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CHELSEA SAVINGS BANK,

CHELSEA, MICHIGAN.

The Oldest and Strongest Bank in Western Washtenaw County.

STATEMENT OF CONDITION FEB. 6, 1903

Capital, \$60,000.00

Surplus and Profits, \$21,394.28

Guarantee Fund, \$140,000.00

Deposits, \$353,586.24

Total Resources, \$434,980.45

We are now located in our new home in the Glazier Memorial Bank Building.

This Bank is under State control, has abundant capital and a large surplus fund and does a general Banking business.

Makes loans on Mortgage and other good approved securities.

Pays Interest on Time Deposits.

Draws Drafts payable in Gold anywhere in the United States or Europe.

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

Gives prompt attention to all business entrusted to us.

Deposits in the Savings Department draw three per cent. interest which is paid or credited to account on January 1st or July 1st.

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

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

Your Business Solicited.

DIRECTORS.

W. J. KNAPP, F. P. GLAZIER, JOHN W. SCHENK,
G. W. PALMER, W. M. P. SCHENK, ADAM EPLER,
V. D. HINDELANG, HENRY I. STIMSON, FRED WEDEMAYER.

OFFICERS.

F. P. GLAZIER, President. W. J. KNAPP, Vice President.
THEO. E. WOOD, Cashier. V. G. GLAZIER, Assistant Cashier.
A. K. STIMSON, Auditor. PAUL G. SCHAEUBLE, Accountant.

GOOD TEA.

No one likes poor Tea at any price. We warrant every grade we sell at the BANK DRUG STORE to suit the buyer. If you do not like it when steeped bring it back.

Finest uncolored Japan Tea 50c pound

Ask for a sample of our 30c grade

Best Tea Dust 15c pound

This is a very good Tea Dust and we would like to give you a sample and let you try it.

California Sultana Seedless Raisins 8c pound.

These are fresh, clean raisins and a bargain at 8c

We are still selling gallon cans of Light Table Syrup at 25c

20 pounds fine granulated sugar \$1.00

Hot roasted peanuts 10c pound

LA BARONESSE TOILET SOAP.

The finest 10c toilet soap made. 3 cakes for 25c.

GOLD PLATED CHATELAIN PINS 25c EACH.

We have them also at 50c, 75c and \$1.00.

Come to the BANK DRUG STORE for the finest

Hand Lotions, Perfumes, Toilet Soaps, Toilet Preparations.

Caspari-Quinine Tablets 18c box

White Pine and Spruce Balsam

White Pine and Tar Balsam

AT THE

BANK DRUG STORE.

CHELSEA TELEPHONE NUMBER 8

Business Men's Club.
The Business Men's Club will serve at the Congregational church on Friday evening of this week the following viands:

Soup
Celery
Roast beef and brown gravy
Roast pork and apple sauce
Salmon
Eggs
Mashed Potatoes
Biscuits and Butter
Fruit Salad
Brown Cake and White Cake
Apple Pie and Mince Pie
Cheese
Oranges
Bananas
Apples
Coffee

The price of the supper will be 25 cents for adults and 15 cents for children.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS. OFFICIAL.

Chelsea, Mich., Feb. 18, 1903.

Pursuant to the call of the President, board met in special session. Meeting called to order by the President. Roll call by the Clerk. Present—F. P. Glazier, President and Trustees Schenk, Lehman, Burkhardt and W. J. Knapp. Absent—J. E. McKune and Wilkinson.

State of Michigan, County of Washtenaw, Village of Chelsea, ss.

To John W. Schenk, Wm. R. Lehman, J. Edward McKune, O. C. Burkhardt, W. J. Knapp, A. W. Wilkinson, Trustees of said village.

Please take notice: That I hereby appoint a special meeting of the common council of said village, to be held in the council room this day at the hour of seven-thirty (7:30) o'clock p. m. for the purpose of considering proposals for furnishing water works pumps for the village plant and for the transaction of such other legal business as may come before the council.

Dated, this 18th day of February, A. D. 1903.

F. P. Glazier, President.

State of Michigan, County of Washtenaw, Village of Chelsea, ss.

Jay M. Woods, Marshal of the Village of Chelsea, being duly sworn deposes and says, that on the 18th day of February, A. D. 1903 before the hour of 1:30 o'clock of said day he served a true copy of the within appointment of a special meeting of the Council of said Village upon all the persons therein named by delivering personally a true copy of the same upon the following named persons, viz: John W. Schenk, Wm. R. Lehman, J. Edward McKune, W. J. Knapp, O. C. Burkhardt and A. W. Wilkinson, at least six hours before said 7:30 o'clock p. m.

Jay M. Woods, Marshal of the Village of Chelsea.

Sworn and subscribed to before me this sixteenth day of February 1903.

Frederick A. Wedemeyer, Notary Public in and for Washtenaw Co. Mich.

Minutes read and approved.

Moved by W. J. Knapp, seconded by Schenk, that the President and Clerk be directed to enter into contract with Henry R. Worthington for two new Compound Duplex Pumps as per letter of February 18th and that the pumps be ordered at once. Carried.

On motion, W. H. Heselschwerdt, W. R. Lehman and O. C. Burkhardt were appointed Board of Registration for the coming election. Carried.

On motion, W. P. Schenk, F. Wedemeyer and B. B. Turnbull were appointed Board of election commissioners for the coming annual election. Carried.

On motion, A. W. Wilkinson, W. R. Lehman, J. E. McKune, O. C. Burkhardt, J. W. Schenk were appointed as inspectors of the coming annual election. Carried.

On motion board adjourned.

W. H. HESLSCHWERDT, Clerk.

Have High Jinks.

Luxurious feasts have been given in the Chinese laundry at Ann Arbor which was raided by students Feb. 1, says a correspondent. The students claim that they have seen one Chinese roll little balls over the opium lamp which he would hand around the room. There were no chairs in the room but just sawed blocks of wood on which the Chinese sat. They would put the dark little balls in their pipes and sit down. They would let their hair hang down about their faces and sit motionless like dead men for hours. Then when the drug wore off, they had their feasts. While one Chinese stands in the front office of the laundry, apparently working, the others prepare a banquet. Chickens, fat and tender, are brought in live and killed. Boxes of almond shaped nuts, apparently imported from China, raisins, fresh vegetables sometimes, fine cakes, oranges and apples appear from behind the broom doors of cupboards in the wall. A couple of dozen fresh eggs are the invariable accompaniment of the meal. The chickens are cut into small bits and baked brown. The cook who fries the

eggs never touches them after they have been broken into the pan. If he wishes to turn them he gives the pan a skillful jerk which flips the eggs in the air.

Resolutions.

A cloud of deep affliction has thrown its somber shade over Branch, No. 410. Whereas, God in his infinite wisdom, has seen fit to send the grim reaper of death and remove from our midst, Paulina Weber.

Whereas, we as members of the Ladies Catholic Benevolent Association, to ever cherish in our memory our deceased sister, as a loving and kind friend.

Resolved, that we extend our deep sympathy to her bereaved husband, children and relatives.

Resolved, that our charter be draped for thirty days, that these resolutions be spread upon the record of our Branch and a copy be sent to the family, also the same published in our local papers.

Julia Foster,
Anna Remnant,
Josephine Carringer.

Real Estate Transfers.

Norman B. Trim and wife to Warren West and wife, Ypsilanti, \$100.

Hannah A. Briggs to Joseph F. Schill and wife, Saline, \$50.

Sarah E. Sheehan to Ella M. Henne, Saline, \$500.

Alanson B. Hamlin and wife to Jacob Klingeley, Lodi, \$1,050.

Chester L. Alexander and wife to William H. Smith, Ypsilanti, \$40.

Danield Mexico and wife to George W. Lehman and wife, Ypsilanti, \$1,000.

David Moody and wife to Austin S. Robinson, Saline, \$400.

A Vanishing Industry.

Whaling is one of the vanished industries of Australia. In the thirties and forties it was a very remunerative business. The first settlement in Victoria was made almost 70 years ago by the enterprising Henty Bros., from Sussex, who started a whaling station on the shores of Portland bay. They flourished there for a considerable time, but the whales were gradually frightened out of Australian waters and have now to be sought in the neighborhood of the south pole. The other day a couple of whales entered Portland bay and interested some thousands of spectators. No attempt was made to capture them, as the town of Portland no longer possesses appliances for the purpose or contemplates visits from the leviathans of the deep.—London Chronicle.

"Biography of a Snowflake."

In order to have a fair start in life a snowflake should be built up on a particle of dust. Then, if it has the good fortune to begin its career at the top of a cloud many miles above the earth, and to pass through many atmospheric strata, differing in their temperature and the amount of moisture they contain, our snowflake is very likely to become a notable individual among its kind. In a stratum of warmer air the little flake catches moisture on its tiny spicules, and when it enters a colder stratum below, the moisture is frozen, and so the flake grows. In a thawing air many flakes sometimes cohere, forming disks from an inch to two or three inches across.—Knowledge.

Irrigation in the Southwest.

There was recently begun in Texas what is planned to be the most extensive system of irrigation in the United States, for it involves the utilization of no less than 295,000 acres of land. A main canal will be constructed 100 miles in length, extending 30 miles from the town of Pecos in a southwesterly direction, crossing the Texas & Pacific railroad six miles west of Pecos, and on to Toyah lake, seven miles south of Pecos, where one of the largest reservoirs in existence is to be constructed. From Toyah lake the canal will run on and join the Williams canal 30 miles farther down, finally emptying into the Pecos river 60 miles below Pecos.—Scientific American.

Wedding Changes.

Our manners and customs have changed—nowhere more than in wedding celebrations. The early service, the heavy luncheon, the long honeymoon, the tears, the fainting fits, the bashfulness and emotion of the bride, have all vanished. Instead we have the afternoon ceremony, the tea and light refreshments, the composure and gaiety of every one, including the mother of the bride (for tears are in bad taste), and, finally, the departure by motor car.—London Graphic.

