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Every merchant desires to prosper, yet some statisticians declare that 90 per cent of those who engage in the mercantile business fail.

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### MOVIES

TUESDAY — 7:30 P. M.  
"THE CALL OF THE WILD."  
and Comedy

Methodist Community Hall

### Local News

George Biely is suffering with pneumonia.

Lois Young, who has been quite sick is improving.

Blanche Anglin was in Detroit Saturday on business.

Miss Ada Finton had her tonsils removed Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Steffen were Plymouth visitors Sunday.

Gladys Davis, who is working in Detroit, spent Sunday at home.

Mrs. C. Bicking and Mrs. Ralph Hogle were Detroit visitors Tuesday.

Miss Mary Power spent the day Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Adams.

Milton Foyles and family of Detroit, visited E. U. Farmer and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Ashcroft spent Sunday with relatives at Ball Mountain.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Hutchins attended the dance at Livonia Center Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Currie have gone to Flint to live. Mrs. Currie was formerly Pa-line Pickett.

Stanley Collins of Mt. Clemens, stayed Friday night with his grandfather, J. C. Collins.

Mrs. Florence Bachelor visited Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Randall at North Farmington Sunday.

Miss Leona Garchow of Livonia Center, was a week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Hutchins.

E. A. Eppson attended the Sovereign Grand Lodge of the Odd Fellows in Detroit Wednesday.

Fred Bulens, the oldest son of Rev. J. Bulens, has left for Ann Arbor to continue his studies.

Mr. and Mrs. McDermitt and Mr. Rossow, spent Tuesday afternoon at Northville and Redford.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Green and son, Fores returned Saturday from a trip to London, Canada.

Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Miller will come back from the lake Monday, after spending the summer there.

F. M. Warner and son, Howard, have returned from Houghton Lake where they have been for the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. William Heeney of Marlette, spent a few days this week with his brother, Spencer and wife.

J. J. Fritz and family of Detroit, visited Monday evening with Clyde McDermitt and Minnie Toomey.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Pierce started Wednesday for a two weeks' vacation at Beachmont, on Lake Michigan.

George Gunn is building a new home on the road back of the Junction, where he purchased a lot of Lou Salow.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Hutchins and family called on Bert's sister, Mrs. Louie Wastfall and family of Stark, Sunday evening.

"Not our Stars, but Ourselves" was the subject of Dr. Beresford's oration before Ashlar Lodge of Masons last Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Templar of Grand Ledge, and Mr. William Hoyt of Mason, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Davi Ross on Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Pagel have purchased the Shear restaurant and are ready to serve the public with good dinners and lunches—give them a trial.

Mrs. Alexander Curry and children of Franklin, and Mr. and Mrs. Truscott of Southfield, called Sunday evening on Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McDermott.

Mrs. Olin Russell and son, Kenneth, and Miss Minnie Toomey visited the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jubb at Howell, Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Teagan spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. McDermott. Mrs. Elizabeth McDermott of Northville, spent Friday and Saturday with them.

Mr. and Mrs. David Ross entertained Sunday, Mr. Blake West and son, Ross, of Highland Park. Mrs. West is an old schoolmate of Mr. Ross.

Mrs. Emilie Gildemeister has been spending the past week in Detroit, visiting at the homes of her daughter and son, Mrs. E. Gillen and E. Gildemeister, and also spent two days with her brother and children, and while there attended the 50th anniversary of St. Paul's church.

### Old Henry's Wooing

By JUSTIN WESTWOOD.

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"Hello, Hank! Saving up to get married?"

Old Henry Dobson, who had been one of the bookkeepers of the Friend company for nearly a score of years, looked up sheepishly and thrust away the bills he was counting.

"Better hurry up; hot much time to lose, Hank!"

Henry Dobson must have been fifty, and why he had been so long with the company and still retained a subordinate position was not difficult to understand. He had honest, plodding, industrious, he had the qualities that make for success. An elderly-looking man, unobtrusive, he went his way, the butt of mild witticisms on the part of the younger men.

No one knew anything of old Henry, nor where he lived, and nobody cared.

The same applied equally to Miss Rowell, of the correspondence department. Miss Rowell had been there three years, and looked just a plain, pale, rather faded old maid.

"Say, Miss Rowell, Hank Dobson reckons he's going to get married!"

Sadie, the telephone girl, said this, and waited for the quick blush to appear on Miss Rowell's face.

"Is he, really? Oh, isn't that nice!"

"Say," said Sadie to her friend, Agnes Strutt, "wouldn't it be a joke to make Amy Rowell think Hank Dobson's in love with her?"

"And to make him think she's in love with him?"

"How'll we do it?"

"Watch me," said Sadie cryptically. On the following morning, Miss Rowell found a neat little bunch of violets on her desk, with a scrap of noteboard attached, bearing in writing, he wrote, "With E. D.'s compliments."

Her attention appeared plain. The girls, watching her, had nearly quiet giggles as they saw her surreptitiously bend to sniff the fragrant of the flowers.

