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THURSDAY, MARCH 10, 1934

Rosemont county has been selected as proper grazing land for the State.

The Detroit Free Press certainly got out a fine paper on Saturday.

We have received a copy of the address made by Hon. A. F. Freeman of this village, member of the state legislature.

Silk blouses with pockets is a late Chicago invention.

According to Treasurer Harrison Soule's report for 1932, it cost the state of Michigan about \$150 per year to maintain the state university.

It is to be hoped that the railroads will build a bridge across the river at Detroit as the present system of ferrying across is not satisfactory.

Washington Pelona Grange of Ann Arbor entertained 2000 guests yesterday afternoon.

Hon. Amariah F. Freeman of Manchester, chairman of the Michigan state tax commission, spent the day in a guest at Hotel Gregg.

A meeting of the state horticultural society at Fort Huron, Mich., on Tuesday.

The rural mail carriers report that in some districts the farmers do not like work on the roads.

In the early days of this country, when all was a dense forest.

Mr. O. J. Perrin wife of Rev. Perrin, former pastor of the Methodist church in Ypsilanti.

It is reported that there is a house in this village in which there are four cases of measles.

We would like to have everybody take a sample copy to any person that is thinking of becoming a subscriber.

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Blotting Paper.

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We learn that the baptist church is selling their church building.

The roads are getting quite muddy in places. Don't that sound funny?

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The wheeling, excepting on north and south roads in the country, is fairly good.

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Carpenters are making contracts for building residences, barns, etc., the coming summer.

The palette says that they expect to have all the work they can do during the coming spring and summer.

It looks odd to see carriages and wagons since sleighs and cutters have been in so many weeks.

Leiter & Hoffer shipped a steamer of four to Jackson Tuesday, and will slip one to Detroit next Monday.

We have had a fine day, quite warm and sunny, comparing them with what we have had before.

Great banks of white foam have accumulated below the upper dam and along the river. It looks pretty good.

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The quarterly conference of the M. E. church will be held Monday evening and quarterly meeting Sunday morning.

Several designs of beautiful suits for only \$10.00. Other designs of beautiful suits for only \$25.00. Each and every one of them double the price asked. Act promptly because we will not have them long.

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# THE GIRL AT THE HALFWAY HOUSE

A STORY OF THE PLAINS  
BY R. HOUGH, AUTHOR OF THE STORY OF THE COWBOY  
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CHAPTER XXII.—Continued.

At this place they saw a few men sitting outside the door, calmly smoking. Among them Sam, the liverman, a merchant by name of Chapman, and a horse-stealer, who was known as One-eyed Paanyman. Inside the house, playing cards with Curly, were four other men. Franklin noticed that they all wore armor. They all appeared from their story, to have just dropped in to pass a little time with Curly. From time to time others dropped in, most of them remaining outside in the moonlight, sitting on their heels along the porch, talking and smoking. One subject which was uppermost in every one's mind, yet which nothing was said, it might well seem that this little body of men were of those who had taken the stand for law and order, and who were resolved upon a new day in the history of the town.

It was a battle of the two hotels and what they represented. Over at the great barroom of the Cottage there was at the same time assembled a much larger gathering, composed chiefly of those transient elements which at that time really made up the larger portion of the population of the place—wide-brimmed men, with narrow faces and broad belts at which swung heavy, blued revolvers with broad wooden butts—a wild-looking, wild-birding body of men, savage in some ways, gentle in others, but for the most part just according to their creed. All drank whiskey and drank it regularly. Up to ten o'clock the whiskey had produced no effect. At ten o'clock a big Texan raised his glass high above his head, and shouted it upon the bar.

"Law an' order be camred!" said he. "What kind of law an' order is to be a murderin' Greaser like that!"

"I command you—in the name of the law!"

These three fell back in front of the door. Franklin felt his heart going fast, and knew that more was asked of him here than had ever been upon the field of battle. In a moment he reflected, the firing would begin.

Suddenly the climax came. The door was thrust irresistibly open, not from without, but from within. Stooping, so that his head might clear the top of the door, a man in a Mexican, appeared in the opening.

A roar of anger and excitement rose as the prisoner was seen standing there before them, though outlined only by the dim light of the sky. Every man in the assaulting party was a surge back upon the rope, a movement which would have been fatal for any other man, which would have been fatal to him, had the men got the rope to a horse as they wished, so that they might drag the victim by violence through the crowd.

the establishment of a hotel at such a place and such a time, but he hastened to repair his fault by amiably dying.

The widow, a large woman, of great kindness of heart and a certain skill in the care of gunshot wounds, fell in love with the business, carried it on and made a success of it. All these wild range men who came roistering up the trail loved this large and kind old lady, and she called them all her "boys," watching over the wild brood as a hen does over her chickens. She fed them and comforted them, nursed them and buried them, always new ones coming to take the places of those who were gone. Chief mourner at over three score funerals, nevertheless Mother Daly's voice always for peace and decorum; and what good she did may one day be discovered when the spurred and booted dead shall rise.

There was yet no key to the Cottage bar when there came the unbelievable word that there was no longer a buffalo to be found anywhere on the range, and that the Indians were gone, beaten, herded up forever. Far to the north it was declared, there were men coming in on the cow range who had silver-mounted guns, who wore gold and jewels and who brought with them saddles without horns! It was said, however, that these new men wanted to buy cows, so cows were taken to them.