Antitoxin in Austria.

By order of the Austrian government antitoxin must be sold in every drug store throughout the empire below cost. According to the official report, out of 23,000 cases of diphtheria in Austria last year treated with antitoxin 13.9 per cent. died. Out of 10,000 not treated with antitoxin 37.5 per cent. died.—London Mail.

MYSTERIOUS CIRCUMSTANCES.

One was pale and yellow and the other fresh and rosy. Whence the difference? She who is blushing with health uses Dr. King's New Life Pills to maintain it. By gently arousing the lazy organs they compel good digestion and head off constipation. Try them. Only 25c at Glazier & Stimson's druggists.

Good Man Refutes Slander.

"I suppose you are aware," said a friend to him one day, "that a man of the name of Dickens has shown you up in a most unflattering way in one of his novels."

"I believe my attention has been called to the fact before," replied Mr. Pecksniff, casting his eyes upward with a look of pious resignation, "but I had forgotten it. I hold no malice against Mr. Dickens. Far from it. Charity, my love," he continued, turning to his daughter, "remind me, in my devotions this evening, to offer up a special petition for Mr.—Mr.—his name has temporarily escaped me—thank you—for Mr. Dickens."—Chicago Tribune.

Just What He Wanted.

Grocer—So you've given up drinking, have you, Uncle Rastus?

Uncle Rastus—Yes, sah; I ain't tetcht a drop in fo' weeks.

"Well, you deserve a great deal of credit for that."

"Yes, sah; dat's jes' what I thinks, Mistah Brown. I wur jes' gwine ter ax yo' if yo' eud trus' me fo' some groceries."—Columbus (O.) State Journal.

The Only Purchaser.

Ida—Have a scheme to make Charlie contribute to our fund.

Ernie—You have?

"Yes; I am going to offer to sell kisses at one dollar each during the church fair."

"Don't you think he will be terribly jealous?"

"That's just it. He will be so jealous that he'll offer to buy up the whole lot in advance."—Chicago Daily News.

His Sad Story.

"Cleanliness can do you no harm," said the housewife.

"I don't know about dat, ma'am," returned the dusty wayfarer.

"Did you ever lose anything by it?"

"Yes, mum; I was 'tattooed man' in a circus one time 'an' when dey made me take a bath all de figures came off 'an' I lost my job."—Chicago Daily News.

Afraid of Comment.

"So you don't want your constituents to know about the luxury you are maintaining?"

"No," answered Senator Sorghum. "Some constituents are pretty selfish. They'll think that if I have any extra money to spend I ought to pay it out for votes."—Washington Star.

REGISTRATION NOTICE.

Notice is Hereby Given, That the Board of Registration of the Village of Chelsea will meet for the purpose of completing the list of qualified voters of said Village and of registering the names of all persons who shall be possessed of the necessary qualifications of electors, and who may apply for that purpose, on Saturday the seventh day of March A. D. 1903 at the place designated below: Council Room of Town Hall, and that said Board of Registration will be in session on the day and at the place above mentioned, from 9 o'clock in the forenoon until 8 o'clock in the afternoon of that date, for the purpose above specified.

By Order of the Board of Registration of the village of Chelsea.

Dated, at Chelsea, Mich., February 25th A. D. 1903.

W. H. HESLSCHWERDT, Village Clerk.

NOTICE OF ELECTION.

Notice is Hereby Given, That an Election will be held in the Village of Chelsea, County of Washtenaw, State of Michigan on Monday the ninth day of March A. D. 1903 for the purpose of electing the following officers: One President, One Clerk, Three Trustees for two years, One Treasurer, One Assessor. The Polls of the Election in the said Village of Chelsea will be held at the Town Hall. The Polls will be open at 7 o'clock in the forenoon of said ninth day of March A. D. 1903 or as soon thereafter as may be, and will be closed at 5 o'clock in the afternoon of that day. Dated, at Chelsea, Mich., February 25th A. D. 1903.

W. H. HESLSCHWERDT, Village Clerk.

A Card of Thanks.

We wish to extend our sincere thanks to all the friends and neighbors who so willingly extended their help and sympathy to us during the illness and death of our wife and mother.

Harry Shaver.

Mrs. N. Tucker.

MONEY FOR YOU.

Do you want to sell a mortgage or a note, sell or buy a farm, loan money on good security, build a house and pay it on the installment plan? Do you want an administrator, guardian or your estate closed up in the shortest possible time, with the least possible expense? If so call on Kaimbach & Parker. Office in Kempf Bank.

THE EASY PILL.

DeWitt's Little Early Risers do not gripe nor weaken the system. They cure biliousness, jaundice, constipation and inactive liver, by arousing the secretions moving the bowels gently yet effectively and giving such tone and strength to the glands of the stomach, liver and bowels that the cause of the trouble is removed entirely. These famous little pills exert a tonic effect upon the organs involved, and if their use is continued for a few days there will be no return of the trouble. Glazier & Stimson.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY.

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

IT PAYS TO TRADE AT FENN & VOGEL'S

Our line of 10c Canned Goods cannot be excelled, corn, peas, beans, salmon, pineapple.

8 cans good salmon for 25c

20 pounds eastern granulated sugar \$1.00

Henkle's bread flour now 60c sack

Gold medal flour now 65c sack

We have a reputation of selling the best 50c Tea in Chelsea. Are you one of our Tea customers?

Fine flavored Tea at 80c a pound. Good Tea dust 15c pound

Best 25c coffee in Chelsea

If you are fond of a real strong coffee we have one at 11c pound

Good coffee at 16 and 20c pound.

Wyandotte soda 5c lb packages Best natrona bicarbonate soda 5c package

Peruna, Swamp Root and Sarasparilla 75c

Diamond shape bottles of syrup of white pine and tar are the original article 20c and 40c bottle, sold only by Fenn & Vogel

Finest seeded raisins 12c pound. Finest currants 10c pound

The best line of domestic cigars

Wheatlet, Grape Nuts, Maple-Flake and Petyjohn's breakfast food 15c package

When you want things right buy them of your druggists.

FENN & VOGEL.

IN JEWELRY REPAIRING

there is a "knack" of doing it well and making it look as good as new. We have that "knack." Our new method of working gold and silver is a conundrum to many how it can be done and to those who do not possess this "knack."

That Piece of Old Jewelry

or silverware that you have laid aside as unfit for use, may possibly be put into such condition as to serve you as well as a new piece. To the charm of its pleasant association you may add the satisfaction of usefulness. PRICES—We don't claim to do cheap work, but we'll do you good work cheap.—There is a difference.

F. KANTLEHNER.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION

OF THE

Kempf Commercial & Savings Bank

At Chelsea, Michigan, at the close of business, Feb. 6th, 1903, as called for by the Commissioner of the Banking Department.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts..... \$ 58,463.45
Bonds, mortgages, securities 255,975.12
Premiums paid on bonds..... 348.75
Overdrafts..... 1,644.57
Banking house..... 7,500.00
Furniture and fixtures..... 1,890.00
Due from other banks and bankers..... 13,700.00
U. S. bonds..... 5,500.00
Due from banks in reserve cities 38,401.38
U. S. and national bank currency..... 4,197.00
Gold coin..... 8,772.80
Silver coin..... 1,989.85
Nickels and cents 124.47 59,356.20
Checks, cash items internal revenue account..... 431.98
Total..... \$399,219.07

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in..... \$ 40,000.00
Surplus..... 5,600.00
Undivided profits, net..... 4,104.22
Commercial deposits..... 49,510.74
Certificates of deposit..... 15,397.25
Certified checks..... 400.00
Savings deposits 258,881.68
Savings certificates..... 25,911.23 349,614.85
Total..... \$399,219.07

State of Michigan, County of Washtenaw, ss.

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

JOHN A. PALMER, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of Feb. 1903.

GEO. A. BRIGGS, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

H. S. Holmes,
C. H. Kempf,
Edward Vogel,
Directors.

Chelsea Greenhouse.

Mushrooms..... 20c quart
Cut Carnations..... 50c dozen
Lettuce..... 5c per head or 20c pound
15 Radishes..... 10c
12 Onions..... 5c
Primrose..... 15c each
Yellow Carnation Plants 15c each without crock.
Ferns and all other plants on hand.
ELVIRA CLARK, Florist.
Phone connection Chelsea, Mich.

TRAGEDY Averted.

"Just in the nick of time our little boy was saved" writes Mrs. W. Watkins of Pleasant City, Ohio. "Pneumonia had played and havoc with him and a terrible cough set in besides. Doctors treated him, but he grew worse every day. At length we tried Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption and our darling was saved. He's now sound and well." Every body ought to know it's the only cure for coughs, colds and all lung diseases. Guaranteed by Glazier & Stimson Druggists. Price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION

OF THE

Chelsea Savings Bank.

At Chelsea, Michigan, at the close of business, Feb. 6th, 1903, as called for by the Commissioner of the Banking Department.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts..... \$142,022.47
Bonds, mortgages, securities 218,095.16
Furniture and fixtures..... 9,665.34
Other real estate..... 4,000.00
Due from banks in reserve cities 41,016.98
Exc'ges for clearing house..... 904.74
U. S. and national bank currency..... 7,002.00
Gold coin..... 8,660.00
Silver coin..... 1,393.25
Nickels and cents 438.34 59,414.51
Checks, cash items, internal revenue account..... 1,885.37
Total..... \$434,980.45

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in..... \$ 60,000.00
Surplus fund..... 15,000.00
Undivided profits, net..... 6,394.21
Commercial deposits..... 63,715.12
Certificates of deposit..... 54,570.98
Savings deposits 109,860.33
Savings certificates..... 125,439.81 353,586.24
Total..... \$434,980.45

State of Michigan, County of Washtenaw, ss.

