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SUICIDE BY FIRE.

Mrs. George W. Parker, of Lima, Melancholy and Depressed, Poured Oil Over Herself and Ignited It.

A terrible case of suicide occurred in Lima Saturday afternoon, presumably between 2 and 3 o'clock, when Mrs. Frances Harriet Parker, wife of George W. Parker, took her life by pouring oil over herself and clothing and setting fire to it.

For the past few weeks Mrs. Parker had been in a very melancholy and depressed state of mind, but it was never thought that she would take her life. A few days before she had read an account in a paper how a woman had ended her life by pouring kerosene over herself and then cremating herself. She remarked at the time that it was a terrible death. The incident made a deep impression on her, however, as she read it over several times and finally chose an exactly similar method of killing herself.

Mr. Parker had come to Chelsea in the morning on some business and had remarked to his wife just before leaving home "I'd like to see a smile on your face again." The poor woman smiled in a listless, melancholy manner, and that was the last time Mr. Parker saw her in life.

At noon Mrs. Parker prepared dinner for herself, her aged mother-in-law, Mrs. Russell Parker, and her little 7 years old daughter Hazel. After dinner they all laid down to rest for awhile. Shortly after 2 o'clock Mrs. Parker arranged her hair and toilet and left the house. This was not thought anything of by her mother-in-law, but about 3 o'clock she and the little girl went out to look for her. They smelled a nasty smell as of burning kerosene oil, hair, etc., and the old lady remarked what a nasty smell there was, to which the little girl answered, "Yes, grandma, it is an awful nasty smell."

In the evening between 5 and 6 o'clock Mrs. Parker, sr., and the child went to gather up the eggs. The first place visited was the henhouse which is divided into two compartments. Just inside the door of the inner half lay a large black mass, which the old lady with falling sight, took to be a black dog. She sent the little girl over to Jacob Schaler's and asked him to come over. He got another neighbor to go with him and they went into the henhouse. A glance revealed to them that it was a charred human body and later in investigation showed that it was Mrs. Geo. Parker.

She had taken off her apron, skirt, corsets, etc., and clad in her underclothing had poured kerosene oil over her head and clothing and then ignited it.

Mr. Parker left Chelsea for home about 7 o'clock Saturday evening. Contrary to his usual custom he did not feel inclined to talk much after getting into his buggy, and he has since said that the road home never seemed so long before as it did then. He felt as if something terrible was hanging over him. A telephone message was received by his brother John Parker, shortly after he had left for home telling of the fatal occurrence.

The funeral services were held Monday and the remains were taken to Ann Arbor for burial, where before her marriage she was well known as Miss Frances Harriet Miller.

High School Baccalaureate.

The baccalaureate address to the class of 1902 Chelsea high school was delivered Sunday evening at the Methodist church by Rev. Albert Schoen, pastor of St. Paul's Evangelical church. The exercises prior to the address were scripture reading by Rev. C. S. Jones, prayer by Rev. F. A. Siles, a fine tenor solo by Thos. Hughes. Mr. Schoen's address was founded on the text "And I will show wonders in the heavens and the earth." Joel 2:28. The subject was treated in a masterful, exhaustive and interesting manner. It was the first time Mr. Schoen has spoken to an audience composed mainly of English speaking people since he came to Chelsea, and those who had the good fortune to hear him hope that it will not be the last. The address was full of earnest, hopeful hints to the young people whom he was more particularly addressing. Prayer by Rev. E. E. Caster and the benediction by Rev. C. S. Jones closed the interesting services.

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LIGHTNING'S PRANKS.

Several Buildings Struck and Some Narrow Escapes During Recent Storms.

The heavy storms of thunder and lightning that have prevailed during the past week have done lots of damage around here and some narrow escapes are reported by people who were around when the electric fluid struck various objects. Some of the damage heard of is given below.

Thursday afternoon during the heavy storm that prevailed R. A. Snyder's large barn near his house was struck. One of the heavy timbers inside the barn was splintered in pieces and the roof and sides were injured, but luckily the hay in the building did not get on fire although the lightning must have trodden around in it.

Saturday afternoon the flagpole on the new bank building was struck and a big silver was taken off the tower end. The gable end of Frank H. Sweetland's barn was also struck and the lightning ran down into the barn, where two men and a team of horses were standing. A mare belonging to Mr. McDaid, who works the farm, was standing about two feet from where the lightning ran down into the barn and was knocked down by the shock.

Sunday afternoon a pole belonging to the Boland people located on Wilkinson street in front of James Dann's house was silvered to pieces by a bolt of lightning. The silver was thrown all over the porch of the house. Mr. Dann was standing on the porch at the time and got one of the biggest scares of his life in consequence. Joseph Sibley's house was also struck Sunday afternoon. The bolt did considerable damage to the gable end where it hit and also tore off the siding of the house.

Just as the storm started Sunday afternoon Charles Clark, of Lyndon, drove up to the barn belonging to his mother-in-law Mrs. George Bauer, sr., on South Main street, to put his team into it. The barn was locked so he backed the horses away intending to put them in the shed at the side of the barn. Just then the barn was struck by lightning, the horses ran away, throwing Mr. Clark out of the buggy, which passed over him, bruising him somewhat. The horses were caught before doing themselves or the carriage any injury. The peculiar thing about this incident was that Mr. Clark did not know the building had been struck until he returned to it, and had wondered what made his horses run away as they had never done so before.

Three Suits on Their Hands.

The D. Y., A. A. & J. railway company has three suits for damages on its hands which amount in the aggregate to \$33,000. In all three cases A. J. Sawyer & Son, of Ann Arbor, are attorneys for the plaintiffs.

In the first suit the city of Ann Arbor wants damages in the sum of \$3,000 for building crosswalks and doing graveling between the tracks of the company. The railway company claims to have an offset against this amount.

The second suit is that of Mrs. Phila Harrison, widow of Motorman Herbert Harrison, who was killed at Chelsea March 11 while fixing a trolley pole. She asks \$20,000 damages.

The third suit is that of Gabriel Bookres, of Chelsea, who asks \$10,000 damages. It is claimed in this action that on June 21, 1901, Mr. Bookres, who was employed as a helper on the construction of the road, was assisting in carrying rails and ties. It is alleged that it was necessary to have at least 12 men to carry a rail safely, but that Bookres was ordered to take hold when a less number were on hand. Owing to the heavy load, it is said, Bookres tripped and fell and the rail fell on him, causing him to be lame ever since. James S. Gorman appears as one of the attorneys for the plaintiff in this case.

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Startling proof of a wonderful advance in medicine is given by druggist G. W. Roberts, of Elizabeth, W. Va. An old man there had long suffered with what good doctors pronounced incurable cancer. They believed his case hopeless till he used Electric Bitters and applied Bucklen's Arnica Salve, which treatment completely cured him. When Electric Bitters are used to expel bilious, kidney and microbe poisons at the same time this salve exerts its matchless healing power, blood diseases, skin eruptions, ulcers and sores vanish. Bitters 50c, Salve 25c, at Glazier & Stimson's.

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(Special Washington Letter.)

THE work of the national house of representatives is substantially complete; but there is a lot of talking done in the great hall during the few days preceding adjournment.

There is a great deal of difference between public talking and actual debating. The difference is well defined between genuine discussion of public measures and talking for talk's sake, in order to be prepared for a political campaign. The statesmen of all parties are guilty of campaign oratory in congress weeks and months before the beginning of work on the hustings. The real work of the house of representatives is done, each year, when revenue bills are passed and appropriation bills have been adopted. After that all speech making is done for the purpose of filling the Congressional Record with political material for distribution over the country during the congressional campaigns. Under the existing laws all speeches which appear in the Congressional Record can be sent through the mails free of charge, under the frank of a member of congress. The political managers have tens of thousands of speeches printed at the government printing office, where the rate is merely nominal. The speeches are put up in envelopes, singly or by the score, and the franked signature of some member of congress is stamped on each envelope by some employee at political headquarters. Then other employees address the envelopes to the people in each congressional district; and the United States mail carries tons of matter thus at great public expense. And this custom will continue as long as the people themselves send congressmen who thus impose upon the public treasury, by reason of public credulity.

The constitution devolves upon the house of representatives the duty of raising revenue for the support of the government, and also requires that all appropriation bills shall originate in that body. The senate may concur or amend all such bills, but when the original bills are sent from the house to the senate the real work of the house, the necessary work, is completed.

While it is constitutionally necessary for the house of representatives to remain in session until the senate shall have completed its branch of the work of national legislation, the members of the house take occasion to attend to their individual political affairs, hence the needless and almost endless amount of campaign oratory at this season of every campaign year.

In the senate the real work is done, not in open sessions but in the committee rooms. It is a time-honored custom of the senate to always accept the reports of its committees and act in accordance with those reports. This is practically what is meant by "senatorial courtesy," of which so much is written from time to time for the daily newspapers.

