NEWS NOTES OF GENERAL INTEREST

KERNELS CULLED FROM THE MOST IMPORTANT EVENTS.

STORIES FROM OVER GLOBE

Items From Happenings of World Arranged In Their Briefest and Most Succinct Form for the Busy Reader.

Washington

The "Mulhall lobby investigation" of the house of representatives at Washington reached its climax in the bitter denunciation of Mulhall with whom James A. Emery wound up the case against the former N. A. M. employe of these organizations whose "confession" caused the inquisition.

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The president sent to the senate at Washington the nomination of William Hogue Leavell of Mississippi to be minister to Guatemala.

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The navy yard at New Orleans, now closed, is the best site along the Gulf of Mexico for any army concentration camp, says Maj. Samuel A. Kephart of the coast artillery corps, who made a special investigation and reported the result to officials at Washington.

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Former Representative James E. Watson of Indiana made before the house lobby investigating committee at Washington a general denial of Martin M. Mulhall's charge that he was one of the active friends of the National Association of Manufacturers in congress for years.

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Democratic conferees of the senate and the house at Washington made rapid progress on the tariff bill, approving the earthenware and glass schedules, with slight changes, the sugar schedule with its free sugar provision and the date for the new rates extended to March 1, 1914, and all of the agricultural schedule, with the exception of the proposed banana tax and the countervailing duty on wheat.

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Postmaster General Burleson has under consideration the abandonment of the present practice of forwarding magazines by fast freight. Under a decision of the comptroller of the treasury, he has authority to return to the former method of handling periodical publications by mail trains.

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As the climax of the vigorous Republican condemnation of Democratic legislative methods which has marked the currency debate, Representative Sidney Anderson of Minnesota, Republican, resigned as a member of the powerful ways and means committee of the house at Washington.

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The senate at Washington passed a bill authorizing the free entrance into this country of exhibits for the Panama-Pacific exposition in San Francisco in 1915. The bill has passed the house.

Domestic

Three employes of the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad are held by Coroner Eli Mix to be criminally responsible for the disastrous wreck at North Haven, N. Y., September 2, exacting a toll of twenty-one lives.

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Dr. Ernest Arthur Muret, a dentist, is charged with having been engaged in making $10 bills with Hans Schmidt who confessed to slaying Ana Aumuller in New York.

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Norman E. Mack failed to appear before John A. Hennessy to answer to charges of having failed to account for moneys contributed to him in the gubernatorial campaign of 1910. Instead Mr. Mack served Mr. Hennessy with summons and complaint in a $5,000 action for libel. at Albany, N. Y.

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The Times-Democrat and the Picayune of New Orleans, La., two of the few newspapers in the United States whose subscription price is $12 a year, announce reductions to $7.50 a year.

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Eight large Milwaukee candy manufacturers were denied permission by the state industrial commission to employ women more than ten hours a day during the three months' season preceding Christmas.

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Governor Ferris of Michigan received notice that another attempt to bring about a settlement of the Upper Peninsula copper mine strike through a plan of arbitration proposed by Chairman Lawton T. Hermans of the state railroad commission has failed.

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Ten persons killed and eight injured, some of them so seriously they may die, is the toll exacted in automobile and motorcycle accidents in Chicago and other cities in one day. Chicago escaped with two dead and four injured.

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Plans tentatively adopted for an army aviation center, at Fort Sam Houston, Texas, which include buildings costing about $180,000, are being considered at Washington by the chief of the quartermaster corps of the army.

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Mrs. Ole Hersel was struck at Tioga, N. D., by lightning, which burned her shoulder, and leaping to the calf of her leg, entered and shot down through her foot, coming out at the heel and breaking every bone in her ankle. She will live.

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Fire which destroyed the G. S. Hilton store in New Lenox, Ill., also destroyed the post office and its contents, including the stamps and registered mail. Adjoining buildings were burned and the business section th[illegible]

The cost of living on June 15 last was approximately 60 per cent. higher than the average between 1890 and 1900; more than three per cent. higher than it was a year ago, and nearly 15 per cent. higher than it was two years ago, according to government figures.