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

THEO. E. WOOD, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of Feb. 1903.

How's That?
We offer One Hundred Dollars reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.
P. J. CHENEY & CO., Props., Toledo, O.
We the undersigned have known P. J. Cheney for the last 15 years and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by him.
Wells & Trust, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.; Walling, Kline & Marvin, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.
Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acts directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 50c per bottle. Sold by all druggists.
Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Rev. Horatio Gray Is Dead.
Boston special: Rev. Horatio Gray, a retired Episcopal clergyman of distinguished ancestry and wide acquaintance, is dead. He was a Brown alumnus and was ordained to the priesthood in 1853.

Ask Your Dealer For Allen's Foot-Ease.
A powder. It cures the feet. Cures Corns, Bunions, Swollen, Sore, Hot, Callous, Aching, Sweating Feet and Ingrowing Nails. Allen's Foot-Ease makes new or tight shoes easy. At all Druggists and Shoe Stores, 15 cents. A box of 100. Sample mailed FREE. Address Allen S. Olmsted, LeRoy, N. Y.

Victim of Cigarettes.
Jamestown special: Warren Grover, a 17-year-old boy, committed suicide by shooting himself through the head. He was an incessant smoker of cigarettes and this is said to have caused insanity.

DO YOUR CLOTHES LOOK YELLOW?
If so, use Red Cross Ball Blue. It will make them white as snow. 2 oz. package 5 cents.

He who has life's plan alone can make it plain to us.

Two Ways of Putting It.
Two bookkeepers met at luncheon in a downtown restaurant on New Year's day, says the New York Times. "What are you doing down here today?" asked one.
"I am making an examination of our books," replied the bookkeeper, with an air of importance, "searching for sins of omission, commission and remission, scenting out errors, rectifying mistakes, proving our balance sheet, and satisfying myself as to the correctness of our accounts. Why are you down here on a holiday?"
"Oh, I'm only checking up our books," replied the other, devoting himself to his sandwich and coffee.

At Eventide.
At morn I saw the level plain,
So rich and small beneath my feet,
A sapphire sea, without a stain,
And fields of golden-waving wheat;
Lingering, I said, "At noon I'll be
At peace with that sweet-scented tide,
How far, how fair my course shall be,
Before I come to the eventide!"

Where is it fled, that radiant plain?
I stumble now in miry ways;
Dark clouds drift landward, big with rain,
And lonely moors their summits raise,
On, on, with hurrying feet I range,
And left and right in the dumb hill-side,
Gray valleys open, drear and strange—
And so I come to the eventide!
—Arthur Christopher Benson, in Spectator.

The man who is afraid to take a stand against sin will never know that God is good.
Our losses and our gains furnish the true estimate of life.

THE MAID of MAIDEN LANE

Sequel to "The Bow of Orange Ribbon."

A LOVE STORY BY AMELIA E. BARR

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CHAPTER I.
The Home of Cornelia Moran.
Never, in all its history, was the proud and opulent city of New York more glad and gay than in the bright spring days of Seventeen-Hundred-and-Ninety-One. It had put out of sight every trace of British rule and occupancy, all its homes had been restored and re-furnished, and its sacred places re-consecrated and adorned. The skies of Italy were not bluer than the skies above it; the sunshine of Arcadia not brighter or more genial. These gracious days of Seventeen-Hundred-and-Ninety-One were also the early days of the French revolution, and fugitives from the French court—princes and nobles, statesmen and generals, sufficient for a new Ilad, loitered about the pleasant places of Broadway and Wall street, Broad street, and Maiden Lane. They were received with courtesy, and even with hospitality, although America at that date almost universally sympathized with the French Republicans, whom they believed to be the pioneers of political freedom on the aged side of the Atlantic. Love for France, hatred for England, was the spirit of the age; it effected the trend of commerce, it dominated politics, it was the keynote of conversation wherever men and women congregated.
Yet the most pronounced public feeling always carries with it a note of dissent, and it was just at this day that dissenting opinion began to make itself heard. The horrors of Avignon, and of Paris, the brutality with which the royal family had been treated, and the abolition of all religious ties and duties, had many and bitter opponents.
In these days of wonderful hopes and fears there was, in Maiden Lane, a very handsome residence—an old house even in the days of Washington, for Peter Van Clyffe had built it early in the century as a bridal present to his daughter when she married Philip Moran, a lawyer who grew to eminence among colonial judges.
One afternoon in April, 1791, two men were standing talking opposite to the entrance gates of the pleasant place. They were Capt. Joris Van Heemskirk, a member of the Congress then sitting in Federal Hall, Broad street, and Jacobus Van Arents, a wealthy citizen, and a deacon in the Dutch church. Van Heemskirk believed in France; the tragedies she had been enacting in the holy name of liberty, though they had saddened him, hitherto, did not discourage him. But the news received that morning had almost killed his hopes for the spread of republican ideas in Europe.
"Van Arents," he said warmly, "this treatment of King Louis and his family is hardly to be believed. It is too much, and too far. After this, no one can foresee what may happen in France."
"That is the truth, my friend," answered Van Arents. "The French have gone mad. We won our freedom without massacres."
"We had Washington and Franklin, and other good and wise leaders who feared God and loved men."
"So I said to the Count de Moustier but one hour ago. Yet if we were prudent and merciful it was because we are religious. When men are irreligious, the Lord forsakes them; and if bloodshed and bankruptcy follow it is not to be wondered at. I am but a tanner and currier, as you know, but I have had experiences; and I do not believe in the future of a people who are without a God and without a religion."
"Well, so it is, Van Arents. I will now be silent, and wait for the echo; but I fear that God has not yet said 'Let there be peace.' I saw you last night at Mr. Hamilton's with your son and daughter. You made a noble entrance."
"Well, then, the truth is the truth. My Arents is worth looking at, and



With Respectful Eagerness He Talked to Her.

as for Rem, he was not made in a day. God is good, who gives us boys and girls to all so near our hearts!"
"And such a fair, free city for a home!" said Van Heemskirk as he looked up and down the sunshiny street. "New York is not perfect, but we love her. Right or wrong, we love her; just as we love our mother, and our little children."
"That, also, is what the Domine says," answered Van Arents; "and yet, he likes not that New York favors the French so much."
"He is a good man. With you, last night, was a little maid—a great beauty I thought her—but I knew her not. Is she then a stranger?"
"A stranger! Come, come! The little one is a very child of New York. She is the daughter of Dr. Moran—Dr. John, as we all call him."
"Well, look now, I thought in her face there was something that went to my heart and memory."
"And yet, in one way, she is a stranger. Such a little one she was, when the coming of the English sent the family apart and away. To the army went the Doctor, and there he stayed, till the war was over. Mrs. Moran took her child, and went to her father's home in Philadelphia. It was only last month she came back to New York. But look now! It is the little maid herself, that is coming down the street."
"And it is my grandson who is at her side. The rascal! He ought now to be reading his law books in Mr. Hamilton's office."
"We also have been young, Van Heemskirk."
"I forget not, my friend. My Joris sees not me, and I will not see him." Then the two old men were silent, but their eyes were fixed on the youth and maiden, who were slowly advancing toward them.
She might have stepped out of the folded leaves of a rosebud, so lovely was her face, framed in its dark curls. Her dress was of some soft, green material; and she carried in her hand a bunch of daffodils. She was small, but exquisitely formed, and she walked with fearless and distinction.
Of all this charming womanhood the young man at her side was profoundly conscious. A tall, sunbrowned, military-looking young man, as handsome as a Greek god. He was also very finely dressed, in the best and highest mode; and he wore his sword as if it were a part of himself. Indeed, all his movements were full of confidence and ease; and yet it was the vivacity, vitality, and ready response of his face that was most attractive.
His wonderful eyes were bent upon the maid at his side; he saw no other earthly thing. With a respectful eagerness, full of admiration, he talked to her; and she answered his words—whatever they were—with a smile that might have moved mountains. They passed the two old men without any consciousness of their presence, and Van Heemskirk smiled, and then sighed, and then said softly—
"So much youth, and beauty, and happiness! It is a benediction to have seen it! I shall not reproach Joris at this time. But now I must go back to Federal Hall."
When their eyes turned to the Moran house the vision of youth and beauty had dissolved. Van Heemskirk's grandson, Lieut. Hyde, was hastening towards Broadway; and the lovely Cornelia Moran was sauntering up the garden of her home, stooping occasionally to examine the pearl-powdered auricles or to twine around its support some vine, straggling out of its proper place.
Then Van Arents hurried down to his tanning pits in the swamp; and Van Heemskirk went thoughtfully to Broad street. When he reached Federal Hall, he stood a minute in the doorway; and with inspired eyes looked at the splendid, moving picture; then he walked proudly toward

the Hall of Representatives, saying to himself, with silent exultation as he went:
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CHAPTER II.