Presiding over the sessions of the senate at this time, when national legislation is nearing completion, is Senator William Pierce Frye, of Maine, who was elected president pro tempore by the senate, after Vice President Roosevelt acceded to the presidency. The position of president pro tempore is a permanent one, even when the vice president is living and actively engaged in the performance of his duties. Very few vice presidents have performed the functions of the office in later years. During the administration of President Hayes the vice president was seldom in Washington, and rarely presided over the senate, his work being done by the office of vice president is a thankless one, and the incumbent



SENATOR WILLIAM P. FRYE.
(President Pro Tempore of the United States Senate.)

constantly feels that he is a nobody, waiting for a contingency which may make him a somebody. The senators do not consult the vice president about any legislation whatever. They do not regard him as one of their number, and he is without influence, unless there happens a tie vote, in which case the vice president casts the deciding vote.

The vice president pro tempore, however, is in touch with all legislation, because he is a senator and is chosen to preside without losing any of his influence in committees and on the floor of the senate. Thus, while Senator Frye is the chosen presiding officer, he is still a senator from a sovereign state, and as such he commands respect in all legislative affairs. He is consulted on every measure of importance and his opinion is of great weight. So far as actual influence on legislation is concerned the pro tempore presiding officer is a great factor, while the vice president is not a factor, except superficially.

The vice president cannot make a speech nor express an opinion on the floor of the senate. The constitution only permits him to be the presiding officer. But the president pro tempore may leave his place at any moment, and as senator from a sovereign state he may take the floor and address the senate in his own way, in his own time, and impress his own individuality upon current history, because the presiding officer pro tempore is a somebody, while the vice president is a nobody. This is a strange anomaly in our government, and is without parallel in the governments of the world.

Very few vice presidents have been popular with the men occupying the white house, and few of them have been called there. Vice President Hendricks was on good terms with President Cleveland during the first term of that strong man, until his death. But during the second Cleveland administration Adlai Stevenson was not a frequent caller. Mr. Hendricks and Mr. Cleveland had an understanding before they were elected. Mr. Hendricks went to New York and informed Mr. Cleveland that it would be necessary for him to have the doing out of patronage for Indiana, in order to carry that state, and Mr. Cleveland assented to the political necessity of that course. He kept his pledge with Mr. Hendricks, therefore there was harmony between them.

Garrett A. Hobart was popular at the white house with President McKinley, and so was Vice President Roosevelt, because Mr. McKinley was a big man physically as well as intellectually, and he had no idea that any vice president expected to outlive him and get his high office. Besides, he loved his fellowmen and had a kindly feeling for both of the gentlemen who were on the ticket with him, and no small political conditions could change the benignity of the disposition of that wonderful man.

It has seldom occurred that vice presidents have died in office. The first was George Clinton, who died in Washington November 20, 1812. He had been vice president almost eight years, serving one term with Madison and one

with Jefferson. The funeral occurred the following day from the capitol. The eight pallbearers were all revolutionary soldiers. The next vice presidential death occurred two years later, and was also in the administration of Madison. Mr. Gerry had presided over the senate on the day preceding his death, and seemed to be in good health. While on his way to the capitol he became ill, returned in his carriage to his boarding house, and there died within an hour. He was buried beside Clinton in the Congressional cemetery. Washington was then a city of less than 10,000 inhabitants, and the bodies of the dead were promptly buried in those days, for they could not be kept.

Although Senator Frye has a right to address the senate at any time, it is not likely that he will speak on any of the remaining bills before that body. He spoke frequently and vigorously in favor of the shipping subsidy bill, but is not particularly interested in the Philippines or reciprocity bills. He was born September 2, 1831, and is almost 71 years old, but he looks a good deal younger. He is an eloquent orator. He is of 40. He is a good presiding officer. While in the chair he is dignified and just in his

SMITH D. FRYE.

SENATOR GEORGE F. HOAR.
(One of the Most Venerable Members of the Senate.)

Michigan State News.

Must Serve His Time.

Fatal Railway Wreck.

Michigan Farms.

Health in Michigan.

Father and Sons Drowned.

Crop Outlook.

Took Morphine.

Three Men Killed.

Storm Causes Havoc.

News Briefly Stated.

Appointed Regent.

Long Strike Ends.

Kills the Measure.

Disseminated Bodies of Seven American Soldiers Are Found in the Philippines.

Manila, June 17.—The bodies of the sergeant, two corporals and four privates of the Fifth cavalry, who were captured May 30 by ladrones at Binangonan, Rizal province, this island, have been recovered. Most of the bodies have been hewn limb from limb, and it was found impossible to recognize four of the dead men. A number of arrests in the matter have been made and nine men have been absolutely identified as belonging to the band of ladrones which captured the Americans. The identified men include two members of the police force of Teresa, Morong province. The American soldiers were buried Monday together. It was impossible to make separate interments.

THE CROP REPORT.

Weather Bureau's Weekly Summary of Conditions Prevailing Throughout the Country.

Washington, June 11.—The weather bureau's weekly summary of crop conditions is as follows:

Although the week averaged somewhat cooler than usual in portions of the lake region and northern New England, wheat, rye, and oats, the temperature conditions were generally favorable in the districts east of the Rocky mountains, and also in the middle and south Pacific coast regions. The states of the lower Missouri valley have again suffered from excessive rains, which have also interrupted farm work in the northern portions of Illinois and Indiana and the southern portions of Wisconsin and Michigan. Rain is now generally needed along the Gulf and Atlantic coasts from Texas to southern New England, and drought is becoming serious in the Carolinas and in the central and west Gulf districts.

With ample moisture and favorable temperatures corn has made good growth throughout the central valleys, but is much in need of cultivation in the states of the lower Missouri valley and Wisconsin. In the lower Ohio valley and Tennessee the crop is well cultivated and in promising condition, but in the central and west Gulf states is suffering much from drought.

The warm showery weather of the past week has been favorable to the development of rust in winter wheat in portions of Missouri and Indiana, and has caused lodging to some extent in Illinois and Missouri. With these exceptions a general improvement in the condition of the crop is indicated. Harvesting has begun as far north as North Carolina, Tennessee, and the southern portions of Missouri and Kansas, but is progressing under difficulties, resulting from heavy rains in the last named states. On the Pacific coast the wheat outlook continues promising, although grasshoppers are causing some damage in the Sacramento and San Joaquin valleys. Spring wheat has made rapid growth and is in promising condition throughout the spring wheat region, except on low lands, where it has suffered from excessive moisture.

In the states of Missouri and upper Mississippi valley and lake region oats have made good progress and are in promising condition, although too rank growth is reported from portions of Illinois, Iowa, Minnesota and Wisconsin. In the upper Ohio valley, middle and south Atlantic and east Gulf states the crop is inferior.

On the whole the fruit outlook continues unfavorable, the most promising reports being received from the lake region, the northern portion of the middle Atlantic states and New England. In the middle Atlantic and Ohio valley the grass crop has experienced a decided improvement.

TRADE REVIEW.

Leading Commercial Agencies Differ as to Effect of Labor Controversies on Business Situation.

New York, June 14.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s Weekly Review of Trade says: "The situation in business is apparent from labor controversies owing to the prosperous condition of the agricultural sections and the bright outlook for this year's crops. Retail distribution of light weight wearing apparel has felt the stimulus of higher temperatures. Railway earnings in May were 8.7 per cent. larger than last year and 21.7 per cent. above those of 1909. There continues to be a wide discrepancy between the amount of business offered and the contracts closed in many branches of the iron and steel industry, owing to inability of producers to assure delivery at a specified time. Contracts running well into next year indicate that the trend of activity is not near. Pressure is still most conspicuous for railway and structural supplies and agricultural implement works are crowded with orders. Grain markets have shown the effect of conflicting crop estimates and weather reports.

Failures for the week numbered 162 in the United States, against 178 last year, and 20 in Canada compared with 24 last year. Endorsing the view, 'Labor troubles cloud the immediate outlook, but good crop prospects fairly well assure a future trade. The effects of the anthracite coal strike are no longer idealized. It affects distributive trade in a wider area and higher prices for fuel reduce the profits of manufacturers generally throughout the east. Crop prospects are not, of course, perfect, but are little less than that. Confidence in rail trade seems to be growing. Export business, notably in manufactured goods, is certainly improving. The rail trade outlook is apparently of the best. The order forms of iron and steel are apparently in undiminished demand. Finished products, though nothing quieting in influences of the season, are in quite active request. Building activity is unimpaired, except where labor troubles interfere. Some lines of trade heretofore depressed, notably boots and shoes and woolen goods, are displaying a better tendency.

Kills the Measure.

Washington, June 11.—The house on Tuesday defeated the bill to transfer certain forest reserves to the agricultural department and to authorize the president to establish game and fish preserves. Its death was accomplished by striking out the enacting clause. The motion was made by Mr. Cannon, and was carried by 100 to 70. He claimed that the bill would greatly increase the cost of administering forest reserves, and declared that the estimated receipts of the next fiscal year already were exceeded by the appropriations up to the present time by over \$31,000,000.

Long Strike Ends.

Chicago, June 12.—The strike of the machinists at the various plants of the Allis-Chalmers company has at last been settled. The men, about 500, walked out on May 30, 1901, for the recognition of the union, eight-hour day, an increase of 12½ cents an hour and a half Saturday holiday. The company granted the men an eight-hour day, an increase of 11 cents an hour, a half Saturday holiday and agreed to recognize the union. The men decided to accept.

Appointed Regent.

