beaumont	8	50	
Holland	3	10	
Lakeland	3	40	
Springfield	1	25	
Lexington	1	6	
Bridgeport	1	10	
Totals	18	131	
Grand totals	823	2,990	

for protection against the storm than anything else, so far as I could see.

"I went directly to the schoolhouse, after running and walking two and a half miles, and the first thing I saw there was the bodies of about twenty little children laid out on mattresses and blankets. There was no one there to claim them, so I thought the people whom I had seen on the road were their parents, but I learned later that the children's parents had been killed or injured, and those who were not dead were being hurried by automobile, special relief train and ambulances to hospitals in Carbondale and Duquoin.

"The principal of the school was there trying to identify the bodies of the pupils. He also was worrying over the safety of two girl teachers who were unaccounted for. The principal was bloody from his injuries and staggered in his walk. He had barely escaped with his life.

Carried Bodies From Ruins.

"About twenty-five bodies of school children were piled up just outside the playgrounds, and a search was being made for others in the ruins. While I stood there they took some of the bodies away and brought others out of the building, which by then was a mass of smoldering ruins, fire having destroyed what the cyclone did not.

"The hallway of the school had caved in, and what few rescuers were on hand were trying to uncover other bodies of pupils and locate the two missing teachers.

"I walked out beyond the school grounds and near the city limits I saw the bodies of two babies, apparently about six or eight months old. They were dead and their baby clothes had been torn from them.

Sees People Fleeing Town.

"Every tree that was left standing and every fence had garments, bedclothes and household goods hurled against the west side of them. This indicated the storm traveled eastward. I saw furniture, automobile tops and clothing scattered everywhere, and saw many people fleeing from the town with hardly any garments.

"The business section was practically destroyed by fire and wind and nearly every home was flat on the ground.

"I saw about forty automobiles piled up in one big pile and thought this was a garage that had been struck.

"Then I saw another car just outside of town that looked like the people were trying to get away, but had failed. The car had blown from the road over to the railroad right of way and was wrecked, but I could find no bodies.

Firemen Aid in Rescue Work.

"I offered what help I could, and they told me the bodies were first taken south to Carbondale, but that the hospital there was soon filled and they then took the injured to the Duquoin hospital, north of De Soto.

"Automobiles were stretched along the hard roads north and south of De Soto for nearly three miles, a short time after the cyclone.

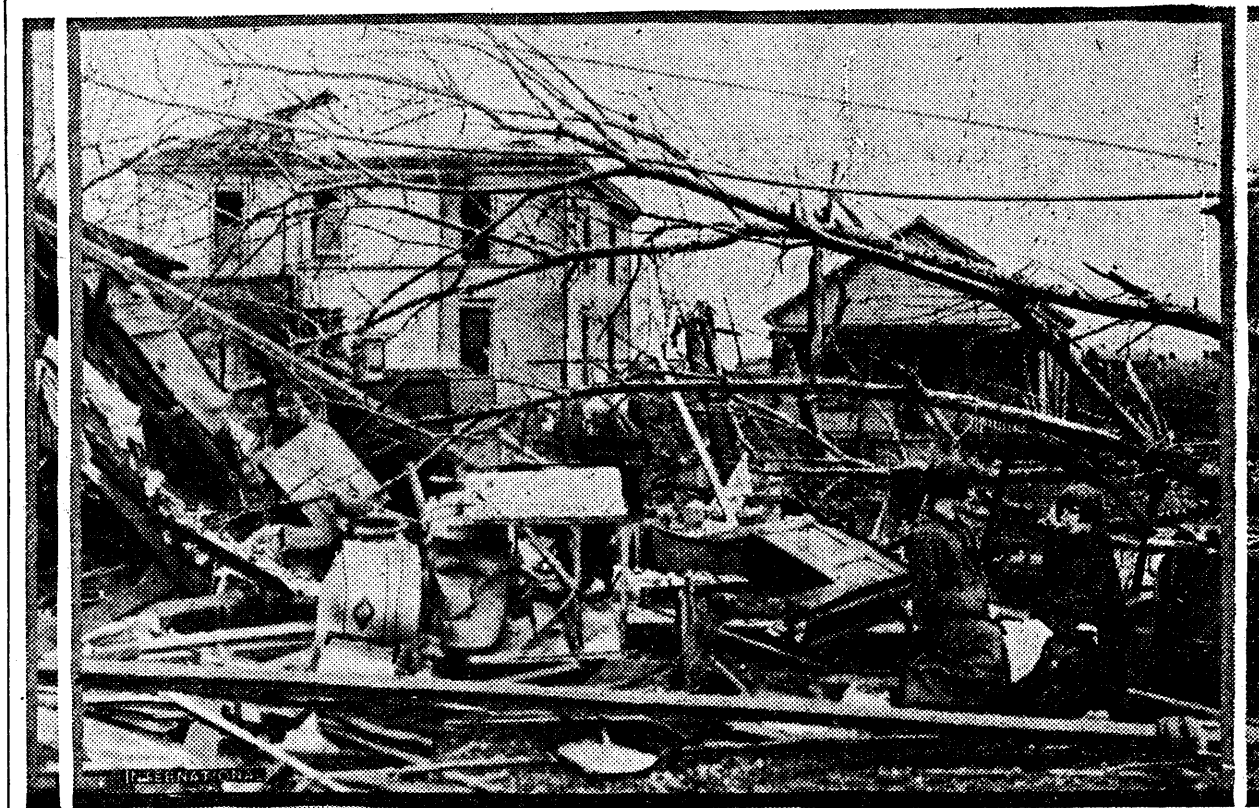
"The fire departments of Duquoin and Carbondale were sent to De Soto, but they were unable to do anything and the firemen pitched in to do rescue work."