This is the Way of Love.
Cornelia lingered in the garden, because she had suddenly, and as yet unconsciously, entered into that tender mystery, so common and so sovereign, which we call Love. In Hyde's presence she had been suffused with a bewildering, profound emotion, which had fallen on her as the gentle showers fall, to make the flowers of spring. This handsome youth, whom she had only seen twice, and in the most formal manner, affected her as no other mortal ever done. She was a little afraid.
"I have met him but twice," she thought; "and it is as if I had a new, strange, exquisite life. Ought I tell my mother? But how can I? I have no words to explain—I do not understand—Alas! if I should be growing wicked!"
The thought made her start; she hastened her steps towards the large entrance door, and as she approached it a negro in a fine livery of blue and white threw the door wide open for her. She turned quickly out of the hall, into a parlor full of sunshine. A lady sat there hemstitching a damask napkin; a lady of dainty plainness, with a face full of graven experience and mellow character. As Cornelia entered she looked up with a smile, and said, as she slightly raised her work, "It is the last of the dozen, Cornelia."
"You make me ashamed of my idleness, mother. I went to Embree's for the linen thread, and he had just opened some English gauzes and lustrings. Mrs. Willets was choosing a piece for a new gown, for she is to dine with the President next week, and she was so polite as to ask my opinion about the goods. Afterwards, I walked to Wall street with her; and coming back I met, on Broadway, Lieut. Hyde, and then he walked home with me. Was it wrong? I mean was it polite—I mean the proper thing to permit? I knew not how to prevent it."
"How often have you met Lieut. Hyde?"
"I met him for the first time last night. He was at the Sylvesters."
"And pray what did Lieut. Hyde say to you this afternoon?"
"He gave me the flowers, and he told me about a beautiful opera, of which I had never before heard. It is called Figaro. He asked permission to bring me some of the airs to-night, and I said some civilities. I think they meant 'Yes.' Did I do wrong, mother?"
"I will say 'no,' my dear; as you have given the invitation. But to prevent an appearance of too exclusive intimacy, write to Arents, and ask her and Rem to take tea with us."
"Mother, Arents has bought a blue lustring. Shall I not also have a new gown? The gauzes are very sweet and genteel, and I think Mrs. Jay will not forget to ask me to her dance next week. Mr. Jefferson is sure to be there, and I wish to walk a minuet with him."
"I told Mrs. Willets, and with such a queer little laugh she asked me 'if his red breeches did not make me think of the guillotine.' I do not think Mrs. Willets likes Mr. Jefferson very much; but, all the same, I wish to dance once with him. I think it will be something to talk about when I am an old woman."
"My dear one, that is so far off. Go now, and write to Arents."
(To be continued.)

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England Makes Heavy Purchases from Her Old-Time Foe.
Jean Finot, editor of the Revue des Revues, recently put the relations between France and England in a most striking fashion. He said:
"Great Britain deserves the name of the richest and most important of French colonies. France is so bound up with her fate that the disappearance of England's economic power would cause her incalculable mischief. Our total exports in 1901 were only 4,155,000,000 francs, of which England took 1,264,000,000 francs, or more than 30 per cent of all the merchandise which we cast on the world's market. But even of more importance is the fact that the amount of English purchases in France is constantly growing. From 1,032,000,000 francs in 1896 it rose to 1,132,000,000 francs in 1897, to 1,233,000,000 francs in 1898, and to 1,284,000,000 francs in 1901, thus showing an increase of 23 per cent in five years. Now the purchases from the mother country of all the French colonies, including Algeria, 258,000,000 francs, and Tunis, about 24,000,000 francs, together with those scattered all over the world, about 128,000,000 francs, did not amount in 1900 to more than 476,000,000 francs. Besides this colossal amount of purchases, the English yearly spend considerable sums in France. The money laid in our country by Englishmen visiting Paris or their favorite resorts is commonly estimated at 500,000,000 francs, thus making 1,300,000,000 francs as the formidable total yearly paid by England to France."

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tended down into my chest was all gone, and my neck now seems to be perfectly well.
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Chicago, Nov. 12, 1902.

"My friends tried to persuade me to consult my physician; but dreaming that he would insist on using the knife, I would not consent to go. Instead I got a small bottle of Cuticura Resolvent and a box of Cuticura Ointment. I took the former according to directions, and spread a thick layer of the ointment on a linen cloth and placed it on the swelling. On removing it I would bathe my neck in very warm water and Cuticura Soap. In a few days the swelling to a head, when it broke. Every morning it was opened with a large sterilized needle, squeezed and bathed, and fresh ointment put on. Pus and blood, and a yellow, cheesy, tumorous matter came out. In about three or four weeks' time this treatment completely eliminated the tumor. The soreness that had ex-

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And those who weep.
At night
We rise above the care
And pettiness that all must bear,
And breathe the sweet and purer air
That angels share.
—Frank H. Sweet, in the New York Herald.

The Sentimentalist's Surprise.

By Clare M. Howard.

JANE was a young person of great sensibility and imaginative power. Her enemies said she was sentimental, but that was only half true. Jane, having read countless romances in which love appeared to be the highest state of bliss, decided that if life were to contain anything important for her she must fall in love as soon as possible. This may seem an easy matter to the simply amorous, but to a strict romanticist it presents many difficulties. Jane's life led down a city street to school, and home again. It is true that many young ladies in Madame Estelle's seminary flirted from the windows with young gentlemen on the corner, but this innocent vulgarity was offensive to Jane's sense of romance. She continued reading and bided an auspicious occasion for the bestowal of her heart.

In her fifteenth year Jane's parents went to spend the summer in the Adirondacks. Jane decided that this summer should certainly mark the great year of her life. Some one must at once be found upon whom to hang her affections. Had not Juliet lived, loved and died before she was sixteen? Jane made a calculating survey of herself before she launched upon her quest. Her blue eyes, black hair and pensive, drooping mouth were encouraging, but there was something offensively prosaic about her short, blue linen dress and large laced boots. A limp white muslin and a pair of sandal slippers are what Jane would have liked.

For many days Jane viewed the male population of the lakes with a searching eye. She looked at the venerable beards with patient leather shoes and cynical smiles, the college men with blatant tongues and sweaters, the stodgy heads of families, the choicely dressed and vacuous-looking youths from city offices, the agile, derisive little boys who moved in gangs. Her heart misgave her. Was it possible that ladies still found heroes in this throng? Still she did not despair. There might yet beat some soul of sentiment under a flannel blazer.

One night as she was standing on the wharf the little boat that brought new visitors to the hotel presented to her eyes a likely subject. He was leaning against the door of the steamer in a rather graceful way, with a soft but almost imperceptibly tilted on his head. There was, to Jane's eye, something both subtle and dashing about his appearance. Her hopes beat high. He was shaking hands with an older girl whom she knew. There was to be a hop at the hotel that night. Perhaps the older girl would ask him to dance with Jane.

The would-be heroine was pink with excitement that evening. She watched the new guest as he crossed the dancing space. He had dark eyes with shadows under them and shadows round his mouth. Jane thought he must work very hard. She leaned over and touched her older friend. "Will—will you introduce me to that man?" she shyly whispered.

"Of course," said her companion gaily, beckoning to the latter. "Miss Graves, let me present Mr. Carson." "Delighted," said Mr. Carson in a weary voice. "May I have the pleasure?" and he led Jane out to dance. Afterward they repaired to two veranda seats in the moonlight. Jane waited anxiously for her hero to speak, and the hero spoke. He told Jane that she danced beautifully; that it was the best dance he had had that evening. He jeered languidly at the college students and said it must be very dull here for a pretty girl. He broke off to admire a blond lady going past. Jane once more felt the pangs of disappointment. Alas! his romantic exterior belied him. He was only rude and silly. She looked sadly at him. He was leaning back with drooping eyes.

"Beg pardon, but I have such a headache," he murmured.
"I am very sorry," said Jane.
"Jove, what a smile!" said the young man; "it's enough to make a fellow well again."
Jane rose. "There is my next partner," she said stiffly, and led the way across the room. Never, never again would Jane make a mistake about dashing young men with shadows under their eyes.

So Jane had to begin her search again. There came upon her horizon an eighteen-year-old schoolboy by the name of Robert Smith—a tremendous young giant, with blue eyes, yellow hair and a face devoid of expression. Jane conversationally sounded him. He was sweet-tempered and polite, but seemed quite colorless in mind and heart. Could not Jane find time to suit herself—convert this raw material into a hero? She would try. Robert soon got into the habit of seeking Jane to dance because she did all the talking. Then he began to take

her rowing in the afternoon. Jane's heart began to warm to Robert. It was better to have a man say nothing than to let him spoil things with commonplace remarks. She made him row her to shady nooks, where she would take a little volume of Lord Tennyson and read it to him. She would gaze at him silently and mysteriously. Robert began to be listless and pale. The silence and poetry and adoration of Jane were enervating him. But whenever he made an attempt to take any one else out rowing Jane's eyes would give him to understand that he had stabbed her to the heart; so poor, huge, sweet-tempered Robert was finally bound hand and foot. He followed Jane all day long, let himself be read to, quarreled with, admired and often showed sparks of real emotion. Still Jane was conscious of a sense of disappointment. It was heavy work—this dragging of Robert through the proper paces.

At last her home-made hero was obliged to leave. Jane brightened up. Here was an opportunity for a touching farewell. That afternoon she and Robert rowed to a beautiful little island where, on a moss-grown bank above the lake, they watched the setting sun "for the last time," as Jane said.

"Robert, let's carve P. L. on this log," she cried enthusiastically.
"P. L.?" said Robert, in solemn astonishment.
"Yes, for Paradise Lost!"
"What's the joke?" he asked.
Jane felt it would be useless to explain.

The next morning as Robert departed on the little steamer Jane watched until she could no longer see shining on her hero's coat the silver heart she made him swear to keep for her sake always. Then she gave a little sigh of relief. Robert, indeed, was heavy work.

Jane now felt that she was either one of those to whom real love never comes, or that since romance was dead she would not continue to be its upholder. She began to join the other girls in singing coon songs in the evenings, and to play tennis with a shaggy, red-haired college boy. She often made attempts to go to the Lost Paradise and mourn in pensive solitude, but this red-haired boy was always getting up a party to fish or dig for worms, and dragged her with them. The red-haired boy was ugly, headstrong and had no ear for Tennyson, but he had a smile like those for which comedians on the stage have been known to receive large salaries.

