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All \$1.00 patent medicines for 75c

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Pure epsom salts for 2c pound

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Glazier & Stimson.

CHESAIRE TELEPHONE NUMBER 8

My Trip to Montrose.

After leaving Denver I could see from the car window, the snow covered peaks of Pike's Peak. Soon a remarkable rock rising from the summit of a conical hill, and presenting the appearance of an ancient tower attracted my attention. This was Castle Rock. Beyond this the country becomes more broken, the ascent being now begun at what is known as the "divide," a range of hills extending into the plains and rising to an elevation of 7,500 feet. On the summit of the divide is Palmer Lake, a lovely little sheet of water. Beyond Palmer Lake on both sides of the track may be seen a wonderful formation of brilliant red sandstone, one of the most striking of these was named Pheobe's Arch, through which there is a perfect natural archway. The distance of the divide to Colorado Springs is through an interesting country, mountains to the west, and plains extending to the east. As Colorado Springs are approached, the great gateway to the Garden of the Gods can be seen to the right and Pike's Peak rising to an altitude of 14,147 feet. The run from Colorado Springs to Pueblo is down the valley of a pretty little stream, on whose banks are situated large ranches on, which large crops are grown through the medium of irrigation. About one-half hour more and we were in the Royal Gorge; after the entrance to the canon had been made, surprise and almost terror came. The train rolled around a long curve, close under a wall of black granite, beside which the locomotive shrank to a mere dot as it swung on some pivot in the heart of the mountain; soon the daylight comes and now I saw the glories of the mountain towering into the clouds. Now we are at Salida a pretty little mountain town, and from there the scenery still continued beautiful, when we were going over Marshall Pass it seemed as though we were in and above the home of the clouds, the Pass is a scientific wonder a grade of 211 feet to the mile being attained the entire distance. The streams from the summit flow eastward into the Atlantic and westward into the Pacific. I was impressed with the feeling that I was on the pinnacle of the world. We are now approaching the Blue Canon of the Gunnison. The deep blue waters of the Gunnison grow narrower and deeper, the cliffs higher and more precipitous, then suddenly the sunlight is cut off by summits. In this canon we passed Curcanti Needle and lovely Chippa Falls. In about an hour the train had reached Montrose. This was a delightful trip and one I am sure that I cannot easily forget.

Lydia Killmer.

Dog Tax Law.

It has been reported that the Supervisor of Sylvan returned the tax to the Sheriff of Washtenaw county on 134 dogs and that the Sheriff would not take any action in the matter because the dogs were not described; both of the above statements are not true; it is the duty of the Treasurer of Sylvan township to return such unpaid taxes to the sheriff only in cases where the Treasurer is unable to collect same. For the information of those who have not paid their tax on dogs, the law defining the duties of the assessing officer and collector is given below:

Act No. 48, public acts of 1901.—To provide for a tax upon dogs and to create a fund for the payment of certain damages for sheep killed or wounded by them in certain cases. The People of the State of Michigan enact:

Section 1.—That in all townships and cities of this State, except in cities having and enforcing an ordinance imposing a tax or license fee on every dog owned or harbored in said city, there shall be annually levied and collected the following tax upon dogs: Upon every male dog over three months old owned or kept by one person or family, one dollar; upon every female dog over three months old owned or kept by one person or family, three dollars: Provided, That the tax upon a female dog whose ovaries have been removed shall be one dollar, and shall be so levied by the supervisor in every case when the person owning such dog shall file with such supervisor a certificate under oath of a veterinary surgeon that the ovaries of such dog had been removed.

Section 2.—The assessor of every township or ward, at the time of making his annual assessment, shall inquire and ascertain the number of dogs liable to be taxed, and shall enter in lists to be made by him the name of every person in his respective township or ward owning or keeping any dog subject to the above tax, the number kept by such person, and the amount of tax to be paid by him.

Section 3.—The assessor of every township and ward shall, on or before the Tuesday next following the third Monday in May in each year, make out a duplicate of the lists made by him as provided in the preceding section and file the same with the township or city clerk of his respective township or city; said taxes, as provided for in the preceding section of this act, shall be assessed to and collected from such persons as shall be liable for the same, in the same manner as other township and city taxes are assessed and collected and with like power to distrain and sell any property of the owner or owners, keeper or keepers of dogs liable to be taxed.

Section 4.—The collector to whom such tax rolls shall be delivered shall proceed and collect the sums of money therein specified, in the same manner and with like authority in all respects as in the collection of taxes imposed by the board of supervisors of the county, and shall, after deducting the commission allowed by this act, retain the remainder in the township or city treasury and subject to the orders of the township and city boards, as provided in sections five and six of this act. The collector shall give to each person paying the tax on any dog, a receipt for the amount paid, which receipt shall bear date on which payment is made, shall describe the dog on which the tax was paid, and shall be numbered with a serial number and the year. He shall also give to such person a metal label that may be securely affixed to a dog collar. Such label shall bear the ser-

ial number and year, as does the receipts, such receipts and labels to be paid for from the dog tax fund of said township or city: Provided, That in each and every case where the collector is unable to collect the tax in the manner above specified prior to the first day of February in each year it shall be his duty to provide the sheriff of such county with a list of each and every dog upon which such tax has not been paid and it shall be the duty of the sheriff of such county to levy upon each and every dog upon which such tax has not been paid whenever said dog or dogs may be found, and it shall further be his duty to take possession of said dog or dogs and kill or cause the same to be killed. The absence of before mentioned label, or inability of owner to show a proper receipt, shall be sufficient evidence that the tax on any dog has not been paid. For this purpose the sheriff shall receive from the township or city in which said dog or dogs are assessed, a fee of one dollar for each and every dog so killed and buried, the same to be paid from the dog fund of said township or city upon the order of said township or city board.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

OFFICIAL

Chelsea, Mich., March 13, 1902.

Board met in regular session. Meeting called to order by the president. Roll called by the clerk. Present—F. P. Glazier, president and trustees Burkhardt, Schenk, Lehman and McKune. Absent—J. Bacon and R. A. Snyder. Minutes were then approved. On reading the statement of votes for the several officers given at the Village Election held on Monday, March 10, 1902, the board hereby declare that the whole number of votes cast were 278. Whole number of votes cast for president—238. F. P. Glazier received—237. John Ricketts—1. F. P. Glazier was declared duly elected President for the ensuing year. Whole number of votes cast for Clerk—244. W. H. Heeselschwerdt received—244. W. H. Heeselschwerdt was declared duly elected Clerk for the ensuing year. Whole number of votes cast for Trustees—718. William J. Knapp received—342. O. C. Burkhardt received—284. A. W. Wilkinson received—240. J. Bacon received—1. W. Faber received—1. Wm. J. Knapp, O. C. Burkhardt and A. W. Wilkinson were declared duly elected Trustees for the ensuing 2 years. Whole number of votes cast for Treasurer—245. F. W. Roedel received—245. F. W. Roedel was declared duly elected Treasurer for the ensuing year. Whole number of votes cast for Assessor—239. S. P. Foster received—239. S. P. Foster was declared duly elected Assessor for the ensuing year. Moved by Burkhardt seconded by Schenk, that President F. P. Glazier be allowed the sum of One Hundred and Twenty-five Dollars (\$125.00) for managing the Electric Light and Water Works Plant during the past year. Carried. Moved and supported that the case of Mrs. Anna Paige be compromised and an order drawn in favor of A. J. Sawyer attorney for Mrs. Anna Paige for \$185.00 for settlement in full of all costs including attorneys fees, etc. Carried. Moved and supported that the following bills be allowed and orders drawn on the treasurer for amounts. Carried.

W. J. Knapp supplies—\$68.15
B. B. Turnbull 2 days on election board—4.00
S. A. Mapes 2 days on election board—4.00
R. A. Snyder 2 days on election board—4.00
George Smith 2 days on election board—4.00
W. R. Lehman 3 days on election board—4.00
W. R. Lehman 1 day on registration—4.00
Harry Shaver gate keeper 1 day and putting up booths—3.00
E. G. Uphogrove gate keeper 1 day and putting up booths—3.00
W. H. Heeselschwerdt 1 day on registration—2.00
J. E. McKune 1 day on registration—2.00
Geo. Ward janitor work—4.50
Sam Trouton 1 day work—1.50
Ed Chandler fire at Ed Whipple's and Palmer's—7.75
James Walker and Son—1.30
R. Williamson & Co supplies—1.95
H. D. Edward & Co supplies—20.73
J. Hummel salary as treasurer and postage—203.36
W. H. Heeselschwerdt salary as clerk—100.00
National Carbon Co 1000 carbons—22.25
Michigan Electric Co supplies—58.97
Electric Supply and Engineering Co supplies—14.37
Allis Chalmers Co supplies—4.50
Gibson Gas Fixture Works supplies—12.46
Western Electric Co supplies—8.20
Chas. A. Strelinger Co supplies—3.24
Sawyer-Man Electric Co lamps—46.50
Medant Patent Pulley Co supplies—2.70
Glazier Stove Co repairs and labor—9.68
John F. Maier 1/2 month salary—30.00
David Alber 1/2 month salary—30.00
M. Lighthall 1/2 month salary—30.00
Jay M. Woods 1/2 month salary—30.00
John Ricketts unloading coal—3.50
W. H. Heeselschwerdt postage and freight—2.68
J. F. Maier freight and postage—1.36
Thilling Bros & Everard election supplies—1.66
John Ricketts unloading car coal—1.75
John F. Maier 1/2 month salary—30.00
Sam Trouton 1/2 month salary—30.00
M. Lighthall 1/2 month salary—30.00
David Alber 1/2 month salary—30.00
Jay M. Woods 1/2 month salary—30.00
B. Parker 1/2 month salary—30.00
John Ricketts unloading coal and labor—4.00
F. H. Greenland & Co cement and lumber—234.63
Standard Oil Co 3 barrels oil—30.38
E. J. Corbett 11 car coal—845.87

M. C. R. Co freight—\$19.67
On motion board adjourned.
F. P. GLAZIER, President.
W. H. HEESLSCHWERDT, Clerk.
Approved, March 13, 1902.

PRACTICALLY STARVING.

"After using a few bottles of Kodol Dyspepsia Cure my wife received perfect and permanent relief from a severe and chronic case of stomach trouble," says J. R. Holly, real estate, insurance and loan agent, of Macomb, Ill. "Before using Kodol Dyspepsia Cure she could not eat an ordinary meal without intense suffering. She is now entirely cured. Several physicians and many remedies had failed to give relief." You don't have to diet. Eat any good food you want, but don't overload the stomach. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure will always digest it for you. Glazier & Stimson.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION

OF THE

Kempf Commercial & Savings Bank

At Chelsea, Michigan, at the close of business, February 25, 1902, as called for by the Commissioner of the Banking Department.

| RESOURCES | |
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| Loans and discounts | \$ 38,103.96 |
| Bonds, mortgages, securities | 224,111.87 |
| Premiums paid on bonds | 348.75 |
| Overdrafts | 47.61 |
| Banking house | 7,500.00 |
| Furniture and fixtures | 1,500.00 |
| Due from other banks and bankers | 26,002.50 |
| U. S. bonds | 5,500.00 |
| Due from banks in reserve cities | 46,664.52 |
| U. S. and national bank currency | 5,388.00 |
| Gold coin | 6,222.50 |
| Silver coin | 2,546.35 |
| Nickels and cents | 263.38 |
| Checks, cash items, internal revenue account | 134.98 |
| Total | \$364,334.32 |

| LIABILITIES | |
|-------------------------|--------------|
| Capital stock paid in | \$ 40,000.00 |
| Surplus | 4,000.00 |
| Undivided profits, net | 3,427.61 |
| Commercial deposits | 55,962.36 |
| Certificates of deposit | 18,794.62 |
| Savings deposits | 228,586.23 |
| Savings certificates | 18,567.50 |
| Total | \$364,334.32 |

State of Michigan, County of Washtenaw, ss.

I, J. A. Palmer, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

JOHN A. PALMER, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of March 1902.

Geo. A. BeGole, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

H. S. Holmes, Edward Vogel, Geo. A. BeGole, Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION

OF THE

Chelsea Savings Bank.