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Marking their first peaceful invasion of the south, thousands of Union veterans arrived at Chattanooga, Tenn., to attend the forty-seventh annual encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic and allied organizations.

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Two persons were killed and six injured, two of them probably fatally, near Ashton, Idaho, when the Yellowstone Flyer of the Oregon Short line struck a vehicle carrying a party of young people from a dance.

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The Vogt Dry Goods company, one of the largest stores of its kind in Springfield, Ill., has filed a petition in voluntary bankruptcy in the United States district court in that city.

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With the arrest of Rev. Hans Schmidt, assistant pastor St. Joseph's Roman Catholic church, charged with the murder of Anna Aumuller, a domestic, the mystery surrounding the finding twelve days ago of parts of the dismembered body of a girl in the Hudson river at New York, was solved.

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The Bowery of New York is in mourning; its residents form in little groups to discuss the passing of their leader, Representative "Big Tim" Sullivan, who was found dead on the tracks of New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad, and to lament the manner of it.

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President Wilson's "seven sisters," anti-corporation laws he put through the New Jersey legislature while governor, are held responsible for a big decrease in fees received from corporations organized in that state. The total for 105 corporations was $5,700, against $21,000 for 150 corporations in August, 1912.

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The will of Alfred Pope of Farmington, Conn., who was identified with manufacturing concerns in Cleveland and Chicago, was offered for probate. It provides for charities the testator had supported. Four-tenths of the estate go to Mrs. Pope and $500,000 is placed in trust for the daughter, Theodate Pope. The estate is valued at several million dollars.

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Governor Sulzer's transactions in Wall street from June 27, 1910, till they ceased—at least, so far as one firm of brokers was concerned—on July 14 last, were described under oath by Melville D. Fuller, who said he was Sulzer's broker, in a hearing held by the nine impeachment managers. He testified Sulzer paid him $16,000 after the last election and that he (Fuller) had no dealings with Mrs. Sulzer. In September Sulzer borrowed $23,000 from the firm.

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In a wireless dispatch received at New York Rufus W. Gaynor gave the full details of the sudden death of his father, Mayor William J. Gaynor, on board the Baltic steamer. The dispatch follows: "My father, Mayor Gaynor, died on the Baltic Wednesday afternoon. Death was due to heart trouble. He was sitting in a deck chair when the end came."

Mexican Revolt

T. J. Johan and Tom Helfrin of the United States customs and immigration service were acquitted in the district court at El Paso, Tex., on the charge of having murdered Capt. F. Acosta of the Juárez garrison on September 6.

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American refugees from Torreon, Mex., for whose safety fears have been expressed during their overland journey to Saltillo, reached the latter place in safety, according to official headquarters at Nuevo Laredo.

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One hundred Americans, including a number of women and children refugees from Torreon, Mex., are officially reported to have fallen into the hands of rebels while proceeding overland to Saltillo. The authorities at Saltillo decline to take the responsibility of sending a force to their rescue, fearing, they say, that the rebels might commit atrocities upon the refugees, which otherwise would possibly be avoided.

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Personal

Frank L. Hough, for many years sporting editor of the Inquirer of Philadelphia, Pa., died at his home there.

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A public funeral for Mayor Gaynor will take place in old Trinity church in lower Broadway at 11 o'clock in the morning of Monday, September 22, with Bishop Greer of the New York diocese of the Protestant Episcopal church officiating. His body will be laid to rest in Greenwood cemetery in Brooklyn.

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Max Lillie, Chicago aviator, met quick death when the right wing of his aeroplane crumbled and he fell 400 feet at the Galesburg district fair grounds. Mrs. Lillie saw the accident from a box in the grand stand and fainted.

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Thomas McCarthy, a freight handler for a St. Louis, Mo., transfer company, who generally was supposed to be poor, made a will disposing of $8,000, mostly to Catholic charities, shortly before his death in the city hospital.

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President Wilson sat in a grove of pine trees at Meriden, N. H., and saw his youngest daughter, Miss Eleanor, play the star role in a pastoral masque symbolizing the protest of the naturalist against the slaughter of birds for millinery purposes.

