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CHELSEA SAVINGS BANK,

CHELSEA, MICHIGAN.

The Oldest and Strongest Bank in Western Washtenaw County.

STATEMENT OF CONDITION NOV. 25, 1902

Capital, \$60,000.00

Surplus and Profits, \$22,974.19

Guarantee Fund, \$140,000.00

Deposits, \$333,762.74

Total Resources, \$416,792.93

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Pays Interest on Time Deposits.

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Makes collections at reasonable rates in any banking town in the country.

Gives prompt attention to all business entrusted to us.

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Safety Deposit vaults of the best modern construction. Absolutely Fire and Burglar Proof.

Boxes to rent from \$1.00 to \$5.00 per year.

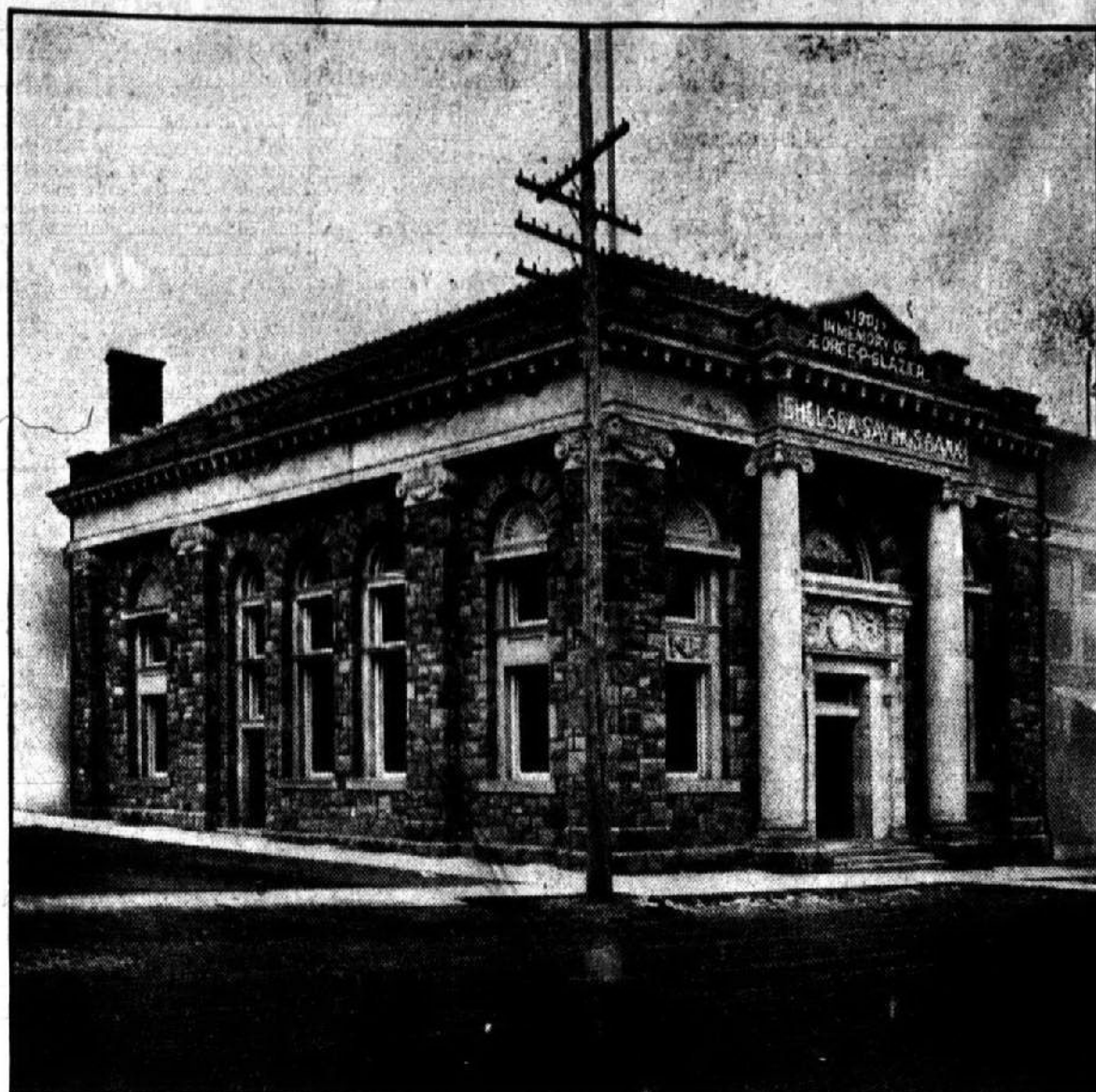
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GEORGE P. GLAZIER MEMORIAL BUILDING

THE GEORGE P. GLAZIER MEMORIAL

The New Home of the Chelsea Savings Bank is Now Complete.

The new home of the Chelsea Savings Bank, the memorial to George P. Glazier now stands complete. As a mere matter of news the solidity and plainly apparent beauty of the building has been so much in evidence that the Standard has not felt it incumbent to follow the various stages of building with minuteness. Neither at the time of the formal opening did the time seem exactly right to give an elaborate and detailed description; but now that the building is complete it is necessary that we record so momentous a local event if we would give a complete transcript of our history, for the erection of such a building does mark an important advance in the life of any community. It is perhaps well to note in passing how the record of a people as shown by their buildings has been epitomized before us. It does not require the memory of the oldest inhabitant to carry us back to the time when as a mere makeshift, a something that would "do" as we express it, the home of the Chelsea Savings Bank was first made in the rear of what is now Stimson's drug store and which is thereby known formally to this day as the "Bank Store."

But as time went on the broadening of business forced another move. As a matter of facilitating business more commodious quarters were of a necessity assumed. In taking up the new quarters something was attempted in the way of decoration—not much to be sure but the germ of better things was there. Fixtures of the proper dignity were used and some other little marks of impressiveness, but still the dominating idea was that of business utility.

But again, with a rapidly simply marvelous, another change has been forced by the demands of the times. Again more facilities are required, but this time with the idea of greater usefulness has come coordinately the demand for permanency and beauty. All these stages have been passed within the memory of those who count not themselves old. The evolution so rapid with us, in other countries and with other people has often been the work of centuries. Their sense of such a need and the means wherewith to meet it developed slowly. But with us these needs have been early felt and readily met; and that we as a people are ready to appreciate a matter of congratulation. The new bank building certainly is an expression of the greatest desire for utility and artistic beauty combined. A correct and consistent idea as to these ends finely conceived and worked out with the closest fidelity in the manipulation of masonry, polished marble and expensive woods.

The buildings of a country, granting of course their limitations, are as truly an index of its ideals as its literary monuments and in the respect that they reveal faithfully the art of the craftsman they are superior. Assuming this to be so with us we may therefore rest well content that this new building is the product of American ideals and craftsmen. We need never be ashamed to let it stand as an embodiment of our civilization in the year of grace A. D. nineteen hundred and two.

And here, while we are saying something in a general way as to the sentiment of building, we wish especially to emphasize the fact that the new structure is a memorial. It has been said that nations from the memory of their past take hope for the future, and why may not, therefore, the traditions of an institution be set before it as an incentive to future usefulness. In this instance George P. Glazier, in a lifetime devoted exclusively to banking, founded the present splendid prosperity of the Chelsea Savings Bank, and in its activities his ideas were centered and given expression to the very last. In connection with it he was planning, when the end came, for a new bank building, or else the complete remodeling of the old; what then could be more fitting, more beneficial or more appropriate than a memorial to perpetuate and further the aims to which his life was devoted. And so with this

end in view the splendid new building has been erected and comes as a testimonial of appreciation from the son, Frank P. Glazier, to his departed father. And so this sentiment will forever stand embodied in the beautiful and well nigh imperishable structure.

Perhaps it is a superfluity to many to here set down a formal description of a building so well known but as the careful historian we feel it incumbent.

For the benefit of such of our readers as have not beheld the building we will state that it is situated fronting on Main street at the corner of South street and rises sheer from the sidewalk, bringing it within close access from the street. The style of architecture is that known as the French Renaissance.

To one beholding for the first time, the massiveness of the walls is at once strikingly apparent, and truly a very salient feature; but, while heavy in the extreme, the general effect is not so forbidding as one might suppose; for the gracefulness of the relieving features impress themselves immediately upon the sight. The main walls are of native "hard-head" field stone, the color therefore being a peculiar gray, broken here and there by a mottling of delicate pink, the whole beautifully blended into a harmonious color effect.

Breaking the sameness of the walls at frequent intervals along the side and at the corner are the buttressing pilasters while the front is graced by two lofty Bedford stone pillars weighing 10½ tons each. It is in the facade beyond a doubt that the most striking exterior effect is wrought. From the walk rise the low steps. These on either side are flanked by huge squares of masonry which serve as the podium or pedestal from which rise the two splendid white pillars, just referred to, up to a height of 24 feet exclusive of pedestal and capital. Between these pillars is the entrance. Two ponderous mahogany doors swing upon a wide casement of the same Bedford stone before mentioned. Above, the same material is used in the lintel, which is a broad expanse of beautifully carved stone. Still above, the arch of the entrance is continued affording a semi-circular opening for a transom of richly stained glass.

Referring again to the pillars and pilasters it will be noted that they are surmounted by beautifully carved capitals executed after the Ionic design. These capitals in turn support the entablature of architrave, frieze and cornice. These follow classical lines and are of the light stone used everywhere on the exterior in the way of ornamentation. Still above the entablature is a low battlement of field stone used in the walls. This at the front of the building supports the broad tablet on which is inscribed the date of erection and the words "In memory of George P. Glazier." Inside the battlement slopes back the roof of terra cotta tile.

Before passing from a view of the exterior it were well to note the general effect of the lofty and well proportioned windows. The casements are of white cut stone and well recessed in the heavy walls. At the top they arch with a beautiful curve and at about two-thirds their height are crossed by a finely chiseled band of stone that divides well the upper and lower casements. The high and expansive breadth of glass catches such a wealth of sunlight that the very last trace of gloominess that might arise because of the heavy walls is thoroughly dispelled and the whole exterior blends into a stately building of a very solid and quiet dignity that will baffle its purpose.