At Chelsea, Michigan, at the close of business, February 25, 1902, as called for by the Commissioner of the Banking Department.

| RESOURCES | |
|--|--------------|
| Loans and discounts | \$155,140.14 |
| Bonds, mortgages, securities | 167,808.75 |
| Overdrafts | 19.03 |
| Banking house | 4,000.00 |
| Furniture and fixtures | 2,075.41 |
| Other real estate | 2,550.00 |
| Due from banks in reserve cities | 41,589.66 |
| Exc'ges for clearing house | 93.49 |
| U. S. and national bank currency | 6,597.00 |
| Gold coin | 6,250.00 |
| Silver coin | 1,284.50 |
| Nickels and cents | 281.36 |
| Checks, cash items, internal revenue account | 189.20 |
| Total | \$387,878.54 |

| LIABILITIES | |
|-------------------------|--------------|
| Capital stock paid in | \$ 60,000.00 |
| Surplus fund | 10,000.00 |
| Undivided profits, net | 6,922.96 |
| Dividends unpaid | 51.00 |
| Commercial deposits | 54,397.99 |
| Certificates of deposit | 81,375.19 |
| Savings deposits | 76,078.92 |
| Savings certificates | 93,062.48 |
| Total | \$387,878.54 |

State of Michigan, County of Washtenaw, ss.

I, Theo. E. Wood, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

THEO. E. WOOD, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of March, 1902.

D. W. GREENLEAF, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest: F. P. GLAZIER, Wm. J. KNAPP, Wm. P. SCHENK, Directors.

W. J. Knapp, John W. Schenk, Thos. S. Sears, Adam Eppler, G. W. Palmer, Fred Wedemeyer, Wm. P. Schenk, F. P. Glazier, V. D. Hindelang.

This is the Season

—OF THE SEASON—

When we must think of making the home more pleasant by papering. Let us help you, we know from experience, that in selecting

WALL PAPER.

These things must be considered:

- 1st—COLORINGS,
- 2nd—DESIGNS,
- 3rd—PRICES.

We are on the ground floor in all these things. Last year we sold nearly 10,000 rolls of Wall Paper, this year we expect to sell 20,000 rolls. Are you going to be one of our customers?

We are selling a good Gilt Pattern at 10c double roll.

We are selling a good Brown Blank at 7c double roll.

We can furnish you paper for a room 10x12 feet, 7 feet high for 53 cents.

We want you to look over our line before you buy. We know you will be better suited and we are always pleased to show you.

Silverware! Silverware!

Have you inspected our line. It will do you good to see our up-to-date assortment.

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Our lasting Perfumes "LORNA" is a great favorite. Czarina Roses, Violets and Carnations as fragrant as the flowers and more lasting.

When you want up-to-date goods at lowest prices call at

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Chelsea 'phone 53.

We pay the highest market price for eggs.

All Styles and Sizes for Every Kind of Food. The Genuine will bear this Trade-Mark. Beware of Imitations.



OUR FURNITURE

Stock contains rare bargains. We are making special low prices on

Bed Room Suits and Dining Chairs

COBN SHELLERS at prices to close out

Our stock of Onion Drills is complete.

W. J. KNAPP.



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are the cause of this mutual satisfaction. Our efforts are directed towards the pleasing of our customers. Serving them with delicious, tender and toothsome meats is our successful way of doing it.

We have on hand a large quantity of strictly pure kettle rendered lard of our rendering and can supply you with all you want at the right price.

ADAM EPPLER.

The Chelsea Standard.

O. T. Hoover, Publisher.

CHelsea, MICHIGAN.

Colombia can't capture any mission-aries, but there are other ways of raising money.

Why not coax that Mexican earth-quake down to the isthmus and let it dig the canal?

The trouble with the peace society seems to be that they want peace, but are not willing to fight for it.

Santa-Dumont is being troubled with chills. He should be glad, how-ever, that he can still have them.

Some of those governments that are so solicitous about China's "integrity" will do well to keep their eye on their own.

A Mexican earthquake has just killed 600 people. Well, in this case no-body will be unjustly blamed, any-way.

Instead of building ships to fit the harbors Germany will be obliged, if it keeps on, to build harbors to fit the ships.

Nobody ever thought of asking whether it could have been a United States senator who struck Billy Pat-erson.

Premier Waldeck Rousseau of France, has bucked the trolley car and found that it does not readily yield to diplomacy.

Susan B. Anthony says women will cease marrying as they grow more in-telligent. Shut the girls out of the colleges!

Colombia's rebellion is quieting down although the bushwhackers occasion-ally dismantle a gunboat with their navy revolvers.

Senator Hanna's national civic fed-eration ought to get into sympathetic touch with the industrial strikes in Spain and Italy.

Anarchist Rakowski, who goes to prison for ten years for threatening to kill President Roosevelt, seems to have finally found his level.

Things have now become so well settled in Spain that Weyler is able once more to let go for the purpose of moistening his hands.

Betting on horse races, according to Judge Clark of New York, is gambling. Those who fall to pick winners call it a much harder name than that.

Statistics disclose that bigamy is much less frequent than it used to be. Divorce is so easy that few care to risk imprisonment for bigamy.

Paedena, which is never more than a lap behind New York city, and al-ways running well up with "Lunnon," has already started three ping-pong clubs.

A London paper announces that the moon is covered with snow. It has always been generally understood, however, that the moon was cold and distant.

Let as many of the emperors and kings and princes as will come and stir about in a country where every-thing is both king and subject. It will do them good.

The tranquillity of the Argentine re-public has been somewhat ruffled by Chili's purchase of more fireworks than are absolutely necessary for the Christmas celebration.

The bloodless French duel satisfies pyramids of hungry Gallie honor. Ger-many could profitably lower the tariff against it and save the life or many beauty of many promising officers and citizens.

Some of the water that is now lying on top of the ground in Pennsylvania and New Jersey would have made mil-lions of hearts glad had it appeared on top of the ground in the corn belt last summer.

The Boston woman who dislocated her jaw in trying to close the clasps of an over crowded dress suit case must have noticed how much the occa-sion demanded free use of the handi-capped member.

There is nothing like being versatile. A talented handwriting expert is go-ing to testify by looking at the inkers on the net that certain fish were caught in whether the fish came from Indiana or Michigan waters.

In the city of Pittsburg a large stone church has been moved a distance of several squares. Why, then, should such a fuss be made over the proposed removal of the Borghese picture gal-ery from Italy to this country?

The Cologne Gazette refers to the nation's eastern metropolis as the "Imperial City of New York." Unless the enthusiastic editor has a good supply of superlatives still untapped he will be in a quandary when he wishes to speak properly of Chicago.

"The longer I live," says Mr. Car-negie, "the more I see that the gentlest word is the most forcible." Andrew is drifting into the bad literary habit of juggling with paradox. Still, the gentlest word from those as rich as Andrew is usually the most forcible.

WHAT'S DOING IN MICHIGAN

Charges His Wife With a Grave Crime.

NO MEDALS FOR RESERVES.

A Bad Blacksmith-Born Took a Fatal Drink-A Plain Case of Measles-Shot at Burglars and Fainted-Western Union's Taxes are Easy.

A Brute Indeed.

Frank Biery, a blacksmith at Minnards, is again in trouble. Last summer he wedded the widow Whitehouse, who was the mother of several children, and in the charivari with which the neighborhood celebrated the nup-tials, shot and killed Archie Whitehouse, a relative of his bride and a young man well known and esteemed. Biery's trial for manslaughter resulted in an acquittal. His wife now has made complaint before the pro-secuting attorney alleging criminal as-sault by Biery upon his 13-year-old step-daughter, and Thursday morning he took to the woods before the ar-rival of an officer. Since then he has been chased through the northwestern part of the county by officers. Sheriff Dwellie received notification that he had been arrested at Springport. Two officers from the city have gone after him. The people in the vicinity of Minnards and Tompkins are much wrought up over the affair and Biery will receive rough treatment if he falls into their hands.

A Husband's Grave Charge.

William Eaton lies critically ill at the Borgess hospital, suffering, as he alleges, from poison administered to him with criminal intent, and desert ed by his wife, who is said to have left the city with another man. About two weeks after Eaton was taken to the hospital his wife disappeared from the city. A letter which was written the man by Mrs. Eaton the day before she left has fallen into the hands of the officers. It is filled with endearing terms, and shows that the couple in-tended going to Cadillac. Eaton charges that the man in the case is C. H. Belding, of Grand Rapids, who has left his wife and children in desti-tute circumstances.

A Hard Penalty.

Verne Widrig and Eaton Thornton, living near Olivet, thought they would steal a ride on a freight to Battle Creek. They stowed themselves away between two cars. Widrig sat on the bumpers, while his companion stood on a side ladder. The train broke in two at the point where the boys were riding and Widrig fell under the cars. Both legs were cut off above the ankle. Thornton was thrown to the ground and severely bruised. The boys, who are 17 and 21 years old respectively, were brought to Battle Creek and placed in Nichols hospital. Their par-ents are well-to-do farmers.

Won't Get the Medals.

Secretary of the Navy Long has announced that after a careful recon-sideration of facts the naval board at St. Louis that, while the conduct of the Michigan Naval Reserves on the Yae-mite is shown to have been commend-able, the actual importance of the affair was not such as to warrant commemo-rative medals. It is declared that the Yosemite was not injured by the enemy's fire, and that she inflicted no damage of any consequence to the Spaniards, except to force the trans-port Antonio Lopez to run ashore to escape capture.

Western Union Taxes.

Some of the state officials are greatly surprised at the returns made by the Western Union Telegraph Co. of its earnings in Michigan for 1901. The law provides that this company shall pay a tax of 3 per cent on its gross earnings. The gross earnings reported by the company were \$135,269.19, thus making the tax to be paid \$4,058.07. The general expectation was that the amount would be much larger. The tax paid by the company the last year, which was found to be unconstitutional, was in force, was \$13,269.49.

Wicked Saginaw.

Saginaw has opened up a municipal scandal of the first magnitude, and of stench unspeakable. It is one of those affairs the details of which cannot be printed and some of the principal per-sonages concerned are engaged in a business that can only be suggested by innuendo. It all arises over an at-tempt to clear the city of disreputable houses, and if reports are true, it cer-tainly ought to be done. Can Saginaw be as bad as these reports show? Evi-dently the facts will be brought out.

Killed Two Boys.

The 8-year-old son of William Mc-Aherny, a Lyons photographer, died in terrible agony Saturday about half an hour after drinking from the contents of a bottle which he, with two com-panions, picked up on the street. One of the other boys, a son of James Lawless, will probably die. The doc-tors entertain no hopes of his recov-ery. The third boy will live.

It Was Measles.

Miss Keagy, the lady quarantined in Adrian for smallpox, was taken to a private residence Saturday, it having proven a case of measles. Her father has been caring for her, and she will go home to Greensfield, Ind., early next week. It seems that the doctors did not decide it smallpox, but as her temper-ature was 104, and the symptoms pos-itive it was deemed safest to establish quarantine for 24 hours to await de-velopments.

Every one of the 12 Michigan con-gressmen is a candidate for renomina-tion this year.

A Union City man has invented a cement building brick and a factory for the manufacture of the article will probably be located in that village.

Capt. Edward A. Romig, assistant surgeon, United States volunteers, re-cently appointed, now at Big Rapids, has been ordered to the Philippines.

Where is Young Morse?

Grant M. Morse, state game warden, arrived in Kalamazoo Wednesday in search of his son, who disappeared from the Agricultural college some time ago. Morse left Lansing in the morning for Three Rivers, but stopped off at Kalamazoo, thinking he might find a clue to the boy, who is an only son. In his worry incident to the search Mr. Morse says that he neglected to eat any breakfast and later on took a couple of drinks to stimulate him. The liquor went to his head, and, as he says, "quickly con-fused him."

The policeman who made the arrest didn't know the identity of his distin-guished prisoner, but when he was recognized a few hours later by friends he was released.

The disappearance of their son has greatly affected his parents, Mrs. Morse being prostrated at her home in Portland, while Mr. Morse has been on the go in search of him day and night for the past 10 days. The only clue thus far obtained as to his prob-able whereabouts reached the warden in Lansing Wednesday in the form of a letter from a woman in Three Rivers, who wrote that a young man closely resembling the description of young Morse had applied at her home for something to eat last week Friday.

The School Closed.