Logan School, Murphysboro, Ill., Razed by Tornado



Late estimates are that 83 pupils were killed when the tornado struck this building, known as the Logan school. Besides the many killed when the twister demolished the building, scores were so badly injured that a number have since died.

Viewing What Had Been Their Home



Murphysboro (Ill.) School Building



ONE OF MANY VICTIMS



Homes Destroyed by Tornado



Order Comes First

Order is the sanity of the mind, the health of the body, the peace of the city, the security of the state. As the beams to a house, as the bones to the body, so is order to all things.—Southey.

Not Bidding

"Any part of the city for 50 cents!" yelled the taxi driver.

"You can't sting me again," retorted Silas. "I bought the city hall last year and they wouldn't give it to me."

Odd and Interesting

The melting point of thorium oxide, the substance of which gas mantles are made, is more than 6,000 degrees Fahrenheit, approximately twice as high as the melting point of platinum.

John Taylor came riding into Maysville, Ky., from his home near Higginsport, Ohio, on an old-time hearse, into which he had loaded 980 pounds of tobacco. Taylor said this was his first tobacco crop, and since he did not have a wagon he borrowed the hearse from the undertaker.

Power in Good Clothes

When a man goes in for better clothes he courts higher things. A change of suits may mean a change of luck. A clean shirt tickles the ribs. Good clothes make a good impression and good impressions win the day. The right man with the right suit makes the pomp of emperors seem ridiculous. Good clothes are the bootstraps by which a man pulls himself up in life. Personality is a great deal, but personality plus clothes is a pat hand.—Progressive Tailor.

Presidential Expenses

The White House with its furnishings, servants, automobiles and other appurtenances are furnished to the President free of charge. Appropriations are made by congress for these matters of expense. The President, however, pays for all food consumed in the White House and in the event of desiring any personal services not provided for by the appropriation would pay for them also from his private funds.

Help That Achy Back!

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Nation's Advance
Wealth statistics were first taken in the United States in 1850. At that time the wealth of the country was \$7,135,780,000. In 1922, the total wealth had risen to \$320,803,860,000 while the per capita wealth has risen from \$307.69 to \$2,918.

Up to Date
Lyric Writer—Whatcha doin' now? Composer—I'm rewriting all this barber-shop music to include parts for soprano and contralto voices.

Lucullus Gives Credit
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Broken Harmony

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Miss Davies, Mrs. Stockley's only remaining sister, placed a marker in her book; then laid it down upon a small table. Her face assumed the complacent expression of one about to perform a pleasant duty in accordance with her conscience.

"I think," she observed decisively, "Hugh should be warned."

Mrs. Stockley glanced up from the stole she was embroidering. "About what?" she asked.

"Barbara."

Her sister made a gesture of annoyance, which caused her to prick her finger; this increased her irritation.

"I wish you would for once be explicit, Mary! You have thrown out dark hints about Barbara ever since we heard of her rescue. Why should Hugh be warned?"

"Are you so stupidly dense as you appear, Alice? Or are you wilfully blinding yourself?"

"I am no more stupid than the rest of my family, I hope!" snapped Mrs. Stockley, with much meaning.

"Well, then," continued her sister, ignoring this improbability, "you must realize that Barbara will most likely return—very changed. Indeed, from her one letter there seems no doubt about it. That was queer—very queer!"

Mrs. Stockley impatiently hunted among bundles of colored silks. "Of course she will be changed. She is two years older and has suffered ghastly experiences. She was very ill at Singapore; you couldn't expect long chatty letters!"

She spoke with unusual asperity. Two years of her sister's undiluted companionship had increased an inherent instinct toward contradiction, while developing a self-defensive alertness. Both were necessary in the radius of two sharp eyes ever quizzing through their lorgnette, two ears which seemingly reached all over the house, and a caustic tongue ready to reduce other people's follies or few ideas to shreds. Such gifts used at the expense of common acquaintances are a different matter, of course.

"Ah!" Miss Davies returned to the promptings of conscience with renewed relish. "You are as blind as Hugh, Alice. I saw him this afternoon, quite excited over meeting her tomorrow. He wants to have the wedding after Christmas . . . of course it was not my business to say anything!"

Whether this self-discipline could have been maintained had not other people been present, is open to question.

"You don't understand Bab as well as Hugh and I do, you see," returned her sister complacently.

"No," she agreed, "but I understand Man!" Her lips closed with a snap, to give effect to the world of meaning in her words. "Don't you realize, Alice, that Barbara was attractive? And she has been flung, unchaperoned, for two years, into the society of a man who—well—had extremely loose ideas, and Bohemian ways—a man whose influence would be most questionable for any young girl."

Mrs. Stockley flushed. "Are you insinuating that Bab would be weak enough to allow him to influence her? After her careful upbringing, too? Why—looseness of any sort would be abhorrent to her! Her surroundings have always been strictly moral."

"I don't insinuate anything; but I wouldn't trust that man far, in such circumstances! We have yet to learn how he behaved."

"She did not allude to him in her letter."

"No. But—she did her utmost to get taken back to search for his body! Surely her chief desire should have been to hurry home to Hugh?"

