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 1 box fancy Malta Blood Oranges at 30c dozen
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 Watch Chains,
 Charms, Stick Pins,
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LOCAL BREVITIES.

Claude Martin is very ill with rheumatism.

About 100 from this place took in the excursion to Detroit Sunday.

A Chelsea telephone has been put in Wm. Campbell's residence.

Conrad Heselochardt of Sharon sold eight fine steers to Adam Eppler yesterday.

Remember the Junior social at the residence of F. P. Glazier Friday evening.

The building boom which Chelsea has been enjoying for several years, is stronger than ever before.

Frank Ingraham, formerly of this place, died at Grass Lake last week, after a long illness with consumption.

LaFayette Grange will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Fletcher, Thursday evening, May 23d, at 7:30.

The street committee are having the center of Main street, through the business portion of the village cut down.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sumner have moved into the residence on Garfield street which they recently purchased of Philip Broesamle.

The board of review for Lyndon will meet at the residence of Geo. Runciman, Wednesday afternoon, May 22d, at 1 o'clock.

The rural delivery of mail from this postoffice commenced yesterday, Ed. Welas carrying route No. 2, and Ed. Whipple route No. 1.

Frank P. Glazier, was elected a director of the Citizens Savings Bank of Detroit, at the annual meeting of the stockholders of said institution held last week.

F. M. Hooker is seriously ill at his home here. His daughters, Mrs. Higgins and Miss Kate Hooker of Detroit, and Mrs. Shaw of Ypsilanti, are here at his bedside.

The W. R. C. will hold their regular meeting Friday evening, May 24th. Every member is requested to be present, as arrangements are to be made for Decoration Day.

The board of directors of the State Savings Bank of Ann Arbor last week elected F. P. Glazier director to fill vacancy on the board, caused by the death of his father.

Just why a man should expectorate about a quart of filthy tobacco juice on a walk where people have to wade through it, is unexplainable, but there are many men built that way.

Bentley's One Dime Show will appear in Chelsea on Wednesday, May 23d. They claim to present a most refined, moral and instructive show. Doors open at 7, curtain rises at 8 o'clock. Admission 10 cents.

Wm. H. Freer, who has been traveling through the south as musical director of Al. G. Field's Minstrels, returned to his home here last Friday, the company having closed the season a few days before.

The Women's Guild will hold a social in the Congregational church, on Wednesday afternoon and evening, May 22d. Supper will be served from 5 o'clock until all are served. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

Through the kindness of M. L. Burkhardt the ladies of the M. E. church will hold their annual flower festival at his ice cream parlors, May 23, 24 and 25. They expect to have a fine lot of plants and will be pleased to have their friends give them a call.

We request all patrons and friends of The Standard who have business at the probate office, to request Judge Watkins to send all legal notices to The Standard to be printed therein. We shall appreciate the favor and the Judge will be pleased to grant your request. 20

Died, on Friday, May 10, 1901, Robert Boyd, aged 81 years. Mr. Boyd has been a resident of Chelsea and vicinity for many years and was a familiar figure on our streets. The funeral was held from his late home Monday afternoon, conducted by Rev. J. I. Nickerson.

The 18th of May all over the civilized world there purposes to be meetings held in the interests of peace. These meetings will supplement and strengthen the conviction to be promulgated at the court of international arbitration, which convenes at The Hague May 18th.

The editor of a paper having been blessed with a baby boy, the little 4-year-old sister of the new arrival asked: "Did you get him on advertising, papa?" And this prompted the editor of the Benton Standard to say: "You can get a bottle for his milk. You can dress his little frame in silk. You can get a pillow for his head. You can get for his stomach a little bread. You can get a wagon for him to ride. You can get the soap to wash his hide. You can get his pills for early rising. But you can't get a baby on advertising."

By order of the Great Camp, K. O. T. M. all Tents of Michigan will hold their usual memorial services on Decoration Day. All Sir Knights of Chelsea Tent, are requested to meet at their hall on that day with cap and badge to take part in the services.
 H. Lighthall, Commander.

F. H. Sweetland, Mrs. C. E. Whitaker, Mrs. W. VanRiper and J. Stimmer, Jr., were among the successful contestants in the counting of the dots for the Ann Arbor Argus and the Times. They did not get in on the grand prize, but are each entitled to a five-cent tablet or a five-cent pencil.

