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CHESAIRE TELEPHONE NUMBER 8

## NOW POUNDING OUT ORE

Hoosier Boy Stamp Mill Was Started up Last Saturday.

The following from the Grant County (Oregon) News, is of interest to Chelsea people as there are a number of stockholders in this place: The 25 stamp mill is ready for "the drop" at the Prairie Diggings, five miles east of Canyon City, in the grassy plain at the base of Canyon mountain. The momentous first turn of the wheel awaits only the moderation of the weather sufficiently to insure safety in turning the water into the ditch. [A telegram was received by J. D. Watson Saturday stating that the mill had started that day.—Ed. Standard]

Never before in the history of mining on the coast was such extraordinary progress made in the work of installing a plant of like size as that recorded in the installation of the 25 stamp mill of the Prairie Diggings mine.

Work was begun on the mill about October 15, since which time the capacity of two sawmills has been taxed to supply the lumber necessary for the big structure and the village houses of the camp. Some delay was occasioned by dearth of material; but, within three and a half months at an expenditure of at least \$100,000, the largest modern stamp mill in Eastern Oregon has been erected, all the machinery installed, out-buildings completed, pipe lines laid, tunnels penetrating the ledge 700 feet repaired and heavily timbered, extensive ditches put in readiness for volumes of water, sluice boxes constructed and the whole equipment made ready for turning on the power in one of the most substantially constructed stamp mills ever built on the coast.

All this has been accomplished under the personal direction of Manager M. D. Winder, assisted by Secretary Jno. W. Messner.

THE PLANT AND EQUIPMENT. The plant and the structure are marvels of completeness in every detail. The stamp-mills, of which there are five of five-stamps each, are the Hammond Iron Frame, the most modern in construction and acknowledged the best in the world.

Added to these are six New Standard concentrators of the most recent pattern, which will be kept busy separating the mineral from the gang or pulp. Expert Hendricks, of Seattle, is on the ground to manage the introductory operation of the concentrators.

A 10,000 lb. rotary crusher will put the rock in condition for its reception by the stamps. Like the remainder of the equipment, it, too, is of latest pattern.

Two 18-inch water motors, one for the crusher and the other for the water, are in place. The deflecting nozzles are under the handy control of the battery man. A "deflecting rod," convenient to his post of duty, enables him to turn the water on or off quickly and at will.

The supply of water is sufficient to operate 250 stamps. The power of the machinery installed is sufficient to operate 100 stamps. And it is conceded that there is ledge enough in sight, with out sinking below the level of the tunnel, to run 100 stamps for 100 years.

Three ore cars of latest pattern will serve to convey the ore from the mine to the mill. They hold one and a half tons each and from them the ore is dumped into a bin of 250 tons capacity. These cars will be drawn by mules until the electric light plant is installed. They will then be moved by the trolley system.

THE CYANIDE AND ELECTRIC PLANTS. Manager Winder is experimenting now on concentrates and base ores to determine whether or not a roaster will be needed to aid the cyanide process. The cyanide plant will be put in immediately at a cost of \$6000, in order to treat the concentrates on the premises; but if the experiments now in progress show the need of a roaster, it, too will be installed at a cost of about \$20,000.

It was the purpose of the mine management to ship the concentrates to the Quartzburg smelter, for a time at least, but the close of the latter made the cyanide plant necessary. Hence, the concentrates will be treated on the ground.

An electric plant is on the way and will probably be in operation in a week. With it the entire works will be lighted. As in the case of other portions of the plant, the electric equipment will be double the power required at present. The tunnel will contain twelve lights, while the mill, shops, office and dwellings, will use probably sixty more. The plant will have a capacity of 150 lights.

Electric light in the tunnels, the mill and the shops will be much cheaper, safer and clearer. It is estimated that the saving effected during the first year will equal the cost of the plant.

GENERAL NOTES OF MINE AND MILL. The Hoosier Boy Company acquired possession of the Prairie Diggings mine

property, covering an area of 100 acres, less than four months ago. In conjunction with work on the mill they immediately began to clean out, enlarge and repair the 700-foot tunnel left by the old Prairie Diggings company 38 years ago. This tunnel had caved for the greater portion of the distance of 400 feet, all of which section has now been repaired and heavily retimbered. About 400 feet from the portal an air shaft has been reopened and is now being timbered. It is 35 feet deep. At the terminus of the tunnel an upraise will be constructed. This work will soon be reached.

The exposed portion of the ledge covers an area of many acres in the open prairie, every inch of which contains pay rock. The assays of this ore shows only gold with an occasional trace of silver.

The main ledge is 275 feet wide. This ledge is crossed at right angles by the 700-foot tunnel. From the face of this ledge, rock was taken in such a manner as to reach a fair average. The assay of this ore produced a showing of a fraction less than \$7. This ore can be mined and milled for \$1 per ton. A very ordinary arithmetician may easily determine the result. The mine would yield an enormous profit if the assays were reduced one-half.

The great Treadwell mine, operating 880 stamps, mines and mills its ore at a cost of \$1.05 per ton. Its ore assays \$2.19. Its net profit is a fraction over 77 cents. This comparison with one of the greatest mines of the world will give a fairly definite idea of the mountain of uncovered ore of the Prairie Diggings mine.

The surface of much of the Prairie Diggings property was placer-mined many years ago. It is the purpose of the present company to work the loose gravel and dirt by hydraulic process. They have three times as much water as the mill will use, and much of the surplus will thus be consumed. There is no doubt of the profitable result.

Of 18-inch pipe 5000 feet have been laid and the entire system is now ready to be attached.

The buildings of the camp are all completed except the new office structure. It will contain, in addition to the required offices, a reception room for visitors and extra bedrooms.

The mill building is 60x77 feet at the base, 76 high and contains seven floors. It is one of the most substantially built structures of its kind on the coast. It will be amply protected from fire by a most complete apparatus, both from within and without.

### Jurors For March Term.

The following are the jurors drawn for the March term of the circuit court: Ann Arbor, 4th ward—Oscar Jackson. Ann Arbor, 5th ward—Claremont Pray. Ann Arbor, 6th ward—John H. Hall. Ann Arbor, 7th ward—Chas. Boylan. Ann Arbor town—John Campbell. Augusta—John Ryan. Bridgewater—Louis Bauer. Dexter—George Huss. Freedom—Godfrey Twinkle. Lima—Samuel Smith. Lodi—Chas. Furthmiller. Lyndon—John Clark. Manchester—John Gieske. Northfield—Gale Leland. Pittsfield—Joseph Richardson. Salem—P. H. Murray. Saline—Ruel Mills. Selo—James Gallagher. Sharon—Wm. B. Meyer. Superior—Frank Lambie. Sylvan—E. S. Cooper. Webster—Joseph Todd. York—Frank Holcomb. Ypsilanti town—Willis Everett. Ypsilanti, 1st district—William Campbell. Ypsilanti, 2d district—Thomas Horn. Ann Arbor, 1st ward—Geo. W. Moore. Ann Arbor, 2d ward—Herman F. Miller. Ann Arbor, 3d ward—Jesse Smith. Ann Arbor, 4th ward—William Walsh.

### Many Difficulties.

A. E. Jennings, who handled the work of obtaining right of way for the Hawke-Angus line from Jackson to Ann Arbor, had manifold difficulties to overcome, and a number of varied temperaments in people to deal with. The people naturally viewed the proposition of running cars between the highway and their residences, barns and farm premises with apprehension. He invariably dispelled fear of damage and inconvenience, and eventually made friends of them in their dealings. Mr. Jennings knows about every man along the Jackson Ann Arbor line in a friendly way. During the real trial for right of way, interesting, if not amusing, experiences were encountered. He tells of his talking with a man who was both trustee and sexton of county cemetery between Ann Arbor and Lima Center. Just how to present the case of getting a right of way in a cemetery where graves would have to be abandoned, was more difficult than presenting the advantage which would accrue to a farm from cars passing by the residence to the city. He explained the workings of an electric line in a general way and frankly told the man his desire for an option. The sexton dropped his head and meditated. Then looking up suddenly he said: "Why, that road will help our cemetery."

Mr. Jennings was almost carried off his feet by what appeared to him a grim and absurd proposition. "Help a cemetery." It was a brand new argument in support of an electric railway.