Mrs. Stockley smiled impatiently. "You are making mountains from molehills, Mary! She did that purely from humanitarian motives; it was only right and natural. Hugh thought so. He liked Captain Croft."

"Hugh is too trustful; that's why I am sorry for him. Frankly, Alice, I do not believe a man and woman could live in such isolation without coming to grief. I have seen too much of human nature."

"My dear Mary! what do you mean? You don't—"

Her sister held up a dignified hand to stop all interruption. "You must face it, Alice! Everybody is talking and wondering. Of course, it depends entirely upon the man. I don't imply that all men are beasts—as some women would who had seen as much of the world as I have. If he had a strong spiritual nature—a clergyman, perhaps. But that man!" She pursed her lips.

Mrs. Stockley gazed at her, her own face paling, her finger twitching the forgotten stole.

"Coming to grief!" she repeated, horrified. "Do you dare suggest my daughter would so disgrace her name and family as to allow—My dear Mary! it is preposterous! I would disown such a child. But Barbara! Why, I would trust her alone with any man, for forty years! She wouldn't dream of such things. Besides, Captain Croft was Mrs. Field's cousin, of good family himself—"

Martha, the old servant, hustled in at this moment with bedroom candles. She plumped them down upon the table, and her old face beamed at an excuse for garrulity over Barbara's return. When, snubbed, she departed,

Mrs. Stockley faced her sister, candle in hand, with an air of outraged dignity.

"Mary!" she said, "your conversation tonight has shocked me inexplicably! I insist on your never breathing a word of your suspicions—either to Hugh or Barbara. If she has any—painful memories—she will confide in me. Of course, I did not know Captain Croft well, nor like him; but—poor child! Her sufferings may have been worse than I ever imagined. Good night!"

With unusual decision she opened the drawing room door, and went to bed. But she lay long awake thinking over her sister's remarks. One alone stood out clearly, gathering force with every minute: "Everybody is talking and wondering."

Everybody eagerly devoured all scraps of news; but the supply was scanty. After being brought to Singapore, the heroine remained there, ill, unable to be moved for a time. . . . A certain reticence surrounded this illness, prostration being given as the natural cause. No trace of a white man's body was found by the expedition sent, post-haste, to search the island. Only the charred remains of a hut, and a few dead natives, were discovered in the north. In the south, a small tribe of ferocious, armed savages offered a wildly hostile reception, making approach difficult, refusing any information other than a poisoned arrow. Babooma had presumably recovered and wreaked his vengeance upon the body of his late antagonist.

When well enough, the girl had implored frantically, as one distraught, for facilities to return, herself, to search. This awakened a new interest, adding piquancy to the situation. But



Impatience Was a Novelty.

such quixotic madness could not be indulged by level-headed authorities. What could a girl accomplish where hosts of men had failed? No! The island had been thoroughly explored. The hostile faction of the natives was in possession; her return would be mere suicide, or worse. She was sent to England as soon as practicable.

But the De Borceau brothers, ever thirsting for adventure, understanding perhaps more of her sufferings and the true facts than they chose to publish, carried out to the end their oath to Croft. Only on the boat did they bid her farewell—then they returned to their charts and their seaplane. Nothing save death, so they vowed to her, in their exuberant French fashion, should deter them from learning final news of the man whose personality had won their generous admiration.

The key to more intimate, romantic drama was not forthcoming. Speculation flourished. What would be likely to happen in such circumstances? Would propinquity bring love in its train? And, if so—This entailed endless discussion, heated arguments. What would be right, and what wrong? Which would need most courage: to resist or—There were women who thought the reverse.

The fact of the girl being already engaged shed a further glamor of the dramatic over the adventure, making the uncertainty all the greater. Perhaps no problem had arisen after all. . . . But if it had? Did the two themselves have clear convictions on either side; and, above all, courage to be true to them?

This was the vital point all longed to know. The pair became invested with romance. . . . Women laid their heads together and wondered. . . . Dark surmises were murmured concerning that illness at Singapore. . . . Sentimental girls forgot their matinee or cinema idols and cut Croft's photograph out of newspapers, half-wishing they themselves had been wrecked with him. . . .

Meanwhile, through the darkness of winter nights and drabness of monotonous days, the ship plowed her way to England which bore one from the closed gates of an "earthly paradise," with agonized eyes still dazzled by the

lights she had left there, to trim the little lamps of her Darbury home.

II

The boat train was late. Little groups of people, wrapped in heavy coats and furs, stood about the platform at Charing Cross chatting together; or promenaded slowly, eying their fellows with furtive interest, or absorbed in their own reflections.

Hugh became convinced that both the station clock and his wrist-watch had stopped; yet the watch appeared to be ticking when, every few moments, he exclaimed it. He sighed, turned on his heel, and for the twentieth time started to walk the length of the platform and back. Impatience was a novelty, also the state of excitement in which he found himself: he hardly knew how to cope with such sensations.

Two years in his usual comfortable groove had changed Hugh very little. He managed his father's property, hunted, shot, played games, as of yore. If the tragic loss of Barbara had taken the keen edge from his enjoyment of life, making him a little older and graver, it had not destroyed his interests in the wholesome occupations which came his way. After the first shock had abated, he found himself a forlorn hero among his many friends, who took him to their hearts and filled his days so that brooding became impossible. Perhaps more than mere sympathy lurked within the minds of mothers with marriageable daughters; but that suspicion never penetrated his brain. The girl who was part of his very life had gone: to none other did he give a moment's thought.