Many women have been reproached for the sole object of entertaining. No one doubts that such an aim is petty and narrowing, but it is equally certain that it is a woman's duty to understand The Art of Entertaining, and this forms the subject of an attractive and useful article by Lady Jeanne in The Cosmopolitan for May.

The Chelsea market today is as follows: Wheat 69 cents; oats 27 cents; rye 50 cents; beans \$1.30 bushel; clover seed is retailing at \$6.00 to \$7.00 per bushel; potatoes 17 cents; butter 13 cents; eggs 11 cents; beef live 2 1/2 to 4 1/2 cents; veal calves 4 1/2 to 5 cents; dressed veal 6 to 6 1/2 cents; live hogs \$5.00 to \$5.50; dressed hogs 6 cents; sheep 3 to 4 cents; lambs 4 1/2 cents; wool 18 to 16 cents for unwashed.

The fine deer park of Thomas Birkett at Birkett's is well known and always a pleasure for visitors. By some unaccountable means Saturday four deer got through the wire fence and are now at large. They have been followed, but the old saying as "fleet as a deer" still holds good. It will be a criminal offense to kill any of these deer. Mr. Birkett hopes that his friends will assist him in capturing his pets.

The splendid joke of the Pan-American exposition is on the capitalists who built the mammoth Statler hotel, with nine acres of sleeping rooms, three miles of halls and a dining room to feed 5,000 persons. Saturday 286 employees were on duty at the hotel. There was one guest, Mr. Wilson of New York, who humorously complained to the office of inattention on the part of the servants. Mr. Wilson went away the next day. The management is looking for some one to take his place.

The Maccabee's Building at the Pan-American Exposition is situated at the junction of two streets, near the prehistoric Indian Mounds. It is convenient to the Government Buildings, the Forecourt and the Mirror Lakes and Grand Canal. The splendid decorations of the building include a large bee hive and a tent with an open flap—symbols of the Order of the Maccabees. This building is provided for the entertainment of the Knights and Lady Maccabees who visit the Exposition.

A smooth sharper has been victimizing soldiers' widows in a neighboring county to the extent of \$1 to \$3 each. He tells a plausible story of collecting funds to start a publication which will devote its columns to pushing a bill through congress granting all soldiers' widows a pension of \$12 per month. A glib tongue and a sincere manner have enabled him to reap quite a harvest from gullible victims. At last accounts the officers were looking him up, and he may now be where he belongs—behind the bars.

The Evening News Association has issued a chronological record of "Detroit in 1900" compiled by S. B. McCracken, of everything of importance in last year's events, local and state, and it will be a most valuable work for all libraries, attorneys and business corporations. It gives cost of various state institutions, tax levies, paving, sewers, electric lighting, history of electric railways, street railways, political events, biographies, convention meets, etc. It is a work of 152 pages and sells for \$1.00 with a limited edition.

Married, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr and Mrs. C. H. Bagge, in this village, at high noon, Thursday, May 9, 1901, Miss Ollie Parks to Mr. Norman Boosey of Detroit, Rev. F. A. Stiles performing the ceremony. Miss Ella Bagge, sister of the bride, acted as bridesmaid, and Mr. Harvey Boosey, brother of the groom, as best man. The bride received many beautiful and useful presents. They left on the 4 o'clock train for their home in Detroit. Their many friends wish them much joy and happiness. The guests from abroad were Mrs. J. D. Boosey, Harvey Boosey and Miss Rosabell Glanning of Detroit, and Miss Rilla Wilson of Grass Lake.

ALL EYES ON TEXAS.

Great is Texas. Her vast cotton crops and marvellous oil discoveries amaze the world. Now follows the startling statement of the wonderful work at Cisco, Texas of Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption. "My wife contracted a severe lung trouble," writes editor J. J. Eager, "which caused a most obstinate cough and finally resulted in profuse hemorrhages, but she has been completely cured by Dr. King's New Discovery." It's positively guaranteed for all throat and lung troubles. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free at Glazier & Sumson's.

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R. P. CARPENTER, W. R. C. NO. 210 meets the Second and Fourth Friday in each month at 7:30 p. m.

OLIVE LODGE NO 156, F. & A. M. Regular meetings of Olive Lodge, No. 156, F. & A. M. for 1901.

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ALFRED C. SMYTH, AUCTIONEER. Residence, Sharon Center. Postoffice address, Manchester, Mich.