The right of way was obtained and a number of graves in the path of the road were moved. The old sexton was right; it is an advantage to the cemetery. It is a German cemetery, and the oldest in that section of the state. Many residents of Ann Arbor prefer it as a burial place, and the drawback has been that it was not conveniently accessible, being in the country. People are attracted to it Sundays, and this coming summer there will unquestionably be many Ann Arbor people taking the cars to this cemetery. —Jackson Press.

### Memorial Services.

The Miss Frances E. Willard memorial service held in the Methodist church last Sunday evening, drew a full house, and was an interesting service. After music by the choir, the pastor of the church read the "Crusade Psalm," No. 41, and Dr. Holmes offered prayer. The president of the W. C. T. U., Mrs. E. J. Glazier, then took charge of the program announcing the numbers in their order. To say that all who took part in the exercises did nobly, is only to state what everybody had anticipated. Miss Willard was a remarkable woman, and no one could pay her too high a tribute. The music was a very enjoyable, every part well sustained; and when the quartette—T. Hughes, F. S. Welch, R. A. Snyder, C. Quivey—again sang, we will try to be there.

### Killed by Street Car.

Word was received here this week by Geo. A. BeGole, of the death of Frank Harlow, a former Chelsea boy, at his home in Phoenix, Arizona, Sunday, February 9th. His death was the result of injuries received by being pushed from a street car. His right leg was amputated above the knee, the left leg was dislocated at the hip. It was thought for a time that he would rally, but in a few hours he rapidly failed and soon passed away. It was then found that he had been injured internally, and that the abdominal cavity was filled with blood.

### No Suburban Trains.

A prominent official of the Michigan Central railroad said the other day that there is no truth in the report from Ann Arbor that the road will begin a rate war to fight the electric lines between Detroit and Jackson, when they are finished. "The fact is," said he, "that the Michigan Central doesn't have to cut rates below 2 cents a mile. Since that rate was established we have shown a remarkable growth of business between here and Ann Arbor. No, sir; the Michigan Central will do no such thing as cut rates."

### Walking to San Francisco.

Harry Adonis, who is trying to walk from Dowagiac to San Francisco, on a wager, one of the conditions of which is that he must earn \$500, was in Chelsea Friday. From here he went to Detroit, and will then circle off to the south by way of Dayton and Cincinnati, from where he will strike out for Kansas City and Denver. He has a year in which to reach San Francisco, but expects to have a month or more to spare, although illness or accidents may cut into this reserve. A condition of the wager is that he shall push a wheelbarrow the entire distance, and from advertisements painted on the barrow he will realize \$425, which leaves but \$75 to be earned on the journey to make up the \$500, so the barrow can scarcely be called a handicap.

### Watch Out for Locusts.

Prof. R. H. Pettit of the Michigan Agricultural College has given out the information that in all probability Michigan will experience a plague of 17-year locusts during the summer of 1909. This is the time of the recurrence of the pests and the larvae which have been lying dormant since their last appearance will appear and farmers are warned not to set out trees until late in the year, when the plague is over. The ravages of the pests are chiefly confined to the roots of trees and shrubs. Forest trees suffer as well as orchards.

### No Small Pox There.

The daily press has announced that there is a case of smallpox at the Agricultural College. It is hoped that no one will stay at home from the Round-up Institute at the College, February 25-28, fearing exposure to this disease. A suspected case has been kept in quarantine four weeks, but there is now not the slightest danger of smallpox at the College or in Lansing.

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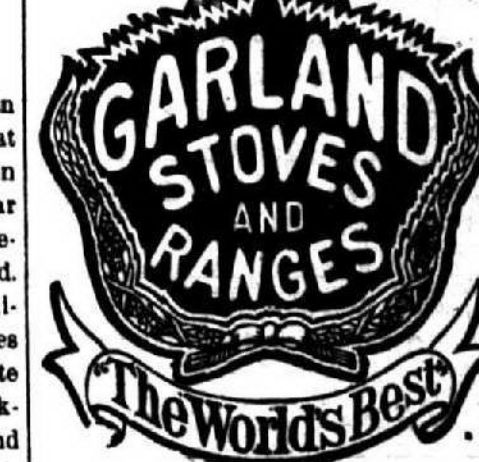
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# TALMAGE'S SERMON.

## NECESSITY OF BRINGING RELIGION INTO THE EVERY DAY WORLD.

"Whatever Ye Do, Do It to the Glory of God"—A Man Cannot Be a Christian on Sunday and a Worldling All the Rest of the Week.

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Washington, Feb. 15.—In this discourse Dr. Talmage advises us to do our best in the spheres where we are placed and not wait to serve God in a secondary position; text, 1 Corinthians x. 31. "Whether, therefore, ye eat or drink, or whatsoever ye do, do all to the glory of God."

When the apostle in this text sets forth the idea that so common an action as the taking of food and drink is to be conducted to the glory of God, he proclaims the importance of religion in the ordinary affairs of our life. In all ages of the world there has been a tendency to set apart certain days, places and occasions for worship, and to think those were the chief realms in which religion was to act. Now, holy days and holy places have their importance. They give opportunity for special performance of Christian duty and for regaling of the religious appetite, but they cannot take the place of continuous exercise of faith and prayer. In other words, a man cannot be so much of a Christian on Sunday that he can afford to be a worldling all the rest of the week. You cannot eat so much at the Sabbath banquet that you can afford religious abstinence the other six days. The genuine Christian life is not spasmodic; does not go by fits and starts. It tolls on through heat and cold, up steep mountains and along dangerous declivities, its eye on the everlasting hills crowned with the castles of the blessed. I propose to plead for an everyday religion.

In the first place we want to bring the religion of Christ into our conversation. When a dam breaks and two or three villages are overwhelmed or an earthquake in South America swallows a whole city, then people begin to talk about the uncertainty of life, and they imagine that they are engaged in positively religious conversation. No. You may talk about these things and have no grace of God at all in your heart. We ought every day to be talking religion. The real, genuine Christian man talks chiefly about this life and the great eternity beyond and not so much about the insignificant pass between these two residences. And yet how few circles there are where the religion of Jesus Christ is welcome. Go into a circle even of Christian people, where they are full of joy and hilarity, and talk about Christ or heaven and everything is immediately silenced. As on a summer day when the forests are full of life, chatter, chirrup and carol—a mighty chorus of bird harmony, every tree branch an orchestra—if a hawk appear in the sky every voice stops and the forests are still. Just so I have seen a lively religious circle silenced on the appearance of anything like religious conversation.

My friends, the religion of Jesus Christ is something to talk about with a glad heart. It is brighter than the waters; it is more cheerful than the sunshine. Do not go around groaning about your religion when you ought to be singing it or talking it in cheerful tones of voice. How often it is that we find men whose lives are utterly inconsistent who attempt to talk religion and always make a failure of it. My friends, we must live religion or we cannot talk it. If we have really felt the religion of Christ in our hearts, let us talk of it, and talk it with an illuminated countenance, remembering that when two Christian people talk God gives special attention, and writes down what they say; Malachi iii. 16. "Then they that feared the Lord spake often one to another, and the Lord hearkened and heard it, and a book of remembrance was written."

Again, I remark, we must bring the religion of Christ into our employment. "Oh," you say, "that is very well if a man handle large sums of money or if he have an extensive traffic, but in the humble work in life that I am called to the sphere is too small for the action of such grand, heavenly principles." Who told you so? Do you not know that God watches the faded leaf on the brook's surface as certainly as he does the path of a blazing sun? And the moss that creeps up the side of the rock makes as much impression upon God's mind as the waving tops of Oregon pine and Lebanon cedar, and the alder, crackling under the cow's hoof, sounds as loud in God's ear as the snap of a world's conflagration. When you have anything to do in life, however humble it may seem to be, God is always there to help you to do it. A religion that is not good in one place is not worth anything in another place. The man who has only a day's wages in his pocket as certainly needs the guidance of religion as he who rattles the keys of a bank and could abscond with a hundred thousand dollars.