And now this Twentieth century miracle had happened! After what seemed a dull dream he awoke just where he was, when, so to speak, he fell asleep. His feelings were absolutely unchanged, except, perhaps, that they were intensified by loss. The possibility of any alteration in their relationship never even occurred to him. As has been mentioned before, he was not blessed—or cursed—with imagination.

When he had nearly reached the barrier, a sudden tension became apparent everywhere: conversations ceased, heads all turned one way, a flutter of expectancy passed over the scattered groups.

Hugh turned quickly. The huge engine, approaching, glided slowly alongside the platform, followed by the train which brought far travelers home again from distant lands. . . .

Within a few minutes all was bustle and hurry. The platform swarmed with excited passengers, harassed porters, barrows, luggage. . . .

He searched hither and thither for the figure he sought, anxiety slowly rising within him. As the crowd thinned, he took up his position just inside the barrier, where she was bound to come. Peering through the murky light, he hastily scanned each face that passed, without success. When at last but a few stragglers remained, he made his way further down the platform a dull feeling of disappointment adding to his anxiety.

Casualty his glance traveled over a thin figure in a dark coat and hat, seated upon a bench, a kindly, gray-haired porter standing near, suitcase in hand. . . . As he passed by, a voice he had once thought never to hear again caused him to turn sharply, with a leap of the heart.

"I shall be better in a minute. . . . Thank you, porter. . . ."

"Bab!" With probably the quickest movement of his life, Hugh reached the seat and seized the girl's trembling hands in his own. . . . Then all other words of greeting faded upon his lips: he was conscious of a sense of shock, a nameless apprehension.

The general features of the face quickly raised were those he knew; but that was all. This woman with the heavy, haunted-looking eyes, the strained set lips, the curious rigidity of expression, bore no resemblance to the sweet-faced, impulsive girl who had clung round his neck at parting, in the cabin of the airplane. He felt checked, curiously embarrassed, as if with a stranger. Still clasping her hands, he gazed at her silently, noting with alarm the ashen hue spreading even to her lips.

Several times she essayed to speak, and failed. The porter, scenting romance, discreetly moved a few steps away. . . . At last Hugh heard his name uttered, again and again, in a voice so charged with misery that his apprehensions deepened, and a sudden mistiness enveloped the surrounding scene. For she was clinging to his hands like one in deep torment who, for the first time amid a storm of suffering, finds the anchor of an old friend. . . . And yet he received the impression of fear in her manner; she seemed loath to meet his gaze, unable to talk to him. . . . He was frankly puzzled; but an Englishman, with his horror of scenes, can be trusted to bridge over any threatening chasms.

Sending the porter for a taxi, he sat down by her side, still holding her hands, and took refuge in the prosaic. "Come and have some tea—or brandy—or something, Bab," he suggested. "There's just time."

She shook her head. "But—you—you—dash it all! You don't look fit to travel. What is it, dear?"

"I—shall be all right," she breathed. "We had a bad crossing. I—caught cold. That's all, Hugh."

He watched her with puckered brow. "What made you leave the boat at Marseilles and come overland?"

"I hated it!" she cried huskily, freeing her hands. "It was all—unbearable—day after day—the monotony, the people—oh! I hated it all!" Her eyes roved wildly over the platform, then she abruptly turned toward him. "I want Mrs. Field. Is she in London, or at Darbury?"

"Neither. She's in Russia."

The girl's hands twined convulsively together, and she said no more. It was a relief to both when the porter appeared to lead them to the waiting taxi. By this sudden act of traveling overland, she had successfully thwarted publicity. No curiosity was evinced in her arrival. She sank back in a corner, with throbbing head, bewildered by the noise around. It all seemed part of the nightmare which had been going on for so long, in which various parts of her anatomy moved, spoke, ate and slept, while she herself was numbed or dead. The movements around appeared as unreal and detached as the life of a gay city to one lying, blind and pain-stricken, in a darkened room.

Hugh turned to put his arms about her, as they drove away—but again something intangible checked him; instead, he took her hand once more, almost shyly, and leaned toward her. "Bab," he asked diffidently, "won't you—aren't you going to kiss me? After all this time?"

She drew away quickly, sharply. For a moment she laid her hand upon the door, with the mad instinct to escape which some trapped animal might feel on its way to the zoo, its heart ever away in the wilds with its lost mate. . . . Then, drawing a long quivering breath, she leaned back and looked up at him. In the light from passing vehicles, she saw the hurt wonder on his face. . . .

All at once the cold rigidity encompassing her heart relaxed. With trembling lips, and eyes swimming in sudden tears, she laid her free hand on his.

"Hughie!" she muttered brokenly, "you must bear with me. So much has happened. I have to tell you. . . . I—I'm not—I don't—" The words quavered away into silence. How was it possible, at this first moment of meeting, to blurt out the bald statements which would shatter his pathetic happiness and trust? She could not bear, yet, to allude to what had become a sacred memory full of poignant, exquisite pain. "I can't tell you everything—here," she continued. "Oh! I can't speak of it all—yet, Hugh! Don't ask me. It—it is so—unbearable—" Again her voice died away.

Hugh pressed the hands in his, and laid them against his cheek.

"Darling old girl! Has it been as bad as all that?"