Lansing, Mich., June 14.—Gov. Bliss has appointed Hon. Levi L. Barbour, of Detroit, regent of the University of Michigan, to succeed Col. Ell R. Sutton, resigned.

SLEW HER CHILDREN.

The Terrible Deed of a Crazy Mother.

She Kills Five of Her Little Ones with a Rifle, Sets Fire to Her Home and Cremates Her Baby.

Jackson, Miss., June 17.—Mad from the effects of the heat, Mrs. Louis Westrop, wife of a well-to-do farmer, shot five of her children to death with a Winchester rifle, then tied her infant girl to a bed in the farmhouse and set fire to the building with a torch. The baby was cremated and the mother fled from the scene. She was finally located Monday afternoon in a country graveyard, where she had spent the night. When she saw the searching party she placed the same rifle with which she had the day before wrought the destruction of her own flesh and blood to her heart and pulled the trigger, the bullet passing one inch below the heart, seriously but not necessarily fatally wounding her.

Mrs. Westrop pleaded illness when her husband prepared to go to church Sunday afternoon and remained at home with her six children. After the husband had disappeared down the road she managed to send the farmhands away on one excuse or another, and then she turned to her task of blood. She sent the children back of the barn to play. Recalling the eldest boy, she sent him to the house for a rifle. He brought it to her, and she told him to walk over to the fence and turn his back to her. Then she sent a bullet through his brain. The body was dragged out of view, and another of the little ones was summoned to his death. In this way, calmly and with the greatest deliberation, she slew five of her offspring.

Only her baby remained. The bodies of her five victims were dragged to the cotton storehouse and piled one on another in a corner near the door. The rifle was dropped where the last execution was performed, and the woman, now mad with the frenzy of killing, turned back to the farmhouse. She went to where her infant daughter was sleeping and tied the child securely to a bed post. Setting fire to the house, she dashed into the woods. The burning house drew the attention of neighboring farmers to the Westrop home, and the woman's deed was discovered at sundown. Immediately the men organized into little squads to search for the fugitive, and finally found her, as stated, in the cemetery.

RACE WAR IN ILLINOIS.

Mob Creates a Reign of Terror for Colored Citizens of Town of Eldorado.

Carbondale, Ill., June 17.—The race war which has been in progress at Eldorado, Ill., since May 29, when a mob attacked the colored normal and industrial institute, a school modeled after the celebrated Tuskegee, Ala., school, still continues. The homes of colored citizens have been stoned, warnings sent to the occupants to leave the vicinity and shots fired into their homes late at night. Many, through fear, have left. Those who have sacrificed their homes, and in some instances their crops, are: Charles Nunn, W. J. Gibbons, Mrs. Mary Oliver, a widow; William Gibbons and Mrs. Nancy Allen. There remain only five families, and two of them will leave at once. Sunday night a mob visited Rev. Peter Green, pastor of the African Methodist church, and stoned his house. Some of the white residents profess to fear that colored labor will be used in the mines which are being opened in that vicinity. Jefferson D. Alston, president of the normal, has been chosen at the head of the school for life, according to the incorporation on file at Springfield, and against him an intense feeling exists. The board of trustees, of whom Dr. Mitchell, a white physician of Harrisburg, is president, will consider both the removal of the school and the choosing of a new president at the coming meeting, June 27. Gov. Yates has been appealed to for protection.

MET A HORRIBLE FATE.

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Sharon.

Miss Grace Dorr, of Chelsea, visited her parents Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Boyden visited his parents in Saline last week.

Mrs. Chas. Koebbe and son, of Freedom, visited at Theo. Koebbe's Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Buss, of Manchester, visited at Wm. Dorr's Monday.

Roland Hall, who has been attending the U. of M., is working for Hueselschwerdt Bros.

The Misses Helen Hueselschwerdt, Anna Kuhl and Carry Fairchild spent Saturday in Jackson.

Fred Bohnet, who has been in California and Kansas the past few months, has returned home.

Miss Sheffield closed a successful term of school in the Everett district last Friday, and returned to her home in Ann Arbor.

The W. H. M. S. was invited to meet with Mrs. Mabel Cooke Ordway in Jackson June 11. About 30 ladies and a few gentlemen accepted the invitation, and reported a pleasant time.

Mrs. Louise Phelps, of Emporia, Kansas, arrived Monday to spend the summer with her sister Mrs. Mary Everett. She was accompanied by her daughter, Miss Carrie B. Phelps, who will make a short visit.

A large willow tree which has stood on the marsh road for years was blown down last Thursday. As Rix Dorr usually finds the road clear in the evening he was not looking out for a large limb which projected sufficiently to sweep off his buggy top. The young man has recovered from the shock but will keep his eyes open next time.

The storm last Thursday did considerable damage in this vicinity. Windmills belonging to J. E. Irwin, H. D. Hewes and A. Holden were blown down, the cupola was blown off K. Cooper's barn, Godfrey Beutler's barn was moved three inches to the east and three inches to the south on the wall, large trees were uprooted, and several windows were broken by the hail.

Happy Time in Old Town.

"We felt very happy," writes R. N. Bevil, Old Town, Va., "when Bucklen's Arnica Salve which cured our daughter of a bad case of scald head." It delights all who use it for cuts, corns, burns, bruises, boils, ulcers, eruptions. Infallible for piles. Only 25c at Glazier & Stimson's drug store.

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Lima.

Manny Stricker is very sick with the mumps.

Rev. Mr. Coon is holding revival meetings at the church this week.

Ice cream social at the church tomorrow (Friday) afternoon and evening.

Mrs. Ora Wheelock has gone to Durand to visit her sister Mrs. Wm. Whitaker.

Mr. and Mrs. W. McLaren and children spent Saturday and Sunday in Plymouth.

Mrs. C. Stedman, of Ann Arbor, spent Sunday and Monday with Mrs. Fanny Ward.

The Misses Grace Guerlin and Jessie Swain, of Ypsilanti, are guests of Miss Estella Guerlin.

Mrs. J. Staebler, of Chelsea, has been spending a few days with her daughter Mrs. Fred Wenk.

Mrs. W. H. Guerlin, of Ypsilanti, has been spending a week with Mrs. O. B. Guerlin and family.

The whole town was shocked Saturday to learn of the terrible death by suicide of Mrs. Geo. W. Parker, an account of which appears in another part of the Herald. She was a highly educated lady and was loved and respected by all who knew her. She leaves a husband and one child.

A severe electric storm passed over here Saturday at 5 p. m. Lightning struck the large elm tree in the corner of Mrs. O. B. Guerlin's yard. Three bolts of lightning entered the power house and did considerable damage to the machinery. Geo. Whittington received a light shock while using the telephone.

High School Commencement.

The commencement exercises of the class of 1903 Chelsea high school will take place at the opera house tomorrow (Friday) evening at 8 o'clock. We again give the program for the benefit of those who have not already seen it.

Plano Solo.....Selected

Mr. Minor E. White.

Invocation.....Rev. Carl S. Jones

Vocal Solo—Clang of the Forge.....Rodney

Mr. Harlan P. Briggs.

Address—A Pledge to Posterity.....

.....Hon. T. E. Barkworth

Vocal Solo—The Languid Man.....

Mr. Briggs.

Presentation of Diplomas.....W. W. Gifford

Vocal Solo—Pretty Creature.....

Mr. Briggs.

Benediction.....Rev. W. P. Constable

PASSING OF THE BELL.

No Longer Used to Record the Joys and Sorrows of Humanity.

The solemn and impressive custom of announcing death by the tolling of the church bell will soon be but a vague and distant memory. "The passing bell" has itself passed away, and its slow measured accents no longer tell the story of the departure of one more soul. The brief notice in the daily paper, while it conveys explicit information, fails to give something that the bell's tolling carried with it. The solemn rhythmic tones awakened a momentary vibration in the breast of each listener and bade each pause for sympathy and meditation. The bell admonished the sinner to repent and warned the thoughtless that time was flying while it spoke clearly and comprehensively and bade all scattered and preoccupied inhabitants attend its story.

The bell's voice is identified with all the deepest and most sacred human emotions. It has bespoken the joys and sorrows of all mankind for centuries. Is its voice to die away and have no part in the life of the future? The wedding bells ring out no more save in some song or story. The Christmas chiming are seldom waited to our ears. The church bells ring but faintly now and under constant protest. "The curfew tolls the knell of parting day" only in verse. A sunset gun today gives greater satisfaction. The angelic sounds merely in pictorial form, the fire bells give place to still alarms, the dinner bell is silenced in polite society, and sleigh bells are discarded.

What is the future of the bell—that happy silver tongue that has sung out the joys of all the world, that solemn tone that has mourned for the nation's dead and voiced the nation's woes and summoned to their knees the nation's worshippers?—Atlantic Monthly.

Me on a Screen.

One of the happiest uses served by that wonderful and many named invention, the moving picture machine, appears in a story told in the London Music Hall.

A party of gentlemen were watching the pictures when in one of the South African scenes they recognized an officer friend. The wife of the officer, on being told of this, wrote to the manager and asked that this picture might be put on on a certain evening when she would purposely journey from Glasgow.

She had not seen her husband for over a year, but at last observed him in a group on the screen of a cinematograph.

