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Always open Saturday evenings.

TWEEN THE LAKES.

By MAT D. BLOSSER.

Societies.

A YOUNG MAN SHOOTS HIS FETHFUL MISTRESS AND FIRES A BULLET INTO HIS BRAIN—A PARDON FOR HARRY DALE—TEACHERS' AND JUDGES' CONVENTIONS

TRAGICAL DOUBLE SHOOTING AT DETROIT. A young man and a young woman stepped into a drug store on Jefferson avenue, Detroit, and telephoned to Emergency hospital for an ambulance to take two wounded persons to the hospital. When it arrived the attending physician was surprised to have the young couple present themselves as the wounded ones. They were apparently quite weak and examination showed that each had a bullet wound in the head. At the hospital they gave the names of Myrtle Cramer, aged 18, of Grand Ledge, and Edward Travers, aged 22, of Detroit. The girl says they had spent the night at a rooming house and when they awoke in the morning Travers shot her and then sent bullet into his own brain. She said she was willing for him to kill her and had submitted to previous attempts under similar circumstances. Once he had tried to strangle her and another time opened an artery in her wrist. The girl had been working in Detroit about two months. She will recover, but Travers will probably die.

A WICKED OLD SINNER.

Michigan and Indiana officers are after a man, aged about 65, who gave the names of George W. Clark, W. B. Sherman, George La Blanche and W. T. Frick. "Clark" is credited by LaPorte, Ind., police with having married three women within 60 days, and of having deserted them as soon as he secured all of the money and valuables he could. The stranger's last conquest was Mrs. Lucy Killam, aged 60, of Kalamazoo. While there he was known as William Sherman. They were married after two months' acquaintance and he left within a month, owing several bills, but taking a big roll of money with him. He dined with her brother in Battle Creek and disappeared, taking a team of horses, a buggy and a lumber wagon, left alleged, from a feed barn in Battle Creek, and has not been seen since. Sheriff Snow is looking for him. Other alleged wives are at Sturgis and Mishawaka, Ind.

ANOTHER BIG FIRE IN DETROIT. Detroit was visited by another disastrous fire that entailed a loss of \$130,000 to half a dozen firms. The old Arcade building, 46-50 West Larned street, the scene of half a dozen serious fires in the last 25 years, was found in flames at 11:52 p. m., and before the department could respond, the structure was enveloped in flames. The basement and the first floor were occupied by W. C. Jupp, paper and printers' supplies; the second floor by Chas. L. Roehm & Sons, bookbinders, and the third floor by F. J. Mains, perfume manufacturer. All of these were completely wiped out by fire and water. The flames broke through into the building occupied by the Detroit Free Press Printing Co., the Habbie Electrotype Co. and minor concerns. The fifth story was ruined and the rear of the fourth badly damaged while the remainder of the structure and contents were soaked with water.

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THE NAMES OF THE VICTIMS.

For Croup,

asthma, bronchitis, or whooping cough, there is no remedy so sure and safe as Dr. Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. From the first dose its healing influence is manifest. The sufferer who has been kept awake by the cough falls into a restful sleep, and awakes strong and refreshed. Dr. Ayer's Cherry Pectoral is acknowledged to be a specific for all pulmonary complaints. Physicians praise and prescribe it.

It is now put up in half size bottles at half price, 50c.

"One of my children had croup. One night I was startled by the child's hard breathing, and on going to it found it strangling. It had nearly ceased to breath. Having a part of a bottle of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral in the house, I gave the child three doses at short intervals, and anxiously waited results. From the moment the Pectoral was given the child's breathing grew easier, and in a short time it was sleeping quietly and breathing naturally. The child is alive and well to-day. Ayer's Cherry Pectoral saved its life."—C. J. WOODRIDGE, Worthen, Texas.

Ayer's Cherry Pectoral.

Father—Seventy-five dollars for a suit of clothes! I never paid that for a suit in my life. Son—Well, you'll have to begin now, father; here's the bill.

Try Grain-O.

Ask your grocer to-day to show you a package of GRAIN-O, the new food drink that takes the place of coffee.