Miss Pearl Orcutt, a teacher in the North Kalamazoo school, appeared in school Thursday badly broken out with smallpox. The school was hastily closed and placed under quarantine. Miss Orcutt claimed it was only chicken-pox, she had, but Health Officer Denslow insisted it was smallpox and ordered her to go to her home in the city. When she reached home, she realized that she and the family, con-sisting of three other children and the mother, would be quarantined as soon as the city health officer should re-turn, so they all prepared for a hasty flight. When the physician arrived with an officer the house was vacant. Plain clothes men are now diligently searching for the Orcutts, but have not succeeded in locating them. Dr. Denslow then visited the family physi-cian, Dr. LeGrand Wheeler, and a story interview ensued in which the city health officer threatened the other with arrest because he persisted in claiming Miss Orcutt had nothing but the chickenpox.

Eaton Not Poisoned.

The physician attending William Eaton, who claims to have been poison-ed by his wife, who has left with an-other man, says the man probably can-not live, but is positive in the state-ment that Eaton's condition is due to apoplexy, followed by partial paralysis. J. J. McDonald, of Grand Rapids, deputy great commander of the Knights of the Macabees, has been looking up the interests of his lodge at Grand Rapids, to which Eaton belongs, and he agrees with the physicians in the statement that there are no traces of poisoning.

Shot at Burglars.

On returning home Saturday after-noon Mrs. George Cull, of Royal Oak, and her 20-year-old daughter Ethel, found a large lot of groceries, bedding and clothing piled up ready to be taken away. On opening a closet door two burly negroes were discovered. Ethel grabbed a .28-caliber revolver and com-menced shooting at them, firing two shots which went wide of the mark. The negroes escaped unhurt. They had gained an entrance through a side window. The plucky young lady faint-ed away after her exciting episode.

Killed By Shock.

Frank Munger, Jr., was instantly killed in Portland Tuesday night by an electric shock. He was returning home from town and passed an are lamp which was not burning. He took hold of the wire cable by which the lamp is raised and lowered for the purpose of jerking it and jarring the wires together, when he received the full current. The supposition is that the cable had swung against the main wire and the dampness helped to burn off the insulation. Munger was 22 years old and unmarried.

Ple Engines, Power John.

Since the Michigan Central put on its new mammoth engines at Bay City trainmen have been on the anxious seat. The new engines haul twice as many cars as the old, resulting in many of the conductors being reduced to brake-men and a large number of brakemen have been laid off. Several more of these labor-saving engines are soon to arrive, and the M. C. employees are wondering how many will have to look for other jobs.

AROUND THE STATE.

Part is to have a new \$15,000 jail.

Grandville citizens are raising money for a cannery factory.

The firemen of Ishpeming have or-dered new uniforms to scare away small boys.

A franchise has been granted for the construction and operation of an elec-tric street railway at Cheboygan.

South Haven will hereafter rank as a city, the incorporation proposition having carried by a large majority.

Edward M. Plunkett, who, for the last 10 years has been superintendent of the Ovid public school, has resigned.

The new hospital building at the State School for the Blind in Lansing has been accepted by the board of con-trol. The new building cost about \$8,000.

During the census year 1900 Michi-gan consumed 2,022,521 pounds of eleo-marine, or 2-6-10 per cent of the entire amount consumed in the United States.

Hiram Bertell, of Ann Arbor, re-ceived a verdict for \$1,000 in his suit for damages against the Michigan Central Railroad. His foot was smash-ed by a train.

The ripper lawmaking certain alder-men of the city of Saginaw members of the county board of supervisors, was declared unconstitutional by the supreme court.

The Multifarious Food Company, capital \$100,000, has been organized in Battle Creek to manufacture 25 vari-eties of baked goods, 12 varieties of soup and six of pudding. The com-pany has a cannery factory in Gale-sburg.

An electric road from Elkhart, Ind., to Kalamazoo is being promoted.

Maggie Rennie, 38, daughter of a farmer near Royal Oak, took a dose of carbolic acid with suicidal intent and died within an hour. There is no known cause for the act.

The coroner's jury in the inquest over Abner Case, the only victim of the Battle Creek sanitarium fire, has ren-dered a verdict fully exonerating the sanitarium, and praising its manage-ment.

The proceeds from the Detroit house of correction for the unpaid balance of the institution's profits were paid into the city treasurer's office Saturday. They amount to \$22,000; total profits, \$35,000.

S. L. Treat & Son's block, in Cold-water, was discovered on fire during Sunday's gale and was totally destroy-ed, causing a loss of \$10,000. Two families occupying the upper floors had a narrow escape.

Louis Doan of Grand Rapids, the 12-year-old son of David Doan, jumped on a freight train, fell under the wheels, and was mangled beyond recognition. A crowd of school friends witnessed the tragedy.

Etta Davis, a 13-year-old girl, who ran away from home last week because her mother reprimanded her, has been located in Burton township. She is critically ill there at the home of a farmer, who took her in.

The Multifarious Food Co. has been organized at Battle Creek with \$100,000 capital stock. Dr. C. S. Cowles is president. The company will make 25 varieties of baked goods, 12 varieties of soup and six of pudding.

Arthur Lake, arrested at Battle Creek on suspicion of knowing how John D. Kelly, his father-in-law, met death, is proved wholly innocent, and has been released. Kelly was found dead on the street car tracks.

A woman about 70 years old, fairly well dressed and slight of stature, awaits identification at the county house, Owosso. She was found wan-dering the streets demented and was understood to give the name Moffatt.

Gov. Bliss has appointed Eugene S. Bowen county agent for Isabella county. The governor made the discovery that the prosecuting attorney was holding both offices, and as their duties were incompatible a change was made.

Lewis J. Grant, of Kalamazoo, has just heard from his brother Alexander, whom he has not seen for fifty years and who was supposed to have been murdered by the Ute Indians and Mor-mons in the Mountain Meadow mas-sacre.

An eastern syndicate has leased a portion of the Adam Schrier farm, a mile west of Allegan, and will begin putting down a number of oil wells at once. The syndicate is positive oil in paying quantities will be found on the property.

Contagious Disease Inspector Ran-ney in investigating a case of smallpox in a northern Michigan town, found that the cause of infection was a mat-ress, which, two years before, had been used in a quarantined home in Missouri.

Five bodies were taken from Negaunee mine Wednesday evening. They have been identified as the remains of John Pascoe, Wm. Williams, John Sullivan, John Pearce and Louis Mat-son. The four remaining ones will be brought out.

Charles J. Johnson, of Detroit, has finally agreed to take the receivership of the Ann Arbor Printing Co. at a salary of \$3,000 per annum. He has filed his bonds, which amount to \$15,000, and is now in full charge of the company's affairs.

Prof. P. F. Magan says that he con-tract has been let for the building of the Adventist college at Berrien Springs. It will consist of five two-story brick edifices, which will cost \$60,000. The work will be rapidly pushed. The college will open next fall.

Grand Rapids has gone crazy ever-petty, a gambling game which is said by those who have figured out the per-centages of chances of winning to be the nearest approach to a sure thing—against the player—of any game of chance, not even excepting a slot ma-chine.

The practical joker has been getting his work in at East Drayton. A prom-inent prohibitionist has received num-erous samples of "gold cure" through the mail, and a good old deacon in one of the leading churches a circular offer-ing whiskey in gallon lots at reduced rates.

The Gazette-News says that Kala-mazoo consumes more beef per capita of population than any other city in the state. The amount is five pounds per capita per week, and this is of beef alone, pork, mutton, poultry and veal not being included. Two-thirds of the beef used is raised and killed within thirty miles of the city.

Insurance Commissioner Barry re-ports that during the past year the amount of policies issued in Michigan by the old line life, casualty and indus-trial companies was \$46,630,859.33, as compared to \$37,813,298.99 for the year 1900. The policies in force December 31 were \$104,337,344.31. Including frat-ernal companies the total life insur-ance carried by the people of Michigan is approximately \$500,000,000.

As a result of the quarrels among city officials in Saginaw, resulting in reprisals against a certain clique of the outcast women of that city, a number of women have sought refuge in Bay City. They are seeking secu-sion and undoubtedly expect to return to Saginaw when the present agitation subsides. Local authorities are keeping a close watch on the exodus, but ex-pect no difficulty, under the circum-stances.

William Stockdale, son of Judge Stockdale, of Allegan, was married in Allegan in 1881, but the wife started a divorce case there in 1883, alleging in-compatibility. Becoming reconciled, they came to Kalamazoo to live, but in 1899 discovered that the divorce proceedings had not been stopped as they supposed, and that a decree had been granted the wife. She now claims that, as they have lived together for 13 years since then and have had one child, they are legally man and wife. The husband disputes this, and Judge Adams is asked to untangle the prob-lem. Judge Stockdale, of Allegan, is attorney for his son.

ALL THE NEWS OF THE WORLD

What Tariff Reduction on Sugar Means.

WOLSELEY GOES TO AFRICA.

Ex-Governor John P. Altgeld Died at Joliet, Ill.—General Methuen Taken a Prisoner by the Boers—Secretary Long Resigned—Various Happenings.

The Sugar Industry. Congressman Corliss says: "All the pictures of distressed Cuba" and the benefit she will derive from the pro-posed tariff reduction on sugar," he said, "are not a reality, and are found only in the circulars of the United States Export association, composed of a shyster, a jobber, and a printing press and having a capital of about \$500."

"Cuba is not distressed industrially. Cuban industries are doing well. Wages in the manufacture of sugar are as good in Cuba as they are in Michigan. More than that, Cuba has been freed of \$6,000,000 to \$7,000,000 taxes which she formerly had to pay to Spain. She has a greater production now than ever and at double wages."

"If a 20 per cent reduction were made on Cuban raw sugar every cent would go to the benefit of the sugar trust."

"We show that \$6,000,000 has been invested in the manufacture of beet sugar in Michigan in four years and that an equal amount is ready to go into the business and that 80,000 farm-ers are interested in the raising of beets. We claim that a cut of 20 per cent in the duty would paralyze the development of this industry, even though the factories already estab-lished might be able to continue in the business. Last year Michigan pro-duced 5,000,000 pounds of sugar, and this year she will undoubtedly produce as much as she consumes."

Miles Can't Go. Lieut.-Gen. Nelson A. Miles of the army, made a specific request to the war department to be sent to the Phil-ippines, and in connection therewith submitted a plan by which, in his opinion, the war could be brought to an end without further loss of life to either side. He proposed to employ methods similar to those used by him so successfully in his Indian cam-paigns. Secretary Root, after due con-sideration, denied Gen. Miles' request, and disapproved the plan submitted. The papers, so endorsed by the secre-tary, were sent to the White house and the president subsequently concurred in the secretary's action. The final in-formation, disposing of the matter, is said to have dated March 5, 1902.

In effect President Roosevelt and Secretary Root held that the war in the Philippines is already at an end, or virtually so, and that the adoption of Gen. Miles' plan, involving a change of policy in dealing with the inhabitants of the archipelago, would be unfair to those officials, military and civil, whose work has brought about almost complete pacification.

The King of Spain. Bellamy Storer, United States min-ister to Spain, says that reports that the young king was physically and men-tally unable to assume the reins of gov-ernment are untrue. He has been ad-mirably brought up by a most devoted mother, and Mr. Storer sees no reason why he should not reign with honor to himself and to his country. He has grown very fast and is now a fine look-ing lad. He takes a keen interest in military affairs, and shows to great ad-vantage when he appears mounted at a review of the troops.

Speaking of the king's accession, Mr. Storer said: "There will be no formal coronation, as the king of Spain is sup-posed to be born crowned. He will merely take the oath to preserve the constitution, and there will be the cus-tomary ceremonies."

Wrecked the Plant.

The big plant of the Toledo Metal Wheel Co., employing nearly 800 men, which stands along the Lake Shore railway, collapsed just as a westbound passenger train passed the building. It fell across the track and barely missed the rear coach. Had the collapse oc-curred two seconds earlier, every oc-cupant of the coach would have been killed.

Had it occurred during the week, it is believed hundreds of lives would have been lost. It is supposed that the continual passing of trains had such effect as to cause the walls to weaken until they collapsed.

Wolseley Gone to Africa.

Field Marshal Lord Wolseley has gone to Cape Town. Although the officials deny that his trip is anything but a private visit, gossip connects it with the military situation. It is pointed out that Lord Wolseley's knowledge of South Africa, gained as a fighter and administrator, might be highly useful to Lord Kitchener, either at the base (Cape Town), or at Pretoria. Lord Wolseley himself says that his trip is entirely private. Col. Frank Rhodes and Arthur Rhodes, brothers of Cecil Rhodes, and Lady Methuen, were pas-sengers on the steamer which took Lord Wolseley to Cape Town.