"Say, Hank, that's a fine bunch of flowers you sent Miss Rowell."

"I didn't send her any flowers, what'd I want to send her flowers for?" protested Henry Dobson.

"Well, don't you let on, you didn't. She's coming to thank you."

Little Miss Rowell stopped at Henry Dobson's desk. "Thank you, so much for your beautiful flowers, Mr. Dobson," she said in a quiet voice.

A few days later Henry Dobson found a pair of socks on his desk, bearing a card, "With kind remembrances from A. L." Examination disclosed the fact that the heels were gone.

"Say, Miss Rowell, Mr. Dobson's had such a lovely pair of socks from some one," said Sadie.

Little Miss Rowell said she had been inquiring, "Who sent them?" she asked.

"Oh, Miss Rowell! Oh, Miss Rowell!" they teased her.

It was funny to see her nervously look for several days thereafter.

The cream of the joke came a few days later. Miss Rowell opened a little cardboard box. Inside was a ten-year-old valentine, procured from some old dealer who had had it rotting on his shelf since ten days when valentines remained in the shop. The lace paper edge was torn and mangled. The picture presented an elderly spinster with a faded nose, and underneath was printed:

"I think you're out for me, miss. As all the world can see, I hope you'll find a man to your mind. As long as it isn't me."

The sender had scratched out the last word and substituted "H. D."

Miss Rowell's right hand jerked convulsively. The valentine, torn in half, dropped into the wastebasket.

Twelve struck. Hank Dobson came slowly into the correspondence department as the girls were sitting on their hands. Miss Rowell rose and smiling.

"Oh, Sadie, you know I'm not coming back on Monday?" she asked.

"Not coming back, Miss Rowell?" There was genuine regret. Then, impulsively, "Oh, Miss Rowell, if I'm because you've bothered you so much, won't you overlook it? I'm really ashamed."

"My dear, you haven't bothered me at all," Miss Rowell smiled. "My husband and I are starting a little poultry farm—the dream of our lives."

"Oh, Miss Rowell," mean—why, Miss Rowell, you and Mr. Dobson have got married!"

"Ten years ago, my dear," smiled Amy Rowell.

The First Wallpaper in America. Wall papers did not begin to come into this country until the second quarter of the Eighteenth century.

Even then they were specially ordered by the individual house owners from the dealers in London and Paris, rather than carried from the general retail trade. Thomas Hancock, for instance, ordered in 1737, a specially made paper from his stationer, Thomas Rowe of London, and in his letter giving the order speaks of another paper being imported by a friend of his three or four years earlier. By 1745, however, wall paper was in retail stock here, Charles J. Gray of Philadelphia advertising that year. But certainly it was in general use until 1750. By that time it had become enormously popular and a host of merchants in all the larger towns were advertising new importations with the arrival of each ship.—Phyllis Ackerman in Arts and Decorations.

### Walled Lake News

Mr. A. O. Bowen spent Friday night in Milford.

Mrs. Allen Benjamin is spending the week visiting in Pontiac.

Another old-fashioned dance at the Pioneer Inn this Friday night.

Mrs. Joe Reimer, entertained her mother, sister and family of Detroit, Sunday.

Phil Miller is building a breakwater along his lots just east of Rattenvbury's store.

Mr. and Mrs. Marley Bachelor and children spent Sunday with relatives at West Farmington.

The Embroidery club will meet with Mrs. Eva Parmenter, Sept. 26th, on Tuesday instead of Wednesday.

There was no meeting in the M. E. church Sunday morning as the pastor was attending the meetings in Pontiac.

Mr. George Rattenbury is building an addition on his store and will also build living rooms next to the lake shore.

Walled Lake was well represented at the Milford fair last week. Mr. and Mrs. William Shea, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Krueger, and Mrs. Carter were running stands there.

School started Monday morning in the old school house and in the Green school, the Plains school, the Ryal school and Pennels districts, with one teacher in each country school and three in the village school. It was thought best to start in the old schools until the new one was entirely finished which will be in about six weeks.

Candidates for Civil Liberty. Men are qualified for civil liberty in exact proportion to their disposition to put moral chains upon their own appetites.—Burke.

Order Appointing Time for Hearing Claims. STATE OF MICHIGAN. The Probate Court for the County of Oakland.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Pontiac, in said County, on the 30th day of August, A. D. 1922.

Present: Hon. Ross Stockwell, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of MAY A. ADAMS (Sometimes called Mary A. Adams, Deceased).

Will D. Irish, administrator of said estate, having filed in said court a petition praying that the time for the presentation of claims against said estate be limited and that a time and place be appointed to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against said deceased by and before said court.

It is ordered, That four months from this date, be allowed for creditors to present claims against said estate.

It is further ordered, That the 8th day of January 1923, at eight o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for the examination and adjustment of all claims against said deceased.

ROSS STOCKWELL, Judge of Probate.

A true copy. Dan A. McCaffrey, Register of Probate.

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