The children may drink it without injury as well as the adult. All who try it like it. GRAIN-O has that rich, brown of Mocha or Java, but it is made from pure grains, and the most delicate stomach receives it without distress.

15 cents and 25 cents per package. Sold by all druggists. Tastes like coffee. Looks like coffee.

He that does good for good's sake seeks neither praise nor reward; but he is sure of both in the end.

It keeps the feet dry and warm. And is the only cure for Chilblains, Frostbites, Damp, Sweating Feet, Corns and Bunions. Ask for Allen's Foot-Ease, a powder to be shaken into the shoes. At all Druggists and Shoe Stores, 25c. Sample sent FREE. Address, Allen S. Olmsted, LeRoy, N. Y.

Good manners are a part of good morals, and it is as much our duty as our interest to practice both.

Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup is pleasant to take, positively harmless to the most delicate constitution, and absolutely sure to cure the most obstinate cough or cold. A household boon.

It is more difficult, and calls for higher energies of soul, to live a martyr than to die one.

Coughing Leads to Consumption.

Kemp's Balsam will stop the cough at once. Go to your druggist to-day and get a sample bottle free. Sold in 25 and 50 cent bottles. Go at once; delays are dangerous.

Ray Kimball, of Whitchall, lost his foot as the result of a hunting accident.

Don't Tobacco Spit and Smoke Your Life Away. To quit tobacco easily and forever, be magnetic, full of life, nerve and vigor, take No-To-Bac, the wonder-worker that makes weak men strong. All druggists, 50c. or \$1. Cure guaranteed. Booklet and sample free. Address Sterling Remedy Co., Chicago or New York.

History is getting almost as bad as a parrot about repeating itself.

Cure Constipation Forever. Take C. C. C. Cascarets Candy Cathartics, 10c. or 25c. M. C. C. fall to cure druggists refund money.

Reflection is a key that unlocks the treasures of the memory.

Star-Tobacco is the leading brand of the world, because it is the best.

A man feels hurt if his wife is not interested in his business; but, oftentimes, he doesn't know the color of her last new dress.

A GREAT EXPENSE
To Carry on an Almost Helpless Fight.

—At Last the Fight is Over.

(From the Battle Creek Moon.)

Our representative called at 26 Battle Creek Avenue, the residence of S. I. Robbins, and in an interview with him brought out the following facts. Mr. Robbins tells of his wife's experience in a manner that carries conviction with his words. He says, "I am sorry my wife is not at home this P. M., but no one knows better than I how she has suffered during past years. For twenty years she has been afflicted with the various forms of kidney complaint and an enlargement of the liver. She was often confined to her bed for more than two weeks at a time suffering untold agony. She has doctor constantly, and I have paid out in doctors' bills for her alone as much as \$900.00, and her relief was only such that she could be able to be around for a spell. Some time ago she felt the symptoms of another attack coming on, such as a pain in the kidneys and back. I hardly know what induced me to get a box of Doan's Kidney Pills, instead of sending for the family physician; however, I got some and she commenced their use. It was a surprise to us both to see their action; the attack was warded off, and she continued taking them with marked improvement each day of their use. She is better now than she has been in years, the pain in the back and others in the kidneys have entirely gone. Hardly a day goes by that we do not mention the great good Doan's Kidney Pills have done her. I was always opposed to patent medicines, but confess that my wife's experience with Doan's Kidney Pills has done much to change my opinions. If it were not for those pills she would not have been able to be out this afternoon."

Doan's Kidney Pills for sale by all dealers—price, 50 cents. Mailed by Foster, Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the U. S. Remember the name, Doan's, and take no other.

California is raising Japanese hemp. London has 4,300 inhabited houses.

No-To-Bac for Fifty Cents. Guaranteed to break habit cure makes weak men strong blood pure. 50c. 10c. All druggists.

London prefers wood pavements. Great Britain has 8,000 teachers.

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ST. JACOB'S OIL CURES NEURALGIA.



The Old and The New Year.