One day the hotel guests hired the little steamer and toured the lakes for a picnic. The red-haired boy sat by Jane on the back deck and made puns. At luncheon he beat a boy over the head with a chicken bone because he didn't pass the cakes to Jane. When it began to rain, as it always does at picnics, he seized Jane by the hand and made her run along the road until she begged for mercy. Reaching the steamer, he pushed her into his overcoat, wrapped her feet in a potato sack and composed himself beside her to play the banjo all the way home. It wasn't at all romantic, but very pleasant in its way. Jane wished she had not wasted so much time looking for an heroic hero.

"How long do you stay here?" she asked.
"Till to-morrow," he answered.
"Only to-morrow?" she cried.
The red-haired boy stopped singing and smiled at her. He wasn't such a very ugly boy. "Sure; on the 5.30 boat. Wave your hand as we go past," he said.

In the early morning following Jane was waked by a foot from the steamer. Jumping out of bed she seized a towel and flapped it from the window. As the boat rounded the corner she could see the sunlight shining on the red-haired boy. He waved his straw hat and he was gone.

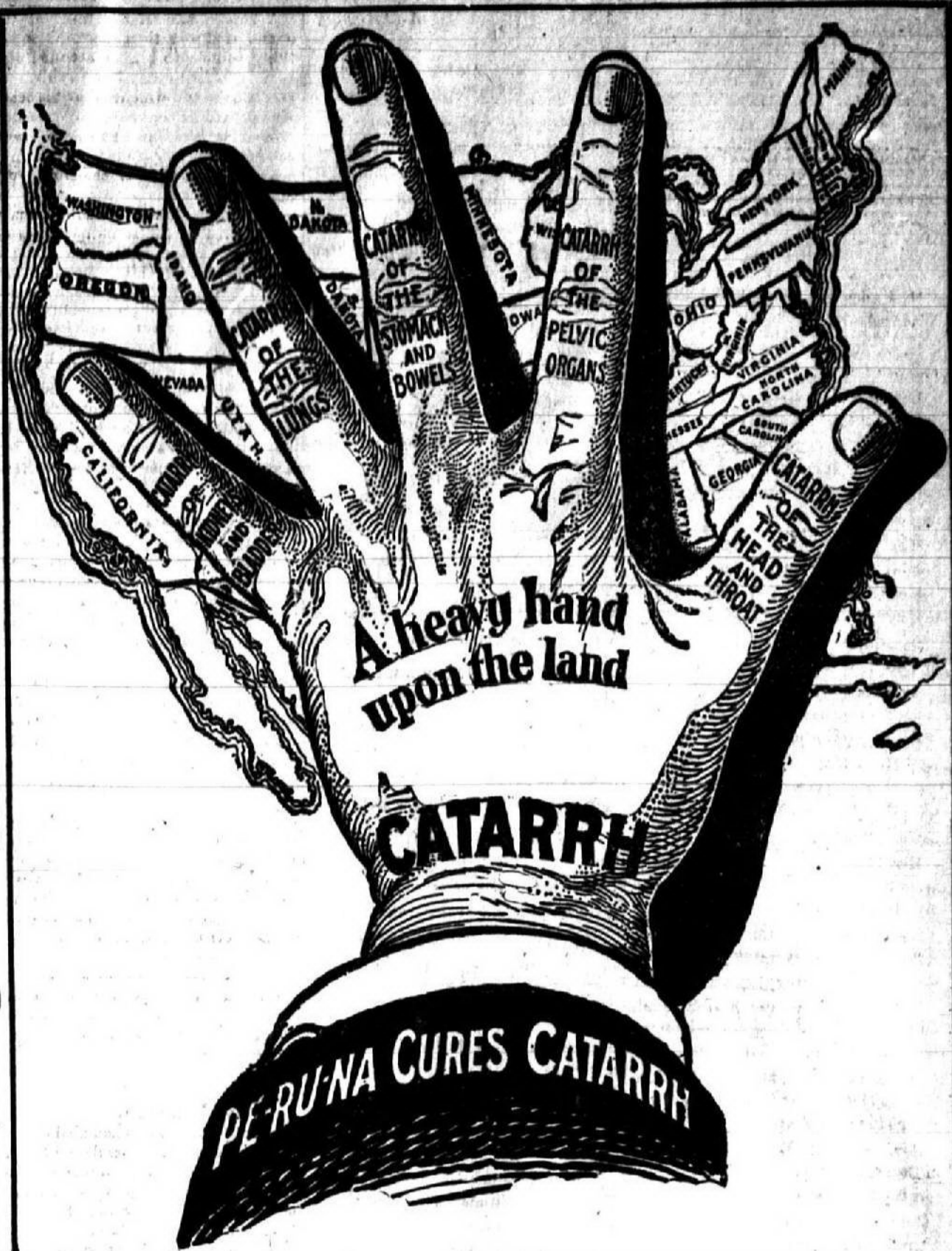
Jane crept back to bed and wrung her hands in pleasurable anguish. "To think I loved him all along," she said, "and never even knew it!"—Columbia Literary Monthly.

Originated From Accidents.

It is curious to note that many things which have turned out most useful discoveries for man, having great influence upon the lives and destinies of mankind, owe their beginning to some slight accident. It is said that the art of printing took its origin from some rude impressions taken (for the amusement of children) from letters carved on the bark of a beech tree. Gunpowder was discovered from the falling of a spark on some materials mixed in mortar. The stupendous results of the steam engine may all be traced to the boy who sat watching the steam which came from the nose of a teakettle. Electricity was discovered by a person observing that a piece of rubbed glass attracted small bits of paper. Pendulum clocks were invented after Galileo stood observing the lamp in a church swinging to and fro. The telescope we owe to some children of a spectacle maker placing two or more pairs of spectacles before each other, and looking through them at the distant sky. Their idea was followed up by older heads.

Manufacturing Butterflies.

Collectors of butterflies have discovered a worse ill than the "breaking on the wheel" for their favorites. Men with much ingenuity and no conscience make butterflies to order. That is to say, they take the commonest specimen, veneer him over with a thin paste, and then so deftly apply delicate metallic powders of various colors that the mother of that same common or garden butterfly would not know it from a real and wonderful real admirer or other choice specimen. There is a great flutter among the museums and private collections.—London Express.



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Thus, the antelope, by means of its superior speed, at times escapes from the lion. The armadillo, rolled in its wondrous coat of mail, lies secure among a score of hungry, gnawing foes, while the white hare, scarcely distinguishable from the snow on which it crouches, is often overlooked by his foe the fox. But of all creatures none have received more ample protection than the insects. Some of them possess stings, others bite, and a few puff out clouds of poisonous vapor to stupefy or blind their pursuers. Again, there are insects clothed in impenetrable armor, insects covered with sharp spines and prickles and others whose means of defence consists in nothing but a likeness to the objects which surround them.

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Commander of Garnet Hive, East Toledo, wishes to be of some benefit to suffering humanity. In speaking of the affair, said: "I was saved from Consumption after my case had been pronounced incurable and hopeless by eminent physicians; if any one is suffering from this dread disease and will write me I will gladly tell without cost how it was done at home; my sole object is to be of some benefit to humanity. Address Mrs. H. A. Knowles, 581 Moore St., Toledo, Ohio."

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Mother Gray's Sweet Powders for Children. Successfully used by Mother Gray, nurse in the Children's Home in New York, cure Constipation, Feverishness, Bad Stomach, Teething Disorders, move and regulate the Bowels and Destroy Worms. Over 30,000 testimonials. At all druggists, 25c. Sample FREE. Address A. S. Olmsted, LaBoy, N. Y.

Never make a "poor mouth" if you want a rich man's favor. Look prosperous or plucky.
Droopy treated free by Dr. H. H. Green's. Bone of Atlanta, Ga. The greatest droopy specialists in the world. Read their advertisement in another column of this paper.
The best observer is he who has left prejudice at home and seen without being seen.
To Cure a Cold in One Day. Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund money if it fails to cure. 25c.

Any girl who induces a young man to propose begs the question.

Whenever you have a trial, it means that God is trying to tell you how to be a better Christian.
All things whatsoever ye would that men should do to you, do ye even so to them.—Christian.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup. For children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic. 25c a bottle.

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The force of the church is in facts and faith and not in forms.

Pink's Cure cannot be too highly spoken of as a cough cure.—J. W. O'BRIEN, 222 Third Ave., N. Minneapolis, Minn., Jan. 6, 1903.

A good man will always find some good in men.

Clear white clothes are a sign that the housekeeper uses Red Cross Ball Blue. Large 2 oz. package, 5 cents.

Fifty hundred and thirty-two tons of cigarettes were exported from Egypt in the year 1901.

The mother with her arms full of babies has as much right as a bride with American beauties.

Tonsilline Cures Sore Throat.

A great work will lift you above little worries.

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MULL'S GRAPE TONIC

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PERSONAL.

Miss Anna Mast was a Jackson visitor Wednesday.

W. F. Riemenschneider is spending today in Detroit.

Mrs. Geo. A. BeGole was a Detroit visitor Wednesday.

Mrs. C. J. Dewey spent several days of last week at Matalan.

Bernard Glenn of Detroit spent Sunday with relatives here.

Miss Mattie Stimson of Lansing spent Sunday with her mother here.

Mrs. C. E. Clark of Ypsilanti is visiting her parents here this week.

Don Curtis of Lake Odessa spent the first of the week at this place.

Miss Kate Hooker left this week for Detroit where she will spend some time.

Joe Snyder of Wayne spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Heeschwerdt.

C. T. Tryon of Bakersfield, California was the guest of Chelsea friends Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Libbie Schwickerath of Jackson, spent Sunday with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Robert Schwickerath.

Geo. A. Elster of the Chelsea Dry Goods & Shoe Co. spent several days the first of the week in Detroit.

M. J. Noyes and daughter Edith, left for Chicago and St. Joseph, Missouri the first of the week.

Miss Lena Foster was called to Adrian Wednesday night by the illness of her sister Miss Cora Foster.