He had, she knew, entirely misunderstood; but she made no comment. Explanations were impossible, just then. This meeting, fraught with such irony and tragedy, had bewildered her. Hugh's presence, with its present strangeness and odd sense of familiarity, brought with it a sense of shock, reducing her preconceived ideas of it to chaos.

When they reached Waterloo, she nerved herself to put the question she scarcely dared to frame—that which was her only interest in life at present.

"Has any news reached England—yet—from De Borceau?"

Hugh looked grave and shook his head.

"Of—Croft, you mean? No. Poor fellow. . . . I suppose—I say—Bab—"

"Yes?"

"I suppose—I've sometimes wondered—was Croft quite—decent to you, all the time?"

A harsh caricature of a laugh jarred on his ears.

"Yes. Oh! Quite—decent!"

Hugh knitted his brow at her tone. "You are sure? He—looked after you, I mean, and did all he could?"

"Oh, yes, yes! He—did all he possibly could."

"It was a beastly position for you both. Especially as you didn't like him—"

"Here's the station!" she exclaimed, with a quick breath of relief. The taxi drew up at the pavement, and a porter opened the door. . . .

The train was rather full; but the presence of others in their carriage was a boon to Barbara. Hugh had sunk so far into the background that, in her recent anguish, the consideration of their position had held no place. Robbed with such cruel suddenness of both Alan and her future motherhood, there had been no room, in the bitterness of her heart, for thoughts of the empty years ahead. Every throb of the engines bringing her away increased the passionate craving to return—to search every nook and corner of the island for remains of the man who meant more than life to her; then to lie down beside them and die, herself.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

The Wonderful Baby

"Now, then, ladies and gents," shouted the rosy-faced showman, "walk up an' see the most wonderful baby on earth! The charge for admission is only sixpence. Walk up! Walk up!"

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"Well," said the showman, getting near an aperture in the booth, "all I can say is that its mother says it's the most wonderful baby on earth, an' if she doesn't know who does? You'll have to take the lady's word for it!" he yelled as he dodged an empty bottle and disappeared from view.—*London Tit-Bits.*

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"Mrs. Goltmeus gallop ans sezet suns jukum hom pliz galerop sez no mer howlyt agonbi sez galerop."

The meaning of this is: "Mrs. Goltmeus called up, and says that soon as you come (jukum) home please call her up. Says no matter how late it's going to be, says call her up."—*Christian Evangelist.*

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Vegetable Compound that I told my husband I would try it before I gave up. I soon began to feel that it was doing me good. The awful misery began to leave me, also the backache. I have a good appetite and am gaining in weight. Taking the medicine was the best thing I ever did. I feel like it has saved my life and I do not hesitate to say so to my friends. At least it saved me from a dreaded operation and I am still taking it. I am willing to answer letters from women asking about the medicine."
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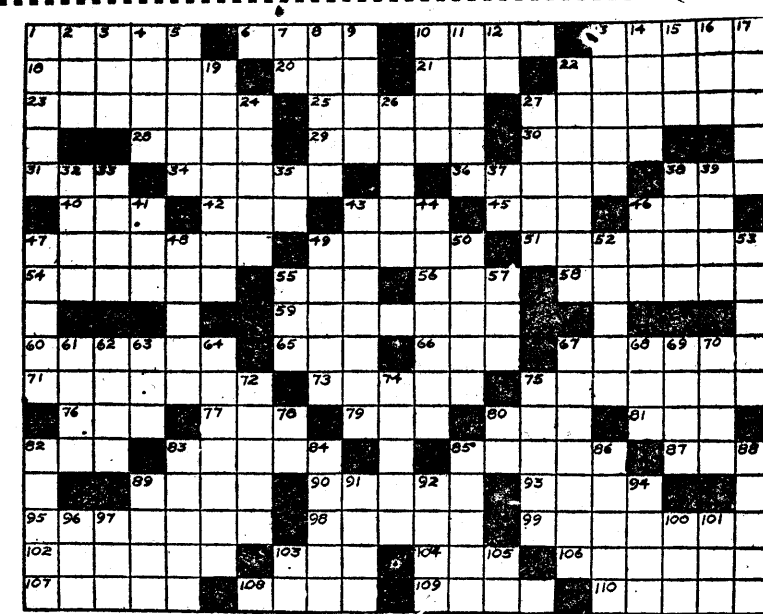
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CROSS-WORD PUZZLE



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Horizontal.

- 1—Footgear
- 6—Every
- 10—The smallest amount
- 18—The floor of a fireplace
- 20—Also
- 21—A kettle
- 22—One who carries something
- 23—Items of record
- 25—Pertaining to a pole
- 27—To pass from one place to another
- 28—To break short
- 29—Exhausted
- 30—Jewel
- 31—Rule established by authority
- 34—Cian
- 36—Hostelry
- 38—Extremity
- 40—Domestic animal
- 42—Instrument used to operate a lock
- 43—Snare
- 45—Color
- 46—Bustle
- 47—Marks made by folding
- 49—Sort of skeleton found in the sea
- 51—Striking gently
- 54—Piece of instruction
- 55—Sort of preserved fruit
- 56—Pouch
- 58—Epiatle
- 59—To enliven
- 60—Body of land surrounded by water
- 65—Hastened
- 66—An edge
- 67—Rapacious bird
- 71—To wind, as a brook
- 73—Burdened
- 75—Small dagger
- 76—To set free of
- 77—Horse
- 78—To allow
- 80—Correlative of "neither"
- 81—Period of time
- 82—A possessive pronoun
- 83—A delicious drink
- 85—Arbor
- 87—A measure of length
- 89—Entrance
- 90—Machine which gives motion
- 92—At any time
- 95—Tells
- 98—A variety of quarts
- 99—Dwells
- 102—Fastened
- 103—Bond
- 104—Tag
- 106—Recollect
- 107—Older
- 108—The fruit of the pine tree
- 109—Lyric poems
- 110—An aromatic herb