BY FANNY CROSBY.
The grand Old Year is dying,
His hour has come at last;
His brilliant reign is ended,
It's golden days are past.
He shakes the wreath that, withered,
Lies cold upon his brow;
His breath is quick and labored,
His eyes are closing now.
The grand Old year is dying,
He bids the world good night;
A starry veil is lifted
That parts him from our sight.
A sigh of deepest feeling,
A tear, and then a smile,
For scenes of rarest pleasure
Our lonely hearts beguile.
Behold, the New Year cometh!
His face is young and fair;
The merry bells are ringing,
There's music everywhere.
Oh, happy, happy greeting!
Oh, happy, happy day
That lights our path before us
And laughs our cares away.

MR. BENJAMIN DOTTON

ITITTLE POLLY went over to her grandmother's to see Aunt Viny, who had just come from Wisconsin.

"Your Aunt Viny's up-stairs unpacking," said Grandma, "and it's cold there. Stay till she comes down. Here are some peppermints for you."

Grandma handed Polly a little paper bag of peppermints. They were good and strong. Polly liked them.

Ten minutes later in came Polly's mother.

"Where's Viny?" she asked, and then she smelt peppermint. "Polly, Polly!" she said, "come right here. Was that bag full? You'll be sick if you eat another one. Give them to me!"

"Put them here," said Grandma, pointing to an old China tea-caddy on the closet shelf. "That's where I drop notations."

Polly did as Grandma said; for somehow she trusted the caddy more than her mother's pocket. Then her mother carried her off to find Aunt Viny, and after that they went home.

The caddy was a good place for notations. It already held some shoe buttons, a bad quarter, and a recipe for mangoes; also a little pocketbook containing ten cents. That was Ben's. He hid it there when he was going chestnutting, because the clasp was broken. Now Polly's peppermints went in, and presently Grandma, who had been buying nutmegs, put them all into the caddy because Viny was talking, and it confused her.

"Now, mother," said Viny, "I've come home this winter to help you. I'm going to regulate the closet so we shall know where everything is."

"I know where everything is now," said the old lady.

But Viny was already clearing the shelves and putting on fresh papers. Then she set things back methodically.

"This old caddy of nutmegs," she said, "I'll put in the other closet where the eggs are."

"It's hard for notations," said Grandma.

"Oh, well, this cracked sugar bowl will answer for notations. I'll set it



HE MADE HIS BEST BOW TO THE DEAR OLD LADY.

where the caddy was, and drop this lump of alum in it."

So the sugar bowl took the place of the caddy, and when Ben looked for his pocketbook it was not there, so he thought he did not remember right. It was disappointing, for he wanted ten cents to buy a ball. Still, that did not matter, for next day it was

straps he wanted, and the next he had a chance to buy another boy's knif. But he couldn't find the pocketbook.

Perhaps Polly took cold the day she went where Aunt Viny was unpacking. She had a sore throat, and wore flannel around her neck for two weeks. The next time she went to her grandmother's it was Christmas. There was roast goose for dinner and all kind of pie. Ben was there. He had never found his ten cents. If he had, he would perhaps have bought a sugarado for Polly.

While the folks sat around the fire talking, Polly, perched in a tall chair with nothing to do, had a sudden memory.

She got down, ran to the kitchen closet, and saw the sugar bowl. It had buttons and alum and a broken spoon in it, but Polly was not to be impressed upon.

"Caddy! caddy! caddy!" she cried running up and down.

"It's the old tea-caddy that she wants," said Grandma.

"That's in the other closet. We keep nutmegs in it," said Aunt Viny.

"Pep'mints! mine pep'mints!" clamored Polly.

The caddy was brought, and sure enough when she thrust her little hand under the nutmegs she found her peppermints and pulled out the recipe for mangos.

"There, Mrs. Gray wanted that!" exclaimed Grandma.

And now Ben was putting his own hand in. Yes, there it was! his pocketbook and his ten cents!

"Well, I declare!" said Aunt Viny.

Ben sat down to consider. It was now too late for Christmas, but he might do something for New Year's. He had heard Aunt Viny talk about calls and cards.