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The will of the late Dr. Oliver Livingston Jones of Mineola, N. Y., father of "Gen." Rosalie Gardiner Jones, the suffragist leader, leaves an estate valued at $10,000,000 to his widow. Doctor Jones shot himself with a pistol and died August 3.

STRIKE OF COAL MINERS CALLED

TROUBLE IN BAY COUNTY CAUSE OF ENTIRE STATE BEING CALLED OUT

THREE THOUSAND MEN IDLE AS RESULT

Output of Michigan Mines Is Used Largely by Factories—Railroads Will Be Little Affected by the Tie-Up

Saginaw, Mich.—Because of the strike of the 700 miners in Bay county, the entire coal mining district of Michigan was called out on sympathetic strike Wednesday morning. There are nearly 3,000 miners in the district who are said to be in sympathy with the Handy Brothers' workmen.

The output from Michigan soft coal mines is used extensively in operating factories in eastern Michigan, but the railroads will not be affected. There is a fair supply of soft coal on hand for domestic consumption, and the Pere Marquette soft coal supply will not be affected.

The trouble is due to minor difficulties originating at the Handy mines in April last, followed by other minor disputes at the Robert Gage mine, No. 6, in Bay county, in August. Dispute arising from time to time in the Michigan district have been settled by conference.

Lucky Workman Finds Jewels

London.—A workman found on a sidewalk practically the entire pearl necklace, valued at $650,000, which was stolen July 16 while in transit from Paris to London.

On Sept. 2 five men, three Englishmen and two Austrians, were arrested when they tried to dispose of some of the pearls in London. They are believed by the police to belong to a notorious international gang of thieves.

A reward of $50,000 which was offered for the return of the jewels will probably go entirely to the workman.

Historic Cave Used By Thieves.

Hannibal, Mo.—"Mark Twain's" cave, south of Hannibal, where Tom Sawyer and his companions had their rendezvous, was the scene of the finding of $4,000 worth of plunder, which the Hannibal boys confessed they had stolen. The boys told the police that, after robbing trains and residences, across the river from here, they hid their loot in the woods and at night conveyed it across the river in a skiff. Seven thousand cigarettes were found in the cave made famous by Mark Twain.

Plans for Army Aviation.

Washington — Plans tentatively adopted for an army aviation center at Fort Sam Houston, Texas, which include buildings costing about $180,000, are being considered by the chief of the quartermaster corps of the army, Major Gen. Aleshire. It also has been proposed to buy at least two non-rigid dirigibles, which probably would have to be purchased abroad at a cost of $175,750 each, as no attempt yet has been made to manufacture the larger types in this country.

Michigan Military Man Resigns.

Washington—Col. Cornelius Gardener of the United States army has retired and will spend the remainder of his day on his fruit farm in Oregon. Col. Gardener, a long time was one of the best known men in Michigan. He was one of the staunch supporters of Hazen S. Pingree and had charge of the Pingree potato patches in Detroit while Pingree was mayor. Col. Gardener was born in the Netherlands. His father, a clergyman, left that country owing to religious persecution against the non-conformists and coming to the United States, settled in Kalamazoo, Mich.

Many Veterans at Chattanooga.

Chattanooga, Tenn.—Assembled for the first time in a southern city, more than 14,000 Union veterans were here Monday for the opening of the forty-seventh annual encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic. Several thousand representatives of allied organizations meeting in this city simultaneously with the annual encampment, also are in the city. Incoming trains throughout the day swelled the attendance and a record crowd is predicted during encampment week, which ends Saturday.

Heney Out For Senator

Los Angeles, Cal.—Francis J. Heney, the famous graft prosecutor of San Francisco, definitely announced himself a candidate for United States senator, to succeed George C. Perkins of San Francisco, whose term of office expires March 4, 1915.

John Asman and Alexander Moore of Port Huron, who recently purchased a stretch of beach property north of Edison beach, announce that they will erect a 100-room hotel for the season of 1914.

The state board of education announces the appointment of Norman Cameron, of Chester, Pa., as head of the department of education of the Western Michigan normal school in this city. Mr. Cameron succeeds Prof. E. W. Hockenberry, who died last spring.