It is expected that expenses for Pres-ident McKinley's funeral will amount to several hundred thousand dollars.

Secretary Cortelyou, who has returned to Washington from Canton, says Mrs. McKinley's health is steadily im-proving.

J. P. Morgan & Co. authorized a de-nial of the report that they were ne-gotiating a loan for \$12,500,000 or any other amount for the Chilean govern-ment.

The house committee on territories decided upon an "omnibus" territorial bill which will provide for statehood for Arizona, New Mexico and Okla-homa, instead of separate statehood bills for each territory.

The bankers' commission at Pekin has accepted the February installment, amounting to 1,300,000 taels, of the Chinese indemnity, greatly to the sat-isfaction of the ministers of the pow-ers.

Altgeld's Sudden Death.

Ex-Gov. John P. Altgeld of Illinois died in Joliet Wednesday morning. He had been unconscious since Monday. Mr. Altgeld was the principal speaker at a pro-Boer mass meeting Tuesday night in the Joliet theater.

Just at the close of his speech, a sudden dizziness seized him and he was assisted from the stage. The meeting proceeded, the audience be-coming realizing what had happened. Mr. Altgeld was taken to the door of the the-ater, where several vomiting spee-ches seized him.

This continued for nearly an hour and was so pronounced he could be removed to the hotel.

Physicians were hastily summoned and Mr. Altgeld was carried to the hotel across the street. He retained con-sciousness and urged the newspaper men to keep the affair quiet, for fear of alarming his wife. Shortly before midnight he became unconscious. He remained in this condition until death.

CONDENSED NEWS.

Gen. B. F. Tracy, ex-secretary of the navy, who was suddenly overcome by illness in court Saturday, is reported to be steadily improving.

Fire this morning destroyed the postoffice building in North Pelham, N. Y., and caused the death of Edwin Yocum, a 13-year-old newsboy caught in the building.

Rather than submit to a halberd eight full-blood Cherokee Indians ar-rested Sunday, charged with being in contempt of the federal court, enroute for the Dawes commission.

A man who registered at the Hotel Lafayette as P. J. O'Connell, of Sag-Bend, Ind., jumped into Niagara river Sunday just above the Horseshoe fall and was carried over the falls.

Gerónimo, the Apache Indian chief, has petitioned the authorities at Was-ington to be released from captivity. For the last 14 years Gerónimo has been a military prisoner at Fort Sill. He is 80 years old.

While Isaac White, colored, was asleep in bed at his home in Dayton, O., his wife threw gasoline over him and ignited it. White was burned death. Mrs. White claims her husband beat her cruelly.

Rev. DeWitt Talmage, who was brought to New Orleans sick from Mexico in charge of Mrs. Talmage as a physician, is reported to be on slightly better. He is scarcely able to speak above a whisper.

Rear-Admiral Howell, president of the naval retiring board, and next Admiral Dewey the ranking officer of the navy, reached the age of 62 Sat-urday, and in accordance with law, was placed on the retired list.

Reuel Evans and A. A. Smith fought a duel with Winchester at eight feet distance at Purdy Station, Nevada. Each received injuries from which a death resulted. The quarrel was over a strip of almost worthless land.

A mixed Missouri Pacific train the Versailles branch was wrecked at a broken rail near Fortuna, Mo. Express car and one passenger car were turned upside down in a pile. Twenty-four persons were injured.

Brig.-Gen. Frederick Funston, U. S. A., lunched with the president, af-ter having been in consultation with him for some time. It is probable that he will not be sent back to the Phil-ippines unless he wishes to go there.

The house devoted Saturday to re-vote pension bills, passing 229 yeas and clearing the calendar. This is the largest number of pension bills ever passed by the house at one session.

Jose Diaz Alvarez, a young Mexican, was pleaded guilty of stealing \$300 gold watch of former Gov. Ho-ward of Texas on October 21 last in the Westford-Astoria, New York. Alvarez was sentenced to the Elmira reformatory.

Jim Younger wants to get married but cannot, because, according to Min-nesota law, a life prisoner is civil dead. The only way he can make con-tracts, binding in the eyes of the law, is through the board which parol him.

John T. Stover was shot and killed by his wife Alice in New York. She was arrested, she told the police her husband had threatened to kill her, and that she shot him to save her own life.

Wm. H. Hofmeister, late supreme cor-der of the Legion of Honor, who committed suicide on Jan. 21, at St. Louis, Mo., within 12 hours after having been defeated for re-election, was short in his accounts with the ledge, the amount of \$30,514.

William A. Rodenberg, of East St. Louis, Ill., submitted to President Roosevelt his resignation as a mem-ber of the United States civil service com-mission to take effect April 1. Richard Dana, of Boston, has been mentioned as a probable successor.

Several children were playing around a bonfire in South Haven when Matt Hinz, the 5-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hinz, ran too close, and her dress caught in the flames. De-spite the efforts of friends she was badly burned that she may die.

Ten thousand people, most of them Americans, witnessed a bloody bat-tle at Juarez, Mexico, Sunday, which two of Spain's most noted ad-tadors, Fuentes and Mazzantini, fought a leading part. Six bulls were de-patched by the sword and five horns were gored to death.

Andrew Carnegie, as the chief guest of the New York Literary club, he was much gratified by the appli-cations of small communities for the west for libraries; that he had dealt with about 40 of those applica-tions and was glad to say that in ex-cept perhaps two cases, he had seen his way to grant them.

One of the most daring of recent Chicago postoffice thefts was committed in a crowded downtown street last night. Someone by means of a dupli-cate key, opened a mail wagon and extracted a registered mail sack. The contents of the pouch are estimated at \$1,700. The robbery was committed in front of the Masonic temple, where hundreds of people were passing.

The strike situation on the Rock Mountain division of the Northern Pa-cific has assumed a graver aspect. The trainmen and switchmen of the Helena, Butte and Wallace yards are out. But four trains have moved out of the yards since Monday.

An American Nabob.

A Remarkable Story of Love, Gold and Adventure.

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CHAPTER XVI (Continued.)

And then—he always stopped at this point, as though what further might befall depended on circumstances, only that it was his full desire that she should feel the bitterness of his heart and desertion that had wronged her and turned it to stone.

Fedora was under some species of spell, she even knew not herself what it meant.

This remarkable man interested her, he seemed to arouse some half-slumbering memory that came as might a dream—a memory that must have been pleasant, for it had an interesting effect.

The strangeness of the sensation aroused her curiosity; she could not tell why she was drawn so irresistibly toward this black-bearded American, who had set the gossips of London agog, whose name was an every lip, and of whom she had even heard the captain proudly mention more than once at the table as "my friend the Marquis."

Nor did she know the real cause—these two combined should tempt her to leave the falling fortunes of the captain and seek happiness with the man who controlled her will.

It was a fiendish revenge, and many times the marquis cursed himself for entertaining it; yet the memory of his dreadful sufferings drove him back again with renewed zeal to pick up the threads of fate where he had dropped them and go on with feverish eagerness.

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His quick eye noted signs of confusion, and he knew disaster had at last fallen upon the captain, who must seek a cheaper home—yes, evidently a move was contemplated—his sturdy blows were beginning to tell, and he should feel a glow of satisfaction in the region of his heart.

The occasion would be propitious for his master stroke—surely he should be able to win her consent—what had she to consider but a ruined home and a husband whom she had wedded while loving another?

He offered her unlimited wealth, beyond the dream of the human mind, love, and all the attractions the world can bestow.

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In that short time he saw a great light, such as had never dawned on him before.

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Really, the doughty captain was passing through an experience that promised to make an old man of him if long continued.

Twice the Marquis had called upon Fedora, and on each occasion exerted himself to fascinate as he had never before done in all his life.

Affairs were in this state, and the Marquis could see the possible tragic outcome of his systematic assault all along the line, unless his nerve failed, or something occurred to break the stern resolution by which he had bound himself.

A few more visits, he believed, would complete the fascination of Fedora—harassed by accumulating debts and made foolish by his troubles, it might be readily assumed that the captain would be anything but an amiable companion these days, and the couple, never having had a genuine love for each other, would drift further apart.

This would be his opportunity—the glitter of his unlimited wealth, together with the strange hold he had upon Fedora, by reason of her old-time love, though she herself might not know the real cause—these two combined should tempt her to leave the falling fortunes of the captain and seek happiness with the man who controlled her will.

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PRIVATE PENSION RECORD BROKEN

House Passes 229 Bills for the Relief of War Veterans.

TO SELECT COALING STATIONS

Rear Admiral Bradford Ordered to Make Tour of West Indies with That Object in View—Committee to Investigate Election Laws in the South.

Washington, March 17.—The day in the house was devoted to private pension bills, 229 being passed, clearing the calendar. This is the largest number of pension bills ever passed by the house at one session.

Earlier in the day a resolution was adopted calling upon the war department for information concerning the government transport service between San Francisco and the Philippines.

Later in the day Mr. Minor (Wis.), rising to a question of personal privilege, denounced a published statement regarding the speaker and himself as false. The story said that he (Minor) had changed his position on the shipping bill and on the Cuban tariff question because of the speaker's intention to advocate a local revenue cutter measure in which the Wisconsin member is interested. Speaker Henderson was interested. Speaker Henderson was interested. Speaker Henderson was interested.

Differences of opinion on the Republican side appeared during the debate in the senate on the ship subsidy bill. Mr. Allison indicated that he was not quite satisfied with the measure as it stands now and gave notice of amendments limiting the time of its operation—no contracts to be made after July 1, 1910, and none to extend beyond July 1, 1920—and limiting also to \$5,000,000 annually up to 1907 and to \$3,000,000 thereafter the amount of money to be paid from the treasury on small contracts on account of it.

He was followed by Mr. Spooner, who also took exceptions to some provisions of the measure. He was not at all certain that the bill would accomplish the great results which its advocates claimed for it, and urged that before its enactment into law definite information upon that point ought to be furnished to congress. He did not care, he said, to vote for a measure making an appropriation that not only would not accomplish definite results, but which might be simply a largess to ship owners. He gave notice of an amendment providing that the bill might be repealed by congress without, however, impairing any contract made under its provisions. The amendment would be a notice, he said, that the subsidy would not be a safe foundation upon which to build largely.

Earlier in the day Mr. Teller made a speech in opposition to the measure, and was followed by Mr. Elkins with a brief address in support of it, although the West Virginia senator admitted he would much prefer the adoption of the policy of discriminating duties.

Mr. Bacon gave notice of an amendment providing that no contract under the bill shall be binding upon the government until it shall have been submitted to and approved by congress.

Senator Mallory submitted an amendment depriving all vessels from the benefits of the act whose owners have been within the last year parties to "any agreement or understanding of any kind with any person or corporation, the purpose of which agreement has been to control ocean freight rates or to control or to prevent competition in the transportation of the products of the United States to foreign countries or the transportation of the products of foreign countries to the United States."

The senate agreed, at the suggestion of Mr. Berry, to take up the bill immediately after the routine business Monday and that speeches be limited to fifteen minutes, except that Mr. Frye was accorded thirty minutes.

A bill appropriating \$150,000 to establish a marine hospital at Savannah, Ga., was passed; also a bill providing for the construction of a bridge across the Missouri river at Omaha, Neb. Adjournment followed a brief executive session.

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Washington, March 17.—The day in the house was devoted to private pension bills, 229 being passed, clearing the calendar. This is the largest number of pension bills ever passed by the house at one session.

Earlier in the day a resolution was adopted calling upon the war department for information concerning the government transport service between San Francisco and the Philippines.

Later in the day Mr. Minor (Wis.), rising to a question of personal privilege, denounced a published statement regarding the speaker and himself as false. The story said that he (Minor) had changed his position on the shipping bill and on the Cuban tariff question because of the speaker's intention to advocate a local revenue cutter measure in which the Wisconsin member is interested. Speaker Henderson was interested. Speaker Henderson was interested. Speaker Henderson was interested.

Differences of opinion on the Republican side appeared during the debate in the senate on the ship subsidy bill. Mr. Allison indicated that he was not quite satisfied with the measure as it stands now and gave notice of amendments limiting the time of its operation—no contracts to be made after July 1, 1910, and none to extend beyond July 1, 1920—and limiting also to \$5,000,000 annually up to 1907 and to \$3,000,000 thereafter the amount of money to be paid from the treasury on small contracts on account of it.

