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The orator had been scoring points in his speech on labor. "I say, friends," he said, "that it is the working class who have made this country what it is today."

"That's right," came an unexpected voice from the crowd, "throw all the blame on the poor!"—Reynolds' Newspaper.

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STATE NEWS IN BRIEF

Lansing—Vernon C. Alt, 13 years old, who was injured when he fell from a scaffold on the new library building at M. A. C. died at a local hospital.

Ypsilanti—Taking the places of 13 rural schools, the new $175,000 Lincoln school, six miles south of Ypsilanti, has been dedicated. The school has a capacity for 550 pupils.

Detroit—Use of unrefined salt as a means of preventing goitre was recommended by Dr. R. M. Olin, commissioner of health for Michigan, at the meeting of the Wayne County Medical society.

Port Huron—A recount of the votes in the local election on a proposed $100,000 water bond issue indicated that it had carried by three votes. Original returns showed it had been defeated by nine votes.

Kalamazoo—Following a meeting of the executive board of Kalamazoo college C. M. Harmon, Detroit, chairman, announced work will be started within a fortnight on a $105,000 women's dormitory at the Baptist school.

Pontiac—Reduction of school taxes in Pontiac, instead of the increase expected, was foreshadowed, when the budget of the district was made known, totaling $703,100. This is a cut of about $50,000 from last year's figure.

Allegan—Over exertion resulting from preparations he had made for the funeral of Joseph McKorkel, 78 years old, a lifelong friend and comrade in Civil War days, caused the sudden death of Louis Bollinger, 78 years old, commander of the local G. A. R. post.

Mt. Clemens—When S. Steen, who conducts a novelty store on North Front street, went down to the furnace room of the vacant building next door, from which he was getting heat, he found John Schkerofsky, 35 years old, the janitor, dead on the basement floor. He had been dead for some time.

Jackson—Students from the University of Michigan summer school will visit the Michigan state prison and Consumers Power company plant here in August, according to arrangements being made by the university officials. The trip will be but one of a dozen excursions being arranged for the students.

Midland—Frank Waskevitch, 16 years old, a student in Midland Central High School, was seriously injured when a runaway team of horses knocked him from his bicycle, a few miles north of Midland. The team passed over him and he suffered a broken jaw and it was thought that his skull was fractured.

Ann Arbor—Everett Lyon, residing on the Dexter road, about three miles west of Ann Arbor, was burned seriously about the arms and legs, when a five-gallon can of kerosene oil, with which he was going to start a fire in his chicken brooder, exploded. The explosion blew the bottom out of the can, sprinkling Lyon with flaming oil.

Lansing—Homer Rutledge, state fire marshal, has modified his order prohibiting the sale of fire crackers or explosive toys to give dealers a chance to dispose of stocks on hand. The order, as it now stands, will allow the dealers to sell their stocks until July 5, but warns against replenishing stocks, as after that date the ban will be absolute.

Lansing—Lansing is experiencing one of the greatest building booms in its history. More homes and small business houses than ever before are being erected, figures in the city building inspection office indicate. One day 23 permits were issued for the construction of residences, and 10 permits were issued for other kinds of buildings, setting a record for one day.

Grand Rapids—Attempts to poison sparrows which he declared were driving away the song birds he sought to attract to his yard, caused Game Warden Charles F. Merrifield to arrest John Dévries, 18-year-old bird student, who was fined $40 and costs in police court. The complaint was based on a State law, which had never been invoked here previously, prohibiting the placing of poison to kill birds.

Manistee—Charging that one-half of the state's wealth is tied up in tax exempt holdings, Nathan F. Simpson, member of the state tax commission, told members of the board of supervisors that one of the biggest problems of the day for people of Michigan is the correction of "certain iniquities existing in the present tax laws." Simpson said he knew of one man in Michigan who holds more than $40,000,000 worth of tax exempt securities.

Lansing—An increase of nearly $40,000,000 was recommended in the tentative valuations of telephone and telegraph companies, railroads, and other public utilities operating in the state, fixed by the state tax commission. The new valuations, which are subject to review, total $353,747,100, as compared with assessed valuations of $313,097,750 last year. The final assessed valuations will be established about May 10. The money derived from the tax on these properties is diverted to the primary school fund.

Gave Her Ideas

A successful English novelist, Miss Sheila Kaye-Smith, generously acknowledges that in the case of two of her stories a fellow-author supplied the basic idea. "The germ of my novels," she says, as quoted by the writer, "is generally a more or less abstract idea which has somehow got entangled with a place. For instance, 'man who subdues a rough piece of land—country back of Rye,' was the germ of 'Sussex Gorse,' and 'woman farmer—Romney Marsh,' was the germ of 'Joanna Godden.' Both these ideas were given be by W. L. George." Miss Kaye-Smith works quickly and corrects little, but it takes her eight months to complete a story.

Lays Millions of Eggs

A starfish may lay 300,000,000 eggs, and, in spite of their enemies, which preserve the balance, these creatures would fill the world's seas in one year.

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It All Depended

The skipper of a British tramp steamer had lost his bearings on a stormy night and was anxiously studying an old chart.

"Well," he said to the mate, pointing to a place on the chart, "if that's Cardiff, Bill, we're on right, but if it's a fly speck 'eaven 'elp us!"—Boston Transcript.

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Finds "Tides" in Lava in Crater of Volcano

The discovery of daily and monthly "tides" in lava in the crater of Kilauea volcano in the Hawaiian islands was made recently by Dr. T. A. Jaggar, director of the Hawaiian volcano observatory of the United States weather bureau. The observatory is on Kilauea.

Dr. Jaggar says the observations might be valuable in predicting future eruptions. The liquid lava shows a twice-a-day fluctuation in level of from two to seven feet, a daily variation of three to five feet, and a monthly shifting of the time of maximum and minimum level. This would not be the case if the tides were due to weather conditions which change irregularly, but it might be due, Dr. Jaggar says, to control by the sun and moon.

The hard lava floor of the crater shows a daily change in level of about one foot, but the times of maximum and minimum are nearly opposite those for the liquid lava, the high level occurring in the morning in the case of the liquid and after midnight in the case of the solid lava during a period of two months when observations were taken.—Kansas City Star.

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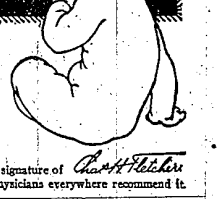

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