Superintendent of Power W. J. Stewart, of Port Huron, who has filled that office for 16 years, learned that he is not a citizen of the United States when he proffered his services as a witness in a local court.

The steeples of the Swedish Baptist church and St. Mary's Roman Catholic church at Iron Mountain, have struck by lightning and demolished during one of the most severe electric storms ever known in the city. This makes the third Iron Mountain church steeple to be destroyed by lightning this season.

STATE NEWS

Port Huron.—Circuit Judge Eugene F. Law fined William Ritchie of Sarnia $100 for selling liquor to Indians.

Standish.—The annual encampment of the soldiers and sailors of northern Michigan will be held in Cheboygan, September 16, 17 and 18.

Otsego.—Although the wheels of a heavy wagon passed over him and fractured his skull, little Harold Mullen, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Mullen, of this place, is recovering.

Lansing.—The Michigan Building and Loan Association league is holding its twenty-sixth annual convention in Lansing. One hundred members were guests at a theater party.

Jackson.—Pleading guilty in the circuit court to a charge of larceny from a dwelling in the day time, Adolph Booker, colored, was sentenced to Jackson prison for from two to five years.

Flint.—Robert A. Hurd, forty-eight years old, a farmer living in Clayton township, was instantly killed when a part of a bean loader on which he was working, toppled and fell on him, breaking his neck.

Grand Rapids.—Mrs. Frank Jordan, thirty-five years old, died from a broken neck 15 minutes after she was thrown from a rig in a runaway near Lake Odessa. Her husband, a farmer, suffered a fractured ankle.

Bay City.—The board of health condemned 2,100 pounds of unsound pork in a local cold storage plant. Kerosene was poured over the meat by Meat Inspector Prybeski and Health Officer Keho, and the lot will be turned over to the city scavenger.

Albion.—Following the closing of the Albion creamery, the farmers of this vicinity are feeding cream to hogs. The local institution is suspending operations because of insufficient capital, but may be started again soon.

Vassar.—Ernest Miner, twenty years old, of this place, is under arrest in Bay City, charged with "joy riding." He is alleged to have taken a $4,000 automobile owned by Dr. H. L. Morris and driven a party of friends to the fair in Bay City.

Pontiac.—Harry Cabot, Detroit, pleaded guilty in the circuit court to carrying concealed weapons. It was alleged he fired at a D. U. R. conductor at Royal Oak several weeks ago. He was sentenced to 65 days in the Detroit house of correction.

Battle Creek.—Although news of the death of Robert T. Winters, a newspaper man of Muncie, Ind., was printed in the papers of his home city, Winters is still a patient at the local sanitarium and firmly believes he breathes.

St. Joseph. — Andros Bachachas, wife of a Greek residing in Stevensville, south of here, went suddenly insane and strangled her three months-old baby boy to death. The mother was twenty-four years old and had been ill several months.

Ionia.—Clyde Meldrum, twenty-four years old, was drowned at Belding. He was swimming alone at the Kiddville bridge, and was not missed for several hours. His body was found at midnight in 12 feet of water. He will be buried in McBain.

Yale.—Mrs. Emma Rapley, eighty-seven years old, one of St. Clair county's oldest pioneers, is dead of old age. For many years she and her husband conducted what was known as the Rapley house, one of the first hotels in this section of the state.

Mackinac Island.—Tourists and residents of Mackinac island are not so thirsty as they were—that is, not since workmen cleaning out the reservoir above "Wishing Spring" and "Devil's Kitchen" found the body of a colored man floating near the outlet pipe.

Port Huron.—Russel Richmond of Petrolia, Ont., and Miss Catherine McCormick, a recent arrival from Canada, will be turned over to the immigration authorities, following their arrest by the police on a serious charge. The woman is employed at a fashionable home here as a domestic.

Saginaw.—Saginaw must, according to the city controller, take immediate steps to repair the city hall, as neglect may lead to serious consequences. At the present time the red sandstone ornamentations and foundation, are showing the effects of the elements, and the three porch entrances have almost become what might be called delapidated.