He was followed by Mr. Spooner, who also took exceptions to some provisions of the measure. He was not at all certain that the bill would accomplish the great results which its advocates claimed for it, and urged that before its enactment into law definite information upon that point ought to be furnished to congress. He did not care, he said, to vote for a measure making an appropriation that not only would not accomplish definite results, but which might be simply a largess to ship owners. He gave notice of an amendment providing that the bill might be repealed by congress without, however, impairing any contract made under its provisions. The amendment would be a notice, he said, that the subsidy would not be a safe foundation upon which to build largely.

Earlier in the day Mr. Teller made a speech in opposition to the measure, and was followed by Mr. Elkins with a brief address in support of it, although the West Virginia senator admitted he would much prefer the adoption of the policy of discriminating duties.

Mr. Bacon gave notice of an amendment providing that no contract under the bill shall be binding upon the government until it shall have been submitted to and approved by congress.

Senator Mallory submitted an amendment depriving all vessels from the benefits of the act whose owners have been within the last year parties to "any agreement or understanding of any kind with any person or corporation, the purpose of which agreement has been to control ocean freight rates or to control or to prevent competition in the transportation of the products of the United States to foreign countries or the transportation of the products of foreign countries to the United States."

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Senate Votes on Subsidy Bill. Washington, D. C., March 17.—In accordance with the agreement reached a week ago the senate began voting on the ship subsidy bill and amendments this afternoon at 3 o'clock. With the subsidy bill disposed of the bill introduced by Senator Hoar for the protection of the President of the United States from assassination will assume first place on the calendar, having been made the unfinished business. Either the oleomargarine bill or the Chinese exclusion bill will be made the unfinished business to succeed the Presidential protection measure, though the Nicaragua canal bill also is pressing for attention.

The house during the present week will pass the river and harbor bill, will decide the contested election case of Moss versus Rhea from the Third Kentucky District, and will consider the bill for the retirement of officers of the revenue cutter service.

No Headway on Cuban Tariff. Washington, March 17.—The house Republican peace conference discussed Cuba without developing new solutions of the problem or bringing out new ideas. The advantages of the bounty system were advanced by the representatives of the opposition, who also discussed the proposed reduction of the internal revenue tax upon alcohol made from sugar beets. Unofficial data were submitted to sustain the contention of the beet interests that the sugar trust controls most of the sugar in warehouses in Cuba and for that reason it was insisted precautions should be taken to prevent a county or tariff concession applying to it. The prediction is confidently made by the opponents of Cuban reciprocity that the Republican members of the house will meet in conference Tuesday night without the peace committee having reached an agreement.

Prize Money Appeal Case. Washington, March 17.—The transcript of the record in the case of the United States against Admiral Sampson and others, which has been appealed from the decision of the supreme court of the District of Columbia, has been filed in the United States supreme court. The case involves the question as to whether prize money should be awarded to Admiral Sampson and the officers and men of the North Atlantic squadron on account of the vessels and supplies captured off Santiago July 3, 1898.

Southern Suffrage. Washington, March 17.—Speaker Henderson and his lieutenants of the house have decided to report the Crumpacker resolution for the appointment by the speaker of a committee of thirteen to investigate the election laws of the southern states and to determine whether the right of suffrage is abridged contrary to the provisions of the Constitution.

Promotion for Crowninshield. Washington, March 17.—President Roosevelt has sent to the senate the nomination of Capt. Arent Schuyler Crowninshield to be rear admiral. In addition, he sent in the name of Lieut. Commander Robert M. G. Brown, now on the retired list. It is desired to give him the rank of a commander on the retired list.

Washington Notes. Washington, March 17.—After a week of hearings before the congressional committee upon pure food bills the Illinois delegation completed its work and departed for home.

The letter of resignation of First Assistant Postmaster General Johnson, whose determination to resign was announced some time ago, has been made public. Ill health and other personal reasons are given as the cause.

President Roosevelt neglects no opportunity to impress upon federal office holders in Illinois that they must remain neutral in the senatorial fight and take no active part in the campaign.

Rear Admiral John A. Howell, president of the naval retiring board, and next to Admiral Dewey the ranking officer of the navy, reached the age of 62 Saturday and in accordance with law was placed in the retired list.

The United States supreme court will shortly hear arguments on the right of the treasurer of Cook county to collect taxes from religious associations on property not used for religious or educational purposes.

Nothing has yet been arranged with regard to the future duties of General Funston, but it is probable that he will not be sent back to the Philippines unless he wishes to go there.

The United States steamer Sylph, having on board Secretaries Hay and Root, arrived at the navy yard late Saturday afternoon.

Victims from Kidnappers. Pittsburg, Pa., March 17.—Repeated threats to abduct his three children unless a ransom of \$25,000 was left in a certain spot, and a warning that murder would follow the placing of detectives on the case, have caused Alexander R. Peacock, former vice president and general sales agent of the Carnegie company, to remove his family temporarily from his Lexington avenue home to the Holland House, New York.

Ambassador White to Resign. Berlin, March 17.—With expressions of regret the newspapers here print a dispatch from Washington to the effect that Andrew D. White, the American ambassador to Germany, will retire next November.

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SYLVAN.

Peter Liebeck is on the sick list.
Albert Hayes of Fishville spent Saturday with his uncle, Lewis Hayes and family.

Mrs. M. Christner, who has been the guest of her father, Gottlieb Wasser, returned to her home in Niles Monday.

FREEDOM.

C. Dennis of Iron Creek has moved into Fred Vogel's house.

There will be confirmation at St. John's church next Sunday.

Misses Bertha Brienwisher and Emma Reno visited friends in Jackson Sunday.

Misses Ida and Esther Kuhl of Manchester spent Wednesday at Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Kuhl's.

Messrs. Gus and Lewis Brienwisher attended the Leach-Bagge wedding at Lima Wednesday.

UNADILLA.

Wm. Smith has a severe attack of the grip.

A. C. Watson has his new ice house completed.

Emmet Hadley is having a tussle with the mumps.

Holden Dubois who has been sick with measles is better at this writing.

Frank McKinder who has been sick with measles is again on the street.

Mr. and Mrs. Philander Buhl visited at D. K. Hadley's Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Janet Webb who has been on an eight weeks visit with friends and relatives, returned Friday.

Mrs. Ellen Marshall, after spending the winter with her daughter in Belaire returned home Friday.

The Farmers' Club at A. C. Watson's was well attended and an interesting program reported by all.

EAST NORTH LAKE.

Samuel Schultz is moving from Howell to his father's farm.

Grace Faulkner is staying with her sister Mrs. George Webb.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Schultz spent Sunday with Jacob Schultz of Chelsea.

Mrs. James Reilly is spending this week with her daughter, Mrs. Thos. Murphy.

Mr. William Connors will have a sale on his farm near Silver Lake, Tuesday, March 25.

Thomas Murray, who is suffering with Bright's disease, is now to the hospital at Ann Arbor.

Mrs. Elinda Simonds, who has been the guest of Mrs. O. P. Noah, has returned to her home at Niles.

Mrs. R. C. Glenn entertained Mrs. Jas. Cooke, Misses Grace Cooke, and Nina Carpenter of Chelsea and several ladies of this neighborhood Saturday afternoon, at a quilting party. It was hard to tell which flew the faster, the needles or tongues.

FRANCISCO.

Mrs. Geo. Main is on the sick list.

Mrs. R. Kruse is slowly recovering.

Chris Kalmbach of Sylvan was a Detroit visitor Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Gage of Sharon spent Sunday at this place.

Miss Mina Lantis is the guest of her grandfather, P. Riemschneider.

Herman Kalmbach of South Lyons visited Francisco friends Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Velma Richards spent last week with her uncle, John Weber, at Grass Lake.

Misses Martha and Fannie Musbach spent a few days of the past week with their brother at Munith.

Tom. Hammond returned to his home at Ann Arbor after spending a week with his aunt, Mrs. Kaiser.

Mrs. John O'Donnell of Jackson spent a few days of last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Rowe.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Beeman and John Lehman of Waterloo were the guests of J. J. Musbach and family Sunday.

Preparations are being made for two fine programs to be given at the German M. E. church Easter Sunday. The one in the forenoon will be in German, and the one in the evening will be English.

MANCHESTER.

Miss Cora Bailey visited in Jackson Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Burtless are visiting their son Fred in Lansing.

Miss Alma Schmid went to Wayne Friday afternoon to attend a party.

Mr. and Mrs. James Martin returned from California Monday, where they spent the winter.

John Tripp, who has been ill for some time, died Saturday. The funeral was held at the home Tuesday.

Professor Esery and the teachers with the exception of Misses Bailey and Schmid, went to Brooklyn Saturday, to attend the teachers convention.

Mrs. Watkins gave a farewell party to her lady friends Monday evening, before moving to Ann Arbor. The predominant color was green St. Patrick's day.

The Alpha Sigma elected their officers for the following term Monday evening. The result was as follows: President, Ed. Brighton; vice president, Fred Lehman; secretary, Marjorie Kingsley; treasurer, Lydia Groseman; chaplain, Starlie Weaver.

Mrs. Amsden of Brooklyn, who has been very sick with pneumonia, died Tuesday morning. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Culver, who have been spending the winter in California, were notified several days ago, but did not reach home in time. Mrs. Amsden was a former resident of Manchester.

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SHARON.

Homer Lehman is suffering with an attack of the mumps.

Mrs. D. Teeples spent last week with her daughter, Mrs. Fred Niles of Norvill.

The Ladies' Home Missionary Society met with Mrs. Wm. Alber Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Waltrous were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Fish last Friday.

Miss Grace Dorr of Chelsea spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Dorr.

Miss Frances Brower, who has spent the past week with Bert Teeples returned home Saturday.

Geo. Lehman commenced school again last Monday in district No. 9, after a vacation of two weeks on account of mumps.

There will be a business meeting of the Epworth League Saturday evening, March 22d, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Holden.

Geo. Merriman and daughter, Belle, and granddaughter, Ruth, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Lawrence last Sunday.

Mrs. Elizabeth Parker died at the home of her daughter in Sharon, March 12th, of neuralgia of the heart, aged 82 years. Interment in the Raymond cemetery.

Sunday, March 23, the following children will be confirmed at St. Pauls church, Sharon: William Frey, Theodore Bahmiller, Lewis Kaupp, August Bruns, Bertha Whar, Mary Kaupp. Rev. Graber pastor.

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File No. 8943 12-75.

PROBATE ORDER.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WASHTENAW, ss. At a session of the Probate Court for said county of Washtenaw, held at the Probate office, in the City of Ann Arbor, on the 28th day of February, in the year one thousand nine hundred and two.

Present, Willis L. Watkins, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Stephen O. Hadley, deceased.

Frank A. Burkhardt, special administrator of the said estate having rendered to this court his final account as special administrator of said estate and prays same be examined and allowed.

It is ordered, That the 28th day of March next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office be appointed for examining and allowing said account.

8943 12-38.

PROBATE ORDER.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WASHTENAW, ss. At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, held at the Probate Office in the City of Ann Arbor, on the Fourth day of March, in the year one thousand nine hundred and two.

Present, Willis L. Watkins, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Claude S. Martin, deceased.

H. M. Woods, administrator of the estate of said deceased has rendered to this court his final administrative account and prays the same may be examined and allowed and decree of assignment to follow allowance of final account.

It is ordered, That the 28th day of March next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office be appointed for examining said account and hearing petition.

And it is further Ordered, That a copy of this order be published three successive weeks previous to said time of hearing, in the Chelsea Standard, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Washtenaw.

WILLIS L. WATKINS, Judge of Probate. A true copy. JAMES E. MCGREGOR, Register.

G. W. Turnbull & Son Attorneys, Chelsea, Mich. File No. 9083 12-46.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WASHTENAW, ss. At a session of the Probate Court for said County of Washtenaw, held at the Probate Office in the City of Ann Arbor, on the 6th day of March, in the year one thousand nine hundred and two.

Present, Willis L. Watkins, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of John Wurster, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition duly verified of Anna Brenninger praying that administration of said estate may be granted to William F. Riemschneider or some other suitable person and that appraisers and commissioners be appointed.

It is ordered, That the 13th day of May next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office be appointed for hearing said petition.

And it is further Ordered, That a copy of this order be published three successive weeks previous to said time of hearing, in the Chelsea Standard, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Washtenaw.