But it is when the interior is viewed that the full significance of the new structure is most thoroughly realized. The architect's idea here, as for the exterior, is from the French Renaissance period of building. Entering through the main entrance the beholder finds himself in a vestibule, plain but suggestive, with its marble wainscoting and luminous electrolite, of the beauties to come. The vestibule in turn opens through two easily swinging doors of glass and mahogany into the main office and there one finds himself confronted and surrounded by the "glories of the lofty main court"—for here we are tempted into the use of superlative language. One's eyes follow instinctively along up the 24 feet of the polished marble shafts that rise from four different stations to the ceiling, and

then the attention converges at the dome that arches so gracefully directly above, run round with electric bulbs, glowing through casings of cut crystal, suggesting a glance into the empyrean.

In this dome, though difficult of adequate description, is a feature that appeals strongly to the imagination as the gaze is centered upon it. By night the electric glow floods it with radiance while by day the sunlight sifts softly through the stained glass in the apex and mellows to a soft gray the shadows lurking behind the ornamental modellings of plaster. The effect is one of the leading features of the interior.

Back to the floor again the eyes travel and everywhere they are met by the serene whiteness of unadorned walls. Up again at the sides of the room the slight travels, noting the polished marble pilasters extending from the marble wainscoting to the ceiling as do the pillars, before referred to, from their pedestals which are of the same height as the wainscoting. Simultaneously with the realization of the features just referred to the sight is caught and held by the broad galleries extending back at both front and rear of the room, bordered and guarded by the beautiful marble balustrade that sweeps across from side wall to side wall and with the central pillars forming an airy barrier behind which tastefully set palms add their beautifully contrasting greens. It is truly wonderful how the broad sweeps of these galleries with their attendant light and airiness have added to the general effect. As we contemplate it we are borne in fancy back to those days when as children we viewed in mute wonderment the picturing of some palace of state or some Oriental mosque and believed it scarcely within the power of realization. Or again as if our favorite fairy story had come true. It is the effect wrought by these galleries and by the dome that places this building high among notable examples of architecture.

The first glance about completed, the beholder next realizes that the door through which he entered is flanked on either side by two others. The doorways are marked by massive mahogany casements which contrast wonderfully well with the surrounding whiteness. The flanking doors lead respectively to the president's room and to the auditor's room. These rooms as to their high wainscoting and other wood work are done in golden oak. Each has a generously proportioned coat room in which is also marble basins affording running water both hot and cold.

Coming back again to the main room one halts for a moment to view the life-like water color bust portrait of the founder of the institution. It is so truly a likeness that those who knew George P. Glazier in life are at once held and the mind here finds a bridge as it were from the new to the old, over which the imaginations of the old customers of the bank will delight to travel. The likeness wears that genial smile which always appealed so forcibly and made Mr. Glazier so accessible to those who wished his counsel in business affairs. The portrait was executed by C. M. Hayes & Co. of Detroit.

Again lowering the eyes and stepping forward one finds himself crossing the marble flagging and directly in front of the business counter which as a flattened semicircle extends nearly across the room, except that at the ends it curves back to meet the wall which partitions the vault and the rear offices. The counter is of polished marble surmounted by a marvelously rich slab of mottled red onyx above which in turn rises the splendid grill work of mahogany and oxidized copper. Behind is ample room for the movement of cashier, teller and clerks.

And here we also find what is always chief among a bank's utilities, namely, the vault. And this vault of a bank deserves more than passing attention. That it is steel lined and is burglar and fire proof goes without saying. It is said by those who are competent judges to be one of the strongest in the state of Michigan. The outside burglar-proof door is a wonder in itself, weighing over six thousand pounds. It is hung on cranes, swinging on ball bearings running in hardened steel raceways. It is built of alternate layers of Chrome and Bessemer steel and is forced to its place

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That commend our store to your good favor.

QUALITY is the first consideration. We buy and sell in such quantities that they never grow stale on our shelves. Therefore, you always get at our store the strength and quality you ought to have.

CARE. The utmost care is used at all times, not only in systemizing our inside work, but in so waiting on our customers as to please them and help them to obtain exactly what they want. Therefore at our store you will always receive the courtesy and attention which you are entitled to.

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Yours for the Holidays.

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WATCHES FROM \$2.50 UPWARDS.

Gift and Mantle Clocks, Rings, Charms, Spectacles and many other articles too numerous to mention. Also remember that we make a specialty of Watches; therefore, we are enabled to sell you a watch at most any price. Give us a call before purchasing.

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I have in stock a large selection of

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Solid Gold Plain and Chased Band Rings

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A very fine line of Chains, Charms, Locketts, Brooches, all kinds of Society Emblems, Badges and Charms, Gold and Gold Filled Spectacles, Pins and Fancy Clocks. Every article will be sold at money saving prices.

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Repairing of all kinds neatly and promptly done.

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PURE FOOD STORE

PUBLIC NOTICE.

I will be at the Chelsea Savings Bank on Saturdays, December 13, 20, 27, January 3, and at the Town House, Lyndon, Fridays during December and the first Friday in January for the purpose of receiving the township taxes.

ESGAR ROWE, Treasurer.

I'll brave the storms of Chillicothe Pass, I'll cross the plains of frozen glass, I'll leave my wife and cross the sea, Rather than be without Rocky Mountain Tea. Glazier & Stimson.

If you feel ill and need a pill Why not purchase the best? DeWitt's Early Rise Are little surprises, Take one—they do the rest. W. H. Howell, Houston, Tex., writes "I have used Little Early Rise Pills in my family for constipation, sick headache, etc. To their use I am indebted for the health of my family. Glazier & Stimson."

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SAVED AT GRAVE'S BRINK.

"I know I would long ago have been in my grave," writes Mrs. S. B. Newsum of Decatur, Ala. "If it had not been for Electric Bitters. For three years I suffered untold agony from the worst forms of indigestion, waterbrash, stomach and bowel dyspepsia. But this excellent medicine did me a world of good. Since using it I can eat heartily and have gained 85 pounds." For indigestion, loss of appetite, stomach, liver and kidney troubles Electric Bitters are a positive, guaranteed cure. Only 50c at Glazier & Stimson's drug store.

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If you want to buy a nice present for your wife, your sister or a friend, buy a Globe Cabinet. It's the most useful article ever placed in a kitchen.

LOOK AT BABY DOLL IN BAZAAR WINDOW GIVEN AWAY JAN. 1ST

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To make room for holiday goods we are offering special inducements on

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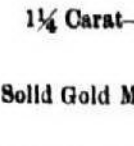








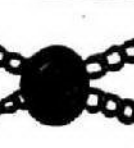

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SALE BEGINS 9 O'CLOCK MONDAY MORNING, DECEMBER 8

And will Continue until Christmas.

SENSATIONAL PRICES.

<p>Genuine Diamond Ring \$4.90—Worth \$7.50 SOLID GOLD</p>  <p>SOLITAIRE Perfect and Sparkling. Very beautiful.</p>	<p>Genuine Diamond Ring \$4.75—Worth \$8.00 SOLID GOLD</p>  <p>2 Genuine Diamonds. 1 Fine Australian Opal. Very beautiful.</p>	<p>Genuine Diamonds. SOLID GOLD 85 Cents.</p>  <p>For Babies and Misses.</p>	<p>SOLID GOLD 50 Cents—Worth \$1.00.</p>  <p>Rings for Babies and Little Girls, set with Turquoise, Rubies and Pearls.</p>	<p>SOLID GOLD 50 Cents—Worth \$1.00.</p>  <p>BAND RINGS Plain and beautifully carved. All sizes for children.</p>
<p>SOLID GOLD \$1.25—Worth \$2.50</p>  <p>EGYPTIAN LUCKY STONE The colors change in the twinkling of an eye.</p>	<p>SOLID GOLD \$2.75—Worth \$4.00.</p>  <p>4 Fine Turquoise or 4 Fine Ruby Doublets, with 9 half Pearls.</p>	<p>SOLID GOLD \$6.50—Worth \$12.00.</p>  <p>11 Very Fine Australian Opals with 10 fine half Pearls.</p>	<p>SOLID GOLD \$1.50—Worth \$2.75.</p>  <p>GLOVE RING Garnet Carbuncle, set in Gypsy Mounting.</p>	<p>SOLID GOLD \$5.50—Worth \$8.00.</p>  <p>Elegantly Engraved; Heavy Belcher Mounting. Either Ruby or Emerald.</p>
<p>SOLID GOLD \$1.75—Worth \$3.00.</p>  <p>Four Rubies or Emeralds and two Genuine Opals, and other combinations.</p>	<p>SOLID GOLD \$3.75—Worth \$5.50</p>  <p>Set with 2 fine Genuine Opals and 1 Emerald or Ruby Doublet, or 1 Large Opal and 2 Doublets.</p>	<p>GENUINE DIAMOND DOUBLET 1 1/4 Carat—\$6.00. Solid Gold Mounting.</p>  <p>Ladies' Tiffany Style. Equal in appearance to the Finest Diamonds.</p>	<p>Genuine Diamond Doublet. 1 Carat—\$4.50. Solid Gold Mounting.</p>  <p>Exact reproduction of a \$100 Diamond Ring.</p>	<p>SOILD GOLD \$6.00—Worth \$10.00.</p>  <p>PRINCESS RING Exact copy of \$100 Diamond Ring, Turquoise and Brilliants</p>
<p>SOLID GOLD CRESCENT BROOCH \$4.00.—Regular Price \$6.50. Set with 3 Beautiful Genuine Whole Pearls. The Wreath is ornamented with Green Gold leaves.</p> 	<p>SOLID GOLD \$4.25—Worth \$7.50</p>  <p>Sunburst set with 12 fine Pearls, Ruby in Center. Roman and Bright cut.</p>	<p>SOLID GOLD \$1.90—Worth \$3.00</p>  <p>Solid Gold Link Buttons. Several elegant styles. Roman or Polished Gold.</p>	<p>\$2.25—Worth \$4.00</p>  <p>14k. Gold Filled. Warranted 30 yrs. Set with 7 very fine Brilliants.</p>	<p>75c—Worth \$1.50</p>  <p>14k. Gold Filled. Warranted 30 years. Owl and Crescent Design. Finished in Roman and bright gold.</p>
<p>LADIES' LORGNETTE WATCH CHAINS 14k. Gold Filled and Rolled Gold. \$1.00, worth \$2.00. Every Chain Warranted. Over 50 styles, from \$1.50 to \$10.00.</p> 	<p>14k. Cold Filled Locket. \$1.25, worth \$2.00.</p> 	<p>GENLEMEN'S WATCH CHAINS 14k. Rolled Gold. \$1, worth \$2. Other styles up to \$7.50.</p> 		