ITEMS OF LOCAL INTEREST.

The grading for the Wolf Lake spur of the Jackson & Suburban Traction Co.'s line from Grass Lake has been completed, the ties and rails are being laid, and the division is expected to be open for traffic very shortly.

The wind of Thursday night demolished the power house for the Boland line, which was in process of construction at Grass Lake. The roof, which had just been finished, was blown off and the brick walls were blown to the ground.

The Jackson & Suburban Traction Co. is having all its big cars equipped with steel flange wheels. A number of flanges of the cast iron wheels at present in use have been broken and it is desired to prevent a recurrence of the mishaps.

The 25th annual reunion of the alumni of the Manchester high school will take place tomorrow, June 30. The banquet will be held at the Freeman house in the evening. Mrs. L. T. Freeman, of this place, and Mrs. Earl F. Chase, of Manchester, will furnish the vocal music.

Housewives and dry goods and clothing merchants should be particularly careful about places where moths are liable to get in their work. The moth millers are this season more plentiful than ever known before and the effects of their numerous visits will certainly be forthcoming.

Edward Brown died at his home at North Lake Monday aged 66 years. He had been ailing for some years, his last illness being of about two months' duration. The funeral services were held at the North Lake M. E. church yesterday morning and were conducted by Rev. A. T. Camburn. He leaves a wife and eight children.

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Have you looked over your necessary Tools, such as you may need for Haying and Harvesting?

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ITEMS OF LOCAL INTEREST.

Born, Monday evening, to Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Laird, of Sylvan, a daughter.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lammers, of Franciscus, Friday, a 12-pound son.

Interesting Children's Day exercises were held at the Lyndon Baptist church Sunday evening.

The engagement of Miss Marie A. Brettenbach, of Chelsea, and Dr. J. L. Trinka, of Chicago, is announced.

R. D. Walker, commander of Chelsea Tent, K. O. T. M., was elected master at arms of the great camp at its meeting last week.

B. Steinbach says it pays to advertise. Last Saturday he sold two mowers and a reaper. The sales came to him through his advertisement in the Herald.

Fred B. Schussler read the item in last week's Herald about large hen's eggs and comes to the front with three eggs which weigh in the aggregate 11 ounces.

Levi L. Barbour, of Detroit has been appointed one of the board of regents of the University of Michigan by Gov. Bliss to succeed Eli R. Sutton resigned.

The seventh annual banquet of the Alumni Association of the Chelsea High School will be held at the Methodist church parlors on Monday evening next, June 28.

Fred Wedemeyer is going to remodel the old Wedemeyer homestead in Lima. He will raise the old house and put it on a new stone foundation and build a 14x24 upright in front of it.

Geo. H. Foster & Co. have this week sold three gasoline engines for use in pumping, churning, and other farmhouse work; also three windmills. Foster says the Aeromotor never fails.

About 9 p. m. Saturday the fast freight, No. 59, on the Michigan Central was wrecked at Inkster. A number of cars were piled up and both tracks were completely blocked. No one was injured.

The state convention of Christian Endeavor will be held at Ludington July 22-25. Rev. C. S. Jones will speak on the subject "The Lookout Committee" in a school of methods presided over by Rev. E. B. Allen, of Toledo, O.

The Ann Arbor city council has passed an ordinance forbidding saloons in the district bounded on the west, north and east by Division, Detroit and Fuller streets. This knocks out the celebrated "Doc" Rose's saloon, which is the only one in the district.

During Rev. W. P. Considine's absence in Europe the fathers of Assumption college, Sandwich, will take charge of the services at St. Mary's church on Sundays and holy days. In case of sick calls or funerals during the week Rev. M. J. Comerford, of Pinckney, will attend to them.

The union service of the Protestant churches in Chelsea will be held at the Congregational church next Sunday evening. Rev. J. E. Lewis, of Ann Arbor, will preach the sermon which will be in the interest of the anti-saloon league. His subject will be "Saloons or homes; which?" It will be illustrated with stereopticon views.

A meeting of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the Jackson Association of Congregational churches was held at Ypsilanti Friday. It was attended by Mrs. Thos. Holmes, Mrs. C. S. Jones, Mrs. C. H. Kempf, Mrs. A. A. VanTyne, Mrs. Thos. Wilkinson, and Miss Katherine Haarer.

Rev. Chas. O'Reilly, D. D., of Adrian, delivered the baccalaureate sermon to the Ypsilanti high school senior class Sunday evening. Dr. Reilly is a member of the class of '84 of that school. The Ann Arbor Times says of it: "It was a masterly piece of oratory and should be read by all friends of education."

The storm of Saturday disabled the power houses of the Hawks-Angus line at Michigan Center and Franciscus. After 5 o'clock Saturday, there were no more cars until Sunday morning. There was no extra car run Sunday between Jackson and Grass Lake, but the other cars were running on time, most of the day. Sunday afternoon the storm got in its work at Detroit, and the Hawks-Angus cars have not been running into Detroit since.

The managers of the Washtenaw Fair Society are putting forth extra efforts this year to make the annual fair to be held at Ann Arbor Sept. 9, 10, 11 and 12 the best that has been held in many a year. Besides the usual features the fair will have a Midway, German village, and a chicken show that will bring fancy poultry from all parts of the state and Ohio. The board of management ask that every business man in the county who advertises have the last line in his advertisement from now on until September read "Washtenaw Fair at Ann Arbor, Sept. 9, 10, 11, 12." Cannot our Chelsea business men who advertise help along the county fair to this extent?

Consumption caused 246 deaths in Michigan during May.

The Maccabees of Washtenaw county will have a grand celebration at Saline, Friday, July 31.

The graduating exercises of the Grammarians of 1909 are being held at the high school this afternoon.

The people of St. Joseph's parish, Dexter, are making preparations to erect a handsome new rectory for their pastor.

Wm. N. Lister, ex-county school commissioner, has accepted the position of superintendent of the Dundee union schools.

Dexter Masons have improved their hall by papering it with handsome blue paper, refashioning the furniture and putting in electric lights.

There was one lone graduate in the Stockbridge high school this year. It was Miss Lucille McJune. The "class" had her graduating exercises yesterday.

The laws of the Maccabees have been so amended as to permit the issuing of certificates for \$500 and \$1,500 in addition to the regular policies of the order.

Rev. H. P. Hughes has resigned the pastorate of the Dexter Congregational church and accepted a call to the Congregational church at East Lake, Marquette.

The little daughter of John F. Maier, superintendent of the electric lighting plant, fell Friday afternoon and striking on her right shoulder broke her collar bone.

All the great hive officers of the L. O. T. M. M. were re-elected with the exception of the lieutenant-commander. Mrs. Lena Becker Maxwell's efforts availed herself and her companions nothing.

The marriage of Miss Cora Alberin Fletcher to Mr. Edward Burton Kellogg will take place at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Verona A. Fletcher, in Sharon, next Wednesday evening, June 25.

The annual commencement in connection with the State Normal College will commence with the baccalaureate address Sunday evening, June 23, and conclude with the commencement exercises Thursday, June 26.

St. Mary's parish will give an ice cream social at the opera house next Wednesday evening, June 25. This will be the only social given before Rev. W. P. Considine takes his trip to Europe. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

Dr. Carl Greiner, of Sparta, was married Monday to Miss Johanna Neumann, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. John Neumann, of Ann Arbor. Dr. Greiner practiced medicine in Chelsea some years ago, just after his graduation.

The well known initials K. O. T. M. and L. O. T. M. have had an addition made to them. At the great camp and great hive meetings at Marquette last week, the names of the orders were changed respectively to Knights of the Modern Maccabees and Ladies of the Modern Maccabees.

A. R. Welch was out Tuesday evening trying the new gasoline automobile that has been in course of construction at the Chelsea Mfg. Co.'s works for some time past. The machine acquitted itself splendidly. With one-third of the power that the engine will ultimately develop the automobile climbed all the hills it encountered during the run and the steep bridge leading up to the wheat elevator with ease. It showed up a speed of 35 miles an hour with four people in the carriage, and also gotter went far beyond the most sanguine expectations of its builders. Success to its future.

The Associated Charities of Jackson will give under their auspices at the Athenaeum in that city tonight and tomorrow night and Saturday afternoon the sparkling comic opera of "Erminie," otherwise known as "The Two Vagabonds." The best of Jackson's musical talent are taking part in the opera, which is under the management of Mr. Warren D. Lombard, who will sing the part of Robert Macaire. Mr. Lombard's previous successes in the production of this pretty opera, one of which was in Ann Arbor some years ago, guarantee a first-class entertainment. Tickets, 50 cents each, can be procured in Chelsea from A. W. Wilkinson and Dr. H. H. Avery, and choice seats can be reserved through these gentlemen without extra charge. It is a good thing, take it in.