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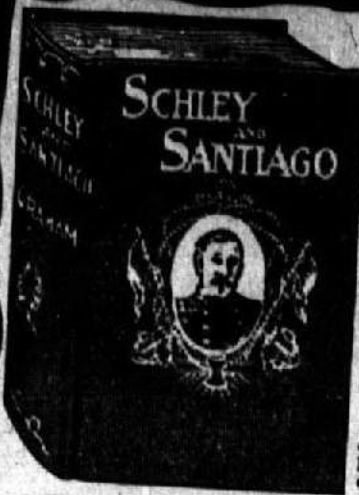
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AUCTION.

Having decided to quit farming I will sell at auction on premises one-half mile east of Waterloo village on Wednesday, March 26th, commencing at one o'clock, the following property: 6 head cattle; 1 black horse 6 years old; 1 black mule; mowing machine and a quantity of farm implements, tame hay, etc.

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Fancy sockeye salmon 15c can
Fancy Japan rice 4 pounds 25c
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LOCAL BREVITIES.

H. Lighthall lost a horse Sunday night.

H. Lighthall moved on his farm the first of the week.

The new steel doors of the register of deeds office are now in position.

A Chelsea 'phone has been placed in the Hawks & Angus waiting room.

Geo. Smith, a brother of Mrs. Frank Leach, died at his home at Bay City Wednesday.

Mrs. F. W. Cooper who has been ill for the last week with the grippe is improving slowly.

A track meet is being held this afternoon, between the four classes in the high school.

The Seniors will give a masquerade social at the Foresters' Hall, Friday evening, April 4th.

Merchant Milling Co. has completed the repairs to the mill here, and have started up again.

N. F. Prudden has moved into the residence on Harrison street, which he recently purchased of H. Lighthall.

Lafayette Grange will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Winslow, Thursday, March 27th at 10 o'clock a. m.

Miss Lizzie Hammack has recovered and will begin school again Monday, March 23, in Dist. No. 12, Lyndon.

Next Sunday evening, at St. Paul's church there will be a reunion of all the different confirmation classes of the church since its organization.

Be on time Sunday night, if you want to get a seat in the Methodist church. Dr. Carter has taken his hearers to Rome on the trip to the Holy Land.

James B. Farrington of Milan has been sentenced to three years in state's prison and to pay a fine of \$500, for the killing of his wife's paramour, Jesse Hooker.

Confirmation exercises Sunday morning, at 10:30 o'clock, in St. Paul's church at which time a class of about twelve will be received into church fellowship.

The annual meeting of the Chelsea Telephone Co. will be held at 1 o'clock Tuesday, March 25th, at the office of the company in the Turnbull and Wilkins block.

From April 1st to May 20th bass fishing is illegal, and there is a movement on foot to systematically enforce the law during the coming season. The closed season is intended to embrace the time when the fish are spawning.

The inquest on the death of Motorman Herbert Harrison, who was killed at this place last Wednesday, was adjourned until April 1. The only witness is Conductor Pullen, who was not able to attend the inquest, owing to the burns he received at the time of the accident.

Frank Maginn circulated a petition among the business men of the village asking the railroad company to build a passenger station here. This is not the first time the railroad company has asked our citizen to petition for them to build a depot.—Manchester Enterprise.

The farm residence of George Miller north of this place, was discovered to be on fire Sunday. Mrs. Miller has been very ill with pneumonia, but fortunately the fire was gotten under control, and it was not necessary to move her. Mrs. Miller is improving as rapidly as possible.

We are in receipt of a piano copy of a very lively march, entitled "The Half Holiday Two Step." It well deserves its phenomenal popularity. It is all the rage in New York city this season and no doubt our local pianists will soon be playing it. Published by Lyon & Healy, Chicago.

Riches will not do everything. Broadway Rouse, the wealthy New York merchant, has died with out regaining his sight. He has been blind for years, and though he offered a million dollars for a remedy and hired another blind man for an understudy upon whom doctors practiced, all efforts proved failures.

Monday, March 31st. Modyjeska and James will present, at Jackson, their grand production of Henry Eight. A car will be run from here, returning after the performance. The same production which has captivated Detroit will be given in every detail and it promises to be one of the state theatrical even's of the season.

The regents of the university Friday afternoon received the deed of a gift from D. M. Ferry to twenty acres of land adjoining the present athletic field for the purpose of enlarging the field. Old Regents field is ten acres in size and the new field to be called the Dexter M. Ferry field, will be thirty acres, the largest of any university in the west. It will take two years to get the field in shape.

The Chelsea market today is as follows: Wheat 76 cents; rye 56 cents; oats 42 to 43 cents; corn in the ear 28 cents; barley \$1.15 to per hundred; beans \$1.00 to \$1.10 for 60 pounds; clover seed \$4.50, pop corn 60 cents; potatoes 50 cents; eggs 12 cents; butter 16 cents; beef 2 to 4 1/2 cents; veal calves 5 to 6 cents; hogs \$5.75; sheep 2 to 3 cents; lambs 3 to 4 cents; chickens 8 cents; fowls 7 cents; turkeys 8 cents.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Mason Whipple in Lima, was the scene of a pleasant gathering Wednesday evening, March 19th, at which time Miss Inez Leach, sister of Mrs. Whipple, and Mr. Lorenz H. Bagge, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Bagge of Sylvan, were united in marriage. About eighty guests were present to witness the ceremony, which was performed by Rev. Albert Schoen, pastor of St. Paul's Evangelical church. After congratulations had been extended the party sat down to a sumptuous repast. Many valuable and useful presents attest the esteem which the young couple are held by their friends. The Standard joins their many friends in extending congratulations.

Albert C. Schumaker, a prominent druggist of Ann Arbor and president of the Michigan state board of pharmacy, died at 1:42 Sunday morning of pneumonia after a week's illness. He was 48 years of age. He was serving his second term as a member of the state board, receiving his first appointment under Gov. Richard second under Gov. Pingree. He was born in Ann Arbor, and was a graduate from the pharmacy departments of the university.

A quiet home wedding occurred at the home of J. B. Cole on North street last evening when M. Blanche Wood was united in marriage to Mr. George E. Davis of Bronson Mich., Rev. C. S. Jones officiating. After the ceremony a dainty luncheon was served. The bride is one of Chelsea's most estimable young ladies. The groom is the hustling, enterprising deputy postmaster of Bronson. They have the best wishes of a host of Chelsea friends.

The high school base ball team will be made up as follows: Captain, Chandler Rogers; catcher, LaMont BeGole; 1st base, Ray Cook; 2d base, Howard Holmes; 3d base, Clayton Schenk; shortstop, Herman Foster; left field, Wirt McLaren (manager); right field, Lee Foster. William Bacon will be official umpire. The schedule is as follows: April 5, 'All Stars at Chelsea; April 12, Business Men at Chelsea; April 19, Wayne at Chelsea; April 26, Ypsilanti at Ypsilanti; May 3, Manchester at Chelsea; May 10, Dexter at Dexter; May 24, Dexter at Chelsea; May 30, Ann Arbor at Chelsea; June 7, Ypsilanti at Chelsea; June 14, Wayne at Wayne; June 21, Manchester at Manchester; June 28, Pirates of Jackson at Chelsea; July 4, Ann Arbor at Ann Arbor.

PERSONAL.

E. G. Hogg spent Saturday at Detroit.

Mrs. D. Clark is spending this week at Detroit.

Mrs. A. J. Congdon spent Tuesday at Ann Arbor.

Miss Tillie Griebach spent Friday at Ann Arbor.

Erl and Harry Foster spent Sunday at Ann Arbor.

W. R. Lehman spent Sunday with Jackson friends.

W. F. Riemenschneider spent Sunday at Ann Arbor.

Archie Merchant of Battle Creek spent Saturday here.

Miss Mary Haab was an Ann Arbor visitor Sunday.

Miss Myra Clark was an Ann Arbor visitor Sunday.

Mrs. Martin Wackenhut spent Sunday with Ann Arbor friends.

Austin Yocum of Manchester was a Chelsea visitor Tuesday.

Miss Marie Clark of Ypsilanti spent the first of the week here.

Edna, Harry and Horace Bacon of Ann Arbor spent Sunday here.

Mrs. G. H. Purchase and son, Kenneth of Detroit spent Sunday here.

M. J. Lehman of Ann Arbor was the guest of Chelsea friends Sunday.

Frank Rushmore of Howard City was the guest of relatives here Sunday.

Wilbur Caster of Albion is spending his spring vacation with his parents here.

Misses Emma and Mary Seid of Jackson were the guests of Miss Pauline Griebach Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Thomas of Plymouth were the guests of Chas. Currier the first of the week.

Mrs. J. C. Taylor arrived home last Friday, after spending three months with her mother in Losco, who has been seriously ill.

Miss Ida Webb was called to Saline Tuesday by the death of her mother. Miss Zoe BeGole is teaching her classes during her absence.

Romance and Hotel Bills.

"This is a magnificently situated hotel. See the view across the water there!"

"One dollar."

"Those distant hills are grand."

"A dollar and a quarter."

"Then the woods there make a beautiful sky line."

"Ninety cents."

"How picturesque is that wooded point."

"Thirty-five cents."

"What in the world are you talking about."

"I was just figuring how these things are charged in my hotel bill."—St. Louis Republic.

Didn't Fease Him.

"How much do you ask for this basket of grapes?" asked Mr. Tyte-Phist of the suburban grocer.

"Twenty-five cents," said the grocer.

"I can get grapes down town just like 'em for 20."

"When I said 25 I was answering a question of this customer. You can have those grapes for 15 cents a basket."

"I can get the same kind down town for ten," responded Mr. Tyte-Phist.—Chicago Tribune.

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Cobwebs put on a cut gave a woman lockjaw. Millions know that the best thing to put on a cut is Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the infallible healer of wounds, ulcers, sores, skin eruptions, burns, scalds and piles. It cures or no pay. Only 25c at Glazier & Stimson's drug store.

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MOZART AND THE MAJOR.

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Music and liquor! The Major loved them both; was something of a connoisseur in both; and was keenly susceptible to the influence of both. So, when he actually resolved to adopt a small colored boy, his friends were outraged, but not surprised; they only felt unable to decide whether the proceeding was to be attributed to the Major's pocketbook or to the boy's banjo, while the Major cursed the whole neighborhood in good, set terms, and went after his protégé.

"What's the boy's name?" he demanded when all other particulars had been settled to the mutual satisfaction of himself and the child's father.

"Well, Majah," was the somewhat astonishing response, "I don't jes' 'zactly know."

The Major's temper uncertain, and his vocabulary ready.

"Then you're a durn fool," he replied with promptness and irritation.

"Well, Majah, you see, 'twuz 'is way. W'en dat chile wuz bawn, me 'n M'rier 'lowed we wuz gwine to call him 'is way; an' we wuz gwine to hab a great big crussenin', soon's it got so's he cud war a frock 'dout enny nalk er sleeves, dat yo' ma gin him. But w'ile we wuz a-waitin', M'rier, she up an' fine de Baptis', an' one day, w'en I see, 'M'rier, ain't it mos' warm 'nuff fo' de crussenin'?' M'rier, she say, 'sorter short-lak, dat 'dee ain' gwine be no crussenin'.' Dat crussenin' infum baptizum, 'n dee ain' no sech 'ting as infum baptizum. 'Dee ain', sez I: 'how'n the name o' Gord dat chile gwine to get named, den?' An M'rier say, 'We jes' gwine call him Moses right erlong. Dat bein' how he'd bin kinder drawed out'n de water by bein' kep' f'm infum baptizum, de preacher 'lowed he mus' be call Moses.' Well, sub, I jes' plattedly rah'd'n pitched. I sutley skeered M'rier. I 'lowed dat boy wuzn't gwine to be named no sech 'ting; an' he ain', mun, he ain'. M'rier, she call him Moses, jes' fo' pure owda-clothes; but me an' de res' jes' call him 'sonny. An' dat's hu come I don't jes' 'zactly know his name."

At the termination of this remarkable narrative, the man stolidly awaited the usual string of epithets. But the Major stood silent, deep in meditation. A happy conceit had occurred to him and he was lost in admiration of its neatness and his cleverness.

"The boy's name shall be Mozart Mendelssohn," he said, with an unctuous relish of his own good thing; "Moz-art Mendels-sohn," he repeated, adapting the pronunciation to the slow mind of his hearer; "then Maria can keep on calling him Mose, and you can keep on calling him sonny, and by the Lord Harry! Adam himself couldn't do better than that."