There are those prominent in the churches who seem to be on public occasions very devout who do not put the principles of Christ's religion into practice. They are the most inexorable of creditors. They are the most grasping of dealers. They are known as sharpers on the street. They feed every sheep they can catch. A country merchant comes in to buy spring or fall goods, and he gets into the store of one of these professed Christian men who have really no grace in their hearts, and he is completely swindled. He is so overcome that he cannot get out of town during the week. He stays in town over Sunday, goes into some church to get Christian consolation, when what is his amazement to find that the very man who hands him the poor box in the church is the one who relieved him of his money! But never

mind; the deacon has his black coat on now. He looks solemn and goes home talking about "the blessed sermon." If the wheat in the churches should be put into a hopper, the first turn of the crank would make the chaff fly, I tell you. Some of these men are great sticklers for gospel preaching. They say: "You stand there in bands in surplice and gown and preach—preach like an angel—and we will stand out here and attend to business. Don't mix things. Don't get business and religion in the same bucket. You attend to your matters, and we will attend to ours." They do not know that God sees every cheat they have practiced in the last six years; that he can look through the iron wall of their fireproof safe; that he has counted every dishonest dollar they have in their pocket, and that a day of judgment will come. These inconsistent Christian men will sit on the Sabbath night in the house of God singing at the close of the service "Rock of Ages Cleft for Me," and then when the benediction is pronounced shut the pew door and say as they go out: "Good-bye, religion. I'll be back next Sunday."

I think that the church of God and the Sabbath are only an armory where we are to get weapons. I look upon the church of Christ and the Sabbath day as only the place and time where and when we are to get armed for Christian conflict, but the battlefield is on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday. "St. Martin's" and "Lenox" and "Old Hundred" do not amount to anything unless they sing all the week. A sermon is useless unless we can take it with us behind the plow and the counter. The Sabbath day is worthless if it lasts only twenty-four hours.

There are many Christians who say: "We are willing to serve God, but we do not want to do it in these spheres about which we are talking, and it seems so insipid and monotonous. If we had some great occasion, if we had lived in the time of Luther, if we had been Paul's traveling companion, if we could serve God on a great scale, we would do it, but we can't in this everyday life." There is, however, a field of endurance and great achievement, but it is in everyday life. There are Alps to scale, there are Hellesponts to swim, there are fires to brave, but they are all around us now. This is the hardest kind of martyrdom to bear.

It took grace to lead Latimer and Ridley through the fire triumphantly when their armed enemies and their friends were looking on, but it requires more grace now to bring men through persecution when nobody is looking on. I could show you in this city a woman who has had rheumatism for twenty years and has endured more suffering and exhausted more grace than would have made twenty martyrs pass triumphantly through the fire. If you are not faithful in a grand mission. If you cannot stand the bite of a midge, how could you endure the breath of a basilisk?

Do not think that any work God gives you to do in the world is on too small a scale for you to do. The whole universe is not ashamed to take care of one little flower. Plato had a fable which I have now nearly forgotten, but it ran something like this: He said spirits of the other world came back to this world to find a body and find a sphere of work. One spirit came and took the body of a king and did his work; another spirit came and took the body of a poet and did his work; after awhile Ulysses came, and he said: "Why, all the fine bodies are taken, and all the grand work is taken. There is nothing left for me." And some one replied, "Ah, the best one has been left for you." Ulysses said, "What's that?" And the reply was, "The body of a common man, doing a common work and for a common reward." A good fable for the world and just as good a fable for the church. Whether we eat or drink or what we do, let us do it to the glory of God.

Again, we need to bring the religion of Christ into our commonest trials. For severe losses, for bereavement, for trouble that stocks like an earthquake and that blasts like a storm, we prescribe religious consolation; but, business men, for the small annoyances of last week how much of the grace of God did you apply? "Oh," you say, "these trials are too small for such application." My brother, they are shaping your character, they are sowing your temper, they are wearing out your patience, and they are making you less and less of a man. I go into a sculptor's studio and see him shaping a statue. He has a chisel in one hand and a mallet in the other, and he gives a very gentle stroke—click, click, click! I say, "Why don't you strike harder?" "Oh," he replies, "that would shatter the statue. I can't do it that way. I must do it this way." So he works on, and after awhile the features come out, and everybody that enters the studio is charmed and fascinated. Well, God has your soul under process of development, and it is the little annoyances and vexations of life that are chiseling out your immortal nature. It is click, click, click! I wonder why some great providence does not come and with one stroke prepare you for heaven. Ah, no. God says that is not the way. And so he keeps on by strokes of little annoyances, little sorrows, little vexations, until at last you shall be a glad spectacle for angels and for men. It is the little troubles of life that are having more effect upon you than the great ones. A swarm of locusts will kill a grainfield sooner than the incursion of three or four cattle. You say, "Since I lost my child, since I lost my property, I have been a different man." But you do not recognize the architecture of little annoyances that are hewing, digging, cutting, shaping, splitting and interjoining your moral qualities. Rats may sink a ship. One Lucifer match may send destruction through a block of storehouses.

Catherine de Medici got her death from smelling a poisonous rose. Columbus, by stopping and asking for a piece of bread and a drink of water at a Franciscan convent, was led to the discovery of a new world. And there is an intimate connection between trifles and immensities, between nothings and everything.

Now, be careful to let none of those annoyances go through your soul unarranged. Compel them to administer to your spiritual wealth. Do not let any annoyance or perplexity come across your soul without its making you better.

Our national government did not think it belittling to put a tax on pins and a tax on buckles and a tax on shoes. The individual taxes do not amount to much, but in the aggregate to millions and millions of dollars. And I would have you, O Christian man, put a high tariff on every annoyance and vexation that comes through your soul. This might not amount to much in single cases, but in the aggregate it would be a great revenue of spiritual strength and satisfaction. And I have to tell you, O Christian men, if you cannot apply the principles of Christ's religion on a small scale you will never be able to apply them on a large scale. If you cannot contend successfully against these small sorrows that command single handed, what will you do when the greater disasters of life come down with thundering artillery, rolling over your soul?

Again, we must bring the religion of Christ into our commonest blessings. When the autumn comes and the harvests are in and the governors make proclamations we assemble in churches and we are very thankful. But every day ought to be a thanksgiving day. We do not recognize the common mercies of life. We are so stupid that nothing but the misfortune of others can rouse us up to our blessings. As the ox grazes in the pasture up to its eye in clover, yet never thinking who makes the clover, and as the bird picks up the worm from the furrow, not knowing that it is God who makes everything, from the antmule in the sod to the seraph on the throne, so we go on eating, drinking and enjoying, but never thanking, or seldom thanking, or, if thanking at all, with only half a heart.

I compared our indifference to the brute, but perhaps I wronged the brute. I do not know but that, among its other instincts, it may have an instinct by which it recognizes the divine hand that feeds it. I do not know but that God is, through it, holding communication with what we call "irrational creation." The cow that stands under the willow by the watercourse, chewing its cud, looks very thankful, and who can tell how much a bird means by its song? The aroma of the flowers smells like incense, and the mist arising from the river looks like the smoke of a morning sacrifice. Oh, that we were as responsive! Yet who thanks God for the air, the fountain of life, the bridge of sunbeams, the path of sound, the great fan on a hot summer's day? Who thanks God for this wonderful physical organism, this sweep of the vision, this chime of harmony struck into the ear, this soft tread of a myriad delights over the nervous tissue, this rolling of the crimson tide through artery and vein, this drumming of the heart on our march to immortality? We take all these things as a matter of course.

But suppose God should withdraw these common blessings! Your body would become an inquisition of torture, the cloud would refuse rain, every green thing would crumple up, and the earth would crack open under your feet. The air would cease its healthful circulation, pestilence would swoop, and every house would become a place of skulls. Streams would first swim with vermin and then dry up, and thirst and hunger and anguish and despair would lift their scepters. Oh, compare such a life as that with the life you live with your families! Is it not time that, with every word of our lips and with every action of our life we began to acknowledge these everyday mercies?

I was preaching one Thanksgiving day and announced my text, "Oh, give thanks unto the Lord, for he is good, for his mercy endureth forever." I do not know whether there was any blessing on the sermon or not, but the text went straight to a young man's heart. He said to himself as I read the text: "Oh, give thanks unto the Lord, for he is good."—Why, I have never rendered him any thanks! Oh, what an ingrate I have been! Can it be, my brother, that you have been fed by the good hand of God all these days, that you have had clothing and shelter and all the beneficent surroundings, and yet have never offered your heart to God? Oh, let a sense of the divine goodness shown you in everyday blessings melt your heart, and if you have never before uttered an earnest note of thanksgiving let this be the day which shall hear your song! What I say to one I say to all. Make every day a Sabbath and every meal a sacrament and every room you enter a holy of holies. We all have work to do; let us be willing to do it. We all have sorrows to bear; let us cheerfully bear them. We all have battles to fight; let us courageously fight them. If you want to die right, you must live right. Negligence and indolence will win the hiss of everlasting scorn, while faithfulfulness will gather its garlands and wave its scepter and sit upon its throne long after this earth has put on ashes and eternal ages have begun their march. So our every step in life should be a triumphal march, and the humblest footstool on which we are called to sit will be a conqueror's throne.