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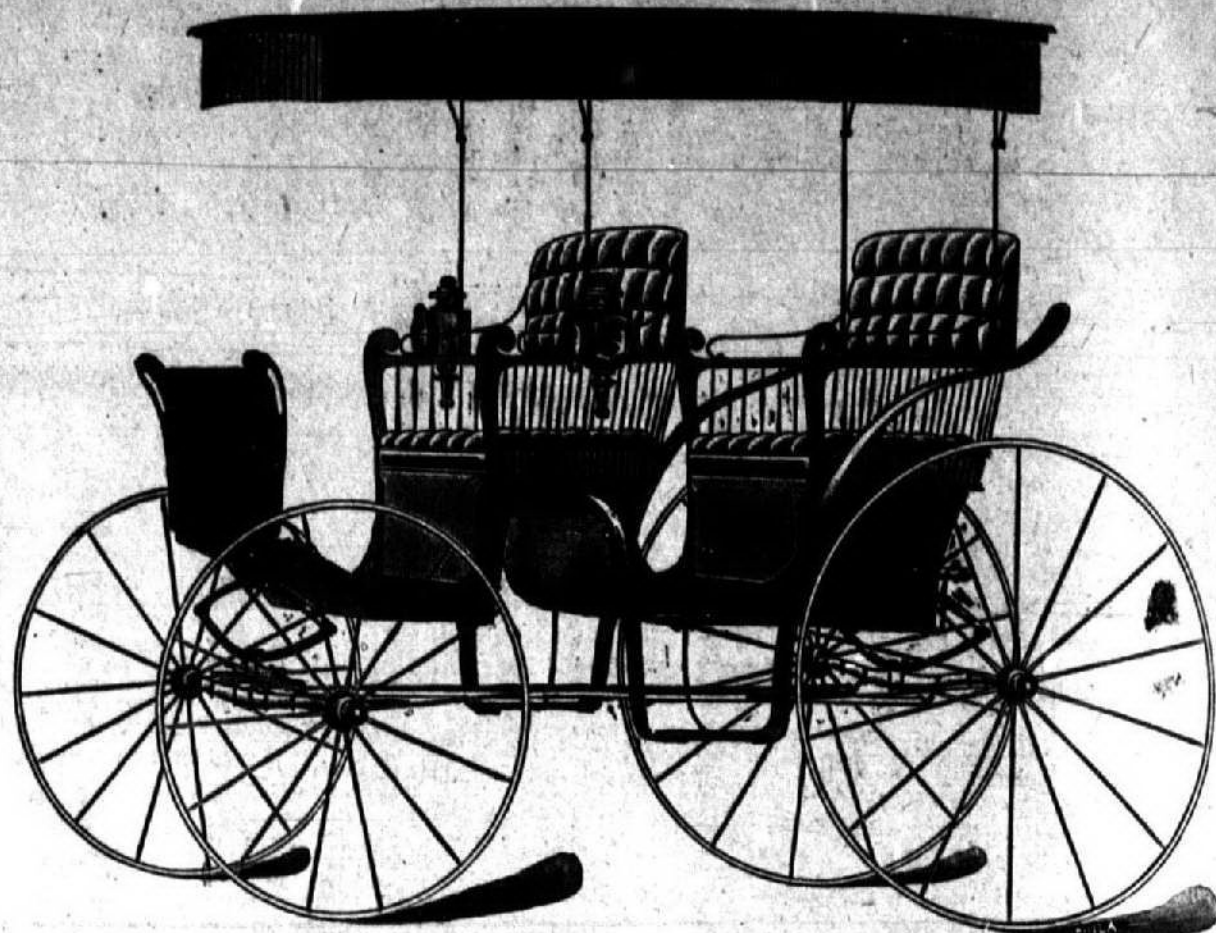
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Real Ebony Articles, 25c.
Sterling Silver Scissors, 60c.
Sterling Silver Articles, 10c to \$5.00.
Gentlemen's Scarf Pins, 25c to \$5.00.
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Watches, \$2.50 to \$50.00
Diamond Rings \$4.90 to \$100.00
Clocks 75c to \$10.00
Silver Tea Sets \$5.00 to \$25.00
Lockets and Charms 25c to \$10.00
Ladies' Brooches \$4.50 to \$25.00

Sale begins at 9 o'clock Monday morning, Dec. 8, and runs until Christmas

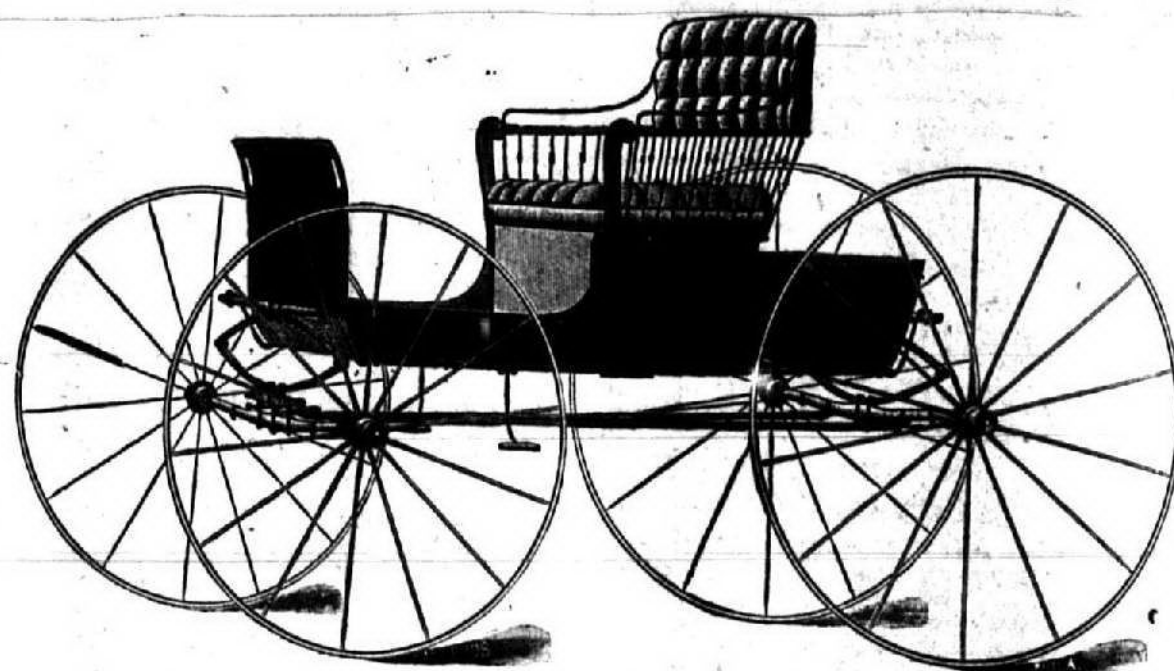
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Having bought the stock of goods of Chas. Steinbach, both at Chelsea and Dexter, consisting of top buggies, surries, platform wagons, road wagons, double team harness, light double harness, single harness, a few second-hand harness, a full line of strap work, robes, blankets, sewing machines, musical instruments, gloves and mittens, machine oil, harness oil, and greases. This entire stock was bought at a price much less than its original cost, and we propose to give the people of this vicinity the benefit by selling the goods for much less than they can be manufactured for at the present advances in leather.

Call early and take advantage of this rare opportunity before the assortment is broken.

We will continue the repair and custom work, having a large stock of leather on hand.



CALL AT THE OLD STAND

WM. J. KNAPP

North Sharon has organized a Bible study class which meets one hour before preaching service every Sunday afternoon.

Cards are out announcing the marriage of Agnes M. Obermuth of this place and John Gumper of Manchester which will take place at the home of the bride's mother on Thursday, December 4th.

The social for the benefit of the school in district No. 9, at J. W. Dresselhaus's last Wednesday evening, was a success in every way in spite of the snow storm. The proceeds were \$25.40.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Guerin and sons, Claud and Arthur of Detroit, and Mrs. Wm. Guerin and daughters, Grace and Edith of Ypsilanti spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Holden and family.

FRANCISCO.

Miss Lena Kruse spent Tuesday at Grass Lake.

Philip Schweinfurth took in Jackson sights Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Kruse spent Thursday at Jackson.

Albert Notten spent the past week with his aunt in Jackson.

Mrs. Buddenbaum is spending this week with Detroit friends.

Several from here took in the play at Jackson Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Scherer spent Thanksgiving at Ann Arbor.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Kalmbach spent Thanksgiving at South Lyon.

Herman Kalmbach of Dearborn spent Friday last with his father here.

Misses Tenna Seckenger and Katie Fouser took in Jackson sights Friday.

Mrs. Philip Brosamle of Chelsea was the guest of her mother, Friday last.

Mrs. Louis Notten of Jackson spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Notten.

Mr. and Mrs. John Weber of Grass Lake spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. Weber.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Musbach and Mr. Seybold spent a few days of last week at Munith.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gieske and children are spending this week at Manchester.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the German M. E. church met with Mrs. Miller last week.