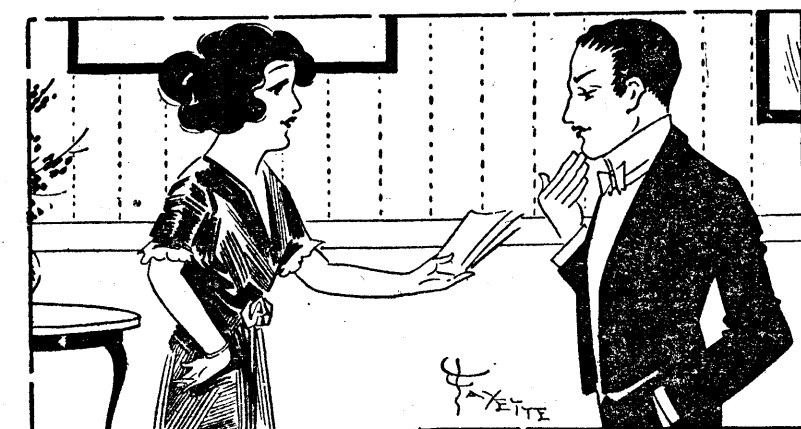
Vertical.

- 1—Hard covering
- 2—Female fowl
- 3—Grain
- 4—Slap
- 5—Provide for meagerly
- 7—Near
- 8—Thicket
- 9—Metal or wooden band
- 10—Short space of time
- 11—Merit
- 12—Neuter pronoun
- 13—According to law
- 14—A nobleman
- 15—A southern constellation
- 16—Fixed
- 17—Inclination

HOW TO SOLVE A CROSS-WORD PUZZLE

When the correct letters are placed in the white spaces this puzzle will spell words both vertically and horizontally. The first letter in each word is indicated by a number, which refers to the definition listed below the puzzle. Thus No. 1 under the column headed "horizontal" defines a word which will fill the white spaces up to the first black square to the right, and a number under "vertical" defines a word which will fill the white squares to the next black one below. No letters go in the black spaces. All words used are dictionary words, except proper names. Abbreviations, slang, initials, technical terms and obsolete forms are indicated in the definitions.

LOOKS DIFFERENT NOW



Mrs. Bride—You shouldn't complain about these little bills. Before we were married you liked to see me wear pretty things.
Her Husband—Sure! But your father paid for 'em then.

Cattle and Poultry as Weather Prophets

Can meteorologists, even with the aid of wireless, forecast weather with more accuracy than country folk who watch nature's own barometers? If cattle in a field scratch themselves vigorously, or stand with their tails to the wind the countryman will tell you it is going to rain and his prediction is invariably correct. If the fowls come out to feed on a wet morning there is little chance of it clearing up that day, says the Flower Grower. The appearance of toads, frogs and earthworms in unusual numbers invariably means rain, and so do the singing of blackbirds, the falling of

sort or the creaking of furniture. If the ants in the garden build their walls frequently or the house sparrow keeps to the ridge country residents prepare for rain, though if birds frequent the eaves they will confidently prophesy fine weather.
Storms from the northwest or southwest are usually brief, but a storm from the northeast is likely to be long and severe. A veering wind brings fine weather, a backing wind means rain. These are the countryman's barometer. Their significance is based upon the observation and experience of centuries, and the forecast made from them is quite as reliable as any issued from the meteorological observatories.

World Reads, and Asks "What's Next?"

How time and events verify the adage that truth is, indeed, stranger than fiction!

We travel under the seas and high above the clouds. We talk through the air and send pictures via space. Things that would have sent anyone who proposed them years ago to death for witchcraft are the commonplace of everyday life, familiar to every boy and girl, observes the Philadelphia Bulletin.

Two men with only a leg between them commit a burglary. A locomotive kills a huge eagle. A dog with a wooden leg goes through a fire with only the loss of the leg. The tones of a harmonica bring memory back to a wandering mind that had lost its identity. A thief promises to give back \$100,000 of \$500,000 he stole. A woman's car plunges 150 feet and she lives. A horse hurts an opera singer on the stage. And a man who built a \$7,000,000 business in twenty years gives it to his employees.

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Old Chestnuts Enjoyed

More than 23 years ago Sally Reid, a farmer's daughter living near Richmond, W. Va., gathered a box of chestnuts and sent them to Henry Holt, a farmer boy living near Gauley Bridge. Recently the girl, who is now Mrs. Henry Holt, found the chestnuts hidden away in an old trunk owned by her husband. They were well preserved and good tasting.

No Pew in Cathedral

The prevailing style of the Cathedral of St. John the Divine is French-Gothic. One of the characteristic features is that there will be no pews, but movable benches will be used instead, as in the old cathedrals. There will be a seating capacity of 7,000, with standing accommodations for several thousand more.

Willie Knows

Hostess—"What part of the chicken do you like, Willie?" Willie—"I'll have some of the meat, please."