Maximian, the Roman Emperor, was over eight feet high, and could wear his wife's bracelet as a thumb ring.

**\$500 FROM \$1.00.**  
Wm. Kelley, Lawrence Co., O., made on \$1.00 worth of tomato seed, bought from the John A. Salzer Seed Co., LaCrosse, Wis., last summer, over \$500. That pays.

Now early cucumbers is one of the best paying vegetables, also earlies radishes, peas, tomatoes, beets, etc.

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### TORTOISE IS A MOUSE.

Novel Pet of a Philadelphia Woman  
Catches Mice.

A Philadelphia woman who dislikes both cats and mice has discovered a novel substitute for one as an exterminator of the other. This substitute is nothing more nor less than an ordinary land tortoise.

Ever since last summer, when the tortoise was added to the family circle by the woman's youngest son, aged 9, she has noticed that the mice, with which the house had previously been overrun, were gradually disappearing. It was not until the other day, however, that she discovered the cause. She was sitting very quietly with some fancy work, and the tortoise, which has the liberty of the house, was apparently asleep in a corner. Presently a little mouse made its appearance, and the tortoise opened its beady eyes. Round and round ran the mouse, getting nearer and nearer the tortoise as though fascinated. Finally it was within striking distance. The tortoise darted out its head, there was a snap of the jaws, a tiny little squeak, and the mouse was dead.

Then the tortoise calmly and deliberately set to work, says the Philadelphia Record, to eat its victim.

### He Clutched It.

Erie, Kans., Feb. 17th.—In July of 1900, W. H. Ketchum of this place was suddenly seized with a violent pain in his back. He says he supposed it was a "stitch" and would soon pass away, but it lasted five months and caused him great soreness, so that he was barely able to get out of bed. He became alarmed and consulted a doctor which only increased his anxiety and did him no good.

A friend who had some experience advised him to use Dodd's Kidney Pills. Mr. Ketchum began with six pills a day and in a week was well and the soreness all gone. However, this did not satisfy him, for he says: "I thought I would clinch the cure with another box and I did. I have had no recurrence of the trouble since and as this is over a year ago I am thoroughly convinced that Dodd's Kidney Pills have completely cured me."

**Big Canning Trust Forming.**  
A \$10,000,000 trust, backed by New York and Baltimore bankers in the East and the Wisconsin Trust company in the West, is to be organized at Milwaukee, Wis., in connection with the National Canners' association convention.

**Don't Trifle With Rheumatism.**  
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**Big Increase in Baggage Duty.**  
During the ten months ended Dec. 31 last the duties collected on incoming baggage at New York amounted to \$605,534, against \$231,264 collected during the corresponding period of 1900, when the old system was in force, an increase of about 300 per cent.

Brooklyn, N. Y., Feb. 17th.—The activity at the laboratory of the Garfield Tea Co. is further evidence of the popularity of their preparations: over THREE MILLION FAMILIES used the Garfield Remedies last year! This vast public approval speaks well for the remedies. They are: Garfield Tea, Garfield Headache Powders, Garfield-Tea Syrup, Garfield Relief Plasters, Garfield Belladonna Plasters, Garfield Digestive Tablets and Garfield Cold Cure.

**New York May Get Lyman Gage.**  
It is reported in financial circles in New York that the presidency of the United States Trust company has been offered to Lyman J. Gage, former secretary of the treasury, and that he will accept.

**Sufferers from Kidney Trouble.**  
Should not fail to read the advertisement of the Church Kidney Cure Co., 406 Fourth avenue, New York, appearing in this paper.

A man in Bailey's Island, Me., has invented a harness to keep a hen from scratching up the garden.

**Stops the Cough and Works Off the Cold.**  
Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. Price 25c.

The father of Keats kept a livery stable, in which the poet was born.

**ALWAYS USE RUSS BLEACHING BLUE.**  
acknowledged the leading bluing. Made by The Russ Company, South Bend, Ind.

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**St. Jacobs Oil**  
CURES  
**Rheumatism**  
Neuralgia, Sciatica,  
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**CONQUERS PAIN!**

## TO MOTHERS

Mrs. J. H. Haskins, of Chicago, Ill., President Chicago Arcade Club, Addresses Comforting Words to Women Regarding Childbirth.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—Mothers need not dread childbearing after they know the value of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. While I loved children I dreaded the ordeal, for it left me weak and sick



for months after, and at the time I thought death was a welcome relief; but before my last child was born a good neighbor advised Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and I used that, together with your Pills and Sanative Wash for four months before the child's birth;—it brought me wonderful relief. I hardly had an ache or pain, and when the child was ten days old I left my bed strong in health. Every spring and fall I now take a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and find it keeps me in continual excellent health."—Mrs. J. H. Haskins, 3349 Indiana Ave., Chicago, Ill.—\$5000 forfeit if above testimony is not genuine.

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Largest growers of Clover, Timothy and Grasses. Our northern grown Clover, for vigor, frost and drought resisting properties, has justly become famous. SUPERIOR CLOVER, 50 lb. \$5.00; 100 lb. \$9.00. LA CROSSE PRIME CLOVER, 50 lb. \$5.00; 100 lb. \$9.00. Sample Clover, Timothy and Grasses and great Catalog mailed you for 6c postage. JOHN A. SALZER SEED CO. LA CROSSE, WIS.

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Delicately formed and gently reared, women will find, in all the seasons of their lives, as maids or wives or mothers, that the one simple, wholesome remedy which acts gently and pleasantly and naturally, and which may be used with truly beneficial effects, under any conditions, when the system needs a laxative—is—Syrup of Figs. It is well known to be a simple combination of the laxative and carminative principles of plants with pleasant, aromatic liquids, which are agreeable and refreshing to the taste and acceptable to the system when its gentle cleansing is desired.

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Only those who buy the genuine Syrup of Figs can hope to get its beneficial effects and as a guarantee of the excellence of the remedy the full name of the company—California Fig Syrup Co.—is printed on the front of every package and without it any preparation offered as Syrup of Figs is fraudulent and should be declined. To those who know the quality of this excellent laxative, the offer of any substitute, when Syrup of Figs is called for, is always resented by a transfer of patronage to some first-class drug establishment, where they do not recommend, nor sell false brands, nor imitation remedies. The genuine article may be bought of all reliable druggists everywhere at 50 cents per bottle.

## CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP CO.



# An American Nabob.

A Remarkable Story of Love, Gold and Adventure.

By ST. GEORGE RATHBORNE

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## CHAPTER X. (Continued.)

Not that shots were uncommon in San Jose by any means, for where men carry arms continually it is only natural that an occasional explosion occurs.

But there was something peculiar about this discharge—it came in the midst of silence, and seemed, as indeed it must be, a signal.

Jack struck a match and lit his pipe. It was none of his funeral, any way, and if on the morrow the good people of Gaularica woke up under another dynasty, why that was their lookout.

The recollection of Barrajo gave Jack something of a shock, for he remembered the expressed determination of the general that he should be made a full-fledged citizen of the stormy little republic, with all the rights and privileges that citizenship implied.

Could that mean duties, too? Would he be expected to sally forth and join in the game of hide and seek, or shooting at one who wore the rival colors, whether in arms or endeavoring to escape?

He guessed not. Still he dared not go to sleep—would care to do so when a volcano was in eruption all around—and the night gradually wore away.

The clamor died away a dozen times, only to break out afresh.

At last, dawn.

Jack Overton was jolly glad to see the sun arrive through the little window.

He devoutly prayed he might not see another such night for a long time to come.

Somehow, he could not but speculate as to the complexion of the new dynasty, and what effect, if any, the change might have on his fortunes.

Then came a heavy rap on the door—a rap he knew full well could proceed from no other than Barrajo. So Overton, pipe still in hand, stepped over to the door and opened it.

He had no sooner done so than a mighty cheer went up from more than two score of throats.

Jack stared in amazement, for he realized that the whole army of the republic was represented in that double file of shouting and gesticulating troops, some of them barefooted, others more gorgeously appareled, and all carrying arms.

General Barrajo stood there, smiling and bowing.

To say that Overton was surprised, would be expressing it mildly—he would not for the life of him understand why the general wanted to march his ragtag and bobtail army before his little domicile in order to tell him who was "in" and who was "out" of the palace.