St. Johns.—Mrs. William Beebe, who resides about six miles north of this city, was kept a prisoner in her cellar by a huge rattlesnake. Mrs. Beebe was churning in the cellar when she saw the big rattler crawl out from behind some barrels and slowly coil itself up between her and the door. After some time Mrs. Beebe was able to make her daughter, Nora, hear her calls and the young woman ran to the fields and called her father who hastened to kill the reptile and release his much-frightened wife. The snake had 14 rattles.

Lansing.—Stanley Putney, chief stenographer in the executive office, has tendered his resignation and will leave September 15 to attend the University of Wisconsin. Putney was appointed by former Governor Osborn.

Corey.—An unidentified man, more than six feet tall, wearing two sweaters, two suits of clothes, and believed to be demented, has been jailed in St. Joseph county, pending an investigation. He was captured camping in a woods, and is said to have followed children to and from school, near here for several days.

Kalamazoo.—While suffering from typhoid fever, John Weirs, a papermaker, disappeared from his home in this city a month ago. He has just been found in a hospital in Milwaukee, and according to word sent here by him, he will soon be able to leave.

Eaton Rapids.—By resolution the council here has made a settlement with Mrs. W. H. Woodmansee under the employers' liability act, for the death of her husband Mr Woodmansee was killed two months ago by coming in contact with a live wire. Mrs. Woodmansee will receive $10 a week for 300 weeks.

MARKETS

Live Stock, Grain and General Farm Produce.

DETROIT—Cattle: Receipts, 774; bulls 25@35c lower; all other grades steady; best dry-fed steers and heifers, $8.25@8.50; steers and heifers 1,000 to 1,200, $7.50@7.85; do 800 to 1,000, $7@7.50; grass steers and heifers that are fat, 800 to 1,000, $7@7.50; do 500 to 700, $6.25@6.75; choice fat cows, $6@6.25; good fat cows, $5.50@5.75; common cows, $4.50@5; canners, $3@4; choice heavy bulls, $6@6.25; fair to good bologna bulls, $5.50@5.75; stock bulls, $4.50@5; choice feeding steers, 800 to 1,000, $7@7.25; fair feeding steers, 800 to 1,000, $6.75@7; choice stockers, 500 to 700, $6.50@7; fair stockers, 500 to 700, $6@6.50; stock heifers, $5.50@6; milkers, large, young, medium age, $60@85; common milkers, $35@50.

Veal calves: Receipts, 187; market steady; best $11@12; others, $8@10.50.

Sheep and lambs: Receipts, 2,976; best lambs 25c higher; sheep and other grades of lambs steady; best lambs, $7@7.35; fair lambs, $6.25@6.75; light to common lambs, $5@6; yearlings, $5@5.50; fair to good sheep, $4@4.25; culls and common, $2.50@3.25.

Hogs: Receipts, 984; light to good butchers, $9.35@9.40; pigs, $8.75; mixed, $9.25@9.40; heavy, $9@9.25; stags one-third off.

EAST BUFFALO—Cattle Receipts, 180 cars; the good butcher grades sold 10@15c higher; stockers and feeders 15@25c lower; best 1,250 to 1,500-lb steers, $8.75@9.10; best 1,200 to 1,300-lb steers, $8.50@8.75; 1,100 to 1,200-lb steers, $8@8.50; coarse and plain heavy steers, $7.50@7.75; choice handy steers, 1,000 to 1,100 lbs, $8@8.50; fair to good, do $7@7.50; grassy, 800 to 1,000-lb steers, $7@7.45; butcher cows, $5.50@6.25; cutters, $4.25@4.75; trimmers, $3.75@4; best heifers, $7.50@8; medium butcher heifers, $6.50@7.25; stock heifers, $5@5.25; best feeding steers, $7@7.25; fair to good do, $6.25@6.50; common light stockers, $5.50@6; best butcher bulls, $6.50@7; best bologna bulls, $5.50@6; stock bulls, $4.75@5; best milkers and springers, $70@80; common to good do, $50@60.

Hogs: Receipts, 100 cars; market 10@15c higher; heavy, $8.50@9; mixed, $9.10@9.15; yorkers, $9.10@9.20; pigs, $8.25@8.50; roughs, $7.50@7.75; stags, $6@7.