Rev. Carl G. Zeldner and Dr. Bowers of Detroit were Sylvan and Sharon visitors the first of the week.

John Farrell of this village and John Farrell of Jackson left for Cuba Friday where they will spend some time.

President Cleary of Ypsilanti business college, was a pleasant caller at the home of M. J. Noyes, Saturday evening.

Mrs. W. H. Wood and Miss Nora Daly of Toledo also Tim Daly of Sylvan spent Friday of last week with C. J. Daly and daughter of Lyndon.

Miss Margarette Bahnmiller of Sharon, who has been suffering severely with rheumatism for several months, will be taken to the U. of M. hospital today to undergo an operation.

"Fear Tight Money" is the heading on the financial page of a daily paper. Can't see what the use of being afraid of tight money. We know of some that is so tight that we have almost given up hope of having an opportunity to fear it. The only fear that we have in the matter is that we may never see it.

UNADILLA.

Alex Pyper of Grand Ledge is visiting friends and relatives here.

Julien Buel and wife of Isoco visited Wm. Smith and wife Friday.

C. J. Nott and wife spent the first of the week with Mrs. Geo. May.

A number from this place attended the lyceum at Anderson last Saturday night.

Frank and George May spent Saturday and Sunday with their brother Edison of Leslie who is sick.

On March the sixth the Unadilla school will give an old fashioned exhibition consisting of recitations, dialogue, drill, tableaux, songs, and instrumental music, at the Presbyterian hall. Admission 5 cents. We will be glad to see you there.

SYLVAN.

Alfred Icheldinger is seriously ill with diphtheria.

Mrs. Mary Merker and Miss Kate Knoll are on the sick list.

Mrs. M. B. Millsbaugh has been on the sick list the past week.

Chas. Lorie of Eaton Rapids spent the first of the week at this place.

Miss Bessie Young spent the first of the week at Lima with her sister, Mrs. Ed. Gentner.

Mr. and Mrs. Loomis of Grass Lake spent one day of last week with Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Dancer.

A box social will be held at the Sylvan school house Friday evening of this week for the benefit of the school library. Auction begins at 8 o'clock every body cordially invited. A program will be furnished.

SHARON.

Miss Florence Reno is on the sick list.

Will Noble is visiting his mother here.

Fred Bruestle and H. O'Neil were in Jackson on business Tuesday.

Miss Esther Reno spent a few days the first of the week at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gumper of Manchester visited Mrs. A. Obermuth on Sunday.

Rev. C. G. Ziedler and Charles Bower of Detroit visited at Mrs. W. Fletcher's a part of last week.

A party of young people spent Tuesday evening very pleasantly at the home of the Misses Hobart.

Miss Christine Obermuth who went to California to teach school, has been obliged to return here on account of her ill health.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Ordway of Jackson have returned to work her father's farm on account of the failing health of the latter, R. Cook.

FRANCISCO.

Miss Mabel Notten is quite ill.

Miss Eva Main is spending a few days with her aunt.

Mrs. Martin Keeler is spending a few days at Grass Lake.

Lewis Notten of Jackson called on his father one day last week.

Willie Worth of Munith was a guest at J. J. Musbach's Tuesday.

Mrs. Willetta Richards of Brooklyn visited at W. Lecher's last week.

Miss Anna Straub, who has been seriously ill is improving slowly.

Wm. Riemenschneider of Chelsea spent Sunday with his father here.

Miss Nancy Berry is spending this week with Mrs. Cavanaugh at Sharon.

Miss Helen Heeschwerdt of Sharon spent last week relatives in this vicinity.

Leonard Hatt attended the A. O. O. G. meeting at Waterloo last Thursday night.

Misses Martha and Fannie Musbach spent a few days with their sister at Root's Station.

Manola Kalmbach and friend of Chelsea spent Sunday with Fred Kalmbach and family.

Misses Velma Richards and Mabel Guthrie of Chelsea spent Sunday with Chas. Weber and family.

The Epworth League of the German M. E. church will give a social at the home of R. Kruse Thursday night. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

WORKINGMEN'S CAUCUS.

The Workingmen's party of the village of Chelsea will meet in caucus at the Town Hall, (main floor) Tuesday March 3rd, 1903, at eight o'clock p. m. (local time) to nominate village officers to be voted for at the ensuing election.

Dated Chelsea, February 25th, 1903.

By order of committee.

NEARLY FORGOT HIS LIE

A runaway almost ended fatally, started a horrible ulcer on the leg of J. B. Orner, Franklin Grove, Ill. For four years it defied all doctors and all remedies. But Bucklen's Arnica Salve had no trouble to cure him. Equally good for burns, bruises, skin eruptions and piles. 25c at Glazier & Stimson's drug store.

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Salt pork is a famous old-fashioned remedy for consumption. "Eat plenty of pork," was the advice to the consumptive 50 and 100 years ago.

Salt pork is good if a man can stomach it. The idea behind it is that fat is the food the consumptive needs most.

Scott's Emulsion is the modern method of feeding fat to the consumptive. Pork is too rough for sensitive stomachs. Scott's Emulsion is the most refined of fats, especially prepared for easy digestion.

Feeding him fat in this way, which is often the only way, is half the battle, but Scott's Emulsion does more than that. There is something about the combination of cod liver oil and hypophosphites in Scott's Emulsion that puts new life into the weak parts and has a special action on the diseased lungs.

A sample will be sent free on request. Be sure that this picture in the form of a label is on the wrapper of every bottle of Emulsion you buy.

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Frost, Snow and Prices.

A young man in this town by the name of Frost thinks he has something coming to him on account of a very disappointing love affair. It seems from the evidence that his heart was melted by the charms of a maiden named Snow. They were, in fact, schoolmates, and from the first early season of their attachment Frost looked forward to the time when he could call her his own. But a new person arrived on the scene by the name of Fries. Miss Snow began to yield to the warmth of the latter's wooing, and before long Mr. Frost was informed that her heart had grown cold to him, she loved Fries only. And now Frost thinks it is a cold deal, and is praying that grace may be given him to play Fries out. But in the meantime Miss Snow has fallen into another's arms. Mr. Frost's friends advise him to let the matter drift along. Frost says he's deep enough in misery now.—Portland Oregonian.

Long Distance Pianist.

In the newspapers of Padua a musician named Bancia recently announced that on the following Sunday, at seven o'clock in the morning, he would begin to play the piano and would continue to play for 40 hours, or until 11 o'clock Monday evening. During this period he said that he would play 250 pieces of music from memory, and that he would rest for only 20 minutes—ten minutes at the close of the fourteenth hour and another ten minutes at the close of the twenty-ninth hour. He added that during his long performance he would take no nourishment, except a little water and some medicine of his own concoction, and that a committee of physicians would be present in order to see him accomplish his singular feat.—Detroit Free Press.

The Mad and the Title.

Once upon a time there was a fair young girl who had many suitors, but she received them all with equal graciousness and waited for her affections to dictate which should be the especially favored one.

Finally, she heard that a rich uncle of one of her wooers had died leaving him a clear and unencumbered title to many acres of very valuable land. When next she met the young man she showed quite plainly that her affections had begun to dictate.

The result was that they were married when the next June came around. Moral:—Titles are attractive, even in America.—N. Y. Herald.

What Gray Eyes Indicate.

It is said that gray eyes in woman indicate a better head than heart. Gray eyes, however, are of many varieties. There are the sharp, the shrewd, the penetrating, the cold, the intellectual; but the fact remains that the gray represents the head. Gray is said to be the color of talent and shrewdness. Great thinkers have gray eyes. It might also be added that great men have also been those with blue eyes and with brown and hazel.—Chicago Post.

Spotted a Deed of Heroism.

"Uncle," said little Johnny, "tell me how you charged with your war horse up the San Juan hill at the head of your troops."

"Well," said the battle-scarred veteran, "I mounted the fiery animal, drew my sword from its scabbard, rose in my stirrups, cried: 'Forward!' and sunk the spurs deep in the quivering flanks of my gallant steed."—Los Angeles Herald.

Ready for the Blow.

Mother—Johnny, your pop ain't well, so you better run for the doctor.

Johnny—Yes'm.

"An' Johnny, stop on your way at the florist's an' ask him how much he'll charge fur a pillar o' white flowers with 'My Husband' in red on it."—Philadelphia Record.

Didn't Use His Own Medicine.

Doctor—Take this medicine as directed, and your cold will be gone in two or three days.

Patient—You seem quite hoarse, doctor.

"Yes; I've had a bad cold for four weeks."—Chums.

Temptation.

Insurance Agent—Don't you want to take out a policy, Uncle Eben?

Uncle Eben—Go 'long, white man, an' stop tryin' ter lead de ole man astray. Ah done ain't played no policy sense Ah joined the church four y'ars ergo.—Chicago Daily News.

Equally Ignorant.

Assessor—I am sorry your husband is not in. By the way, maybe you can tell me, approximately, the amount of his personal property.

The Wife—Why, no! I had thought perhaps I might find out from you.—Chicago Tribune.

Drinking Water as Dewy.

Water is so scarce in the Japanese island of Oshima that it is the custom for a bride to take a large tub of drinking water with her to her new home as a kind of dowry.—London Chronicle.

Another Life Halted.

Jaggsby—I understand, sir, that you said I drank like a fish.

Waggsby—It's a lie. I never knew you to take a drink of water in your life.—Chicago Daily News.

In a Bad Way.

"Why, how do you do, Mr. Brown. How's all the folks?"

"They're all well except Bill. He's married."—N. Y. Journal.

Then He Was Offended.

Willie—She said that she loved me more than I know.

Wilhelmina—That's nothing.—N. Y. Sun.

The Constitution in Practice.