To Barrajo he must look for an explanation, and when a wave of that hero's sword again brought silence upon the scene, Jack hastened to ask:

"What does this mean, general?"

"They want a speech, Senator Overton—it is customary."

"Then why don't you give it to them?"

"For Dios! It is not Barrajo they wish to hear. Every day I make them a speech and swear at them in six languages. It is you, senator, you alone, they clamor to hear."

"Good heavens! why should I address your old army?" demanded Jack, agitated, and with growing uneasiness.

"Because, Senator Overton, you have been appointed to rule over us—last night you ceased to be a plain citizen and became the President of Gaularica Republic!"

## CHAPTER XI.

Jack Moves On the Palace.

You could almost have knocked Jack Overton down with a feather when he heard Barrajo make this astounding declaration—in fact he was tempted to pluck himself, in order to discover whether he was awake or sleeping.

It was not Jack's habit to appear distressed—whether the announcement were a huge canard, or given in dead earnest, he did not mean these men of Gaularica should see him staggered, so he quickly pulled himself together and, laughing, said:

"Ah! indeed! Thank you for the honor, but tell me, how did this little event transpire?"

"In the natural course of events, your excellency. The noble army had grown weary of Robledo, whose promises of reform were never kept. They liked Montejó no better, and, as usual, elected me dictator, with the power to choose their next President."

A wave of the sword brought out another blast of cheers and whistles and then silence.

"It was wonderful."

"But, see here, I am an alien!" protested Jack, weakly.

"Not so—you have been a full-fledged citizen of the republic for two days, and, as such, are eligible to the presidency as any man among us," declared the general, smiling blandly.

"Then I can't decline!" dubiously.

"It is too late—presidents die and run away, but they never decline."

"Well, in that case, I might as well make the best of a bad bargain and go in. Only I warn you, general, I shall really be the president, and the reforms you have heard me speak of must engage my immediate attention."

Now, few men could have adapted themselves to the situation in that masterly manner!

"Are you ready to take the oath of office?"

"At any time," was the nonchalant reply.

Some people might have thought such a solemn ceremony necessitated pomp and full dress—they might even have been horrified at the sight of the new president standing in his shirt sleeves within the doorway of his adobe domicile, with his pipe between his teeth, holding up his right hand and repeating in Spanish the oath of office, which Barrajo uttered for perhaps the thirteenth time in his long-held capacity as dictator.

Thus it was done.

The general called for a farewell round of cheers, and they were given with as much good will as the husky and parched throats that had been in positive evidence all night could muster.

Then the rabble betook itself off, much to Jack's relief, the general not forgetting to give the highly entertaining military salute due to the exalted office his friend and protege now occupied.

Having once embarked upon the sea of adventure, Jack had become quite reckless as to what port he brought up at.

There was at least a chance that this astonishing change in his fortunes might mean a material advance in the line of his dream, for he had never yet heard of a president of a Central American republic who had not managed by some means or other, fair or foul, to amass wealth by virtue of his position.

## Book Two.

The Modern Argonauts.

Two years had flown since Senator Jack was duly installed in office as president of the republic—such a period Gaularica had never seen before, and would hardly witness again in the next decade. It would be impossible to narrate the many successes and failures Jack made during those two years, nor shall I attempt it, since more important events await our attention.

About the only cloud in Jack's sky was Dona Juanita, who had become passionately enamored of him. Barrajo, who dearly desired to see him settled down, advised him to marry her, and cast his fortunes for all time with the people of his adoption.

Whereupon Jack felt compelled to narrate the whole story of his past, and Barrajo was so affected by it that he fell upon his neck and wept tears of sympathy, generous old soul that he was.

But Barrajo was fearful of the revenge Dona Juanita might take if her love were openly repulsed, and finally confided to Jack the plan he had for the advancement of their fortunes. Briefly it was this:

When Cortez, with fire and sword, scourged the fair land of the Montezumas to the north, and his savage soldiers dealt out death with a lavish hand whenever the people failed to respond to their stern orders for more treasure, a reign of terror had swept over the whole of Mexico.

Then it was that thousands fled to the unknown southland, led by their priests, seeking new homes amid the forest-clad wilderness of Central America.

Since the object of Cortez's brutal soldiers' decree was to gain possession of what riches the country possessed, these guardians of the temples, before indulging in flight, despoiled them of the golden images and jewel-studded altars, which vast treasures they carried with them, determined that, come what might, these bearded barbarians from over the sea should not succeed in accomplishing their boasted object.

History tells of the wonderful booty secured by the Spanish conquistadors; indeed, the imagination is appalled at the extent of the riches they secured. In Peru, the people, hoping to ransom their captive Inca, Atahualpa, from the cruel hands of Pizarro, had readily filled a room seventeen feet square and as high as a man could reach with gold in the shape of ingots and statues from the temples and palaces, and history likewise declares that the quantity of treasure conveyed away and concealed forever from the covetous eyes of the Europeans "was said to have infinitely surpassed that which they had secured."

As in Peru, so it was also in Mexico. Richest of all the native countries of the new world—these fugitive priests carried with them to the new land to the south probably the most astounding collection of treasure ever gathered together since the world began.

This was the bee that for years had buzzed in the bonnet of old General Barrajo—he had never let it get out of his mind day or night in all that time.

"And, Senator Jack," he now declared, triumphantly, slapping the president familiarly on the back, "success has crowned my long search. Yes, por Dios, senator, I believe I have found the treasure."

## CHAPTER XII.

A Sentinel of the Centuries.

When he heard what General Barrajo had to say Jack Overton found some difficulty in restraining his delight. Should this enormous fortune fall into their hands how his sanguine dreams would be realized, and what wonderful things he could accomplish!

Barrajo disclosed a rude parchment map, supposed to have been drawn by an Indian many scores of years before.

Overton, with that readiness characteristic of the enterprising American, at once made a duplicate copy of the same.

Then they talked over the wonderful matter in a most serious way, arranging their plans even down to the most minute details.

The crisis was coming none too soon. Jack concluded, for unless something happened to get him out of the country there must presently be an explosion.

He had feared it of late, for Dona Juanita was beaming love upon him every time they met, and from more than one quarter he found black looks bent upon him by the jealous-minded young gallants of San Juan.

Many a conqueror of kingdoms has met his fate finally through the vengeful hand of a woman whose love he has treated lightly.

Overton cursed the hour when he first saw this dark-eyed houri luring her two rivals to meet in deadly combat that the public ball might wind up in its usual blaze of glory.

Here then came old Barrajo, just in the nick of time. It seemed, with a grand project which, if successful, would open up an avenue of escape.

Thus Overton was doubly anxious to make a start, having so much at stake.

The general declared two days would be quite sufficient to make all his preparations, for he believed in being adequately armed and equipped for any emergency.

It was a moonlight night when they set out, and as usual San Jose was given up to music and merry making.

Our two fortune hunters waited until near the noon of night, when the hot time in the old town had in a measure subsided, and then, suitably disguised so as to conceal their excited personalities from curious eyes, quitted the capital, where the electric lights still glowed and announced the presence of modern institutions.

When the two men left San Jose and plunged into the interior they did not know their movements had been closely watched, and that immediate pursuit was given, yet such was the case.

Evidently others there were who suspected Barrajo's wonderful plans for fortune's favors and meant to take a bid in the same quarter. Perhaps it would grow interesting before the end was reached, especially since the two adventurers carried plenty of arms and were grimly resolved to fight for the prize if it came to that point.

Barrajo soon left the main trail, and they were now traversing what had once been a path through the primeval forest, but was so overgrown with swinging vines that the keen machete of the general was kept swinging most of the time in order to hack out a passage.

Which would naturally make it an easy matter for those who followed to keep upon their trail.

Our two adventurers traveled all day, and at sunset camped for very necessary rest and refreshment. After a hasty meal, only carrying their arms and a pick and shovel between them, to be used in emergencies, they advanced in the direction Barrajo had marked out.

His reasoning was sound.

If Jack doubted it at first, he was presently convinced that the general had built wisely.

"Madre de Dios! Look, Senator Jack!" suddenly exclaimed the dictator, starting back, and pointing to some object beyond.

The white moonlight sifted through the tangled masses of tropical verdure above, and at that particular moment fell full upon what appeared to be a human form, bent partly over in a devotional attitude, and facing the rising moon.

Jack was startled at first, but, seeing no motion to the figure, which was partly covered by the wild undergrowth, he realized that it was a rude statue, carved to represent a sun-worshiper and placed there hundreds of years ago by those who fled from the Spanish reign of terror to the north.