MICHIGAN CENTRAL. "The Niagara Falls Route." Time Card, taking effect, Apr. 29, 1900.

County and Vicinity

M. S. Hay, of Ann Arbor, has been appointed a cadet in the revenue cutter service. The Model Hoop and Stave Company of Milan shipped 360 carloads of hoops last year.

A good deal of bogus money has been passed in Jackson. Thomas Leeson, giving his residence as Detroit, has been arrested.

The Manchester roller mills will supply the Girl's Industrial Home at Adrian with flour the coming year.

It is probable that E. A. Croman of this village is one of the best posted men to be found anywhere on grasses, their diseases, needed nutrition and growth promotion.

A serious accident happened to the steam shovel last Thursday afternoon. Owing to some failure of the machinery to work properly, the arm swung around unexpectedly and the bucket was caught by one of the cars of the gravel train which was pulling out.

AVERAGE MAN IS IMPORTANT.

The average man rules the nation, says Mme. Sarah Grand in the London Express. Elevate the individual and you make the nation great.

By contrasting the condition of countries in which the majority of the people are gagged and enslaved with that of countries in which wealth and freedom are more equally distributed we have learned the fact that it is not riches of the rich nor the poverty of the poor, but the position and the character and the conduct of your average man that gives its tone to a nation.

Changing Significance of a Word. The word preposterous originally meant a process of reversing the natural order of things, such as indicated by the common expression "putting the cart before the horse."

Quaint Wedding Ceremony. William Wombwell, aged 70, and Catherine Heley, aged 57, jumped over a broomstick at Cowle, near Doncaster, England, recently, and thereupon became according to Romany custom, man and wife.

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FELINE CAN'T BE FROZEN.

Siberian Tiger in New York Park That Is Impervious to Intense Cold. At this season of the year great pains are taken to protect the majority of the animals in the Central park menagerie from cold.

The Siberian tiger is probably the largest member of the cat family and some claim for him the added distinction of being the most ferocious, says the New York Mail and Express.

It is in hot weather that the other members of the cat family have the laugh on their handsome cousin, as the saying is. The Siberian tiger has no winters of discontent; he has summers. It is pitiable to see his suffering when the sun begins to warm things up.

STORY OF A ROYAL DEBT.

Berlin Paper Says King Edward VII. Owes the Kaiser 24,000,000 Marks. The Vorwarts (socialist organ) lately printed a remarkable story to the effect that Emperor William's sudden departure for England was not only due to a desire to bid farewell to his dying grandmother, but still more to the prince of Wales' urgent wish to settle a private debt affair to the emperor before ascending the throne.

From the most trustworthy sources it is ascertained that there is no foundation whatever for the rumors, frequently appearing in the German press, that Emperor William is largely indebted to Herr Krupp and other German capitalists. On the contrary, the Kaiser is not only without debts, but he is saving money yearly for his children.

CHAOTIC PENAL SYSTEM.

Ten-Day Prisoners Are Frequently Mixed with the Condemned in Delaware. The whole penal system of Delaware is in more or less chaotic condition, and this, as well as the pillory and whipping post, may be attributed to lack of public thought or study along corrective and charitable lines.

There is no system of prison labor. There is no reform school. For important crimes the county jail at New Castle is selected because it is the hardest and much the strongest; for the most trivial offenses the same prison is made to serve. Prisoners with ten-day sentences are mixed with those awaiting execution and those who have a lifetime to serve.

You are much more liable to disease when your liver and bowels do not act properly. DeWitt's Little Early Risers remove the cause of disease.—Glazier & Stimson.

Milford G. Curtis is Defendant. Satisfactory proof appearing to this Court by affidavit on file that defendant is not a resident of this state but is a resident of the State of Illinois.

"Our little girl was unconscious from strangulation during a sudden and terrible attack of croup. I quickly secured a bottle of One Minute Cough Cure, mastered and our little darling speedily recovered."—Glasier & Stimson.

MORTGAGE SALE. Default having been made in the conditions of a certain indenture of mortgage, dated the 29th day of April, A. D. 1895, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the county of Washtenaw and state of Michigan...

MORTGAGE SALE. Whereof default has been made in the conditions of a certain indenture of mortgage, dated the 31st day of January, A. D. 1889, executed by Julia E. Fuller...

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