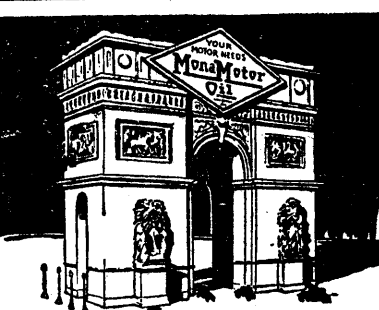
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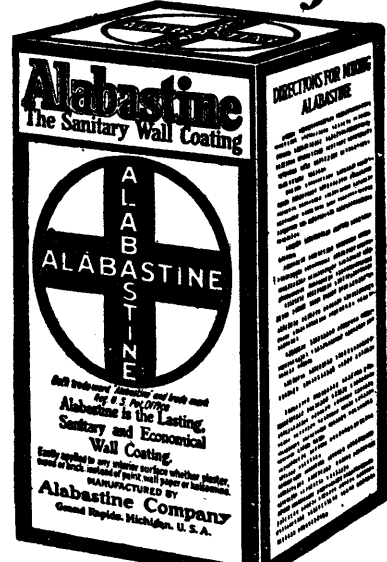
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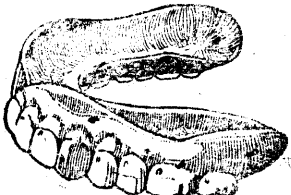
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Fruit Belt Farm, 1 mile South of Paw Paw

19 Holsteins

1 bull, 7 yrs old

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Some very fine types, good breeding, choice animals

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Three, 2 to 3 years old. Four, 6 years and upwards, bred to Registered Bull

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Editor's Girl

"Oh, give to me," the lover sighed.
"Within your heart a place."
The literary lass replied,
"Declined for lack of space."

Wise Enough

Friend—Why do you have such misspelled words and ungrammatical signs in your front window?

Sharp Merchant—People think I'm a dunce and come in to swindle me. Trade's just booming.—The Progressive Grocer.

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"I rejected Cholly. He now says he is desperate. Do you think he really is?"

"They often are. Next thing you know, he probably will marry your best chum."

Combination

"Say, Bill," begged a friend, "I'd like to know why you married that Cooper widow."

"Well," said the newly-wed frankly, "I had a car and she had a filling station."—Good Hardware.

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Philosopher—I contend that a married man is always better informed than a single man.

Cynic—Naturally. What he doesn't know his wife tells him.

AN INVARIABLE RULE



Customer—Eight dollars is too much for a pair of silk suspenders to hold up a pair of six-dollar pants.

Salesman—That's the way it always is; the cheaper the initial cost, the greater the upkeep.

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One day, as I chanced to pass,
A beaver was damming a river.
And a man who had run out of gas,
Was doing the same to his liver.

Serious Question

Governess—Methuselah was nine hundred years old.

Robin—What happened to all his birthday and Christmas presents?—The Humorist.

Matched

"Would you say that Lord Dead-broke and Gladys are a good match?"

"In one sense, anyway. Her assets and his liabilities are about the same figure."

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Quality and Service

Get

100 per cent

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Having rented, will sell at the farm 3 1/2 mi north and east of Kendall

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Commencing at 10:00 sharp, the following described property:

Horses, Cows, Chickens and Produce

Horse, weight 1700, 12 yr old

Two-year old mule

3 cows

Chickens

Hay, corn and oats

Early seed potatoes

Implements

Deering binder

International hay tedder

McCormick mowing machine

2 corn shellers, one and two hole

Osborn hay rake

Wagon

Two Osborn spring tooth harrows, 15 and 17 tooth

Stock and hay rack

Set bob sleighs

3 sets Work harness

Top buggy

2-horse walking Oliver cultivator

Riding Oliver cultivator

John Deere Cultipacker

Oliver riding plow

Gale G2 walking plow

Power cutting box

Clipper fanning mill

10-inch International feed grinder, complete with

elevator

Portland cutter

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100 gallon half-round wood tank

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Corn planter

Potato planter

Spike tooth harrow

Set farm trucks

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A GOOD FREE LUNCH WILL BE SERVED AT NOON

Terms:

All sums of \$10 and under cash. Over that amount 6 months time will be given on good approved notes with interest at 7 per cent. No property will be removed until settled for.

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Hudson & Son

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Complete, up-to-date showing in these lines. All Hudson Quality at low prices. Insist on seeing these shoes and don't forget to ask the price. We will have some surprises at our store every week and sometimes twice a week. Watch our ads for real bargains. Have arranged our goods to make shopping easy for you.

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3 pkgs Macaroni	25c
5 bars P G Soap	23c
2 pkgs Climax Wall Paper Cleaner	23c
18 oz can Domino Syrup	10c
2 lbs 6 oz Apple Butter	35c
70c Ratine	59c
Printed Lingerie Crepe	26c

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2 lbs Swift's Naptha Soap Flakes, none better and a bargain at this price. Only	25c
Fine Red Alaska Salmon. Good quality and this price has not been beaten for some time. Regular 35c can, bargain for	29c
Aunt Dinah Cooking Molasses, the best dark New Orleans Molasses made, No. 3 can for	22c
Sardines in tomato sauce	18c
SOAP SPECIALS	
2 big bargains in soap. 10 bars of Luna Soap 44c. A fine bar of soap for the money and a big seller with us.	
P G Soap. Everybody knows how good this soap is. Look at the price, then buy this deal.	
22 bars for	98c
C-IT for washing windows, no soap or water needed. Makes glass shine and much less work. All users are boosters. 25c can goes a long ways. Per can	22c
4 rolls crepe Toilet Paper	25c
Kipperd Herring, per can	18c
Try them, they are fine	

NEW Printed Silks and Press Crepe

Beauty Chenes and other New Dress Goods. New Corsets including the silk lined rubber reducing ones. New Millinery Galore. Most complete line of choice Ladies Head Wear we have ever shown. Summer Underwear, Overalls and Work and Dress Shoes. Come in often, it will pay you well. IF ITS NEW ITS HERE.