They approached closer, and marveled to find this image apparently of silver.

(To Be Continued.)

## INGENUITY OF THE FILIPINOS.

Natives Use a Clever Little Device for Striking Fire.

People who regard the natives of the Philippine Islands as an uncivilized and ignorant race would be surprised to see some of the very clever devices that they have invented to simplify matters of everyday life, says the St. Paul Globe.

For instance, Captain Darrah of the commissary branch of the department of the Dakotas, who recently returned from the islands, brought with him a little device for striking fire that makes the old steel and flint, that was used so long ago in this country, look clumsy and insufficient.

The natives take a caribou horn and bore a small hole in the small end of it. Into this hole they insert a plunger, wrapped so as to fit the hole, so no air may get into the horn, and made to slide smoothly up and down by greasing the wrapping with tallow.

The end of this plunger is hollowed out and when a Filipino wants to strike fire he simply places a small piece of ordinary "punk" in the concave at the end of the plunger, and strikes it a sharp blow, driving the plunger down into the horn.

The compressed air, by the force of the blow, ignites the punk and the plunger is pulled out, the punk flaming and ready for use. This is only one of the many seemingly simple devices that the uncivilized Filipino uses in everyday life.

If you make Sunday too brittle it is sure to be broken.

The saved soul is Christianity's unanswerable argument.

It is well to have your fuel barrel when you buy your kettle.

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WHO ENDORSE PERUNA.



Miss Lenore Allen, 407 Dowell Street, San Francisco, Cal., writes:

"I consider Peruna an infallible remedy for catarrhal diseases. For several years I have been troubled with influenza, especially during our rainy season. I used to catch cold so easily that I was afraid to be out when the weather was the least bit inclement, or in the evening air. But since I have used Peruna I have nothing whatever the matter with me."

"I am in perfect health, and find that Peruna acts as a tonic, and seems to throw all sickness and disease out of the body. I go anywhere now and in all kinds of weather, seem to have an iron constitution and enjoy life because I enjoy perfect health."

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"From my early womanhood I have been troubled with occasional headaches. I took different powders and drugs, at times getting temporary relief. One of my friends advised me to try Peruna, which I did. I soon found that my general health improved, and my entire system was toned up."

"I felt a buoyancy of body and lightness of mind I had not known before, and my headaches have entirely disappeared, and I have enjoyed perfect health for over a year. I gladly endorse Peruna."

MATTIE DOUGLASS.

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For a book of testimonials, of the cures Peruna has made.

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The mucous membrane is to the inside of the body what the skin is to the outside of the body. It lines every organ, duct and cavity. Catarrhal inflammation attacking one part is liable to spread to other parts. A neglected cold or slight catarrh is often the cause of lingering and dangerous catarrhs.

Did He Best.

The late Sir John Stainer, one of England's most celebrated musicians and composers, was once staying in a small Swiss village, and the English clergyman was on the outlook for a musician to assist at the service.

Stainer was in the office of the hotel when the clergyman found him, and started the conversation with, "Do you play the harmonium?"

"A little," was the reply of the organist of St. Paul's cathedral.

"Will you then, be good enough to help us out of our difficulty on Sunday? We will read the Psalms, and the hymns shall be the simplest I can select," added the delighted parson.

"I will do my best," said Stainer, with a smile.

The service proceeded satisfactorily, but the congregation at the close listened to a brilliant recital. When the parson heard the name of his assistant he asked him to dinner. "Do you smoke?" he asked at the close.

"I will do my best," responded Stainer, and the ensuing laughter was the prelude of an entertaining exchange of Oxford reminiscences.—Youth's Companion.

The Handsomest Calendar of the Season.

The Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railroad Co. has issued a beautiful calendar in six sheets 12x14 inches, each sheet having a ten-color picture of a popular actress—reproductions of water colors by Leon Moran. The original paintings are owned by and the calendars are issued under the Railway Company's copyright. A limited edition will be sold at 25 cents per calendar of six sheets. Will be mailed on receipt of price. F. A. Miller, General Passenger Agent, Chicago.

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A little ammonia in the water will be found very effective in washing greasy frying pans and such ware.

In 704 the cold at Constantinople was so severe that the Black Sea was frozen for fifty miles from shore.

PUTNAM FADELESS DYES do not spot, streak or give your goods an unevenly dyed appearance. Sold by drug-gists, 10c. per package.

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Bullets poisoned with infectious disease germs is the latest fiendish improvement in the art of war.

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To be willing for any kind of a sin to stay in your heart, is to be willing for the devil to own the earth.

Siberian women are raised as abject slaves, untidy in dress, and are bought with money or cattle.

I do not believe Fies's Cure for Consumption has an equal for coughs and colds.—JOHN F. BOTEY, Trinity Springs, Ind., Feb. 15, 1903.

Catfish should be washed in clean water, dried in the shade, and turned on the wrong side to dry.

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## PERSONAL.

L. T. Freeman spent Sunday at Jackson.

Geo. Cross was a Jackson visitor Tuesday.

H. H. Fenn spent Sunday at his home here.

Otto Steinbach spent Sunday at Ann Arbor.

Dr. A. L. Steger spent Sunday at Ann Arbor.

A. R. Welch was a Detroit visitor Saturday.

Miss Sallie Speer was a Detroit visitor Tuesday.

Jas. Boardman of Jackson spent Tuesday here.

Geo. S. Davis was an Ann Arbor visitor Saturday.

Miss Cora Foster is spending this week at Adrian.

W. W. Wedemeyer spent Tuesday at this place.

Miss Edith Congdon spent Sunday at Grass Lake.

Mrs. A. C. Pierce was a Detroit visitor Wednesday.

Harvey Spiegelberg was a Dexter visitor Sunday.

Mrs. W. P. Schenk was a Detroit visitor Sunday.

Mrs. Thomas Shaw returned to Ypsilanti Sunday.

Miss Rose Cassidy is visiting at South Bend, Indiana.

Chas. Steinbach was an Ann Arbor visitor Sunday.

Mrs. Wm. Rheinfrank was a Detroit visitor Sunday.

Mrs. R. A. Snyder was an Ann Arbor visitor Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Negus spent Sunday at Clinton.

M. J. Graham of Parma was a Chelsea visitor Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Adam Flast spent Sunday at Ypsilanti.

Frank Miller of Lansing is visiting relatives here.

Oil Inspector Judson was a Chelsea visitor Wednesday.

Emanuel Eisenman of Jerusalem spent Friday at Jackson.

C. Valentine of Dexter visited H. M. Twamley recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Gilbert are Grass Lake visitors today.

Howard Freeman of Leslie visited relatives here last week.

H. Wirt Newkirk of Ann Arbor was a Chelsea visitor Tuesday.

Miss Anna Conaty of Detroit was a Chelsea visitor last week.

John Wisner of Manchester was a Chelsea visitor Saturday.

Mrs. McMahon of Detroit is the guest of Mrs. H. W. Schmidt.

W. Farley of Winnipeg spent Sunday with Dr. J. W. Robinson.

Mrs. C. E. Babcock of Grass Lake spent Sunday at this place.

Myron Lighthall and Miss Grace Cooke spent Sunday in Ann Arbor.

Mrs. A. W. Annis of Eaton Rapids is the guest of Mrs. M. Boyd.

Mrs. L. T. Freeman spent several days of the past week at Jackson.

Archie Merchant of Battle Creek spent Sunday with Chelsea friends.

Miss Florence Caster of Albion spent Sunday with her parents here.

Byron Wight of Detroit has been calling on friends here this week.

Lester Canfield of Ann Arbor called on Chelsea friends Wednesday.

Mrs. J. Bacon and daughter, Edith, were Ypsilanti visitors Tuesday.

Dr. R. S. Armstrong of Ann Arbor spent the first of the week here.

Meadames M. Boyd and A. W. Annis are spending today at Ann Arbor.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Snyder and daughter, Clara, spent Tuesday at Detroit.

Harry E. Twamley of Detroit visited his parents here the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Freer spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Lowry.

Miss Carrie Earl of Ypsilanti spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Earl.

Miss Etta Foster of Bridgewater was the guest of her parents here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Millsap spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Millsap at Sylvan.

Mr. and Mrs. Glimp of Clinton have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Burkhardt this week.

Miss Elvira Clark spent Monday and Tuesday in Detroit in connection with her greenhouse business.

Mr. and Mrs. William Canfield of Inlay City were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Canfield part of last week.