There will be English services at the German M. E. church every Sunday night hereafter.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Beathan attended the funeral of their nephew at Waterloo Friday.

Will, Henry, Ermena and Mary Seld of Jackson spent Thanksgiving with their parents here.

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

Miss Julia Hartman of White Creek, Ind., is spending some time with L. S. Katterhenry and family.

Misses Nitsch and Dorritt Hoppe of Trenton spent the latter part of the week with their parents here.

The young people of this vicinity gave Miss Mabel Notten a surprise party, it being her twenty-first birthday.

Mrs. Grace Congdon of Chelsea and Mrs. Lottie Lobdell of Belleville spent Friday and Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gieske.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gieske of Manchester and Mr. Herman Gieske and children of Chelsea spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gieske.

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HIGHEST market price paid for rye delivered at the bean house. J. P. Wood & Co. 3411

WANTED—First-class farm hand by the year. Geo. W. Boynton. 43

MILK CONSUMERS—Having purchased the milk route of Lewis Wright, I wish to inform the public that I will furnish milk from the dairy of J. R. Gales, who has a fine herd of Jerseys. Conrad Schanz.

The Wm. Bacon-Holmes Lumber, Grain & Coal Co., want the farmers to see them before they sell their beans, and also will buy all kinds of poultry.

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WANTED—Wood; call at The Standard office.

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SYLVAN.

Frank Riggs of Detroit is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Eisenbeiser.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Hayes spent Thanksgiving with relatives at Manchester.

Born, Sunday, November 30, 1902, to Mr. and Mrs. Christian F. Forner, a daughter.

Charles Boyd of St. Johns visited his father, D. W. Boyd and grandmother Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Pierce spent Sunday with her parents. Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Dancer.

Mr. and Mrs. James Cushman and daughter, Ruth of Williamston were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Cushman part of this week.

Dr. and Mrs. Bancroft of Detroit spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Millsbaugh.

Mrs. W. M. Dancer and Mrs. Hannah McCarter of Chelsea were the guests of Mrs. Jacob Dancer.

Geo. Beckwith and wife, R. J. Beckwith and wife of Chelsea and James Beckwith spent Thanksgiving at the home of O. Cushman.

Mrs. Chas. Smith of Detroit, Mrs. W. E. Canfield of Imlay City and Miss Abbie Chase spent Friday with their cousin, Mrs. J. N. Dancer.

FARMER.

Mrs. Fred Hieher is on the sick list.

Martha and Bertha Feldkamp of Chelsea spent Sunday with friends here.

Mrs. Clara Kalmbach of Lodi was the guest of her father, Chas. Schaeffer Friday.

Martha Kusterer of Sharon was the guest of Bertha Breitenwischer over Sunday.

A. H. Breitenwischer of the U. of M. spent Thanksgiving with his parents here.

Mrs. John Bertha, who has been spending the past week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clark of Chelsea, returned home Sunday.

NORTH LAKE.

P. E. Noah has closed his apple drier for this season.

R. C. Glenn and wife spent Thanksgiving with Detroit friends.

Mary and Amy Whallan of Ypsilanti spent Thanksgiving here.

Will Burkhardt of Detroit is spending some time with his parents here.

Edna Reade spent the latter part of the week with her sister, Mrs. Wylie of Dexter.

Cora and Ethel Burkhardt of Chelsea spent Friday and Saturday at the home of E. W. Daniels.

The social given at the home of E. W. Daniels last Friday evening was well attended. The Ladies' Aid Society gained \$8.80. About seventy-five were present.

SHARON.

Elmer Gage spent Thanksgiving at home.

Rev. McKune of Stockbridge preached at North Sharon Sunday.

Miss Anna Kulenkamp of Ann Arbor is visiting her parents here.

John Brunelle has hired out to work for W. B. Osborne for the coming year and began work last Monday.

Carlos Dorr is on the sick list.

Mrs. Wm. Wolfe is the recipient of a fine new organ.

Mr. and Mrs. Fish spent Thanksgiving in Detroit.

August Bahnmiller is the owner of a nice new wagon.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wolfe spent Sunday with Clifford Kendall.

Miss Anna Kuhl has gone home to spend a few weeks with her parents.

Claud Gage left for California Tuesday where he will join his brother William.

Miss Agnes Shaible of Manchester is visiting relatives and friends here this week.

Miss Julia Frey of Norvell visited her sister and other friends here a part of last week.

Miss Clara Reno has returned to her school duties in Freedom after a weeks vacation here.

L. B. Lawrence and family spent Thanksgiving at the home of L. D. Loomis of Grass Lake.

Elmer Lehman and Reuben Heischardt have entered as students in the Manchester high school.

Messrs. M. L. Raymond, John Lemm, C. J. Heischardt and Will Fletcher are attending the stock show at Chicago this week.

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A Strange Sight.

Jackson Patriot: At 2 o'clock Tuesday a. m. a lone locomotive of the type of the "Comets" and "Rockets" of twenty-five years ago puffed its way up the center of Main street.

It was a locomotive brought from Chelsea by the Jackson & Battle Creek Traction company, and was being taken through the city to be put in service on the new track construction between this city and Albion. The sight of a full grown locomotive going up the center of the street at the weird hour of early morning was a strange one, and attracted the attention of everybody who happened to be on the street. Attorney Worrall Wilson and Engineer Fargo conveyed the machine from Chelsea. Trouble was experienced on the short curve running from Park avenue on to Main street, the steam engine not being constructed for such short turns. Again at the Michigan Central tracks the rails had to be built up, as the flanges of the wheels were deeper than those for the electric cars. Hence the time through the city broke no records.

As the engine came up the street it was looked upon with deep interest by a couple of horses on a night-hawk hack and when the bell was rung the equines snorted and showed a disposition to take the side of the road. The locomotive out of its native element seemed to disturb them. It took a good portion of the night to get the machine through the city. At the head of Main street there is a short break where the track turns south on First street and does not connect with that laid on Main street, and here temporary rails had to be laid. The Main street track was also uncovered and ready for traffic.

The locomotive bears the name of "Michigan Construction Company," and will be one of three at work on the line between this city and Albion. West of that city the road is completed, and east of there it is being pushed as fast as three road trains, with a new automatic center dump device, can haul dirt. An official of the road said that at the present rate of progress cars would be running into the city by the middle of January without fail.

An Appreciated Present.

Pinckney Dispatch: The prayer room of the M. E. church at this place has been heated during the medium cold weather by one of the big lamps, instead of firing up the furnace, which is quite expensive to run for so small a room. Learning of this fact, the Glazier Oil Stove Co., of Chelsea, notified us that they had sent us one of their No. 60 oil heaters; hoping it would be of use to the society.

The company have the thanks of the society for the gift, as it will save much expense and trouble. As there are several of these stoves in this vicinity giving the best satisfaction, no fear is entertained but what the stove will do its part of the work. Their stoves are known the world over as the best make.

Great tonic, braces body and brain, drives away all impurities from your system. Makes you well. Keeps you well. Rocky Mountain tea. Glazier & Stimson.

FARWELL SALE!

WHY DO WE CALL THIS A FAREWELL SALE?

FIRST--Because it means farewell to the old store.

SECOND--Because the prices at which we run this sale for the balance of this week means farewell to bargains that may never occur again.

Next week we will open our new store.

THIS WEEK IS MOVING TIME

and we want your help. We will pay you well. The prices at which we will move all our broken lots of suits and odd pants will pay you a weeks wages for one days time.

In fact every thing in the store is included in this Farewell Sale.

Our entire stock of Clothing is divided into THREE LOTS.

All Suits from \$7.50 to \$10.00, go for \$6.50

All Suits from \$12.00 to \$15.00 go for \$10.00

\$15.00 Buys the Best Suit in Stock

Our tremendous Overcoat Sale will be continued until next Saturday. A regular tailor-made garment, Skinner satin sleeve lining, slash pocket, cuff sleeve

FOR \$10.00.

In this department there is a dazzling brilliancy of quality that will appeal to the eye

YOUNG MEN'S SUITS.

This is a regular whirlwind of bargains, you must come at once as it will pass quickly.

THREE LOTS, \$2.50, \$4.00 and \$6.00.

Our sale in Underwear, Hosiery, Gloves and Mittens is a total eclipse of retail prices. Again we desire to call your attention to the fact that this is a real bargain sale and we give a guarantee with every purchase to be just as advertised.

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Ann Arbor, Mich.

A MILLION VOICES.

Could hardly express the thanks of Homer Hall, of West Point, Ia. Listen why: A severe cold had settled on his lungs, causing a most obstinate cough. Several physicians said he had consumption, but could not help him. When all thought he was doomed he began to use Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, and writes--"It completely cured me and saved my life. I now weigh 227 lbs." It's positively guaranteed for coughs, colds and lung troubles. Price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free at Glazier & Stimson's.

The Bank Drug Store will see that everybody in Chelsea and vicinity under 12 years of age has a 'Xmas Present.

It excites the wonder of the world, a magic remedy, liquid electricity, that drives away suffering and disease. Rocky Mountain Tea, 85c. Glazier & Stimson.

Dolls, dressed, undressed, asleep, wide-awake, anyway you may want them at the Bank Drug Store.

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Digests all classes of food, tones and strengthens the stomach and digestive organs. Cures dyspepsia, indigestion, stomach troubles, and makes rich, red blood, health and strength. Kodol rebuilds wornout tissues, purifies, strengthens and sweetens the stomach. Gov. G. W. Atkinson, of W. Va., says: I have used a number of bottles of Kodol and have found it to be a very effective and indeed, a powerful remedy for stomach ailments. I recommend it to my friends. --Glazier & Stimson.

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upon his victim
when the poor
sufferer of

Rheumatism

finally gets hold
of nature's best
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We receive unsolicited testimonials every day in the year, and doctors prescribe our remedy frequently, when all others have failed.

