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Not a Breath of Suspicion.

Many men, although they may not care to confess it, need to guard against lapsing into a "case in point" as a case of a prisoner who was addressing a court over which Lord Russell was presiding. A very nice story the prisoner was telling of an offense, alleged against him of which he was wholly guiltless—he, a man against whom there had never before been a breath of suspicion.

"Prisoner, pardon me one moment," interrupted Russell. "You must speak a little louder. I cannot catch what you say. What was your last sentence?" And "Six months, m' lord," came the amazing reply from that fatally facile tongue.—London Globe.

Just the Other Way.

Richard Kipling was once visiting at a country house at which Miss Dorothy Drew, then a little girl, the famous granddaughter of Mr. Gladstone, was also staying. She was sent out into the garden with the distinguished author.

Later on, when the other grownups joined them, little Miss Dorothy was asked, "I hope you didn't bore Mr. Kipling?"

"No, but he bored me frightfully," was the unexpected and resigned reply.

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OUR LARGEST ASSET.

In these days when all sorts of societies are being organized—clubs for saving a slice of bread a day, clubs for eating less meat, clubs for growing potatoes, etc.—one chance for a club that might do a world of good has been overlooked, according to the Michigan Anti-Tuberculosis association. Its suggestion is a "Deep Breathing Club." And the suggestion is not entirely a humorous one. The average person uses only about one eighth of his lung capacity in breathing. If he would systematically exert himself two or three times a day to fill his lungs with fresh air to their full capacity in a dozen deep breaths in close succession, it would mean for him stronger lungs, better circulation, better health generally. As it is, many persons starve themselves for air out of sheer laziness to fill their lungs. A "Deep Breathing Club" would have this advantage over most clubs, that it would require no fees; it would not call for any sacrifice of time or labor; it would not interfere with work or pleasure. Yet it would conserve the nation's greatest wealth—the health and strength of its people.

If our friends who have legal business requiring notices to be published will request the probate court or their attorney or agent to send the notices to the Enterprise they will confer a favor upon us which we will appreciate. It costs the same no matter where you have them published, and you are helping your "home town," yourself and everyone else by requesting their publication in the Enterprise.

Once in a while you will find a fellow who does not advertise in a live newspaper. He will, however, pay an exceptionally big price for a line or two in some score card or circular, read by a few, and deem it good business, though the same money would purchase a quarter page notice in a regular newspaper read by hundreds upon hundreds.

A band concert every Saturday night on our streets would be a "drawing card" for our merchants, and a pleasure to our citizens, but the band boys cannot furnish music with "wind" only. There must be a financial end to every undertaking. "Let's start something."

There is a plan on foot to incorporate a new village in Oakland county. Petitions are being prepared to present to the supervisors at their October session, asking that Ferndale, near Royal Oak, be made a separate village, instead of a part of Royal Oak village.

"Conserve food stuffs," say those who are looking after next winter's supply. One very important way in which to do so is to "make war on rats." It is estimated that there are more rodents in the United States than there are human beings.

Dog taxes were increased to \$2.00 and \$5.00 by the last legislature, the money to go into a county sheep fund, instead of each township as heretofore. Every owner must have his dog "tagged."

Complimentary.

The old lady had had a charge of drunkenness dismissed and was profuse in her gratitude to the magistrates.

"I thought you wouldn't be 'ard on me, your lordship," she remarked as she left the dock. "I know how often a kind 'eart beats beneath an ugly face"—London Pitt-Bits.

Don't forget our liner column.

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OUR CORRESPONDENTS

Items of Interest From the Surrounding Country, Gleaned by Our Correspondents.

Thayer School District.

George Levin, of Novi, has been working for Otto Rixen the past week.

Herbert Thayer and James Eastman spent Saturday at Walled Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Rixen and little son, George spent Sunday at Novi, visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Burger and Mrs. Kathrine Grey and baby motored to Pontiac Sunday and visited relatives.

The Sunday school and preaching service in the Thayer school house will be conducted next Sunday by Rev. Kellogg, of Detroit, Rev. Salton being away on his vacation.

Powers Station

Harry Simmons visited Sunday in Detroit.

Miss Helen Ræckham is spending a week in Detroit.

Mrs. E. Berger spent the first of the week with her parents.

James Tucker Sundayed at the home of his mother in Detroit.

Claude Simmons, wife and family spent Sunday at the parental home.

Mr. and Mrs. Monroe and from Detroit were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Greer Sunday.