Mother Daly looked upon this, and it was well. She understood her old boys and loved them. She was glad the world was full of them. She looked out over the wide, wind-swept plains, along the big chutes full of belching heaves, at the wide coral with its scores of saddled Nemeses, and she was calm and happy. It was a goodly world.

It was upon one day that Mother Daly looked out upon her world; upon the next day she looked again, and all the world was changed. Far as the eye could reach the long and dusty country of the cows lay silent, with its dust untraced. Far, very far off, there was approaching a little band of strange, small, bleating, woolly creatures, to whose driver Mother Daly refused to lend a hand. The cattle chutes were silent, the coral was empty. At the Cottage bar the keeper had at last found a key to the door. Up and down the trail, east and west of the trail, all was quiet, bare and desolate. At some signal—some signal written on the sky—all the old life of Ellsville had taken up its journey into a farther land, into another day.

The woman was doing her shopping. The counter jumper handed her a package and she slowly turned away. "Do I need anything else?" she absent-mindedly asked.

"You have just bought some lawn," ventured the clerk. "Don't you think you will need some hose?" Princeton Tiger.

"What do you charge for a bath?" asked the seedy individual as he entered the barber-shop.

"You've cut down my allowance," she said.

"Then you'd better stay home," she said, and he did. But presently there was the old complaint.

"That's a pretty noisy passenger you've got in there," remarked the man who was smoking on the front platform.

"The lady—Heavens! The boy has swallowed a piece of that lead pipe! Run! Run for the doctor!"

"There's a humorous as well as a serious side to everything," remarked the home-grown philosopher.

"Well, take a banana peel, for example," continued the wisdom dispenser.

"What do you mean by that?" asked the candidate, who was presenting his claims in an eloquent speech.

"You've got a high collar; a little blond mustache and a bulldog," Uncle George?

Alexandra Cwyno Fine Dogs. Her Highness Possesses Great Skill in Training Canines.

Queen Alexandra, who has made her name for her skill in training dogs, and her pets which she has about her, are all capable of wonderful tricks.

Why He Couldn't Come. Valct Gave Good Reason, But a Poor Excuse.

At this point a man with a harsh rasping voice rose up in the back part of the hall.

Wiping Out Taxation. Here is a very important fact which has just arrived from England.

Wail of Despondency. In a fit of despondency a Michigan editor gets off the following, although there is no way of telling whether it is original with him.

Sure Curs in His Case. The late Elisha H. Endley of Kentucky, could administer a rebuke delicately, but on occasions he took care to see that the point was plain.

Blindman's Buff. The name of the children have blinded his eyes.

**CUPOLA SKETCHES**  
BY BARRY WILLIAMS

Chase. A passerby called out "Police!" A neighbor summoned the patrol. The janitor he hollered "Fire!" And things were doing—on my soul!

**BEAUTIFUL SNOW SHOVEL**  
"Beautiful Snow" is all right, but whoever heard of a poet writing of a "Beautiful Snow Shovel?"

When a boy we fished at the "high bank" under protest, being well satisfied that the "other side of the river" was filled with "junkies!"

When eggs are worth 10 cents a dozen the hens are as busy as Madam Grundy. When hen fruit is worth 25 cents the dingy things wouldn't lay an egg for the king himself.

A Mistake. A poetess named Miss Tuke of Denver writes a poem entitled "Come, Come My Love, My Heart is Dying." It will soon be a large, able-bodied fellow who is long-legged, tall like Miss Tuke before she is completely consumed by heart-burn!

Orthography. Typewriter, starting with unintelligible copy in hand—Say, copyreader, what's the other name for the prehistoric shiridian?

A St. Paul man dying, requested that his money be burned. He should have taken it with him.

## WESTERN CANADA'S RESOURCES.

Farming Very Successful. By Western or Northwest Canada is usually meant the great agricultural country west of Ontario, and north of Minnesota, North Dakota, and Montana.

The general character of the soil of Western Canada is a rich, black, clay loam with a clay subsoil. Such a soil is particularly rich in food for the wheat plant. The subsoil is a clay which retains the winter frost until it is thawed out by the warm rays of the sun and drawn upward to stimulate the growth of the young wheat, so that even in dry seasons what is a good crop. The clay soil also retains the heat of the sun later in the summer and assists in the early ripening of the grain.

Western Canada climate is good—cold in winter, hot in summer, but with cool nights. Violent storms of any kind are rare. The rainfall is not heavy. It varies with places, but averages about 17 inches. It falls usually at the time the growing crops need it.

The Department of the Interior, Ottawa, Canada, has agents established at different points throughout the United States who will be pleased to forward an Atlas of Western Canada and give such other information as to railway rates, etc. as may be required.

**DO YOU COUGH**  
**DO NOT DELAY**  
**KEMP'S BALSAM**  
BEST COUGH CURE

**Don't Worry**  
No use to make yourself miserable worrying about what to eat or when to eat it.  
**Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin**  
Aids digestion, keeps the stomach and bowels in perfect condition. Ask your druggist.

**TOWER FISH BRAND WATERPROOF OLD CLOTHING**