Sheep and lambs: Receipts, 93 cars market slow; top lambs, $7.50@7.65; culls to fair, $6@7.40; yearlings, $5.50@6; wethers, $5@5.25; ewes, $4@4.75.

Calves steady; choice, $12@12.50; fair to good, $10@11.50; heavy, $5.50@8.00.

Grains, Etc.

Wheat—Cash No. 2 red, 95c; September opened with a drop of 1-4c at 94 3-4c, declined to 94 1-4c and closed at 95c; December opened at 98c, declined to 97 1-2c and advanced to 98 1-4c; May opened at 1.03 1-4c, declined to 1.02 3-4 and closed at $1.02 3-4 and closed at 1.03 1-2; No. 1 white, 95c.

Corn—Cash No. 2, 78c; No. 2 yellow, 2 cars at 79c; No. 3 yellow, 1 car at 78 1-2c.

Oats—Standard, 2 cars at 45 1-2c, 1 at 45 1-4c; 1 at 45c, closing at 45 1-2c bid; No. 3 white, 2 cars at 45c; No. 4 white, 1 car at 44c.

Rye—Cash No. 2, 70c.

Beans—Immediate and prompt shipment, $1.80; October, $1.85.

Cloverseed—Prime October, $6.75; December, $6.85; March, $695; sample red, 10 bags at $6.50 8 at $6; October alsike, $10.25; sample alsike, 5 bags at $10.65, 12 at $10.

Timothy—Prime spot, 50 bags at $2.60.

Barley—Good sample, $1.30@1.50 per cwt.

Hay—Carlots, track, Detroit: No. 1 timothy, $16@16.50; standard, $15@15.50; No. 2, $14@14.50; light mixed, $15@15.50; No. 1 mixed, $13.50@14; rye straw, $8@9; wheat at out straw, $7@7.50 per ton.

Flour—In one-eighth paper sacks, per 796 pounds, jobbing lots: Best patent, $5.40; second patent, $5.10; straight, $4.90; spring patents, $5.10; rye, $4.60 per bbl.

Feed—In 100-lb sacks, jobbing lots: Bran, $26; coarse middlings, $27; fine middlings, $29; cracked corn, $33; coarse corn meal, $31; corn and oat chop, $27.50 per tono.

General Markets.

Pears—Clapp's Favorite, $1@1.25; Bartlett, $1@1.10 per bu.

Grapes—Delaware and Niagara, 40@45c; blue, 20@25c per stock basket.

Apples—Michigan, 55c@$1 per bu; No. 1, $2.75@3 per bbl; No. 2, $1.50@2 per bbl.

Peaches—Island AA, $2.25; A, $2; B, $1.50@1.75 per bu; white, $1.25@1.50 per bu and 30@60c per peck.

Green Corn—15c per doz.

Cabbage—$2.25@2.50 per bbl.

Potatoes—$2.25 per sack of 2 1-3 bushels.

Tomatoes—Home-grown, 90c@1 per bushel.

Onions—New southern, $1 per bu; Spanish, $1.50 per crate.

Live Poultry—Broilers, 16c; hens, 15 1-2c; No. 2 hens, 11@12c; old roosters, 10@15 1-2c; No. 2 hens, 11@12c; old roosters, 10@11c; turkeys, 17@18c; geese, 10@11c; ducks, 14@15c per pound.

Cheese—Wholesale lots: Michigan flats, 13 3-4c@14c; New York flats, 14@16 1-2c; brick cream, 17@17 1-2c; limburger, 14@15c; imported Swiss, 26 1-2@27c; domestic Swiss, new, 19@19 1-2c; block Swiss, 16 1-2@17c; long horns, 17@17 1-2c per lb.

Sweet Potatoes—Virginia, $2.75@3 per bbl, $1.25 per bu; Jersey, $4 per bbl, $1.25 per bu.