Mrs. L. Conk and grandchildren are Jackson visitors today.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Hirth spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Seeger of Francisc.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. E. Way of Jackson spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bacon.

Mrs. Chas. Hoover of Calkinsville is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Foster.

Earl Chase and sister, Abigail of Manchester spent Sunday with Miss Anna Lighthall.

Mrs. F. A. Stiles has returned from Wyandotte where she has been spending some time.

Mrs. A. E. Fletcher and daughter of Stockbridge are the guests of Mrs. F. H. Sweetland.

Mrs. Kennedy Hallowith and son of Detroit were the guests of Miss Robinson Sunday.

Mrs. L. C. Stewart of Ann Arbor spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. Schumacher.

Geo. Meyers and Miss Linna Mills of Jackson spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Roedel.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Sommers of Detroit were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Schenk Sunday.

Lewis Kehoe of Tecumseh was the guest of his brother, A. P. Kehoe of this place, the first of the week.

Misses Nellie Winter and Gertrude Watson of Jackson are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Haskley of Sharon.

E. Chase and sister, Abigail of Manchester, accompanied H. Lighthall and daughter, Anna to Ann Arbor Sunday.

The Misses Margaret, Anna, and Magdalena Miller left Monday for a two weeks trip to Toledo and Cleveland to purchase their spring and summer line of millinery goods.

Rev. C. S. Jones, W. J. Knapp, Rudolph Knapp, and Miss Haarer were in Ann Arbor Sunday evening to hear Dr. Jefferson of Broadway Tabernacle, New York, at University Hall.

**SHARON.**

Elmer Gage spent Sunday at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Gage and daughter, Myrtle, were Jackson visitors Tuesday.

**WATERLOO.**

Miss Mina Barber is very ill.

Jacob Rummel has ordered a new corn crusher for the mill.

William McIntee is very ill, with but slight hopes of recovery.

Mrs. Dean of Charlotte spent the past week with relatives here.

Geo. Archibronn is getting his mill in repair for sawing logs.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Rowe visited relatives in Dansville Sunday and Monday.

Rev. Cooper, assisted by Rev. Martin, is holding evening meetings at the West Waterloo U. B. church.

Ed. McCrow lost his residence by fire Monday night. The occupants were unable to save any of the household goods.

There will be an entertainment given at the M. E. church by Garabed Krikor Bayajian, reader, entertainer, humorist, Thursday night, February 20th. Admission 15c, children 10c.

**BOYCE'S CORNERS.**

Geo. Boyce lost a valuable horse last Saturday.

Jay Hadley is at home very sick with pneumonia and measles.

Mrs. Addie Hadley visited at Samuel Boyce's one day last week.

George Goodwin and Harrison Hadley were Ann Arbor visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Boyce will entertain the Farmers' Club next Saturday.

Miss Pearl Duart of Gregory visited her sister, Myrtle at the home of Sidney Collins one day last week.

Perry Mills plowed his way through the snow with his engine last Saturday en route for DeLacy Cooper's to thresh his corn, which is taking place at the present writing.

Ed. McCrow's house caught fire Monday night about 12 o'clock, probably from a defective chimney. The house and contents were entirely destroyed. Mr. McCrow and Bert Wallace barely escaped with their lives, being awakened by the barking of a dog, which did not escape from the fire, just in time to escape from the burning building. Mrs. McCrow was with her parents at the time of the fire.

**FRANCISCO.**

Mrs. Rudolph Hoppe is on the sick list.

Miss Eva Main entertained a Grass Lake friend Sunday.

Miss Fannie Musbach returned Wednesday after a three weeks visit at Woodland and Lake Odessa.

Leroy Gusman is confined at home with chickenpox.

Floyd Schweinfurth is the proud owner of a new horse.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Notten were Ann Arbor visitors Monday.

Miss Minnie Killmer of Chelsea passed Sunday at home.

Chris Kaiser and sister Charlotte spent Sunday at Munith.

Mrs. Frank Scherer is entertaining a brother from Watervliet.

Floyd and Elmer Schweinfurth spent Saturday at Waterloo.

Miss Lizzie Wolfert gave a party to her many friends Tuesday night.

Fred Notten and Charley Kalmbach took in Grass Lake sights Wednesday last.

Leonard Loveland returned Saturday after spending a few weeks at Hastings.

Clyde Beeman of Waterloo passed Saturday with his grandmother, Mrs. C. Kaiser.

Misses Carrie and Ella May Schweinfurth are spending a few days at Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Lehman and family of Waterloo were the guests of J. J. Musbach Sunday.

Phillip Schweinfurth and Henry Gieske took 6 skunks from a burrow last week from which they realized \$7.25.

Rev. Paul Wuerfel, formerly pastor of the German M. E. church near Francisc, now of Detroit, made a short call at Fred Kalmbach's on Monday evening.

**MANCHESTER.**

John Wisner went to Chelsea Saturday on business.

Capt. E. P. Allen of Ypsilanti visited his sister, Mrs. Campbell, over Sunday.

The box social at Wm. Logan's Friday evening, February 14, 1902, netted the Seniors \$22 10.

A very large crowd turned out to hear the memorial services for Francis E. Willard, at the M. E. church Sunday evening.

Saturday afternoon Wm. Kirchgeesner's house, on his farm in Bridge-water was totally destroyed by fire. Henry Bros, who lives there was not at home. The house and contents were insured for a small amount.

While driving past the school house Mrs. Elmer Logan's horse became frightened by the school boys throwing snow balls at it and ran away. Mrs. Logan was thrown out and injured some, although not seriously.

The Manchester Tent No. 141 defeated the Saline Tent at their contest and in consequence the Manchester Tent go to Saline on the 26th to eat them out of house and home. They have a hungry lot to feed, we understand.

**LIMA.**

Miss Estella Guerin is on the sick list.

Gustave Hefner visited at John Heller's Sunday.

Miss Clara Baries left for Ann Arbor Monday where she will spend some time.

Miss Maude Perry is spending some time in Durand with her sister, Mrs. W. Whitaker.

The Epworth League social was a great success; the receipts being over twenty-seven dollars.

Too late for last week.

Miss Lydia Hinderer is able to be out again.

Master Rowland Coe rides in a brand new portland cutter.

O. J. Eaton and Arlington Guerin are entertaining the grip.

Matthew Vogt of Jackson visited friends in Lima and Chelsea Sunday.

There was no Epworth League meeting Sunday evening on account of the bad roads.

Fred Vogelbacher of Chelsea spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Michael Schanz, Jr.

The infant daughter of Wm. Morris will be cared for by Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Stabler.

Samuel and Frank Guerin of Chelsea spent Sunday with their mother, Mrs. O. B. Guerin.

Miss Estella Guerin and Mrs. Fannie Ward and son, Clayton, were Chelsea visitors Saturday.

Fred Stabler, who has been very ill with typhoid fever, was able to be moved to the home of his sister, Mrs. Fred Weik, Saturday.

**SYLVAN.**

Mrs. Hoenberger returned home Saturday after spending several weeks with her daughter at Chelsea.

Homer Boyd spent Monday at Ann Arbor.

Mildred Ludlow formerly of this place is dead at Lapeer.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Heeselschwerdt were Ann Arbor visitors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mohrlok have moved into William Eisenbeiser's house.

Charles Stephenson spent the first of the week with relatives in this vicinity.

Charles West of Williamston spent part of last week with his parents at this place.

Miss Lizzie Heeselschwerdt, who has been sick the past two weeks is now able to be out again.

Mrs. Henry Phelps and children spent several days of last week with her sister, Mrs. Hawley.

Jacob Heeselschwerdt was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Charles List of Jackson a few days of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Pierce and children of Lima spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Dancer.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cooper and daughter, Mina, of Lima spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Dancer.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith of Dansville were the guests of her sister, Mrs. Howard Fisk and family part of last week.

Mrs. C. B. Ward is slowly recovering from her injuries received by being thrown from a cutter one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Fisk were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Stowell Wood of Lima Center, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Gage and children, and Miss Josephine Hoppe spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hoppe.

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We know of no way in which we can be of more service to our readers than to tell them of something that will be of real good to them. For this reason we want to acquaint them with what we consider one of the very best remedies on the market for coughs, colds and that alarming complaint, croup. We refer to Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. We have used it with such good results in our family so long that it has become a household necessity. By its prompt use we haven't any doubt but that it has time and again prevented croup. The testimony is given upon our own experience and we suggest that our readers, especially those who have small children, always keep it in their homes as a safeguard against croup. —Camden (S. C.) Messenger. For sale by all druggists.