Only the day before a boy who had a printing press had offered to print cards, twenty-five for ten cents, and every card was to have a picture of a flower or a bird upon it.

"I'll buy cards," thought Ben, and he went at once to find the boy.

On New Year's Day Ben, clean and shining, called Polly into the parlor.

"I'm making calls," he said. "This is your call. Choose the card you like best."

Polly was delighted. She picked out the prettiest card, with "Mr. Benjamin Dotten" and a pair of doves upon it.

Then Ben went forth from neighbor to neighbor impartially. He was very successful. He met with smiles everywhere, and in some places he met with apples and New Year's cakes. Everybody seemed glad to receive a card with "Mr. Benjamin Dotten" upon it, together with a picture.

When he came to the last he hesitated. He was tired and wanted to go home. It seemed to him he would rather see his good, kind grandmamma, than anybody else in the world. The last card had roses upon it.

"I'll call on grandma," he said, and running home he made his best bow to the dear old lady, and handed her his card.

You never saw any one so pleased. For more than a week she showed the card of "Mr. Benjamin Dotten" to every neighbor that came in, and when the excitement was entirely over, she put it away for safe-keeping in the tea-caddy.

MARY L. B. BRANCH.

A New Year Song.

WHEN the year is new, my dear, When the year is new, Let us make a promise here, Little I and you.

Not to fall a-quarreling Over every tiny thing, But sing and smile, smile and sing, All the glad year through.

As the year goes by, my dear, As the year goes by, Let us keep our sky swept clear, Little you and I.

Sweep up every cloudy scowl, Every little thunder growl, And live and laugh, Laugh and live,

"Neath a cloudless sky.

When the year is old, my dear, When the year is old,

Let us never doubt or fear

Though the days grow cold, Loving thoughts are always warm; Merry hearts know ne'er a storm, Come ice and snow, so love's dear glow.

Turn all our gray to gold!

—Laura E. Richards.

Too Many People Wearing Decorations. There has been a growing complaint in Paris that foreign decorations are worn by many persons who are not entitled to wear them, and the French minister of justice has taken steps to stop the practice. He has issued a strong edict against the illicit wearing of foreign orders and decorations. The chancellor of the Legion of Honor recently discovered that the number of persons exhibiting such insignia was in excess of the usual number of authorizations granted from his department, hence the ministerial circular.

A BOON FOR SUFFERERS.

A Remedy Which Has Cured More Than 1,000,000 People.

"5 Drops" is the name of a powerful remedy which is guaranteed to cure rheumatism, neuralgia, catarrh, asthma, la grippe and kindred ailments. The company is entirely safe in making the guarantee, because every month they receive thousands of grateful letters from those who were sufferers, but have never received one complaint. The effect of "5 Drops" is felt at once. James Williams of Regent, Ill., writes on November 12, 1897: "My wife has been suffering two years with rheumatism. She used about one bottle of '5 Drops,' and can now go without her crutches." To more extensively advertise the merits of this remedy the producer will for the next thirty days send out 100,000 of their sample bottles of this positive cure for 25 cents a bottle, by mail prepaid. Large bottle, 300 doses, \$1 (for thirty days 3 bottles \$2.50). Those suffering should write to the Swanson Rheumatic Cure Company, 167-169 Dearborn street, Chicago, Ill., and take advantage of this generous offer. This company is reliable and promptly fill every order.

Look upon the bright side of your condition; then your discontents will disperse. Pore not over your losses, out recount your mercies.

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The readers of this paper will be interested to know that there is at least one dread disease that can be cured in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and muscles, and thus destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assuring a long and healthy life. The proprietors have sent a copy of the "Cure" to Dr. H. C. Hall, who has written a trial article for the "Cure," and has offered \$100 reward for the best article.

Doctors did not help me any. I should have been

in my grave by this time if it had not been for your medicine. It was a godsend to me, I was troubled with

excessive menstruation, which caused womb trouble, and I was obliged to remain in bed for six weeks. Mrs.

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