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The medical name of plain old Kentucky hook worm is "ankylostomiasis." Only a club would kill that.

If anybody would make me the greatest king that ever lived, with palaces and gardens, and fine dinners, and wine and coaches, and beautiful clothes, and hundreds of servants, on condition that I would not read books, I would not be a king—I would rather be a poor man in a garret with plenty of books, than a king who did not love reading.—Macaulay.

## GOVERNMENT OWNERSHIP AND MUNICIPAL OWNERSHIP BOTH BAD.

Referring to the proposition for government ownership of railroads and telegraphs and telephone lines, The Indianapolis News pertinently remarks: "The question is not whether the Government could afford to take this step, not whether it could manage the roads, but whether it could continue to exist as a free government, a true government of the people. Men are, we believe, beginning to see the dangers inherent in this whispered program. Many who in their hearts oppose it and shrink from it have made the mistake of talking and thinking of it as 'inevitable.' Nothing evil is inevitable as long as there is the slightest chance of preventing it. Those who are proposing to 'accept' what they think they cannot head off ought, we think, to express themselves clearly and forcibly. We believe, as we have said, that public opinion, as a whole, is far from favorable to this plan. It is a grave mistake to interpret silence as acquiescence."

When the truth is known it may be shown that half of Villa's army are American fighters.

About 70 per cent. of the ties in use on the federal railways of Switzerland are metal. Metal ties were first used on the Swiss roads in 1881, since which time they have gradually replaced, to a large extent, the wooden ties. Iron ties are especially recommended on the Swiss roads where a good quality of gravel is available for ballast.

## CITY OWNERSHIP LOSES AT LAPEER, MICH.

The question of a municipal lighting plant for Lapeer, Mich., was decided recently when the proposition lost out at a special election.

The question, which has troubled the minds of not only the councils but also nearly every citizen in town since its proposal several months ago in the council, was the subject of much comment and even enmity between persons taking opposite sides. The charter provides that any question submitted at a special election must receive 60 per cent of the total number of votes in order to carry.



## THE DAILY NOVELETTE

### UNIVERSAL EPIDEMIC.

Mr. Roger W. Babson says that in looking up appendix cases he learned that in 17 per cent. of the operations for that disease the postmortem examinations showed that the appendix was in perfect condition.  
 "This whole subject," he adds, "reminds me of a true story I heard in London recently. In the hospitals there, the ailment of the patient, when he is admitted, is denoted by certain letters, such as 'T. B.' for tuberculosis. An American doctor was examining these history slips when his curiosity was aroused by the number on which the letters 'G. O. K.' appeared. He said to the physician who was showing him around:  
 "There seems to be a severe epidemic of this G. O. K. in London. What is it, anyhow?"  
 "Oh, that means 'God only knows,' replied the English physician."—Open Door.

## BAD OPERATION AVOIDED

By Timely Use of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

**Mrs. Sowers' Own Statement.**  
 Hodgdon, Maine.—"I feel it a duty I owe to all suffering women to tell what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound did for me. One year ago I found myself a terrible sufferer. I had pains in both sides and such a soreness I could scarcely straighten up at times. My back ached, I had no appetite and was so nervous I could not sleep, then I would be so tired mornings that I could scarcely get around. It seemed almost impossible to move or do a bit of work and I thought I never would be any better until I submitted to an operation. I commenced taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and soon felt like a new woman. I had no pains, slept well, had good appetite and could do almost all my own work for a family of four. I shall always feel that I owe my good health to your medicine."—Mrs. HAYWARD SOWERS, Hodgdon, Maine.

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Peter Weller, who feared he was dying in a Chicago hospital from self-inflicted wounds, confessed to the murder of two women.

## USE OF EASTER DISCONTINUED.

Bellevue, Ohio.—The Bellevue Ministers Association requested that the use of the word "Easter" be discontinued in commercial advertising and in social or money-making enterprises. The association asserts there is danger of the significance of the day being overshadowed by the use of it.

## A BUSY WEEK IN HURRICANE.

(In Which Boys Lead.)  
 BORN:  
 Geo. Estes and wife a girl  
 Lottie Jordan and wife a boy  
 L. L. Linton and wife a boy  
 Nile Searls and wife a boy  
 Will Bird and wife a boy  
 Richard Croson and wife a boy  
 Herbert Phelps and wife a boy  
 C. J. Henderson and wife a girl  
 —Hurricane Breeze.

## TO EMPLOY NEGRO NURSE.

Frankfort.—The State Tuberculosis Commission today decided to employ a negro visiting nurse at Henderson, which is a new departure in the work in this city. Similar steps to eradicate the white plague will be taken in other cities where negro population is large. The commission sent a telegram to the State Board of Health expressing a willingness to co-operate with the board in its fight on the hookworm.

## LANDRETH'S GARDEN SEED!

A new and fresh supply Tomatoes, Radishes, Early Peas, Corn, Beans and Onion Sets. For a good garden try the  
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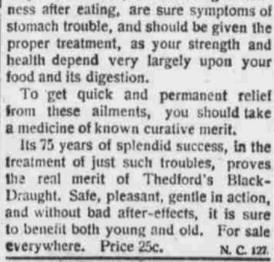
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Mr. Ragland Writes Interesting Letter on This Subject.

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