Hides—No. 1 cured, 14 1-2c; No. 1 green, 11 1-2c; No. 1 cured bulls, 11c; No. 1 green bulls, 9 1-2c; No. 1 cured veal kip, 14 1-2c; No. 1 green veal kip, 14c; No. 1 cured murrain, 12c; No. 1 green murrain, 10c; No. 1 cured calf, 18c; No. 1 green calf, 17c; No. 1 horsehides, $4; No. 2 horsehides, $3; No. 1 kip and calf 1 1-2c off; No. 2 hides 1c off; sheepskins, as to amount of wool, 25@75c.

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Still Fear Francis Drake.

Sir Francis Drake's name still inspires terror in Central America. Traveling in Mexico in 1904, Edward Smith records that he "heard a woman calming a tempestuous child by saying: 'Ahi viene Drake!' (Here comes Drake!') I made minute inquiries and found that it is a common threat to children on the Mexican coast, like unto 'Bony will get you!' or, 'The Black Douglas shall get you!' Fancy people still living in terror of seeing Drake's topsails on the horizon."

Nation Refused Legacy.

Occasionally somebody makes a will bequeathing money to help pay off a national debt. In 1772 Col. Thomas Norton of Southwick, England, bequeathed $150,000 for this patriotic purpose. Probate was opposed, and the judge who tried the case decided that the colonel was insane, such a legacy being "only as a drop of water poured into the sea." The legacy was therefore divided among the members of the Norton family.

Electric Voting Machine.

An electric voting machine is to be tried in the Austrian chamber of deputies. Each member will have two electric buttons on his desk. On the wall opposite the president's chair an indicator is fixed, consisting of 516 glass tablets. When a vote is recorded they show either a white or a red light, and members can check the accuracy of their votes. Names are shown on the tablets if required.

True Courtesy.

Nothing is a courtesy unless it be meant for us, and that friendly and lovingly. We owe no thanks to rivers, that they carry our boats, or winds, that they be favoring, and fill our sails; or meats that they be nourishing; for these are what they are, necessarily. Horses carry us; trees shade us; but they know it not.—Ben Jonson.

Quite a Feat.

A policeman at the Thames (London) police court told the magistrate, "I was knocked down, and lay on the ground insensible for ten minutes, blowing my whistle."

Its Class.

"My incubator has been stolen." "Then you have suffered a fowl wrong."

Might Have Been Working.

"A dentist friend tells me he has been down in the south lately." "Whose, I wonder?"

The Way of It.

"Miss May made a hit with Jack the first glance she gave him." "I see—a sort of glancing blow."

Mean Conclusion.

"I want to make a noise in the world." "Then the only way you can do it is by joining a brass band."

For Effect.

"Pa, what is a pulpiteer?" "A pulpiteer, son, is a preacher who makes frequent use of the pulpit tear."

Her Way.

"Mrs. Comesup is getting along socially by leaps and bounds." "Yes; you see, she gives so many hops."

Rice forms the principal article of food of about one-third of the human race.

And many a man's conservatism is due to the fact that he hasn't the money.

One of the bells in a new Paris cathedral weighs 20 tons, while its accessories add another ten tons.

A man may be a heavyweight fighter and a lightweight husband.

Getting a husband is an art; keeping him is a domestic problem.

You can get insured against any accident except marriage.

East Orange, N. J., has celebrated its semi-centennial.

If a woman can't be flattered it's a sign she is deaf.

The woman who hesitates has no secret to tell.

A Suggestion for Digestion

Many persons suffer more or less from headache, dizziness, biliousness, and symptoms common to indigestion. There are various causes, such as over-starchy or greasy foods, improper mastication, or bad cooking.

Grape=Nuts

Solves the digestion problem.

This food, made from prime whole wheat and barley, is perfectly baked until the starch cells are either converted into easily digested grape sugar, or thoroughly broken down for quick digestion—generally in about one hour.

There is no animal fat in Grape-Nuts.

The crisp granules of Grape-Nuts come to your table ready-to-eat direct from package, invite thorough mastication and have a peculiarly sweet, nut-like flavor.

Grape-Nuts, containing all the rich elements of wheat and barley, including the vital mineral salts, is a perfectly balanced food for building muscle, bone, brain and nerve.

Grape-Nuts is probably the longest baked, the best balanced, and the most easily digested of all cereal foods. Wonderfully appetizing with cream and sugar.

"There's a Reason" for Grape-Nuts