The next Busy Bee club meets Thursday, August 9th, with Mrs. Harry Tuller at Northrup's Corners, the last meeting being held at Mrs. Eva Dennis.

Clarenceville Items.

Mrs. B. Cook is putting up a fine new bungalow.

Mrs. Frank Botsford visited her daughter Sunday.

Mrs. Carl Waack was a caller in Detroit Wednesday.

Miss Edna Goers and friend spent Sunday at Bob's.

Miss Lottie Davison, of Redford, was the guest of Mrs. Jensen Tuesday.

Miss Anna Lasher, of Redford, was the guest of Miss Anna Ziegler Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Light and son Harold spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ritt.

Don't forget the cemetery meeting at Mrs. Lu Hake's at Northville next Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Jensen and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Fulkerson motored to Belle Isle and Plymouth Sunday.

During the continued hot weather of August the Clarenceville English Sunday school will remain closed. It will open again in September.

The vicinity of Clarenceville seems to be an especially attractive place for auto accidents, nearly every week witnessing some new accident. On Tuesday of this week a big truck, loaded with shingles, attempted to cross the D. U. R. track at Switzer's Corners just as passenger car No. 12 came along. The car and truck were somewhat smashed, and two men (one colored) in the truck were quite badly injured, one being taken to the hospital in Detroit. We did not learn the names of

the men or how badly they were injured.

Novi News Items.

Mrs. Williams' niece is visiting her.

Mrs. C. Seebaldt, of Detroit, is visiting her cousin, Mrs. Lizzie Coates.

Mrs. Ella Spencer visited her sister Mrs. Emma Smith, in Flint, last week end.

Miss Myra West is visiting her brother, H. E. West and family, at Birmingham, this week.

Mrs. Charlie Bassett returned home from Detroit—Harper's hospital—this week Monday.

Mrs. O. S. Hulett went to Detroit with her son Gerald, Sunday, returning home Tuesday.

Mrs. Frank Garlick and children, of Milford, spent Tuesday at the home of A. C. Atkinson.

Bert and Harold Voigt, of Detroit, visited their parents, C. Voigt and family, over Sunday.

The Baptist Sunday school have a picnic this week Friday, August 3rd, at Silver Lake. W. D. Flint took a load in his truck.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Atkinson and family motored to Detroit Sunday, spending the day with the former's brother, Frank Atkinson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Buffmyer went to Lake Orion to the latter's parents for over Sunday, and Mrs. Buffmyer was taken very ill there, so she was not able to come home.

The W. C. T. U. held a picnic Wednesday, August 1st, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rhee. Following the dinner there was a picnic program. Mrs. Myra E. Lockwood, of Holly, Oakland county, W. C. T. U. president; Mrs. Jennie E. Carley, of Rochester, the sixth district W. C. T. U. president; Mrs. Baker, of Salem, and others were on the program.

An ice cream social for the benefit of the Red Cross will be given by the Unity club at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Jones, Friday Aug. 10th. The Farmington band will furnish music. Everyone invited. Ladies requested to bring cake.

NOBILITY OF LIFE.

Life is noble. If to any it is not so it is because they make it otherwise. It is an inestimable privilege to live. It is greater still to live well. Each man can start a train of consequences for good that will be as the pebble cast into the water, which will start a ripple which will extend to eternity's shore to blame or to curse the man, to sweeten or to embitter life.—W. T. Richardson.

Getting Drunk With Opera Glasses. The same sensations, minus the alcohol, experienced by an intoxicated person who is trying to walk in a straight line or on a narrow sidewalk which is only thirty feet wide can be had by any one who takes the trouble to draw a straight line on the floor and then look at the line through a pair of opera glasses in a reversed position. After the glasses are focused try to walk on the line. You will find it impossible to follow it closely. The line will look like an ink scratch on a surface miles away, and the closer you look and try to follow the line the more varied your vision becomes.—Popular Science Monthly.

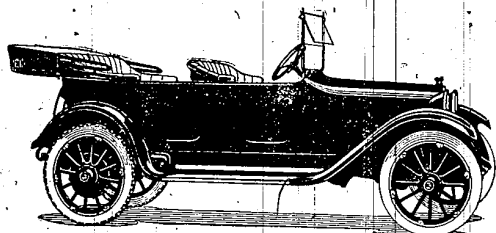
On the basis that every grain of wheat will produce fifty a German mathematician has figured that a third year's crop of a single grain would feed 500 men.

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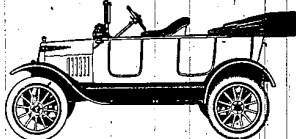
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