So Mozart Mendelssohn it was; and if ever a small boy deserved a great name, this one did. Pitifully crippled and misshapen the little fellow was; but genius looked out of his dark, bright eyes, and spoke through his slender, ebony fingers. After a few preliminary trials, he could handle any instrument with a skill and expression rarely attained by months of practice; and, along this line, the limit of the Major's generosity was the limit of his purse.

Seated on the wide stone step of the west veranda, while the Major rocked to and fro above him, with a mint julep or a toddy at his side, Mozart would fill the air with soothing melody, until his watchful eye took note that the last drop had disappeared down the Major's capacious throat. Then, and not till then, with clasped hands around his crooked knee, and eyes fixed firmly on the distant landscape, would Mozart say, "I b'leve I cud play a fiddle."

"Well, blank my eyes!" the Major would roar. "A fiddle! and it's just like your durned impudence to think I ought to get you one. A fiddle! Get up off that rock and go to the kitchen, before I break every bone in your body." And the Major would stalk in the house, raging; while Mozart would



"His name shall be Mozart Mendelssohn," he said.

walk off around the corner. "I b'leve I cud play it," he would say—as he disappeared. And, in less than a month, he would be playing thereon, to the Major's intense delight and the neighborhood's intense disapproval.

There was but one drawback to the Major's enjoyment; Mozart could not play before strangers. In vain was he brought before expectant guests; flute, violin, cornet or banjo, it was all the same; his trembling fingers refused their office, and his frightened appeal, "I can't play, Majah; I've skeered," never failed to bring a speedy release.

But he could always play for the Major. And, as the years went by, the bond of protection and of loyalty, of love and fidelity, of mutual love and

tenderness, cemented these hearts in a friendship that was unalterable. And when, at last, the shadow of disgraceful poverty fell across the Major's life; when, leaving home and friends, he wandered, a degraded man, from place to place; when time, and name, and life's best gifts were sacrificed to his shameful, all-absorbing appetite; there was never friendless or alone, for there was always Mozart. The Major's stalwart form was no better known in his favorite haunts than was the distorted figure of the little negro. Awaiting the end of the Major's carousals, watching over his drunken slumbers, hungry and cold unless supplied with food and warmth by bar-room charity; his love and patience were sublime. If only he could have played for the crowds who, fired by the Major's boasts, made nightly requests for an



"Out into the raging night."

exhibition of his skill, money and plenty would be his; his and the Major's. So, night after night, he tried; but night after night he failed, until, one bleak December evening, the boisterous crowd, moved by a common impulse of compassion and disappointment, called out to the Major, after one of Mozart's ineffectual attempts:

"Licker the nigger up, Major; licker him up."

It was done, and then he played. How he played as the subtle glow flew from mouth to brain, and waked his heart and fingers to a new, strange power!

It was only a second-rate violin, played by a hunch-back negro; but the scent of the harvest field blew over the hot, close room, and a stream plashed gently under bending trees. Only a second-rate violin, but its spell was mighty. Men saw afresh life's beauty and its gladness. Old dreams awakened, of fame and love; and hope began to sing of what might be. He was only a hunch-back negro, but men dropped their heads and forgot their glasses on the bar as they listened. Within their hearts there stole sweet thoughts; within their eyes there crept hot tears; and no man smiled as the Major walked unsteadily down the room, until he stood before the player.

"Le's go home, Mozart," he cried, with trembling lips; "le's go home. We'll keep our Christmas there, please God! You and I—at home."

Out into the night, through a raging blizzard; buffeted by angry gusts of wind and volleys of snowflakes that obliterated the way; but the Major knew it not, until, at his feet, his companion stumbled and fell, exhausted with cold and weariness. But he knew it well, when, with Mozart in his arms, he plodded along over the road whose stretching white miles seemed endless to his tired feet. Disipation had weakened the Major's frame, and Mozart's inert form was heavy, but still he walked, fighting against the fate that threatened them, until his eyes discovered, through the snow-lit darkness, a well-known gate. And then he paused.

"We'll get a little rest here, Mozart," he said, with a thick and halting utterance; "we'll rest a bit, and then we'll go on in; we'll both go home together."

And when the sun climbed the golden ladder of morning, and lighted up the snow-clad earth, it seemed as if the mantle of heavenly charity was cast on two recumbent, half-hidden figures that had gone home together.

Choice Lamb and Fish.

Senator Foster of Washington, and Mr. Loud of California, live under the same hotel roof. A few weeks ago when one of his constituents had forwarded him a fine lamb, which was served on the Californian's table, he sent a choice cut over to the senator.

"Give him my compliments," quoth Mr. Loud to the waiter, "and tell the senator that this lamb never tasted anything but milk."

The days of the season flew by and not long ago a waiter appeared at Mr. Loud's elbow one evening, bearing a cut of magnificent salmon. It was sent by Senator Foster.

"But I want to know whether this salmon came from Washington or Oregon," asserted Mr. Loud with the bearing of a connoisseur.

Soon the waiter returned with the reply: "The senator says it is a Puget Sound salmon, and it has never tasted anything but cream."

This satisfied the legislative epicure from California.—Washington Post.

What peculiar dishes we partake of under the inspiration of good fellowship?

TALMAGE'S SERMON.

THE BENEFITS OF RELIGION IN ORDINARY BUSINESS LIFE.

In Eloquent Words the Great Preacher Shows How Godliness Is Profitable in All Things—Human Weakness Alone Not Sufficient for the Battle.

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Washington, March 16.—In this discourse Dr. Talmage advocates the idea that the Christian religion is as good for this world as the next, and will help us to do anything that ought to be done at all; in Timothy iv, 8, "Godliness is profitable unto all things, having promise of the life that now is and of that which is to come."

There is a gloomy and passive way of waiting for events to come upon us, and there is a heroic way of going out to meet them, strong in God and fearing nothing. You are expecting prosperity, and I am determined, so far as I have anything to do with it, that you shall not be disappointed, and, therefore, I propose, as God may help me to project upon your attention a new element of success. You have in the business firm frugality, patience, industry, perseverance, economy—a very strong business firm—but there needs to be one member added, mightier than them all, and not a silent partner, either, the one introduced by my text, "Godliness, which is profitable unto all things, having the promise of the life that now is as well as of that which is to come."

I suppose you are all willing to admit that godliness is important in its eternal relations, but perhaps some of you say, "All I want is an opportunity to say a prayer before I die, and all will be well." There are a great many people who suppose that if they can finally get safely out of this world into a better world they will have exhausted the entire advantage of our holy religion. They talk as though religion were a mere nod of recognition which we are to give to the Lord Jesus on our way up to a heavenly mansion; as though it were an admission ticket, of no use except to give in at the door of heaven. Now, while I would not throw any slur on a post-mortem religion, I want to-day to eulogize an antemortem religion. A religion that is of no use to you while you live will be of no use to you when you die. I have always noticed that when grace is very low in a man's heart he talks a great deal in prayer meetings about deaths and about coffins and about graves and about churchyards. I have noticed that the healthy Christian, the man who is living near to God and is on the straight road to heaven, is full of jubilant satisfaction and talks about the duties of this life, understanding well that if God helps him to live right he will help him to die right.

Now, in the first place, I remark that godliness is good for a man's physical health. I do not mean to say that it will restore a broken down constitution or drive rheumatism from the limbs, or neuralgia from the temples or pleurisy from the side, but I do mean to say that it gives one such habits and puts one in such condition as are most favorable for physical health. That I believe, and that I avow. The sense of insecurity which sometimes hovers over an unregenerate man or pounces upon him with the blast of ten thousand trumpets of terror is most depleting and most exhausting, while the feeling that all things are working together for our good now and for our everlasting welfare is conducive to physical health.

You will observe that godliness induces industry, which is the foundation of good health. There is no law of hygiene that will keep a lazy man well. There is no such thing as good physical condition without positive work of some kind, although you should sleep on down or swan or ride in carriage of softest upholstery or have on your table all the luxuries that were poured from the wine vats of Isaphan and Shiraz.

Oh, how important in this day, when so much is said about anatomy and physiology and therapeutics and some new style of medicine is ever and anon springing upon the world, that you should understand that the highest school of medicine is the school of Christ, which declares that "godliness is profitable unto all things, having the promise of the life that now is as well as of that which is to come." So if you start out two men in the world with equal physical health, and then one of them shall get the religion of Christ in his heart, and the other shall not get it, the one who becomes a son of the Lord Almighty will live the longer. "With long life will I satisfy him and show him my salvation."

Again I remark that godliness is good for the intellect. I know some have supposed that just as soon as a man enters into the Christian life his intellect goes into a bedwaring process, so far from that, religion will give new brilliancy to the intellect, new strength to the imagination, new force to the will and wider swing to all the intellectual faculties. Christianity is the great central fire at which philosophy has lighted its brightest torch. The religion of Christ is the fountain out of which learning has dipped its clearest draft. Religion has given new energy to poetry, weeping in Dr. Young's "Night Thoughts," teaching in Cowper's "Task," flaming in Charles Wesley's hymns and rushing with angelic splendor through Milton's "Paradise Lost." Is it possible that a religion which builds such indestructible monuments and which lifts its ensign on the highest promontories of worldly power can have any effect upon a man's intellect but elevation?

Now I commend godliness as the best mental discipline, better than

belles letters to purify the taste, better than mathematics to harness the mind to all intricacy and elaboration, better than logic to marshal the intellectual forces for onset and victory. It will go with Hugh Miller and show him the footprints of the Creator in the red sandstone. It will go with the astronomer on the great heights where God shepherds the great flock of worlds that wander on the hills of heaven, answering his voice as he calls them all by their names.

Again I remark that godliness is profitable for one's disposition. Lord Ashley, before he went into a great battle, was heard to offer this prayer: "O Lord, I shall be very busy to-day! If I forget thee, forget me not." With such a Christian disposition as that a man is independent of all circumstances. Religion has tamed the wildest natures. It has turned fretfulness into gratitude, despondency into good cheer, and those who were hard and ungovernable and uncompromising have been made pliable and conciliatory. Good resolution, reformatory effort, will not effect the change. It takes a mightier arm and a mightier hand to bend evil habits than the hand that bent the bow of Ulysses, and it takes a stronger lasso than ever held the buffalo on the prairie.

A man cannot go forth with any human weapons and contend successfully against these Titans armed with up-torn mountains. But you have known men into whose spirit the influence of the gospel of Christ came until their disposition was entirely changed. "Oh," says some one, "I have a rough, jagged, impetuous nature, and religion can't do anything for me." Do you know that Martin Luther and Robert Newton and Richard Baxter had impetuous and all consuming natures, yet the grace of God turned them into the mightiest usefulness? A manufacturer cares but very little for a stream that slowly runs through the meadow, but values a torrent that leaps from rock to rock and rushes with mad energy through the valley and out toward the sea. Along that river you will find fluttering shuttles and grinding mill and flashing water wheel. And a nature the swiftest, the most rugged and the most tremendous—that is a nature God turns into greatest usefulness. Oh, how many that have been pugnacious and hard to please and irascible and more bothered about the mote in their neighbor's eye than about the beamlike ship timber in their own eye who have been entirely changed by the grace of God and have found out that "godliness is profitable for the life that now is as well as for the life to come."

Again I remark that religion is good for worldly business. I know the general theory is the more business the less religion, the more religion the less business. Not so, thought Dr. Hans in his "Biography of a Christian Merchant," when he says: "He grew in grace the last six years of his life more than at any time in his life. During those six years he had more business crowding him than at any other time." In other words, the more worldly business a man has the more opportunity to serve God. Does religion exhilarate or retard worldly business? Is the practical question for you to discuss. Does it hang, like a mortgage, over the farm? Is it a bad debt on the ledger? Is it a lion against the estate? Does it crowd the door through which customers come for broadcloths and silks?

Now, religion will hinder your business if it be a bad business or if it be a good business wrongly conducted. If you tell lies behind the counter, if you use false weights and measures, if you put sand in sugar and beet juice in vinegar and lard in butter and sell for one thing that which is another thing, then religion will interfere with that business, but a lawful business, lawfully conducted, will find the religion of the Lord Jesus Christ its mightiest auxiliary.