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2 pkgs Shredded Wheat	26c	Good Perceles in 3 yd or more, lots	17c
2 cans 15c Cooked Spaghetti	26c	Bleached Toweling, 2 yards	25c
3 pkgs Jello	25c	Embroidery Voiles \$1 85 values	\$1.35
Seeded or seedless Raisins	12c	Check Ratines, 85c values	69c
Good Clothes Line	25c		
A few sizes in Corsets to close cheap			

See Blackboard for Sugar Specials

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H. W. TAYLOR, Resident Manager

MYERS STORE NEWS

ANOTHER COFFEE SALE

If you miss it you will miss it for a long time. We have another 100 lbs that we are going to offer again for ONE DAY only at the LOW price of 38c a pound. This coffee could not be bought at present prices to sell for less than 50c a pound.

Saturday is the day

Get in and buy all you will need for some time. Were you in on our Sugar Special last Saturday? Better watch your step. Here are a few to go along with those SPECIALS that are on our tables all the time.

A 50c Bulk Coffee for	38c	Wheatena	23c
Myers Old Time Coffee	50c	Pkg Washburn or Pillsbury bran	23c
A fine Sanburtus bulk coffee	45c	Can Templar brand Lima Beans	14c
2 lbs Good Luck Oleo	60c	Nyal's Wild Cherry Compound, 25c size	
Lighthouse Soap Flakes	9c	20c, 50c size	40c

Stock Food, Spray Material, etc.
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We Cure Our Own Hams and Bacon

Kill our own Beef and Pork. Corn our beef and make our sausage. We have prepared a wonderful supply for

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Two used Fordson Tractors
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Use Idaho High Altitude Alfalfa and you will be well pleased with the results

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and shipping about a car a day

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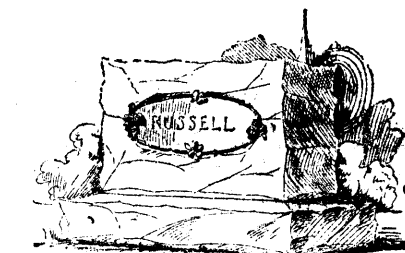
We put 7 cars of it in our Mentha Warehouse this past week and have got faith enough in this Brand to know we will sell all of that and more. Do you see anyone else around these parts putting in 7 cars at once?

A. M. Todd Co.

Mentha

Now that old winter is past and gone
And we can hear the bluebird's song;
A nice new spring is just in sight,
We hail its coming with delight.
Must be that someone lost their bet
For the old world's end is not quite yet.
And its time to attend to some repairs
While not engaged in other affairs.
What will you do with that old roof
You thought last year was good enough--
SHINGLES?

J. L. Clement & Sons



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To have confidence in ourselves and our ability.
To never take advantage of customer's lack of information.
To represent our memorials for exactly what they are.
To advertise nothing but the truth.
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The hay market is still weak, but we are buying and paying the very top. Phone us.

Plenty of Good Hard A1 Corn For Sale

that can be tested for seed. All grown on sandy loam from Certified Seed. It is a fine white Dent. We have some samples at the Co-op at Gobles and Kendall.

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Mentha, Michigan

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"Settling up" on April First is a sound practice you can adopt with profit.
Business men and others are paying their bills--protecting their credit and helping the men from whom they buy.
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"BANKING FRIENDSHIPS THAT ENIRCLE THE COMMUNITY"

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Remember cheap alfalfa seed will winter kill.

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The Watch Dog of Prices and Quality

Vote "Yes" for County Agricultural Agent On April 6th

BECAUSE: He is the representative of the U. S. Department of Agriculture, the State Department, of Agriculture and the Michigan Agricultural College, through whom these institutions work in the County, and is the connecting link between the people who need the services of these institutions and the institutions themselves.

BECAUSE: Van Buren County cannot afford to abolish an office and an officer peculiarly fitted to advise on its Agricultural and Horticultural problems which are varied and of extreme importance. This office and officer forms the rallying point for effective organized effort in solving our problems of Production, Marketing, Home and Community Life.

BECAUSE: Van Buren County cannot afford to lose either the Federal and State money nor the services of the Research and Extension Specialists who have been doing such good work in the County

BECAUSE: The expense is so small that a person would have to be assessed for \$16,000 before it would cost them \$1 per year.

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and see how nice the

Quality Bakery

is arranged to keep all goods clean and convenient for you to select.

We put the Best in Our Baked Goods and serve them to you clean and fresh

Quality Bakery

Herman R. Schowe

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It's the only real way. Also iron, toast, sweep and cook that way. Use electricity for power as well. See us for devices for doing all of these. Irons, Toasters, Cleaners, Stoves and Motors.

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Chas. S. Howard, Local Manager

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Your choice 25c |

 12 quart Tin Milk Pails For | 49c | 12 quart Aluminum Pails For | 98c | 1 gallon Anker Holth Separator Oil in bulk For | 49c |

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