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37 Grand River Avenue, DETROIT, MICH.

I will pay 7½ cents a pound for hens, 8½ cents for spring chickens, and 11 cents for turkeys. Frank Leach.

When you begin to look around for Christmas remember the cut glass and silverware at the Bank Drug Store.

A full assortment of Lowney's candy at the Bank Drug Store. Fresh.

I grind buckwheat every Friday, also corn, cob and all every day. Will buy all the buckwheat you bring. F. W. Mienhold, Jerusalem.

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County and Vicinity

A. J. Sawyer, Jr., of Ann Arbor, and Myron Rose of Stockbridge were hunting mudhens on Portage Lake one day last week when their boat capsized, throwing them into the water. They were in the water half an hour before they were rescued in an exhausted condition.

The village expected to be using gas by this time, but when the company tested the tank last week they found a leak. The water had to be pumped out and the tank mended, and the company is again filling it with water. Quite a number are waiting for the gas to use, and it is hoped this time it will be a success.—Stockbridge Brief.

The Portage Land Company, an organization recently formed among the Ypsilanti and Ann Arbor people who have summer cottages at Portage and Base lakes, has been incorporated that it may hold property. The Co. owns 160 acres on the two lakes, its holdings extending for two miles along the east shore of Portage and 50 rods on the west side of Base and comprising the former Cobb farm.

Regular freight No. 58, eastbound, and No. 55, westbound, on the Michigan Central, met head on at Grass Lake. Two consolidated compound engines and a dozen freight cars, all loaded, were wrecked. The loss is heavy. Fireman Archie Coquillard was slightly hurt. The crash was heard for several miles. It is supposed that Engineer White of No. 55 did not see the block signal, because of the snowstorm.

Monday night when Albert Cook was returning home from Jackson, a stranger asked if he might ride. Mr. Cook had a lumber wagon and told the fellow to "climb on." The fellow had a stick or cane in his hand and after he had ridden some distance, without any warning, he struck Mr. Cook a blow with the stick across the face. Mr. Cook dropped the reins and threw the stranger from his wagon to the ground. It was dark and Mr. Cook cannot account for the fellow's strange conduct.—Grass Lake News.

School Report.

Report of school in District No. 4 Sylvan, for the month ending November. Attending every day: Helen and Lynn Kern, Albert Fahrner, Oscar Kalmbach, Marlon Heselschwerdt, George Burgess, Standing 95, Helen Kern, Irvin Wolf; 90 Henry Forner, Willie Hatley, Albert Fahrner; 85, Bertha Young, Inez Ward, Oscar Kalmbach, Harrison West, Myrtle Wolf; 80, Lida Guthrie, Fern Kalmbach, Lynn Kern, Lawrence Heselschwerdt. Allie Guthrie, Fern Kalmbach, Lyda Guthrie have not missed a word in spelling during the month; Albert Fahrner, Lynn Kern, Oscar Kalmbach, Irvin Wolf, Lawrence Heselschwerdt missing but one. Oscar and Fern Kalmbach each have spelled the fifth grade down once; Helen Kern the seventh grade four times. Promoted from fifth to sixth grade; Lawrence Heselschwerdt, Fern Kalmbach, Lida Guthrie, Albert Fahrner, Irvin Wolf, Inez Ward, Fred Knoll, Harrison West, Henry Forner, Willie Hatley; From fourth to fifth grade Oscar Kalmbach, Lynn Kern. Mrs. L. A. Stephens.

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The Use of Arm. Heart Trouble.

Could Not Eat, Sleep or Walk.

Dr. Miles' Heart Cure Cured Entirely.

"If it hadn't been for Dr. Miles' Remedies I would not be here to write this letter. Two years ago last June I lost the use of my left arm, could not use it and could only move it with the help of my right hand. My heart was so weak I could not sleep nights for smothering spells. I was out of sorts all over and could eat nothing. I grew so weak that I could not walk without staggering like a drunken man and my home doctor said he could do nothing for me. I was in so much pain I was almost wild. I could not take morphine nor opium as they made me worse. So I got to thinking about Dr. Miles' Heart Cure and Nervine and the more I thought about it the more I wanted to try them. I wrote to the Dr. Miles Medical Co. for advice which I followed to the letter. I can say today that I am glad I did as I am a well woman now; can work and can walk two or three miles and not mind it. I can also use my arm again as well as ever. You do not know how thankful I am for those grand medicines Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure and Nervine. I think Dr. Miles' Remedies are the best in the world, and if I should get sick again I should take the same course. The remedies also helped my daughter Vida so wonderfully that I should have written you before to thank you, but I wanted to be sure that the cure was permanent, which I now know to be the case."—Mrs. Frank Loomis, Allen, Mich.

All druggists sell and guarantee first bottle Dr. Miles' Remedies. Send for free book on Nervous and Heart Diseases. Address Dr. Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind.

See the line of Holiday books for boys and girls in the show window at the Bank Drug Store.

Have you looked in the jewelry catalogue they are sending out this week from the Bank Drug Store.



Miss Ida M. Snyder.

Treasurer of the Brooklyn East End Art Club.

"If women would pay more attention to their health we would have more happy wives, mothers and daughters, and if they would observe results they would find that the doctors' prescriptions do not perform the many cures they are given credit for.

"In consulting with my druggist he advised McElee's Wine of Cardui and Thedford's Black-Draught, and so I took it and have every reason to thank him for a new life opened up to me with restored health, and it only took three months to cure me."

Wine of Cardui is a regulator of the menstrual functions and is a most astonishing tonic for women. It cures scanty, suppressed, too frequent, irregular and painful menstruation, falling of the womb, whites and flooding. It is helpful when approaching womanhood, during pregnancy, after childbirth and in change of life. It frequently brings a dear baby to homes that have been barren for years. All druggists have \$1.00 bottles of Wine of Cardui.

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SOMETHING for CHRISTMAS?

You can get it here.
Our stock of

Fine China, Cut Glass, Lamps
and Dinner Ware

for this season is larger and handsomer than ever. Don't pay high prices for printed china when you can buy at these prices:
Decorated china fruit nappies, 7 inch, assorted designs, at 25c each.
Decorated china plates 6 inch, 7 inch and 8 inch (35c to 50c value) at 25c each.

Sugars and creamers, large size, attractive styles, at 25c set.
Beautiful cups and saucers, thin Bavarian and Japanese ware, assorted styles and designs, 500 in the lot at 25c each. You find the same goods marked to sell at 35c to 55c in some stores.
Handsome, large salad bowls, nut bowls, chop plates, biscuit jars, etc., ranging in price from 50c to \$2.50 each.
There are no lamp prices like ours. Come in and see for yourself. Ask to see our center draught metal lamps at \$1.35 each.

Our Line of Cut Glass is the Finest and Largest
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Large cut glass water bottles, \$4.75.
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9 inch celery trays, \$4.75.

Cut glass olive and jelly dishes, spoon trays, etc., from \$1.75 to \$8.00.

It will pay you to buy your China, Glassware
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In Our Grocery Department

You will always find the cleanest and most sanitary surrounding
The best goods, the best service, and the lowest prices (quality considered).

We are Selling

25 lbs brown sugar for \$1.00
Good Rio coffee 11c lb
Golden Rio coffee 15c lb
Good Santos coffee 13c lb
A very fine blended coffee 20c lb
Our famous standard coffee 25c lb
Tea dust that will draw bright clear and sweet at 25c lb
Good New Orleans molasses at 25c per gal
A very fine, light colored, full of sugar, New Orleans molasses, the very best, at 50c gal
New citron, orange, and lemon peel at 25c lb
Cleaned currants 10c pkg
Cleaned sultana raisins 18c lb
7 lbs new California prunes for 25c
2 lbs choice evaporated apricots for 25c
Very fancy California prunes, 30 to the lb, at 12c lb.
7 lbs best rolled oats for 25c
6 lbs broken rice for 25c
13 bars laundry soap for 25c
Eata Malt breakfast food 3 packages 25c
Malt breakfast food 3 packages 25c
Pillsbury's flour at \$2.25 per 100 lbs
New buckwheat flour at \$2.75 per 100 lbs in 100 lb bags
S & S brand sugar cured picnic hams at 10c lb
Salt pork 10c lb
Best rock salt 30c sack
Good fine cut tobacco at 25c lb
Smoking tobacco 15c lb, and the most complete line of size cigars and tobacco at right prices
New mixed nuts best, 20c lb. Seconds 15c lb
Finest full cream Elsie cheese at 16c lb

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LOCAL BREVITIES.

C. E. Fair, December 10th.

Regular O. E. S. meeting Wednesday evening, December 10th.

Miss Vera Glazier is now employed at the Chelsea Savings Bank.

The rural mail carriers were given a vacation Thanksgiving Day.

The Chelsea Dry Goods and Shoe Co. will soon open a store in the Staffan block.

Mr. and Mrs. James Runciman entertained about twenty relatives and friends Thanksgiving.

Rev. H. W. Hicks of Pinckney occupied the pulpit of the Methodist church Sunday evening.

Died, on Monday, December 1, 1902, Alfred Ward of Jackson, a former resident of this place.

Mrs. Wm. Hamilton, who has been so seriously ill for the past two months, is slowly recovering.

Rev. W. A. Northrop has recently preached in Coldwater, South Haven, Bloomingdale and Gobles.

The county farmers' institute will be held in Chelsea Wednesday and Thursday, February 11th and 12th.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Rheinfrank have moved into their new residence, corner Park and Madison streets.

The real estate firm of Kalmbach and Parker this week sold a residence in Munith for Chancery Hummel.

Chas. L. Samp has moved into the residence on Park street recently vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Rheinfrank.

Miss Edith Boyd entertained about thirty young people at her home Wednesday evening of last week at progressive pedro.

About thirty of our citizens were in Jackson last Friday night, to witness the representation of "The County Fair," Nell Burgess.

Regular meeting of L. O. T. M. M. next Tuesday evening. Election of officers and initiation. Light refreshments will be served.