Religion will give an equipoise of spirit. It will keep you from ebullitions of temper, and you know a great many fine businesses have been blown to atoms by bad temper. It will keep you from worryment about frequent loss; it will keep you industrious and prompt; it will keep you back from squandering and from dissipation; it will give you a kindness of spirit which will be easily distinguished from that mere store courtesy which shakes hands violently with you, asking about the health of your family, when there is no anxiety to know whether your child is well or sick, but the anxiety is to know how many dozen cambric pocket handkerchiefs you will take and pay cash down. It will prepare you for the practical duties of everyday life. I do not mean to say that religion will make us financially rich, but I do say that it will give us, it will assure us of, a comfortable sustenance at the start, a comfortable subsistence all the way through, and it will help us to direct the bank, to manage the traffic, to conduct all our business matters, and to make the most insignificant affair of our life a matter of vast importance, glorified by Christian principle.

In New York city there was a merchant, hard in his dealings with his fellows, who had written over his banking house or his counting house room, "No compromise." Then when some merchant got in a crisis and went down—a fault of his, but a conjunction of evil circumstances, and all the other merchants were willing to compromise—they would take 75 cents on the dollar or 50 cents or 20 cents—coming to this man last of all, he said: "No compromise. I'll take 100 cents on the dollar, and I can afford to wait." Well, the wheel turned, and after awhile that man was in a crisis of business, and he sent out his agent to compromise, and the agent said to the merchants, "Will you take 50 cents on

the dollar?" "No," "Will you take anything?" "We'll take 100 cents on the dollar. No compromise." And the man who wrote that inscription over his counting house door died in destitution. Oh, we want more of the kindness of the gospel and the spirit of love in our business enterprises! How many young men have found in the religion of Jesus Christ a practical help? How many there are to-day who could testify out of their own experience that godliness is profitable for the life that now is! There were times in their business career when they went here for help and there for help and yonder for help and got no help until they knelt before the Lord crying for his deliverance, and the Lord rescued them.

In a bank not far from New York—a village bank—an officer could not balance his accounts. He had worked at them day after day, night after night, and he was sick right up to death as a result. He knew he had not taken one farthing from that bank, but somehow, for some reason, inscrutable then, the accounts would not balance. The time rolled on and the morning of the day when the books should pass under the inspection of the other officers arrived, and he felt himself in awful peril, conscious of his own integrity, but unable to prove that integrity. That morning he went to the bank early, and he knelt down before God and told the whole story of mental anguish, and he said: "O Lord, I have done right, I have preserved my integrity, but here I am about to be overthrown unless thou shouldst come to my rescue. Lord, deliver me." And for one hour he continued the prayer before God, and then he arose and went to an old blotter that he had forgotten all about. He opened it, and there lay a sheet of figures which he only needed to add to another line of figures—some line of figures he had forgotten and knew not where he had laid them—and the accounts were balanced, and the Lord delivered him. You are an infidel if you do not believe it. The Lord delivered him. God answered his prayer, as he will answer your prayer, oh, man of business, in every crisis when you come to him.

Now, if this be so, then I am persuaded, as you are, of the fact that the vast majority of Christians do not fully test the value of their religion. They are like a farmer in California with 15,000 acres of good wheat land and culturing only a quarter of an acre. Why do you not go forth and make the religion of Jesus Christ a practical affair every day of your business life and all this year, beginning now, and to-morrow morning putting into practical effect this holy religion and demonstrating that godliness is profitable here as well as hereafter?

How can you get along without this religion? Is your physical health so good you do not want this divine tonic? Is your mind so clear, so vast, so comprehensive, that you do not want this divine inspiration? Is your worldly business so thoroughly established that you have no use for that religion which has been the help and deliverance of tens of thousands of men in crises of worldly trouble? And if I have said is true then you see what a fatal blunder it is when a man adjourns to life's expiration the uses of religion. A man who postpones religion to sixty years of age gets religion fifty years too late. He may get into the kingdom of God by final repentance, but what can compensate him for a whole lifetime unalleviated and uncomfortable? You want religion to-day in the training of that child. You will want religion to-morrow in dealing with that customer. You wanted religion yesterday to curb your temper. Is your arm strong enough to beat your way through the floods? Can you, without being increased in the mail of God's eternal help, go forth amid the assault of all hell's sharpshooters? Can you walk alone across these crumbling graves and amid these gaping earthquakes? Can you, waterlogged and mast shivered, outlive the gale? Oh, how many there have been who, postponing the religion of Jesus Christ, have plunged into mistakes they never could correct, although they lived sixty years after, and like serpents crushed under cart wheels dragging their mangled bodies under the rocks to die. So these men have fallen under the wheel of awful calamity, while a vast multitude of others have taken the religion of Jesus Christ into everyday life and, first, in practical business affairs, and second, on the throne of heavenly triumph, have illustrated, while angels looked on and a universe approved, the glorious truth that "godliness is profitable unto all things, having the promise of the life which now is as well as of that which is to come."

Hard to Tell Chinaman's Age.

How old is a Chinaman? Can you give a good guess? It is harder to tell than the age of a negro. The Chinaman has no beard and his hair is of a jet and glossy blackness, which turns gray only at an extreme age, when a Caucasian head would be either snow white or bald.

Then, again, the Chinese have the most perfect nervous system of any people in the world and do not wrinkle up with age. They can stand any amount of opium smoking without material injury that would send a white man to his grave or an insane asylum. So you have little to go by.

A Chinaman will look 30 when he is 20 and when he is 50. If you ask him his age he will place it at least 10 years ahead, for he holds old age to be honorable, and among his people he will be respected and looked up to by all his juniors.—Washington Post.

About the first thing a good American finds it necessary to do after reaching the Philippines is come home to undergo a surgical operation.

A MALICIOUS MEDDLER.

The Chicago and St. Paul and Minneapolis

Two well-dressed and attractive young women—business girls, apparently—rushed into a car the other morning and took seats. After they were comfortably adjusted, with parcels and umbrellas, the one in the blue cloth suit scanned the two men who sat opposite, and remarked to her companion:

"It's too near the stove here; let's move down."

Then the girls arose, and took seats farther down, out of range of the two men.

"What was the matter, Clara?" the other girl asked; "it wasn't really too warm back there?"

"No," the first girl answered with spirit, "but that horrid man with the brown hat and overcoat sat near us. He is always on the car near me, Laura, and I detest the sight of him."

"I don't know him," commented Laura; "who is he?"

"Why, I don't know him, either," Clara explained; "but I won't sit where I have to look at him."

"Has he ever been rude to you?" asked Laura.

"Rude? I think so. About three months ago I dreamed I was standing before the altar in a lovely church all decorated with palms and flowers and was just about to be married—oh, to such a handsome man, Laura, and that hideous old thing in the brown hat and coat—the very same man—came rushing down the aisle and arrested my promised husband for bigamy."

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County and Vicinity

During one day recently money orders to the amount of \$650 were received at the Ann Arbor postoffice from Manila. This shows that there is certainly something doing over there and a good deal of money is being sent from the islands to the United States. —Washtenaw Republican.

Frank Biery of Tompkins township, acquitted last fall of murder in Jackson county, was captured at Springport Saturday afternoon and will be confronted with a charge of criminal assault. His 13-year-old stepdaughter is the complaining witness. Less than a year ago Biery married a widow with four young children. During a charivari Archie Whitehouse, a nephew of the bride, was shot and killed by Biery's firing into the crowd. Biery was tried and acquitted.

Lyman Bliss, who has tramped for 60 years and is now 97 years old, visited this city last week and then went to Dixboro to see old acquaintances. In Ann Arbor he hunted up Arthur Sweet to ask about the latter's father whom he carried around when he was a baby in New York state, he being a neighbor of the Sweet family. He was a soldier in the Black Hawk war, and with his company camped on the spot where the court house now stands. He was then a boy 17 years of age. Later he cleared up a farm near Dixboro. —Argus.

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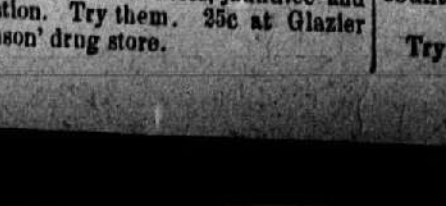
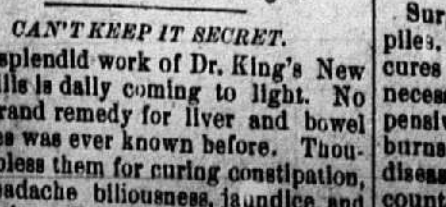
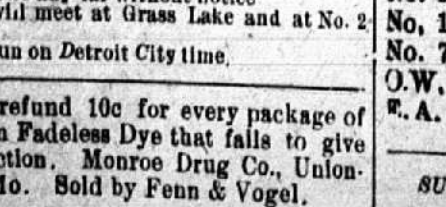
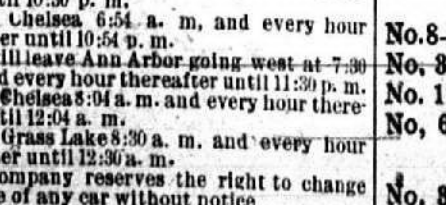
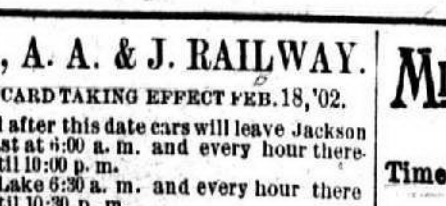
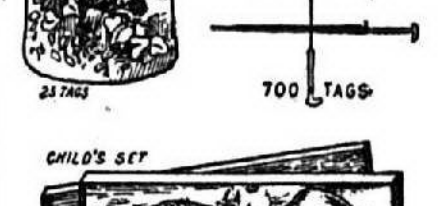
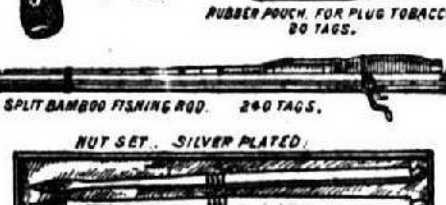
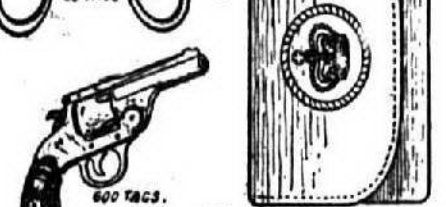
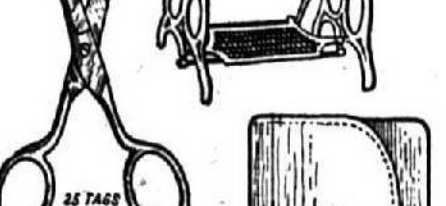
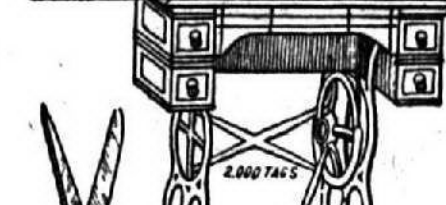
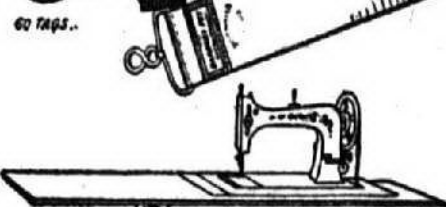
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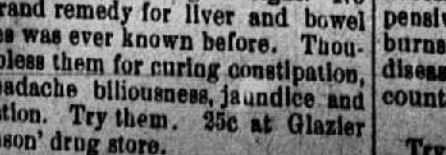
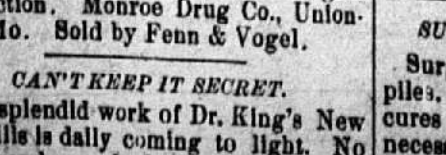
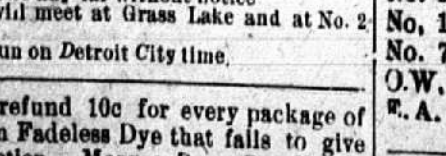
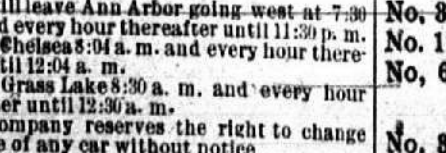
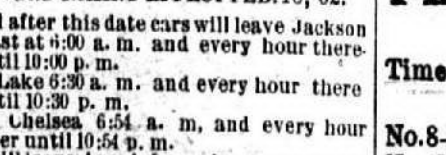
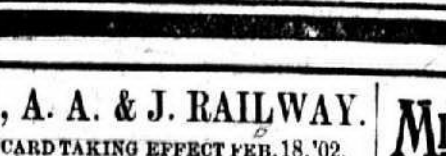
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