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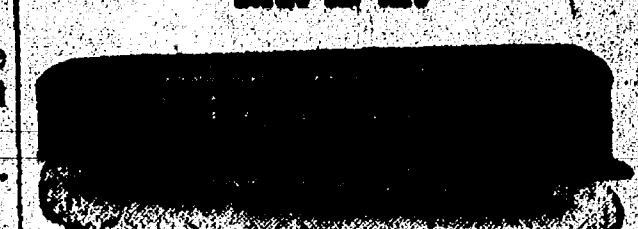
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On and after this date cars will leave Jackson going east at 5:45 a. m. and every hour thereafter until 10:45 p. m.
Leave Grass Lake 6:15 a. m. and every hour thereafter until 11:15 p. m.
Leave Chelsea 6:30 a. m. and every hour thereafter until 11:30 p. m.
Cars will leave Ann Arbor going west at 6:15 a. m. and every hour thereafter until 11:15 p. m.
Leave Chelsea 6:30 a. m. and every hour thereafter until 11:30 p. m.
Leave Grass Lake 7:15 a. m. and every hour thereafter until 12:15 midnight.
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7:15	1:30
8:30	2:45
9:45	4:00
11:00	5:30
.....	7:00
.....	8:15
.....	9:40
.....	10:45

SUNDAY—First car leaves Jackson at 7:15 a. m., and Grass Lake at 7:55 a. m.
All cars run on standard time.

MICHIGAN CENTRAL

"The Niagara Falls Route."

Time table taking effect Nov. 3, 1901,
90th MERIDIAN TIME.

Passenger trains on the Michigan Central Railroad will leave Chelsea station as follows:

GOING EAST.
No. 9—Detroit Night Express... 5:22 A. M.
No. 86—Atlantic Express... 7:15 A. M.
No. 12—Grand Rapids Express... 10:40 A. M.
No. 6—Mail and Express... 8:15 P. M.

GOING WEST.
No. 8—Mail and Express... 9:15 A. M.
No. 12—Grand Rapids Express... 6:17 P. M.
No. 7—Chicago Night Express... 10:30 P. M.
No. 37 will stop at Chelsea for passengers getting on at Detroit or east of Detroit.

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URGES CONGRESS TO KEEP FAITH.

President Roosevelt Sends a Special Message to That Body Regarding Reciprocity with Cuba—Asks That Special Concessions Be Granted.

Washington, June 14.—The president Friday sent the following message to congress:

"To the Senate and House of Representatives: I deem it important before the adjournment of the present session of congress to call attention to the following questions in the message which in the discharge of the duty imposed upon me by the constitution I sent to congress on the first Tuesday of December last:

"Elsewhere I have discussed the question of reciprocity. In the case of Cuba, however, there are weighty reasons of policy and of national interest why the policy should be held to have a peculiar application, and I most earnestly ask your attention to the wisdom, indeed to the vital need, of providing for substantial reduction in the tariff duties on Cuban imports into the United States. Cuba has in her constitution affirmed what we desired, that she should stand, in international matters, in closer and more friendly relations with us than with any other power; and we are bound by every consideration of honor and expediency to pass commercial measures in the interest of her material well-being."

Voiced McKelvey's Sentiments.

"This recommendation was merely giving practical effect to President McKelvey's words when, in his messages of December 5, 1898, and December 8, 1898, he wrote:

"It is important that our relations with this people (of Cuba) shall be of the most friendly character and our commercial relations close and reciprocal. We have accepted a trust, the fulfillment of which calls for the sternest integrity of purpose and the exercise of the highest wisdom. The new Cuba yet to arise from the ashes of the past must needs be bound to us by ties of singular intimacy and strength. If its enduring welfare is to be assured, the greatest blessing which can come to Cuba is the restoration of her agricultural and industrial prosperity."

Appeal from Palma.

"Yesterday, June 12, I received, by cable, from the American minister in Cuba, a most earnest appeal from President Palma for legislative relief before it is too late and (his) country financially ruined."

"The granting of reciprocity with Cuba is a proposition which stands entirely alone. The reasons for it are outweighed by those for granting reciprocity with any other nation, and are entirely consistent with preserving intact the protective system under which this country has thrived so marvelously. The present tariff law was designed to promote the adoption of such a reciprocity treaty, and expressly provided for a reduction not to exceed 50 per cent upon goods coming from a particular country, leaving the tariff rates on the same articles unchanged as regards all other countries. Objection has been made to the granting of the reduction on the ground that the substantial benefit would not go to the agricultural producer of sugar, but would inure to the American sugar refiners. In my judgment provision can, and should be made which will guarantee us against this possibility; without having recourse to a measure of doubtful policy, such as a bounty in the form of a rebate."

The Real Issue.

"The question as to which if any of the different schedules of the tariff ought most properly to be revised does not enter into this matter in any way or shape. We are concerned with getting a friendly reciprocal arrangement with Cuba. This arrangement applies to all the articles that Cuba grows or produces. It is not in our power to determine what these articles shall be; and any discussion of the tariff as it affects special schedules, or countries other than Cuba, is wholly aside from the subject matter to which I call your attention."

Groundless Apprehensions.

"Some of our citizens oppose the lowering of the tariff on Cuban products, just as three years ago they opposed the admission of the Hawaiian islands, just free trade with them might ruin certain of our interests here. In the actual event their fears proved baseless. As regards Hawaii, and their apprehensions as to the damage to any industry of our own because of the proposed measure of reciprocity with Cuba seem to me equally baseless. In my judgment no American industry will be hurt, and many American industries will be benefited, by the proposed action. It is to our advantage as a nation that the growing Cuban mar-

ket should be controlled by American producers."

An Equitable Arrangement.

"The events following the war with Spain, and the prospective building of the isthmian canal, render it certain that we must take in the future a far greater interest than hitherto in what happens throughout the West Indies, Central America and the adjacent coasts and waters. We expect Cuba to treat us on an exceptional footing politically, and we should put her in the same exceptional position economically. The proposed action is in line with the course we have pursued as regards all the islands with which we have been brought into relations of varying intimacy by the Spanish war. Porto Rico and Hawaii have been included within our tariff lines, to their great benefit as well as ours, and without any of the feared detriment to our own industries. The Philippines, which stand in a different relation, have been granted substantial tariff concessions."

Asks for Special Concessions.

"Cuba is an independent republic, but a republic which has assumed certain special obligations as regards her international position in compliance with our request. I ask for her certain special economic concessions in return for these economic concessions to benefit us as well as her. There are few brighter pages in American history than the page which tells of our dealings with Cuba during the past four years. On her behalf we waged a war of which the main-spring was generous indignation against oppression and we have kept faith absolutely. It is earnestly to be hoped that we will complete in the same spirit the record so well begun, and show in our dealings with Cuba that steady continuity of policy which it is essential for our nation to establish in foreign affairs if we desire to play well our part as a world-power."

The Strong Should Help the Weak.

"We are a wealthy and powerful nation; Cuba is a young republic, still weak, who owes to us her birth, whose whole future, whose very life must depend on our attitude towards her. I ask that we help her as she struggles upwards along the painful and difficult road of self-governing independence. I ask this aid for her, because she is weak because she needs it, because we have already aided her. I ask that open-handed help, of a kind which a self-respecting people can accept, be given to Cuba, for the very reason that we have given her such help in the past. Our soldiers fought to give her freedom, and for three years our representatives, civil and military, have toiled incessantly, facing disease of a peculiarly sinister and fatal type with patient and uncompromising fortitude, to teach her how to use aright her new freedom. Never in history has any alien country been thus administered, with such high integrity of purpose, such wise judgment, and such a single-minded devotion to the country's interests. Now I ask that the Cubans be given all possible chance to use to the best advantage the freedom of which Americans have such right to be proud, and for which so many American lives have been sacrificed."

"THEODORE ROOSEVELT."

White House, June 13, 1903.

Effect of the Message.

Washington, June 14.—The president's reciprocity message gave senators a live topic of conversation, but so far as is yet apparent there is no change in the situation. There was a disposition on the part of the leaders on both sides of the controversy to claim when speaking publicly some advantage from the message. The straight reciprocity men urged that the effect would be to cause at least some of the beet sugar republicans to abandon their opposition. They contended that many of them had misunderstood the attitude of the president, and now that this had been made clear there could be no longer excuse for opposing straight reciprocity measures. The message, they argued, would clear the atmosphere, render the president's attitude unmistakable, and therefore bring opponents within the party face to face with the fact, that in continuing their opposition they are antagonizing the official head of the party.

DIPLOMAS GIVEN CADETS.

President Shakes Hands with Each New Officer as He Receives His Sheepskin.

West Point, N. Y., June 13.—The centennial celebration of the West Point military academy was ended Thursday with the presentation of diplomas to the graduating class. The weather was fine and the ceremony took place out-of-doors on that part of the parade grounds known as "Cavalry Plain." An open tent over a platform had been erected for the speakers and officials, and standing at the front of the platform President Roosevelt presented each new officer with his diploma.

It was expected the president would make a few remarks, but he simply shook hands with each cadet.

The speakers were Congressman Dick, for the board of visitors; Secretary Root, for the government, and Gen. Miles, for the army.

Find Watery Graves.

Kittanning, Pa., June 13.—Two men lost their lives and a third was probably fatally injured at Rosston Thursday afternoon in one of the saddest drowning accidents known in this vicinity. The dead are: Andrew Hilleman, aged 55 years, married; Kirk Bailey, aged 19 years, single. The injured, Dwight Bailey, aged 43 years, married.