St. Mary's Literary Club will meet with Mrs. Chauncey Hummel next Tuesday evening. Lesson, "A study of the country of Ireland."

A large number of our citizens attended the football game at Ann Arbor Thanksgiving Day, between Michigan and Minnesota. The former won handily by a score of 28 to 6.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Greenleaf have moved to near Omaha, Neb., where they will make their home. The best wishes of their friends attend them.

There was a carload of B. & B. stoves in the wreck at Grass Lake the night before Thanksgiving. Out of the whole lot but four stoves escaped injury.

After an illness of three months, Miss Lucy Leach has resumed her school duties as teacher in the intermediate department of the Grass Lake schools.

Married, on Thursday, November 27, 1902, Miss Josephine Mangus of Jackson, and Mr. William Tarbell of this place. Rev. J. Galick performing the ceremony.

Bishop Foley visited St. Mary's church last Sunday, and preached at high mass in the morning, and in the evening blessed the new statue of Our Lady of the Sacred Heart.

The C. E.'s will serve a chicken pie supper at their fair, Wednesday evening, December 10, at the Congregational church. Supper, 25c. adults and 15c. children and no admission fee charged.

The Standard has just received word from C. T. Conklin, who with Mrs. Conklin left on Tuesday for Florida, that they were in a terrible wreck near Sunbright, Tenn., but that they escaped injury. At least two were killed and many injured.

The Lima Epworth League will have a chicken pie social in the church parlors on Friday night, December 12th. The Chelsea orchestra will furnish the music. Tickets 15c. Everybody is invited to attend. Supper from 5 o'clock until all are served.

A visit to Mrs. L. T. Freeman's studio recently revealed a quantity of the most dainty and exquisite lot of hand painted china that it was ever our lot to see. Mrs. Freeman is an artist of exceptional ability and her work bears the imprint of a master hand.

Married, on Thursday, November 27, 1902, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gottlieb Heber in Dexter township, Miss Louise Heber and Mr. Carl Bagge, Rev. Albert Schoen officiating. The Standard joins their many friends in extending congratulations.

The annual meeting of the Lima and vicinity Farmers' Club for the election of officers and payment of dues will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Smith of Selo, December 11, 1902. All the members are requested to be present, and any others who wish to join for the coming year. An oyster dinner will be served. Question, Resolved, "That farmers organize to prohibit trespassing by hunters."

Let it go on record that up to November 24 the following varieties of flowers were blooming in the open gardens hereabouts: Petunias, verbenas, nasturtiums, coreopsis, scarlet salvia, marigolds, sweet peas, pansies, geraniums, alyssum, galliardias, stocks, balsams, bachelor's buttons, nicotiana, calceolarias, cosmos, violets, larkspur, besides the hardy dandelions. Was there ever such a November in these parts?—Ypsilanti.

No one can afford to be without one of those Globe Cabinets for kitchen use. It's the largest little thing you ever saw.

PERSONAL.

C. S. Darnold of Detroit was a Chelsea visitor Sunday.

Julius Klein of Kansas City is visiting his parents here.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Irwin were Lansing visitors last week.

J. B. Cole visited his daughter at Bronson this week.

Dr. C. W. Miller of Augusta spent Thanksgiving here.

Geo. Robertson of Battle Creek visited Chelsea friends Thursday.

Mrs. G. W. Robertson of Battle Creek was a Chelsea visitor Sunday.

Carl Pickell of Detroit spent several days of last week at this place.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Grant of Ridgeway, Ont., are visiting relatives here.

Mrs. Myron Stillwell of Jackson visited Mrs. Wm. Hamilton last week Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Davidson spent several days of last week at Easton Rapids.

Miss Blanche Powers of Battle Creek spent Thanksgiving with Miss Edith Boyd.

Miss Mattie Stimson of Lansing spent several days of the past week at this place.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Noufang of Reading spent Thanksgiving with Mrs. L. L. Glover.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Webster and Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Webster spent Monday at Jackson.

Mrs. Comstock and daughters of Detroit were the guests of relatives here last week.

Miss Virginia Rowell of Battle Creek spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Myron Lighthall.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Congdon of Detroit spent the latter part of last week with relatives here.

Miss Sadie Chamberlain of Detroit was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Myron Lighthall part of last week.

Miss Anna Crane, who was the guest of Miss Edith Boyd last week, left on Monday for Ypsilanti.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Conklin left on Monday for Tampa, Fla., where they will spend the winter.

Miss Flarty and Miss Spokes of Wayne spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Wackenhut.

Miss Linna Runciman of Cleary's Business College spent several days last week at her home in Sylvan.

Mrs. Marlon Fyler, who was with her brother, James Richards the past three months, left today for Minneapolis.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Webster of Florence, Ont., have been the guests of their son, J. Geo. Webster the past week.

Mrs. Elsie Congdon and daughter Mary returned Wednesday from a ten days visit in Detroit and Pontiac. Mrs. Congdon's niece, Mrs. Lottie Lobdell of Bellville accompanied them home.

Messrs. H. M. Woods, R. S. Armstrong, B. J. Howlett, Wm. Bury and Geo. Blach of Ann Arbor attended a meeting of Olive Lodge, No. 150, F. & A. M., Monday evening.

Rev. F. A. Stiles, Rev. Dr. Caster and son Wilber, and Rev. Dr. Holmes were in Jackson last Friday night to attend the union meeting in progress there, under the direction of Messrs. Crossley and Hunter, who conducted a series of union meetings here two years ago.

There ought to be a great deal of giving this year at Xmas, judging by the prices they are making in jewelry at the Bank Drug Store.

WEEDS

Consumption is a human weed flourishing best in weak lungs. Like other weeds it's easily destroyed while young; when old, sometimes impossible.

Strengthen the lungs as you would weak land and the weeds will disappear.

The best lung fertilizer is Scott's Emulsion. Salt pork is good too, but it is very hard to digest.

The time to treat consumption is when you begin trying to hide it from yourself. Others see it, you won't.

Don't wait until you can't deceive yourself any longer. Begin with the first thought to take Scott's Emulsion. If it isn't really consumption so much the better; you will soon forget it and be better for the treatment. If it is consumption you can't expect to be cured at once, but if you will begin in time and will be rigidly regular in your treatment you will win.

Scott's Emulsion, fresh air, rest all you can, eat all you can, that's the treatment and that's the best treatment.

We will send you a little of the Emulsion free.

Be sure that this picture is the form of a label is on the wrapper of every bottle of Emulsion you buy.

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ASK TO SEE THEM.

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Ladies' Monte Carlo Coats at \$7.50, \$8.50, \$10.00, \$12.00, \$15.00.

Ladies' regular 27-inch Coats at \$5.00, \$7.50, \$10.00, and \$12.00. Colors: Black, Tan, Castor, etc.

Ladies' 42-inch Coats at \$8.50, \$10.00, \$12.00, \$15.00, and \$18.00. All colors.

You can get the noblest and swiftest up-to-date Garments made right here, and you don't pay the fancy prices asked in the larger places.

We have the staple garments, and we are receiving the new novelty creations from week to week as fast as brought out by the manufacturers.

We Know We Save You Money.

Our purchases are made from the largest manufacturers, in large quantities. Why shouldn't we have the best that's going?

Our expenses are fully 25 per cent less than they would be in Detroit, Ann Arbor or Jackson. We make our selling price correspondingly less. You get the benefit. We are bound to do the volume of business by making lower prices than other dealers.

Ladies' Suits, Ladies' Odd Skirts, Ladies' Waists, made up stylish from stylish fabrics.

You will know more about the style, quality, price, etc., if you come and see them.



CHILDREN'S LONG COATS.

All new this season's garments. The latest and best style Coats ever made for children's wear.

Prices, \$2.50, 3.00, 3.50, 4.00, 5.00, 6.00 and 7.00.

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Chelsea's favorite Baker has again located at the old stand on Middle street, and will have in stock a choice line of

Breads, Cakes, Macaroons, Loaf Cake, Lady Fingers, Ginger Snaps, and Pies.

All of my own baking and made of the best materials.

LUNCHES SERVED.

A full line of home-made Candles on hand. Please give me a call.

WILLIAM CASPARY.

Lettuce, Radish, Onions, cut Carnations, and all kinds of Potted Plants for Thanksgiving. Lettuce from 1 to 1500 heads. Carnations as many as you want.

ELVINA CLARK, Florist, Chelsea, Mich.

NOTICE is hereby given that my wife ALICE LAIRD has left my bed and board and that I will not be responsible for any debts by her contracted against me.

NATHANIEL W. LAIRD.

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Bear, Deer, Foxes, Quail, Partridge, Squirrels

and other game are easily killed, and in large quantities, with Guns and Ammunition bought of us.

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Tubular Well Driving and Repairing promptly attended to.

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Grand Opening of Fall and Winter Goods



An extra large stock of fall and winter suitings, overcoatings and odd trousers, and those fall and winter warm, medicated vests, and an extra large invoice of woollens, making our stock the largest in the county to select from.

Agents for the celebrated dyes, dry and steam cleaners.

Ladies' Jackets made and remodeled.

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IF THE DAY IS DONE.

BY HENRY WADSWORTH LONGFELLOW.

The day is done, and the darkness
Falls from the wings of night,
As a feather is wafted downward
From an eagle in his flight.

I see the lights of the village
Gleam through the rain and the mist,
And a feeling of sadness comes o'er me
That my soul cannot resist;

A feeling of sadness and longing
That is not akin to pain,
And resembles sorrow only
As the mist resembles the rain.

Come, read to me some poem,
Some simple and heartfelt lay,
That shall soothe this restless feeling,
And banish the thoughts of day.

Not from the grand old masters,
Not from the bardic sublime,
Whose distant footsteps echo
Through the corridors of time.

For, like strains of martial music,
Their mighty thoughts suggest
Life's endless toil and endeavor;
And to-night I long for rest.