The theory of the constitution is that the three departments of the government—the legislative, the executive, and the judiciary—are independent of one another. In practice, the government is not carried on in harmony with this theory. The system of checks and balances does not operate as its inventors intended. The president was to have had the power of selecting his subordinates; the senate, through the exercise of the power of confirmation, was to prevent the appointment of unworthy men, especially of men who might connive with the president to usurp power. In practice most of the president's subordinates are forced upon him. He usually selects after consultation with a senator, who stands for the whole senate, for he has its power behind him through a custom which has grown to be a rule of conduct, known as the "courtesy of the senate."—Henry Loomis Nelson, in Century.

Theory of the Aurora.

The latest theory, and a very ingenious one, is that of Untermyer, who supposes that cosmic ether, which fills the celestial spheres, when met by the earth's movement, is compressed or condensed in front of the earth in the direction of its movement, and dilated or rarefied, on the contrary, behind it. This cosmic ether is more condensed before the earth than that which is borne along in the whirl of the world at from 33 to 40 miles per second, and is more rare behind. The result is that one-half the earth, or the northern hemisphere, will be negatively electrified and the southern half positively electrified with the space regions which they are leaving. Only the magic of the spectroscopic will probably push aside the curtains of this grand mystery and reveal the truth.—Frank Wilbert Stokes, in Century.

What She Was Thinking.

Gladys—I'm something of a mind reader myself.

Ethel—Indeed!

"Yes, I can usually tell at a glance what a person thinks of me."

"Wonderful! But don't you often find it awfully embarrassing?"—Stray Stories.

In Athens.

"And now," said the guide, having saved the best for the last, "I will show you the ruins of the Parthenon."

The swallow-faced man of the party—the man with the goatee—demurred. "Durn the ruins!" he exclaimed.

"Show us something fresh. Where's the midway?"—Chicago Tribune.

A Cynical Distinction.

"I never heard of his doing anything out of the way in politics," said the patriotic citizen.

"Neither did I," answered Senator Sorghum.

"And yet you question his honesty?"

"I do. He ain't honest. He's just timid."—Washington Star.

Think What She Has Misread.

Tom—Why so melancholy, old man? Jack—Miss Jones rejected me last night.

"Well, brace up, there are others."

"Yes, of course, but somehow I can't help feeling sorry for the poor girl."—Stray Stories.

Accounted For.

Martha—That horrid Mr. Roaner kissed me in the hall last night.

Constance—You don't mean it! How did it happen?

"It was pitch dark in the hall."

"Ah, I see. That accounts for it, dear."—Boston Transcript.

What More Could He Ask?

"But can you provide for my daughter properly?" asked the father.

"Certainly," replied the youth from Europe. "I can provide her with a title, can't I?"—Chicago Post.

Anguished.

"I am innocent, and I can prove it if you will give me time," whined the old offender.

"Three years," said the judge.—Baltimore American.

Her Chance.

"What a quiet girl Miss Barlow is," remarked Mr. Tredway.

"Guess you never saw her at a whist party," was Mr. Perkiss's observation.—Detroit Free Press.

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TAKEN NOTICE.

All persons who are indebted to the firm of L. T. Freeman will please call at the store of Freeman Bros., and settle their accounts as soon as possible as the old books must be closed. All accounts against L. T. Freeman will be paid at the office of Freeman Bros.

L. T. FREEMAN.

Stops the Cough and works off the Cold.

Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets cure a cold in one day. No Cure, No Pay. Price, 25 cents.

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FARM TO RENT—None but first class man need apply. Mrs. Wm. Fletcher R. F. D. 1, Chelsea.

WANTED—Competent girl to do housework. Apply to Mrs. G. W. Palmer.

FARM TO RENT—Inquire of Leroy Brower, Grass Lake.

CARPET WEAVING—I have opened a carpet weaving establishment in the Beisel building on North street. Also do coloring. Eighteen years experience. Satisfaction guaranteed. B. L. Russell.

HIGHEST market price paid for rye, delivered at the bean house. J. P. Wood & Co. 841f

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.

WHEN in need of a bobbleigh call on A. G. Faust. 501f

GOOD second-hand wagon for sale. A. G. Faust. 501f

Sewing Machines Cleaned & repaired E. J. Whipple

The Wm. Bacon-Holmes Lumber, Grain & Coal Co. will pay for fowls 8 cents and chickens 9 cents per pound.

"YOUR MONEY IS NO GOOD" and will be refunded to you if after using half a bottle of

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Our spring line of ladies and misses

WALKING SKIRTS

in all the leading styles and in all shades and qualities. Prices to suit your pocketbook, from

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Call and see them whether you buy or not.

BIG REDUCTION

on all our winter Walking Skirts to close them out.

The Chelsea Dry Goods & Shoe Co.

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WHY GO TO THE CITY?

The city merchant has very few facilities for buying and selling that the country merchant does not possess. In fact, the advantages are entirely on the side of the country merchant. His rent is much less. His general expenses are much less.

HOLMES STORE

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Why is it then loose nearly all right fully because the trade go to and because of

that some towns of the trade that long to them? these stores let brighter dealers the ordinary

country dealer's lack of enterprise and push. Whatever other country stores may lose in trade to the city stores we have no fault to find with our patronage. Our trade has been of a steady, sound, healthy increase each year.

We shall surely sell more goods this year than last, if push and prices and good service can possibly bring these results. We buy for Cash only. This means a big saving for us and for our customers. We take very large quantities when there is any price object. Another saving for you and us. We never solicit or ask for any business or patronage for any other than Business Reasons. We do not ask your patronage as a right; that sort of a thing is too ancient for our methods of doing. We simply ask you to trade here because It Pays to Buy all of your goods at Holmes Stores.

"The proof of the pudding is in the eating."

We have opened more new goods for this spring business than ever before.

New Dress Goods

New Waistings

New Dress Trimmings,

New Silk Gingham

New Cheviots for Waists

New Fine Gingham,

New Men's Shoes

New Children's Shoes

New Women's Shoes, (Next Week.)

New Suits and Overcoats for Men and Boys

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THIS WEEK AT FREEMAN BROS'.

Nice, Sweet, Juicy Naval Oranges at 20c, 25c and 40c per dozen.

Large Ripe Bananas 20 cents per dozen.

Ripe Juicy Pineapples 25 cents each.

Florida Grape Fruit 15 cents each.

Fancy Cream Cheese, in rolls, at 10 cents each.

Best Elsie Full Cream Cheese at 16c pound.

Sifted Sweet Wrinkled Peas at 15c can.

Sifted Early June Peas at 13c can.

Choice Early June Peas at 10c a can.

Canned Corn at 8c, 10c and 13 cents per can.

Standard Mocha and Java Coffee at 25c pound. If you have been paying 30c or 35c for coffee try a pound of our Standard Brand.

Tea Dnst 20c pound.

2 1-2 pounds coffee for 25c.

10 pounds California Prunes for 25c.

Choice Apricots 2 pounds for 25c.

FREEMAN'S.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Sunday, April 12th will be Easter Sunday.

Mrs. J. G. Hoover has been very ill for some time.

Miss Nen Wilkinson has been quite ill for the past week.

Yesterday was Ash Wednesday the beginning of the Lenten season.

Born, Sunday, February 22, 1903 to Mr. and Mrs. John Mohrlot of Sylvan, a daughter.

Hon. F. P. Glazier and W. J. Knapp were elected delegates to the republican state convention.

Born, Wednesday, February 25, 1903 to Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Cushman of Sylvan, a daughter.

St. Mary's Literary Club will meet at the home of Mrs. W. Remnant on Tuesday evening, March 3rd.

The pupils of Mrs. K. O. Steinbach gave a very enjoyable recital at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Depew last Thursday evening.

E. W. Daniels will sell at public auction on March 3rd for Fred Strable of Seio, and on the 4th for Chas. VanKiper their personal property.

Chas. Fish of Sharon purchased on Saturday of last week of C. Babcock of Grass Lake his residence on Middle street, east. Consideration \$1700.

A number of the young people of this vicinity gave John Jensen a surprise at the home of his parents Mr. and Mrs. Matt Jensen of Sylvan, Monday evening.

The Y. P. S. of St. Paul's church will meet at the home of Miss Louise Heber Thursday evening, March 5th. Every member of the society is urged to be present.

Miss Ben O'Leil of Jerusalem will give an oriental evening at the Congregational church Tuesday evening, March 3rd. Admission, adults, 25 cents, children, 10 cents.

The Standard was in error last week in the "ad" of Fenn & Vogel wherein it quoted Wheatlet, Grape Nuts, and Malt-Flake at 8c. The price should have been 15c per package.

Ranney C. Scott, of Ann Arbor, who recently went to the Hawaiian Islands on a business trip, has decided to remain in Honolulu permanently and will engage in business there.

Nathan Kellogg of Sylvan, while using an ax yesterday cut one of his feet quite bad and will regain the free use of that member of his person. Dr. G. W. Palmer dressed the wound.

There will be a union temperance meeting at the Baptist church Sunday evening, March 1st, under the auspices of the Womans Christian Temperance Union. Sermon by Rev. E. E. Caster, D. D.

Mr. and Mrs. Vicroy, the latter a niece of Mrs. F. W. Cooper have arrived here from Washington, D. C. and will take up their residence in a few weeks in part of L. Tichenor's residence on Congdon street.

The Cavanaugh Lake Grange will hold a box social at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Schweinfurth on Friday evening March 6th. Every lady is requested to bring a box. Everybody invited.

State Oil Inspector Judson has filed his annual report with the board of state auditors and it shows that after all expenses of oil inspectors were paid \$11,700 was turned over to the state out of the inspection fees.

H. S. Holmes Mercantile Co. during the past week have had their department stores newly papered and painted, installed a gasoline lighting plant, thus making their place of business one of the most attractive in Chelsea.