LIMIT IS FIXED.

Boers Must Surrender by July 10 in Order to Receive Benefit of Peace Terms.

Cape Town, June 12.—An extraordinary issue of the Official Gazette fixes July 10 as the limit in which the Boers or rebels who surrender will receive the benefit of the peace terms. All rebels surrendering before that date will be merely disfranchised for life and will not be subject to trial or punishment. Exception is made in the case of field cornets and justices of the peace, who may be tried and fined or imprisoned, but they will not be executed. Rebels who hold out after July 10 will be subject to the extreme penalty for high treason.

Irrigation Bill Passed.

Washington, June 14.—The house passed the irrigation bill by a vote of 146 to 55. Many amendments were offered, but only one, except those offered by the committee, was adopted. It was of a minor character. The bill already has passed the senate.

Died of His Injuries.

Des Moines, Ia., June 13.—Judge N. M. Hubbard, of Cedar Rapids, chief counsel for the Northwestern railway in Iowa, a leading politician, died Thursday as a result of injuries sustained in a runaway a few days ago.

THE HON. MRS. MICHAEL H. HERBERT.



Mrs. Herbert, the accomplished wife of the new British ambassador to the United States, was Miss Lella Wilson, daughter of Mr. R. T. Wilson, of New York, and sister of Mrs. Ogden Golet and Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt. She will be the second American woman to rank as the wife of an ambassador at Washington. The former was Mme. Patenotre, who before her marriage was Miss Silverson. The selection of Mr. Herbert to his present position is believed to dispose of the objection to the appointing of a diplomat to a country wherein he has married.

A CHESS-PLAYING TOWN.

One of the Requirements of Every Inhabitant of a Village in Hungary.

There is in Hungary a village probably unique among the world's towns, in that it not only encourages chess as a pastime, but insists that the king of games shall be played by every man, woman and child in the place.

It is just as necessary in this out-of-the-world spot for the inhabitants to be proficient chess players as it is for them to be able to read, write and cipher. Prizes are given to the school children for proficiency in chess. Problems are given to the scholars that they are expected to take home and work out in their spare hours in addition to their other tasks.

Hungary has long been famous for her chess players. Indeed, the village has, as can be well understood, turned out more than one player, who has been considered fit to rank with such giants as Lasker, Steinitz or Tchigorin.

ANIMALS OF THE DESERT.

The Addax Antelope and Loder's Gazelle Frequent the Lands of Sahara and Sand.

In the northern Sahara two animals are found which seem specially adapted for life in this forbidden land. They are the addax antelope and Loder's gazelle, says the London Spectator. The addax is an ugly, awkward-looking animal, with spiral horns, which enable it to go at a great pace over the sand. Pliny knew of its existence, and was naturally interested in it, for as South Africa was as yet unvisited, this was one of the few species of antelope known to the ancients. It was not rediscovered until Ruppell found it near Dongola. As it is rather a large antelope, it requires a considerable amount of food, and the difficulty which suggested itself was to discover where it found its food. It is now nearly certain that the addax follows the rains which fall at certain seasons, and

PILOT HOUSE MANSION.



When, a few years ago, the good-looking Richard Holyoke, well-known to Puget Sound dwellers, was overhauled at Port Townsend, her pilot house was lifted off bodily and left on the beach. It quickly caught the notice of Charlie Walters, an old fisherman. With the aid of a few cronies he hauled it up beyond high water mark, installed a second-hand stove, and, with fragments of driftwood, fitted up a dwelling that is far from uncomfortable. In the picture, which is taken from the New York Herald, old Charlie is shown, leaning on the bow of an abandoned small boat, another gift from the beach.

Every Christmas a great tournament is held in the village, and the burgo-master gives prizes for the best juvenile and adult players.

The Risk of Ballooning.

Considering the risks aeronauts necessarily take every time they make an ascent the science or sport or trade (for it partakes of all three) is extraordinarily free from fatal accidents, says the London Chronicle. Mr. Charles Green, who made over 600 trips, died at the age of 84 in 1870. Twenty years later M. Eugene Godard, who had made quite 2,000 ascents, died in his bed. On the other hand, among British balloonists, Capt. Dais was killed before he had completed 200, and Capt. Whelan also, in 1892, met his death in his three hundred and fiftieth ascent. Mr. Percival Spencer, our most noted living English aeronaut, has probably beaten all these records, and has in addition made parachute descents on all the continents and in most of the seas surrounding them.

probably travels vast distances in the wake of the season's storms. The immense area of desert in northern Africa makes this possible, though without special knowledge of the meteorology of that part of the continent it would be unsafe to assert that there is always rain going on in some part of the desert fringe. How the addax supports itself in these absolutely dry intervals is not known. Gazelles are mainly desert animals, but Loder's gazelle seems to have rather more than the family leaning toward the land of thirt and sand.

Why He Went Away.

Mrs. Crawford—Are you going to clean house while your husband is away?

Mrs. Crapshaw—Certainly. That's why he went away. Your Poplar.

Sweden's Health.

Sweden's last census records the lowest death rate yet attained by a civilized nation. During the last ten years it only averaged 16.49 per 1,000.

DEADLY CYCLONE.

Six Persons Killed in Michigan Property Losses Will Amount to More Than \$200,000.

St. Joseph, Mich., June 16.—A terrible rainstorm swept over the central part of Michigan Friday night. It developed into a cyclone in the northeastern portion of the state, where it reaped a harvest of six victims.

Mrs. Tapping, living near Enley, Charles Gardner, a farmer near Keweenaw, and Earnest Gardner, of Stockbridge, were killed by lightning while seeking shelter in a farm barn.

Edward Merritt, in Bay county, was killed in his barn, which was lifted from its foundations and wrecked.

On the G. H. Gardner farm, east of Stockbridge, the house was struck by lightning and a nine-year-old son killed, while Mrs. Gardner was fatally injured.

In the village of Sitka a frame store building was wrecked, instantly killing James Leads, a village blacksmith.

In Saginaw county the loss caused by the storm will reach thousands of dollars. The Wallace Bros.' circus, which exhibited at Sturgis, Mich., was damaged to the extent of \$5,000. The tent was blown to the ground and poles were cracked like matches. The roar of the wild animals created a panic among the large audience. Scores of women fainted, were trampled down in a mad rush and some badly hurt.

The loss of property in the storm-stricken section of the state will reach \$200,000.

DEWEY TO COMMAND.

Will Take Charge of Caribbean Maneuvers at the Urgent Request of the President.

Washington, June 16.—At the urgent request of President Roosevelt and Secretary Moody, Admiral Dewey will command the fleet composed of the North and South Atlantic and European squadrons which will engage in extensive naval maneuvers in the Caribbean next winter. President Roosevelt and Secretary Moody are both anxious to attend the maneuvers. It is not yet decided whether or not the president will go, but Secretary Moody probably will. Both the president and Secretary will attend the maneuvers on Long Island Sound in August.

Ever since it was decided to conduct maneuvers in the Caribbean during the coming winter President Roosevelt and Secretary Moody have been of the opinion that it would be most fitting for the admiral of the navy to command the great operations. Secretary Moody took occasion to emphatically refer to the energy of the interest which Admiral Dewey demonstrated in the work of the navy. He declared that the papers and recommendations which had come to him from Admiral Dewey had been prepared with as much enthusiasm as might have been expected were Dewey a naval lieutenant.

BOAT IS UPSET.

Disaster on the Lake Near Port Huron Results in the Loss of Three Lives.

Port Huron, Mich., June 16.—During a gale Sunday afternoon, Arthur Martin, aged 21, Beatrice Abraham, aged 14, and Norma Abraham, aged seven, were drowned in Lake Huron by the overturning of a rowboat off Madison Beach. The accident was witnessed by a number of people, but the storm was so fierce that no help could reach the young people. In the same storm a boat containing Jennie and Marion Patton and Elwyn Skimming, of this city, and Ernest Parr, of St. Johns, Mich., was overturned. The quartette clung to the fish nets set out in the lake and were rescued. Several yachts had narrow escapes.

Exchange Treaties.

Washington, June 16.—Secretary Hay and Baron Boncheur, the Belgian minister, Saturday exchanged the final ratifications of the new Belgian extradition treaty. This is one of the latest conventions which the department is drawing on modern lines with nearly all the countries with which we already have extradition treaties of rather ancient date. The new treaties include offenses which were not recognized as subjects for extradition when old treaties were drawn. Thus in the case of the new Belgian treaty, the crimes of larceny, kidnapping, and obtaining money under false pretenses are added to the crimes already enumerated in the old treaties.

Heavy Rain at Louisville.

Louisville, Ky., June 16.—Louisville was visited by the heaviest storm of the season Sunday afternoon. For a few moments the wind blew at the velocity of 30 miles an hour, while the rain, accompanied by hail, fell in torrents, 1.13 of an inch having been recorded. Of this amount, .25 of an inch fell in five minutes, breaking the record for this city. Many of the streets were flooded and a number of cellars were almost filled with water, while shade trees in some parts of the city were ruined and other minor damage was done.

WOMAN'S SPHERE

THE WOMAN WHO FLEW.

How a Boston Lady Won This Title, by Which She Is Known Among Her Friends.