Read from some humbler poet,
Whose songs, like those of you,
As showers from the clouds of summer,
Or tears from the eyelids start;

Who, through long days of labor,
And nights devoid of ease,
Still heard in his soul the music
Of wonderful melodies.

Such songs have power to quiet
The restless pulse of care,
And come like the benediction
That follows after prayer.

Then read from the treasure volume
The poem of thy choice,
And lend to the rhyme of the poet
The beauty of thy voice.

And the night shall be filled with music,
And the cares that infest the day
Shall fold their tents, like the Arabs,
And as silently steal away.

HOW POLLY SAVED THE EXPRESS.

KANE CREEK was a railroad crossing on the S. and C. C. Railroad, about two miles from the division terminal at Mercer. It was in the midst of a scrubby pine forest, with a sandy road crooking out from the trees on one side and into the trees on the other. There were only two or three houses, a little general store with a porch like the visor of a military cap, and a school house, all arranged in a scraggy row along the railroad track.

A dozen trains whirled through Kane Creek every day with only a shriek of a whistle and a whipping wake of fine sand. Only two of them paid the slightest attention to the girl in the blue gingham dress who stood in the little observation window. One of them was the way freight which stopped at Kane's every time it came along while the conductor handed the girl a bundle of yellow papers and received another like it in return. The other was the night express, westward bound from St. Paul, and running at forty miles an hour. It was a splendid train—ten cars, with the finest engine on the road, big Number Six Hundred Six. As its glaring eye flashed around the bend in the direction of Mercer the girl in the gingham dress often thought of the great train as a powerful and ferocious beast snorting and roaring westward on a race with the sun. It was a beast, but it was well trained, and she knew the hand that trained it. When the train was a mile away there were always two blasts on the whistle. Every one else in Kane's thought they meant simply, "Wake up, look out!"—for that is what all locomotives say at every crossing—but the girl in the gingham dress heard "Hello, Polly," and darted out on the platform and waved her handkerchief. As the great train thundered nearer a hand was thrust from the engineer's window, and, although it was usually dark, she could see the flutter of something white, and oftentimes as the engine darted past the station she heard the blurred sound of a voice and caught the glimpse of a grimy face and a blue jean jacket. And then she went back to her place in the little station with a sigh of deep contentment.

For it was a moment of great joy to Polly Marshall when her father's engine went through. Polly was the station agent at Kane Creek—any one could have told that a woman presided in the little depot, for was there not always a bonnet in the window and dainty pictures surrounding the grimy time tables on the walls, and a kitten curling upon the doorstep? At seventeen Polly had gone in as assistant to learn telegraphy, and when Clark, the agent, was called to Mercer the company had left the independent girl in charge. She and her father lived in one of the wooden houses a stone's throw back from the depot, and since Polly's mother died they had been everything to each other.

Engineer Marshall was a big, silent man, and his companions, some of them, thought him gruff and ill-tempered, but to Polly he was always tender as a kitten. Often when she was a little girl he took her down with him to Mercer on his engine, and while she sat on his black leather seat at the cab window, clinging on with both hands, he explained to her how the big black creature under them was started and stopped, what this brass crank was for, and how, when the engine squeaked here and squeaked there, a little oil was needed in this cup or in that crevice. And Polly had learned to know an engine as well as she knew the neat little pantry in the house at home. Indeed, she had more than once managed the levers and the throttle, although it was very heavy work for a girl to do.

It was one night late in the fall that Polly Marshall had need of all her knowledge of engines. She was sitting at her desk in the little observation window, a shaded light throwing its rays down on her telegraph instruments and the sounder clicking sleepily. Suddenly she was startled by the sudden call of her number. Instantly her fingers sought the keys, and she gave the answer that signified that she was all attention.

"Look out for—" clicked the sounder, and then it suddenly ceased, and try as she would Polly could get

no further communication with the station next to the eastward. What could the trouble be? Polly sprang to her feet, remembering that the night express, of which her father was engineer, was the next train due. Could anything be the matter? She ran out on the dark platform to see that her lights were all in place and that the switches were properly set, so that the express would slip past the station without an accident. Then she went back and called up Mercer.

"Can you get Pinckney?" she asked. Pinckney was the station which had sent her the warning dispatch so mysteriously interrupted. She knew the operator at Pinckney well—every night he told her of the approach of her father's train, and whether or not it left his station on time.

"Pinckney quiet; can't get answer," was the report of the wires. "What's the trouble?"

Polly answered as well as she could. Her father's train was now due. It should be whistling cheerily at the lower bend. Polly stepped out on the platform and peered up the track. Yes, there was the familiar headlight—she would have known it among a hundred. Then came the whistle, "Hello, Polly," and Polly ran back into her office much relieved and offered a new and better position in Mercer. And of course all the passengers and express messengers heard about Polly's brave deed and said a great many pleasant things about her, but Polly, being a sensible girl, only blushed and said that she had to do it, and that any other girl would have done the same under like circumstances—which no one believed, of course.

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With a hundred terrifying questions flashing through her mind, Polly ran on through the gloom. When she was almost within range of the big headlight she saw a half a dozen armed men swarming around the engine, she heard fierce oaths, and then the engine started up again. She saw in an instant that it had been cut free from the train. In the cab window, where her father usually stood, there was a big, unfamiliar figure managing the lever and throttle. Terrified! Polly sprang to one side into a clump of bushes. As the locomotive passed her on its way up the track she saw that the man in the cab wore a black mask on his face, and then she knew what had happened. She understood why Pinckney had tried to warn her and failed. Robbers had held up the train and were preparing to rob the express car.

For a moment Polly was torn with doubt and terror. Had they shot her father? She knew that he never would submit to have his train captured without a struggle. Should she go to him? Then she remembered her station and the telegraph, and without a moment's delay she was flying down the track toward the depot. She would send for help to Mercer. But squarely in front of the little depot the locomotive stopped and the black-masked man sprang from the cab window and darted across the platform. Hardly thinking what she was doing, Polly ran up on the other side, the fireman's side of the engine, and, raising herself up, peered into the cab. She had half expected to see her father's dead body lying on the floor, for she had heard much about the terrible doings of train robbers.

Through the cab window she could see the robber sitting at her own little desk in the depot sending a message. It flashed over her all at once that he was wiring Mercer that the express was delayed, thus preventing any alarm. The robber had pushed up his mask and she saw him plainly.

What should she do? She dared not enter the office, and she, a mere girl, could be of no service where the robbers were making their attack on the train. If only she had the little revolver that lay in the drawer of her desk—she set her teeth as she thought what she would do with it.

At that moment three shots rang out, clear and distinct, from the detached train. The man at the telegraph instrument sprang to his feet and ran to a side window in the waiting room and looked up the track.

Now was her chance. Hardly thinking what she did, Polly sprang to the engineer's side of the cab, threw back the reverse lever and opened the throttle steadily. The big steel wheels began to turn, very slowly at first. Farther and farther the throttle opened and faster and faster turned the wheels, and yet they did not go half fast enough to suit Polly, who was now glancing fearfully over her shoulder.

Suddenly the depot door was thrown open and she saw the robber darting up the track. He had his pistol in his hand. He was pointing it at her and shouting for her to stop. But the engine was now going at good speed, and, run as he would, the robber could not catch it. But he stopped and fired, the bullet ripping through the cab over above Polly's head.

The engine was now tearing down the track at full speed. Polly knew that it must be fired or it would not go far, and so, leaving the throttle open, she sprang to the coal pit, fung open the fire hole, and with the heavy shovel in her small white hands threw in load after load of coal. When she returned to her place she could see the first signal light of Mercer already blinking into view. She pulled down on the whistle cord and the engine shrieked its distress.

Five minutes later Polly strained at the heavy reverse lever, turned hard on the air brake and brought the great iron horse to a sudden standstill. How she ever managed to stammer the story she never knew, but in a few minutes the engine was headed back with half a dozen armed men aboard of her. Behind them came another load of men on a switch engine and two men were racing up the street of Mercer calling the alarm.

They heard firing before they reached Kane Creek, but it ceased soon afterward. The robbers had gone. They had taken with them much plunder from the passengers, but they had not been able to get into the express safe, although they were at work drilling it open when relief came.

From the time that the engine stopped Polly was missing. When the rescued and excited passengers and express messengers began to crowd around and inquire the Mercer men remembered her. A party of them went out to find the girl who had brought help to the beleaguered train.

In a little clump of bushes they heard a man moaning, and an instant later they saw Polly kneeling in the sand, with her father's head in her lap, crying bitterly. And they gathered up the brave engineer and his daughter and carried them down to the train, cheering all the way.

Engineer Marshall was not badly hurt, and he was able to be in Mercer when the general manager of the road thanked Polly officially and offered a new and better position in Mercer. And of course all the passengers and express messengers heard about Polly's brave deed and said a great many pleasant things about her, but Polly, being a sensible girl, only blushed and said that she had to do it, and that any other girl would have done the same under like circumstances—which no one believed, of course.

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Longevity of Monarchs. If the risks of the trade of kingship are considerable, as the late King Humbert of Italy used to remark, the increase of the average longevity of monarchs during the past century is also considerable, says the London Express. Apropos of the death of the Belgian Queen in her sixty-sixth year, it is worth recalling that in the year 1818 Europe possessed fifty-one sovereigns, of whom only eleven had passed their sixtieth year. Of these, one alone had reached the age of seventy. In 1900, although meanwhile, the number of crowned heads had been reduced to forty, the list of sexagenarians was nearly trebled. There were at that date twenty-nine sovereigns who had attained sixty and over. Of these, seven had over-stepped seventy, five of them were eighty, and one, the present Pope Leo XIII., was a nonagenarian.