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She was sitting up with a sick man. No professional nurse was she, simply sitting up with her love-sick lover, Giving him Rocky Mountain Tea. Glazier & Stimson.

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- Best standard oysters, quart 30c
- Pure ground horse radish, bottle 10c
- Pure tomato catsup, bottle 10c
- Fresh, crisp sweet mixed pickles, quart 20c
- Fancy sour cucumber pickles, dozen 06c
- Fancy sweet cucumber pickles, dozen 10c
- Full cream Lyndon cheese, pound 15c
- McLaren's Imperial cheese, jar 25c
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- Cabbage, parsnips, ruta baggas, and all vegetables at lowest prices
- Fancy Santa Clara prunes at 5c, 7c and 10c pound
- 75 barrels Pillsbury's flour at \$4.25 to \$4.50 per barrel
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### LOCAL BREVITIES.

M. A. Lowry will move onto the Freer farm next month.

Mrs. J. B. Cummings has been very ill with grip this week.

A large number of our citizens will attend the production of Pinafore at Ann Arbor tonight.

The mason work on the Glazier Memorial Building is being rushed to the limit, and will soon be completed.

The Standard has been informed that the Hadley will case will be settled out of court within the next week.

Rev. C. S. Jones' theme next Sunday evening will be, "The unique place of Washington in American hearts."

The building which has been used by the stone cutters on the Glazier Memorial Building was torn down yesterday.

Eugene Helber of the Neu Washtenaw Post has purchased the Hausfreund and Post and will unite the two papers.

Get your reserved seats for the entertainment to be given by the Athletic Association of the Chelsea high school, at Glazier & Stimson's without extra charge.

Rev. C. S. Jones will attend an ordination at the Union Congregational church, north side, Ann Arbor, next Monday afternoon and evening. Mr. Jones will deliver the charge to the people.

The eighth grade examination will be held in the eighth grade room at the Chelsea high school on Friday and Saturday, February 21st and 22d. D. R. Hoppe has charge of the examination.

Mrs. J. Bacon has been elected delegate, and Mrs. C. M. Davis alternate, from Columbian Hive, L. O. T. M., to attend the meeting of the Great Hive, which will be held at Marquette in July.

Charles Merker was loading a piano at the M. C. freight house Tuesday afternoon when the box slipped, catching him in such a manner as to break a bone in his left hand, and a ligament in his right ankle.

LaFayette Grange will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Stocking, February 27, 1902. Topic for discussion, "How can the Grange best secure such legislation as the interest of agriculture justly demand," W. E. Stocking leader.

Mrs. B. F. Tuttle has leased to Wm. Boland a portion of her land at Wolf Lake, and a large hotel will be erected on the same. The track of the Jackson & Suburban Railway Co. will be extended to the lake, and a fine summer resort will be the result.

The postoffice department is seriously considering the question of having rural mail carriers reverse their routes, going out in one direction one day, and the other direction the next morning. This would seem to be the most satisfactory way of serving the patrons of the system.

Remember the entertainment to be given by the Athletic Association of the Chelsea high school at the hall, Friday evening, February 28th. This promises to be of a very entertaining nature, and our citizens should turn out and fill the building, and show the boys that their efforts are appreciated.

Herman Lee Swift, who is in charge of the Beulah Land Farm for boys near Leoni, will occupy the pulpit of the Baptist church, Sunday morning, and in place of the usual sermon by the pastor will speak of some of his experiences at the home. Mr. Swift will be accompanied by some of his boys who will sing.

Manager Wirt S. McLaren of the Chelsea high school baseball team announces that the following dates and games have been arranged: Ypsilanti high school at Ypsilanti, April 26th, and at Chelsea June 7th; Wayne high school May 31. The boys expect a number of other games, but have not heard from the teams to whom they have applied.

Under the efficient direction of Ross Granger the Misses Dora Schnaltman, Lillian Whitman, Bess Wheeler and Elsa Kempf and Messrs. Fred Daley, Clyde Elliot, Warren Boyd and Chris Rentschler will dance the Hornpipe as one of the specialties to be introduced at the production of "Pinafore" next Thursday and Friday evenings.—Argus.

The Chelsea market today is as follows: Wheat 83 cents; rye 57 cents; oats 42 to 43 cents; corn in the ear 28 cents; barley \$1.15 to per hundred; beans \$1.00 to \$1.25 for 60 pounds; clover seed \$4.75, pop corn 60 cents; potatoes 60 cents; eggs 20 cents; butter 15 cents; beef 2 to 4 1/2 cents; veal calves 6 to 8 cents; hogs \$3.75; sheep 2 to 3 cents; lambs 3 to 4 cents; chickens 8 cents; fowls 7 cents; turkeys 8 cents.

Congressman Smith says: "The rural delivery agents and inspectors at a meeting in Indianapolis last week decided to make Hillsdale, Lenawee, Jackson, Washtenaw and Monroe counties, all but one of which is in the second district, a sort of experimental group for rural delivery. They decided upon this group for the reason that the best results will be obtained."

St. Mary's Literary Club will meet next Monday evening with Miss Frances Hindelang.

State Oil Inspector Judson on Friday submitted to the board of state auditors his report for the last quarter of 1901. The fees received for the quarter were \$13,641.88. After paying the salaries and expenses of his deputies and himself Inspector Judson turned \$4,371.29 into the state treasury. For the entire year the inspectors collected \$40,298.48, and after paying salaries and expenses turned over \$35,949.56.

The Francisco power house of the Hawkes & Angus line was put in operation for the first time Saturday evening, and was found to run perfectly. There has been a change of time on the road, and hourly service is now given, the cars going east leaving Chelsea at 6:54 a. m., and every hour thereafter until 10:54 p. m.; going west at 8:04 a. m., and every hour thereafter until 12:04 a. m. Cars run on Detroit local time.

Everyone is invited to attend the Martha Washington social to be given by the Epworth League, at the residence of F. P. Glazier Friday evening. George and Martha Washington and Uncle Sam and Columbia will be there to receive you. A fine supper will be served at 25 cents, proceeds to apply on the organ pledge of the society. Several fine musical numbers will be rendered during the evening. Everyone is cordially invited.

The National Memorial university, now in course of construction at Mason City, Ia., contemplates an expenditure of \$15,000,000, and it is proposed to construct a university where sons of veterans of the civil war, and in addition as many other ambitious young men as can be accommodated, may receive an education free of cost for tuition or board. The funds are being raised by popular subscription. Two hundred acres of land have been acquired and one \$100,000, building has already been constructed.

The practice of suppressing marriage licenses has been followed since the law was enacted. The law was made in order that there could be no secret marriages and to prevent the marriage of those who could not marry legally. In suppressing a license the county clerk clearly violates the terms of the law creating the securing of marriage licenses before the ceremony can be performed, and the press of this city have decided to take the matter into court and make a test case, thus deciding the matter for all time.—Flint Globe.

### Story of Prince Edward.

Prince Edward, the grandson of Great Britain's king, although only seven years old, has already displayed such a liking for the sea that it has been decided to make a sailor of him, and he will go on a training ship in a few years. His present education consists of a few short daily lessons, for the king is strongly opposed to overburdening the youthful intellect. His recollection is keen of how unpleasant it was to be a "walking dictionary" at 20. Prince Edward is a precocious youngster. At a juvenile party, in the presence of the duke of Cornwall, he was given toys of wood, for which he solemnly thanked his playmates. So seriously old-fashioned was his expression, that his father exclaimed: "The little wretch! he speaks better than I do"—which was not far wrong, for the duke of Cornwall is notoriously nervous and unfitted for public speaking.—N. Y. Sun.

### Roman Antiquity to Be Restored.

Anyone who has visited Rome cannot fail to remember the mysterious covered passage—about which so many possible and impossible stories are told—which connects the Apostolic palace and the castle of St. Angelo. For some time it has been entirely neglected, and after the taking of Rome it was cut through to destroy the connection between the Vatican, which remained in the hands of the church, and the castle, which was used as a fortress by United Italy. Now, at last, restorations are about to be commenced, and it will then be one of the most interesting sights in Rome. Most of the work of this passage, which is roofed over and has small loopholes to give light, was done by the orders of Alexander VI., that he might have a safe means of escape in case of need to the castle.—London Telegraph.

### A Card of Thanks.

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