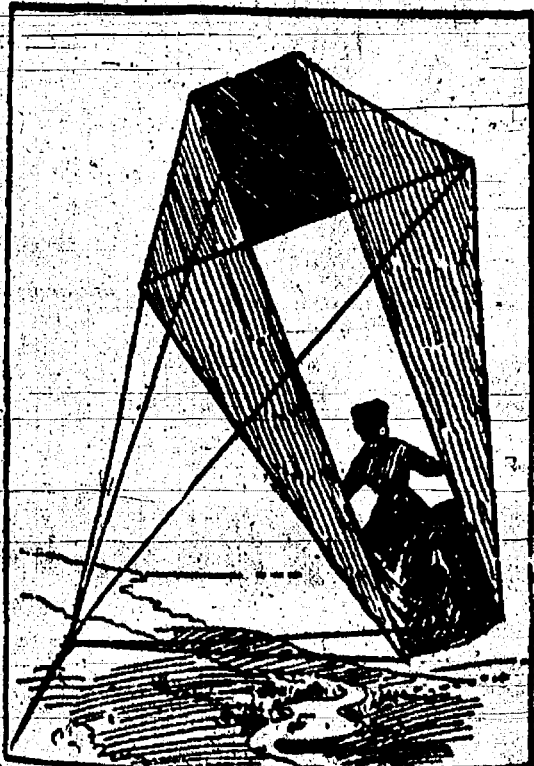
To mount into the air upon one of the bars forming the frame of a huge kite is a feat which would seem too perilous to be undertaken, and yet it has recently been done by a woman, Mrs. Almira Rice, of Boston, has the unique distinction of being the first to use a kite as an aerial vehicle. What is more, this daring woman enjoyed the experience so keenly that she declares her intention of making this her chief pastime in the future. The kite upon which she made her venturesome flight was built for her by her husband, Mr. Dan Rice, Jr.

"I never had such a delightful sensation," declared she, "as I experienced when my kite was given its freedom and I rose gently into the air. The ascent was made gradually and evenly as a bird wings its flight. There was no jerking, no terrible, breath-taking rush, but just a delightful glide into space, away from the noise of the city into the mystery of the ether."

"People said I was foolhardy when they first learned of my intention to take the trip, and they declared that my experience would satisfy me, for I ever reached the earth alive. I would be content to live in the lower regions with the rest of mortals. Before the kite was set free I thought possibly public opinion for once was correct, for I am naturally a little fearful of the unknown and untried, but once well on my way upward I knew that my life on earth would, in the future, be miserable unless I could occasionally take my kite and fly away from the dull level of the city."

Mrs. Rice says that when Santos-Dumont crosses the ocean in his airship she will meet him above the clouds in her strange vehicle. She has already been up 200 feet above the business districts of Boston, and in the depth of winter, without experiencing any discomfort, so that she feels confident that she can go upward to a height of 4,000 feet in summer time without any danger.

Mrs. Rice's monster kite has wooden struts running from the top to the bottom, 14 feet in length; the little bar at the bottom on which she stands measures five feet in length. The two big



MRS. RICE IN THE KITE.

white wings for the sides of the kite are 14 feet long. The line is three-eighths-inch bell rope, made of Italian flax, and will withstand a strain of 1,000 pounds.

Dressed as a boy, so as to attract as little attention as possible, Mrs. Rice made her first ascent from the top of a building in Boston. She has made balloon ascensions, walked a tight wire far above the ground, and swung trapezes, but the kite sensation was not at all like these, she says.

"As I walk up the wire the earth seems to fall away from me and a feeling of weakness comes over me. When you go up in a balloon it is quite the same feeling of the earth falling away from you, but as I went up with the kite the sensation was different altogether. There was no shock, no nervous tremor, but just a peculiarly delightful sensation of flying. As I rose above the mist and fog of the city, flying along through the sky, I felt that I could float on forever in happy forgetfulness of all below."

"All As Fair in Love," Etc.
Puck:—My boy, if you wouldn't lead a dog's life, let your wife have her own way in everything.
Newed:—Indeed? But she promises to love, honor, and obey me?
Puck:—Of course, she did—but you're landed now!—Puck.

FIRST LADY OF CUBA.

Senora Palma Is Devoted to Her Husband and Family and Has No Fads or Fancies.

A writer in the Woman's Home Companion gives the following interesting facts about the wife and children of Gen. Palma, the first president of Cuba:

The family of Gen. Palma is an interesting one. He has six children—four boys and two girls. Senora Estrada has borne up remarkably under the strain that the wife of a fighting patriot is always under. She has no fads or fancies. Her world is the four-story frame house in Central Valley that has sheltered the family for eighteen years and seen the birth of five of her children. Whether or



MRS. TOMAS ESTRADA PALMA.

not there is some sentimentality attached to this latter fact, the truth is that Senora Estrada would rather remain in this unpretentious home than occupy the palatial palace in Havana and shine as the first lady of Cuba. She possesses to a great degree those Latin-race characteristics—devotion to husband and love of offspring. The great social responsibilities that will devolve upon her in the position she is to occupy she fears may interfere with her share of bringing up her children as good men and women. The latter are good-looking, sturdy children. Jose, the oldest, is 19 years old. He was born in Honduras, and came here when a year old. He is a law student at Columbia university. When at home Jose acts as secretary for his father. Tomas, Jr., is 17, and attends school at Newburg, as does his sister Candelaria, who is 14. The three youngest are Carlos and Luz—twins of seven years—and Rafael, six, whom the father refers to as his baby.

Gen. Palma became acquainted with Senorita Guardiola, whose father had been president of the republic of Honduras 20 years ago. She was his prettiest daughter, courted and feted, and with the proverbial thousand suitors at her feet. Senorita Guardiola was a sympathetic listener to the tales of hardships under the Spanish rule, which the brave general related. Even to-day, in talking of those tranquil days of his wooing following the years of conflict, he quotes, "She loved me for the dangers I had passed, and I loved her that she did pity them."

Tact Superior to Talent.
Talent is something, but tact is everything. Talent is serious, sober, grave and respectable; tact is all that, and more, too. It is not another sense, but the life of the five senses. It is the open eye, the quick ear, the judging taste, the keen smell and the lively touch. It is the interpreter of all riddles—the surmounter of all difficulties. It is useful in solitude, for it shows a man his way into the world. Talent is power; tact is skill; talent is weight; tact is momentum. Talent knows what to do; tact knows how to do it. Talent makes a man respectable; tact makes him respected. Talent is wealth; tact is ready money. For all the practical purposes of life, tact carries against talent ten to one.—N. Y. Weekly.

Lace in House Ornament.
Heavy lace has become a decided feature in house adornment the past few months and the smartest of table cloths and bed linen is now decorated with very heavy lace and insertions. One fashionable style was embroidered in a conventional design in colored silk, and was fastened around the edge with a border of this heavy lace, with a row of lace insertion set above.

MORE TROUBLE FOR WALLER.

Threatened with Court-Martial for Criticizing Superiors in San Francisco Interview.

Washington, June 17.—Maj. L. W. T. Waller, who was court-martialed for executing the orders of Brig. Gen. Jacob Smith in the island of Samar, has been called to account by Secretary of the Navy Moody for the interview he gave on Friday last upon his arrival at San Francisco. Unless Maj. Waller explicitly denies the interview, he is in danger of being severely reprimanded, or even court-martialed. When Secretary Moody's attention was called to the interview, he sharply condemned it. The president also objected to the interview, the more so because in his reprimand to Lieut. Gen. Miles some months ago he gave both services to understand that he did not propose to permit officers to make statements criticizing their superiors in either service.

In the interview credited to Maj. Waller, that officer specifically reflected upon the authorities in Washington, and made statements which were highly objectionable, not only so much on account of the words themselves as because of the insinuations they conveyed.

Maj. Waller was quoted as saying that the revolution in the Philippines could not be quelled unless the severest measures were taken; that he never questioned Gen. Smith's orders except in one instance, which he declined to state; that Samar—"Well, hades is a winter resort compared to Samar." He was further quoted as saying: "I left Samar a howling wilderness. They tried to make it that for us, but we made it a howling wilderness for them. I objected to being court-martialed. It wasn't done at my pleasure. I was not consulted in the matter; I was simply court-martialed."

Then followed the following statement, to which the president and Secretary Moody took particular exception: "I know who caused that court-martial; I know who brought it forward; I know who was at the back of it all, and Washington knows as much."

Monday afternoon Secretary Moody telegraphed to Maj. Waller and asked him to report at once whether he had made the statements attributed to him; and it is further said that Maj. Waller telegraphed in reply a broad denial. But Maj. Waller is on his way from San Francisco to New York, and upon his arrival at the latter point he will be expected to communicate to the department an official letter stating explicitly if all or any part of the interview is correct.

A JEALOUS SOLDIER.

He Kills a Woman with Whom He Was Infatuated and Himself at Columbus, O.