Quid Pro Quo. A good story is told of the quick-witted Irish lawyer, Baron O'Grady, who on one occasion was trying a case in a country court, outside of the walls of which a fair was in progress. Amid the miscellaneous herds of animals were a considerable number of asses, and one of these commenced to bray loudly. At once the chief baron stopped the advocate, who at that moment happened to be pleading. "Wait a moment, Mr. Bushe, I cannot hear two at once." The court roared and the advocate flushed. Presently, when the judge came to sum up another ass struck in and the bray resounded through the court. Up jumped Mr. Bushe at once, with his hand to ear. "Would your lordship speak a little more loudly? There is such an echo in the court that I cannot hear distinctly."—Argonaut.

Donations to the United States. Some good people give money to Uncle Sam on general principles, and all such presents are recorded in the Treasury Department as "Donations to the United States."—New York Press.

The armies and navies of Europe absorb twelve days' earnings yearly of the entire population.

Through Holy Russia

Places of Interest in the Territory of the Czar—Beautiful Buildings Erected in Ancient City of Moscow.

(Special Correspondence.)



HE Grand Duke Constantine, chief of the fleet of Russian Black Sea merchant and passenger ships, makes during the four days between Odessa and Batum four stops only—Sebastopol, Ialta, Kertch and Novorissk. All of them we thought rather uninteresting places, except Ialta, the country is flat or with low sun-dried hills and no vegetation.

Some one has said that the East meant to him a Babel of voices, all talking at once and in the loudest of tones, and we felt that on the tender we must indeed be in the East. It is funny to watch them, more so than to listen; for they never seem to feel it necessary to come near enough to save their voices, but scream to each other from the house-tops or yell from a distant boat or shout from the end of a street until one wonders what their throats can be made of. One does not wonder, however, that they shout when in a crowd, for with everybody in the crowd talking as fast as he can only the loudest voices can be heard.

I had always imagined Russian to be a harsh language, more like German, and was surprised to find it very musical and much like Italian in sound. The women have not very agreeable voices, high and nasal and thin; but those we met and saw were all pretty, with slim figures and fair skins.

Some very interesting Russians, a professor in some big school and his son-in-law, came aboard at Kertch. The younger man was a physician who had broken down from overwork and was taking a holiday. He had 900 cases of cholera in his district in the interior during the last two months, and said it was almost impossible to keep the disease down. When asked

meet him. He haughtily replied that he would not meet her unless she was prepared to marry him at once; to which she actually agreed, and they were married.

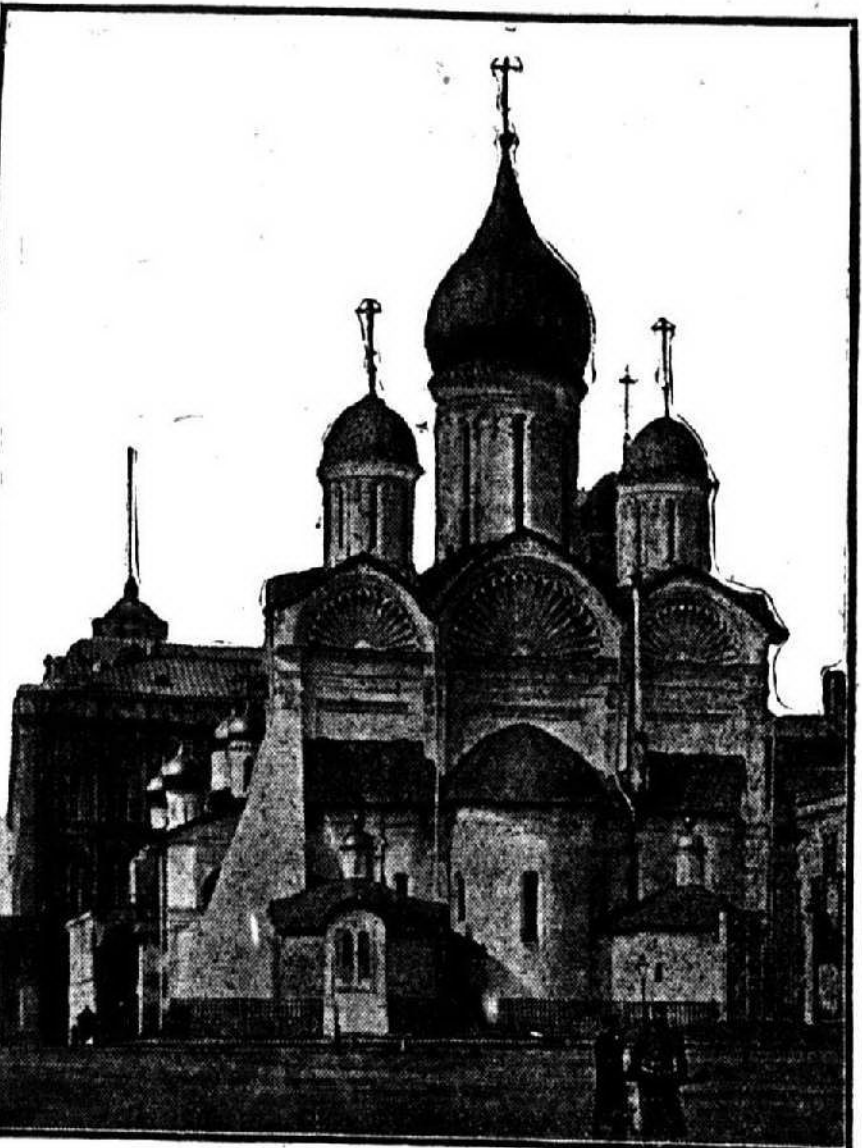
Novorissk is the last stopping place before Batoum. Here, as soon as our gangplank was put out, the usual rush of porters began. They always have the right of way, and they were certainly remarkable-looking porters, clad in indescribable costumes, principally rags, but always with a hood or rag of some kind to answer as such thrown over their heads. They



Cathedral of the Archangel. (Moscow.)

were of many races—Turks, Caucasians, Jews, Armenians, Russians, and Persians. All chattered at the top of their voices in Russian, making a tremendous noise, and all carried heavy loads, which rested on straw cushions on their backs, which were bent nearly double.

When we came on deck the next morning we were overjoyed to see the mountains—the Caucasus, magnificent that point seemed almost equally imposing. The scenery was wonderfully



KREMLIN AT MOSCOW.

the cause of it he shrugged his shoulders and said: "A little thin cabbage soup and stale bread once a day is not a nourishing diet; but this is a hard world to live in!"

A Russian doctor and German merchant agreed perfectly in regard to the Jew in Russia, who is looked upon with great dislike and aversion; but they both declared that the Armenian was far worse than the Jew, and that it was a pity that all the Armenians had not been killed during the Turkish slaughter of them. "It takes two Jews to make an Armenian," said the German merchant, and the other agreed with him. They said that the Armenian was so mean a creature that he did not hesitate to pay the servants of a hotel to read private letters in which he was interested, and tell him their contents.

We heard a funny story concerning the Jews. It seems that the last governor of Odessa—a despotic being apparently—made a law that the Jews who came from the interior and wore one oily curl hanging over each ear should cut off their curls before entering the city. As no Jew is allowed to stop longer than twenty-four hours in any town except his own, they all objected to changing the style of their hair for that short time. When asked his reason the governor said that it looked dirty, and he did not like it. So much for being the governor of Odessa!

Every one seems to agree that the Caucasians are a very fine race of men; tall and well built, and with good features. They say that at Tiflis they are all Princes, which sounds rather unusual. We were told a funny tale of an English widow, very rich, who went to Tiflis and was much attracted by the appearance of the waiter at her table. When she found that he was a Prince, not appreciating how little that means in Russia, she sent word to him that she would like to

HUMOR OF THE DAY.

MERRY JESTS ABOUT ANYTHING AND EVERYTHING.

Uncle Cy Finds a Fellow-Unfortunately—Politician Knew It Was Not His Wife Who Had Been Interviewed—Onion as a Remedy.

In the Style.

He was a hard worker, but by effort he had secured several assistants and was having things a little easier. A friend who had not seen him lately called at his office and found him busy as ever.

"Hello, old man," greeted the visitor, "still doing seven men's work?"

"No," responded the industrious one, "I have seven men doing my work."

"Oh," laughed the caller, "so you have organized a trust, too, have you?"

A Good Plan.



Edythe—I want something to keep the chaps away from my lips. Druggist—Certainly, miss. Suppose you try this onion.

More Material.

Mr. Newlied—I tell you, dear, I simply can't afford to get you a new gown.

Mrs. Newlied (sobbing)—I think you're just hateful, and you're the man who used to call me your "angel" and promise me every—

Mr. Newlied—But it's your fault if I don't consider you an angel any more. An angel wouldn't worry about clothes the way you do.

He Had Treasure to Burn.

Capt. Kidd in his last moments announced that he had hidden his plunder.

"But why," asked his companions, "did you bury your treasure when you had money to burn?"

"I suppose cremation would have been better," replied the pirate, "but it will be all fired hard to find, anyway."

Too Proud.

"I want you to understand, sir, that my pride forbids me to accept anything from you after I marry your daughter."

"How are you going to live?" "Well, I thought you might make some kind of a settlement beforehand."

The College Boy.

"Advertise for a young man to dictate to the typewriter," said the busy merchant. "Yes, sir," responded the confidential clerk; "shall I state that he must be a college graduate?" "No, if he's a college graduate he'll probably want to dictate to me."

Love and Finance.

"A woman," she said, "gives all or nothing."

"And she takes," he replied, "all she can get."

But then they had been married many years, and a millinery bill had just come in.

Consolation.



Uncle Cy—Hello, you've been skinned, too, hey you?

A Mistake Somewhere.

"What does she say?" asked the crafty politician who had referred the committee to his wife for information as to his intentions.

"She refused to talk," replied the spokesman of the committee. "Then it wasn't my wife you met, gentlemen," he rejoined, with great positiveness. "It was somebody else."

All By Itself.

It was the first time that four-year-old Willie had ever seen a snake, and, as it writhed and squirmed along, he ran into the house to tell of his discovery. "Oh, mamma," he exclaimed, "come here, quick. Here's a tail wagging without any dog."

WONDERFUL WORK.

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