Columbus, O., June 17.—Harry W. Bragg, a private in company F, Twentieth United States infantry, Monday night shot and killed Mrs. Lizzie Tibbitts, and then shot and killed himself. The tragedy was enacted on the grounds at the Columbus barracks and jealousy was the motive. Bragg, whose home is in Pelican, Wis., served in the Philippines in the Thirty-fourth United States volunteers. Mrs. Tibbitts came here from Chicago as cook for Maj. Angur, of the Twentieth regiment. Her husband was an enlisted man, but was dishonorably discharged several weeks ago. Bragg became infatuated with the woman. Monday night, just preceding the tragedy, Bragg quarreled with her because she had gone out with another man.

CREW IS KILLED.

Freight Train Runs Into a Washout in Vermont and Five Men Lose Their Lives.

Barre, Vt., June 17.—In addition to property damage caused by a cloudburst over this section five railroad men lost their lives by a freight train on the Central Vermont railroad running into a washout at Middlesex. The dead include the conductor, engineer and fireman, and two brakemen.

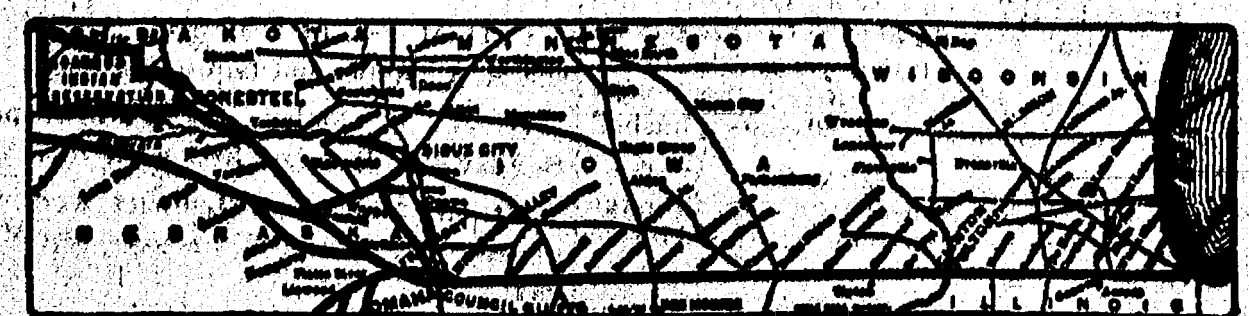
The cloudburst caused a great deal of other damage. The railroad bridges at Bolton were destroyed, and a sawmill, together with the house adjoining, were demolished in the town of Middlesex. One hundred thousand feet of logs were carried away.

IS NOT A CANDIDATE.

Senator Hanna Says He Is Not Seeking Presidential Nomination in 1904.

Florence, Ala., June 17.—Senator M. A. Hanna, of Ohio, in reply to a suggestion from Col. Cutter Smith, of this city, that he become a candidate for president in 1904, has written Col. Smith as follows: "I appreciate sincerely the compliment paid me in your suggestion. I am grateful for such confidence, but must insist that I am not to be considered in any sense a candidate for the nomination for president in 1904."

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The land in question lies between the Missouri and Niobrara rivers and is well watered and fertile. Farm lands near the Reservation are selling at from \$20 to \$35 an acre, grazing lands at from \$6 to \$15.

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When a woman says unpleasant things to a man she always ends by confessing that what she told him was for his own good.—Chicago Daily News.

Henry A. Salzer, the well-known La Crosse, Wis., seedsmen, has given the last thousand dollars to wipe out the debt on the La Crosse Y. M. C. A. Mr. Salzer, though an extremely busy man, finds time to encourage and assist educational and philanthropic enterprises frequently.

It is impossible that a man who is false to his friends should be true to his country.—Bishop Berkeley.

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ROUGH ON MARK TWAIN.

An Englishman's Appreciation of One of Chauncey Depew's Little Jokes.

Once upon a time Senator Depew and Mark Twain were fellow passengers on a trip across the ocean. One night a dinner was given and Twain was called upon for a speech. He made a number of characteristically humorous remarks, and then sat down amid applause. Mr. Depew was next called upon, relates the Washington Post. "Mr. Clemens and I exchanged speeches before dinner," he said, "and he has delivered mine. His is so bad that I won't disgrace him by repeating it." Then Mr. Depew sat down, while everybody laughed. The next morning, while Mr. Clemens was pacing the deck, an Englishman came up to him. "Mr. Clemens," he said, "I always thought that Mr. Depew was a smart man, but that speech of his which you delivered last night was certainly the worst I ever heard."

An Unfavorable Symptom. "You have what I call a quinine cough," said the doctor, proceeding to mix a dose of medicine for his caller. "And a quinine cough, I suppose," wheezed the patient, "is a sort of Peruvian bark."—Youth's Companion.

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PERSONALS.

R. D. Walker returned home from Marquette Sunday afternoon.

Miss Florence Cooper, of Francisco, is visiting the family of Paul Chase.

C. D. Mapes, of Plainfield, visited his son S. A. Mapes and family Monday.

Dr. W. A. Conlan, of Detroit, spent Sunday and Monday here with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Limpert were the guests of relatives at Francisco last Sunday.

The Misses Margaret and Nellie Nearey, of Jackson, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. P. Prendergast, of Lyndon.

V. D. Sprague and son Don, of Cheboygan, have been visiting Rev. and Mrs. C. S. Jones the past two or three days.

Miss Lydia Kilmer, of Sylvan, returned home Saturday from Colorado, where she has been staying for the past 18 months.

Henry Robinson, of Milton, Ontario, who had been visiting his son Dr. J. W. Robinson last week returned home Monday.

Rev. Mr. Fenner, pastor of the Baptist church at Cadillac, accompanied by his wife, are visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Jay Everett.

Joseph Eisele has returned home from St. Joseph's college, Columbus, O. He was accompanied by his friend Joseph Prange, of Oregon.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Foster and family and Mr. and Mrs. Germaine Foster, of Grass Lake, and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Foster, of Owosso, spent Sunday with Mrs. M. Foster.

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Special round trip tickets are sold every Sunday to all points west of Detroit river to which journey in both directions can be made on regular trains before midnight on day of sale stamped on back of ticket. Fare 1 1/2 cents each way, no rate less than 25 cents.

Sunday, June 22, excursion to Ann Arbor and Detroit. Train leaves Chelsea at 8:10 a. m., returning train will leave Detroit at 7:30 p. m., Ann Arbor at 8:30 p. m., same day. Fare for the round trip to Ann Arbor 25 cents, Detroit 70 cents. Children 5 years and under 12 years of age, one-half adult excursion rate. Tickets good on above train and date only.

Sunday excursion to Grand Rapids, Kalamazoo, Battle Creek and Jackson, June 23, 1902. Train leaves Chelsea at 9:08 a. m., returning leaves Grand Rapids at 6:30 p. m., Kalamazoo at 7:30 p. m., Battle Creek at 8:05 p. m., and Jackson at 9:15 p. m. same day. Fare for round trip to Grand Rapids \$1.50, Kalamazoo \$1.50, Battle Creek \$1.00, Jackson 50 cents. Children 5 years and under 12 years of age, one-half adult excursion fare. Tickets good on above train and date only.

Obituary.

Mrs. Sarah M. Sweet, of Charlotte, Mich., sister of Mrs. Thomas Jensen, of this place, passed away to her eternal rest June 12, 1902, aged 60 years and 8 months. Her husband, Andrew Sweet, four children, and one sister, Mrs. Jensen, are left to mourn her loss. All of these, with other relatives were at her bedside when she yielded up her spirit, with a sweet smile on her face, to the God who gave it. The funeral services were held at the house of Rev. Richardson, of the Baptist church, Charlotte, officiating. Burial was at Bellevue, Mich.

Markets.

Chelsea, June 18, 1902.

Eggs, per dozen	14c
Butter, per pound	15c
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COUNTY CLEANINGS.

The Saline Arbitrator Verela will have a picnic at their park July 4.

The post office at Grass Lake will be an international money order office after July 1.

J. R. Lemm, of Grass Lake, has a turkey hen that has laid 53 eggs this season. Fifteen to 20 eggs in all the average turkey biddy lays.

The plant of the Ann Arbor Agricultural Co. has been rented from the receiver by Wendell Moore and James Hoesack, two former employees of the company.

John Gutkunst of State Center, Iowa, has purchased 284 acres of grazing land of Frederick Warner, in Dexter township. It is his intention to stock it with young cattle and feed them for market.

Walter Kook, the 15 year old son of John Kook, of Lodi township, while driving cows during the storm Sunday afternoon, was struck by lightning and instantly killed. Two of the cows which he was driving met with a like fate. A strange coincidence connected with the fatality is the fact that two years ago his older brother met with his death by being struck by a bolt of lightning, which hit him on the head.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WASHTENAW. In Chancery. 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 2nd day of June, in the year one thousand nine hundred and two. The undersigned, Judge of Probate, do hereby certify that the following is a true and correct copy of the petition of the State of Michigan, County of Washtenaw, for the appointment of a receiver of the estate of Frank Fornor, deceased, as set forth in the petition, duly verified, of Louis Fornor, praying that administration of the said estate may be granted to himself or some other suitable person and appraisers and commissioners be appointed. It is ordered that the 14th day of July part, 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 Herald, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Washtenaw. WILLIS L. WATKINS, Judge of Probate. (A true copy.) JAMES E. MCKINNON, Register.

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