It is now regarded as probable that the cars will be running from Jackson to Battle Creek in the early spring. Yesterday the laying of the third rail was begun westward and it is already in position from Battle Creek to Albion.—Jackson Citizen.

The 50th anniversary of the organization of the republican party "under the oak" at Jackson will occur in 1904. Jackson has already taken the initial steps for an immense celebration of this great event, which will be of a national as well as a state character.

Watch for further announcements of the large dramatic performance to be given at the Opera House in the near future. Special scenery and electrical effects will be had. Introducing for the first time in this city the double sextet, "In the good Old Summer Time."

Third Assistant Postmaster General has taken official notice of the popular and clamorous disapproval of the new George Washington 2 cent postage stamp. He announces that they will be withdrawn. The department has been a year and to a great deal of expenses in preparing for this issue.

Lewis Landsburg of Detroit spent the first of the week here after his interests in the store of the Chelsea Dry Goods & Shoe Co.

A number of the friends of Mrs. Thos. Beltsell gave her a surprise Monday night. A very enjoyable evening was spent.

At the republican county convention at Ann Arbor yesterday C. E. Foster of this place was nominated to succeed himself as school commissioner.

E. E. Winans has made arrangements with J. T. Hiller of Kalamazoo to handle a full line of first-class sheet music and has opened the line at the jewelry store, and will renew the stock every month so that there will be nothing on hand but the latest and best published.

Wm. Schultz, who is employed by Freeman Bros. as a clerk in their grocery store on Monday, while cleaning the dried beef cutting machine sliced off a generous piece of one of his fingers and for the present Wm. is perfectly willing that some of the others about the store shall operate the machine.

Mrs. Magdalena, wife of John Weber of Sylvan, died at her home on Friday of last week. She leaves a husband and five children and a host of friends to mourn her demise. The obsequies were held from St. Mary's church, Tuesday, Rev. Fr. Considine conducting the services. Interment at Mt. Olivet cemetery.

The following, from Automobile Topics is in regard to the Welch touring car which was exhibited at the automobile show at Chicago last week. "Experts who have had time to go over it thoroughly say that the 'Welch tourist' represents more really new features than any machine exhibited at the Coliseum."

"I am willing to risk my reputation as a public man," wrote Edward Hines to the Liverpool Mercury, "if the worst case of smallpox cannot be cured in three days by the use of cream of tartar. One ounce of cream of tartar dissolved in a pint of boiling water drank at intervals when cold, is a certain cure, never leaves a mark, never causes blindness and avoids tedious lingerings."

A Maccabee tea will be held at L. O. T. M. M. hall next Wednesday March 4th. Supper served from 5 o'clock until all are served at 25 cents per couple. The following is the bill of fare: Escalloped potatoes, sauerkraut and meat, frankforts, brown bread, white bread, cheese, pickles, horseradish, catsup, cake, coffee, tea, and milk.

The following were elected delegates to the republican county convention at Ann Arbor Wednesday, at the town hall Tuesday afternoon: W. J. Knapp, L. T. Freeman, Bernard Parker, Philip Schweinfurth, A. W. Wilkinson, W. Riemenschneider, Albert Guthrie, Newton Prudden, Schuyler Foster, F. P. Glazier, Fred Roedel, Martin Wackenhut, Jacob Hummel, John Kalmbach.

Eight hundred and sixty-seven students have been enrolled in the law department of the U. of M. this semester. In addition to these there are twenty-five "six-year students" who are taking the combined literary-law course. This brings the total almost to the nine hundred mark, and makes it the highest in the history of the law department, and the highest enrollment of any law school in the country.

An Albion dispatch says the contract for the erection of the office building, warehouse and motorman's and conductor's quarters of the Jackson & Battle Creek Traction Co. to be located about a mile west of the city, has been let to Messrs. Groff, Herrick & Barney. The contract calls for the completion of the building by April 15. The contract for the erection of the brick car barns will be let in a few days.

The market today is as follows: Wheat red or white 68 cents; rye 49 cents; oats 35 cents; corn 25 cents; barley 90 to \$1.00 per hundred; beans \$1.50 to \$2.00 for crop of 1901, and for crop of 1902 \$1.50 to \$2.00 for 60 pounds; clover seed June \$6.25; potatoes 35 cents; beef cattle 2 1/2 to 3 1/2 cents; veal calves 5 to 6 cents; live hogs \$6.50; sheep 2 1/2 to 3 cents; lambs 4 to 5 cents; chickens 9 cents; fowls 9 cents; eggs 14 cents; butter 18 cents.

LaFayette Grange will meet at Forester's Hall Wednesday, March 4, 1 p. m. Notice was given at the last meeting to change the day of meeting to the first and third Saturday instead of Wednesday. All members should try and be present. Subjects for discussion, Primary election law; To what extent is the organization of farmers justifiable and what is our duty in protecting the people from unjust demands of organized capital and organized labor?

This little story in verse was told last week by a county exchange: "He didn't have a dollar; he didn't have a dime. His clothes and shoes were looking just as though they'd served their time. He didn't try to kill himself to dodge misfortune's whacks. Instead, he got some ashes and he filled five dozen sacks. Then, next he begged a dollar. In the morn he advertised the pollack that would put the sun to scorn. He kept on advertising, and just now, suffice to say he's out in California at his cottage on the bay."

DON'T - FORGET - IT!

Our store will be closed Tuesday and Wednesday, March 3rd and 4th.

Carpenters will have full possession during the above two days repairing fire damage to building. We find it necessary to do this as the scaffolds, ladders etc. will occupy about all aisle space, goods must be well covered, and while hammers and saws are in operation there would be no satisfaction in trying to do business.

Reduced prices in every department until next Monday evening.

Of course your presence here is always highly appreciated. In this case you will do us a great favor by coming either before or after next Tuesday and Wednesday.

W. P. SCHENK & COMPANY.

"The Big Store."

I wish to deny the report that I am attending certain patients with Black diphtheria and to state that owing to thorough disinfection there is no danger of contracting this or any other disease from me.

Chelsea, February 26th, 1903.

Dr. J. W. Robinson.

The annual statement of the D. Y. A. A. & J. Electric road shows a surplus above operating expenses and fixed charges of a little over \$40,000. At the annual meeting the question of betterment and additional equipment, was thoroughly gone over, and it was decided that the road was in such good shape that it would not be necessary to expend any great amount of money during the coming summer.

John W. Spiegelberg having decided to quit farming I will sell at public auction on the John Schaufele farm situated in Dexter township, 4 miles west of Dexter village and 5 miles northeast of Chelsea, on Monday, March 2, 1903, commencing at 10 o'clock a. m. sharp, the following personal property: 4 horses; 7 cows, yearling calves, pigs, and other stock, hay, stalks and grain, farming tools, quantity of household goods, etc. Hot coffee and lunch at noon. E. W. Daniels, will be the auctioneer.

An amendment carrying \$25,000 has attached to the postoffice appropriation bill to be used in demonstrating whether the telephone can be utilized as a useful adjunct in the rural free delivery. The idea is to facilitate the delivery of letters on which are special delivery stamps. It will be worked out by having the postmaster when he receives a special delivery letter addressed to a farmer living say several miles away, call up the farmer and tell him about it. Then if the farmer gives his consent the postmaster can without conflicting with any postal regulations, open the letter and telephone its contents to the farmer. On the surface it seems like a fine thing.

In a group of pioneers in a special number of the Battle Inter Mountain, published at Butte, Montana, we observe the portrait of an old friend, Henry Thompson, formerly of Lima, Washenaw county. Mr. Thompson is a brother of Geo. Thompson of White Oak. He went to Montana over thirty years ago and is now a resident of Lima, named for him after his home town. From the Inter Mountain we glean the following: He has a ranch of 5,000 acres upon which he keeps 13,000 sheep, 400 cattle and 900 horses. His wool clip last year was 86,000 pounds for which he received 14 1/2 cents per pound. He has a host of friends in the southern part of the state, and few there are who are better known in that section than he. When Henry subscribes for The Sun he always pays five years in advance.—Stockbridge Sun.

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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

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Loaf Cake, Lady Fingers,
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All of my own baking and made of the best materials.

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

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buyers for the month of February on an eastern line. Kindly call and be convinced that our prices are right. Special prices on

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Steel Ranges, a few Good Second-hand Cook Stoves at prices to close out. American Woven Wire Fence, the best fence made at the lowest price.

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Ladies' Jackets made and remodeled.

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"Now what are you going to do about it?" says saucy San Domingo.

Efforts to arbitrate with Mme. Patti appear to have failed. She is coming.

No woman is really in love until she is willing to tell him all she knows.

Santos-Dumont is now figuring in a divorce case. Perhaps the lady thinks he is too fly.

Don't fail to inspect Central America's show windows for the latest styles in revolutions.

Donkeys are just as necessary as horses for the success of the race track bookmaker.

Canada has barred out one of Clyde Fitch's plays. This is quite an achievement for Clyde.

The husband of Queen Wilhelmina is ill. He has a name of his own, but it isn't of any consequence.

The trust-busters are noble birds, but their beaks have so far produced no nicks in the combination.

Life may have begun in the Arctic zone, as a Yale professor claims, but it lost little time in moving out.

It's not until he falls in love that you realize what a fool your most admired and respected friend can be.

Lord Eustace Cecil says Venezuela could easily pay her debts by borrowing money. He talks like an Irish lord.

The new cup-hunter, Shamrock III, is to be launched along about April 1, it appears. This seems to be tempting fate.

In Vienna the garment workers are required to work sixteen hours a day. This does not leave much time for night shifts.

Carnegie is going to give The Hague tribunal a library. Let the members of the tribunal get ready to subscribe their little share.

A Boston professor states that pretty girls do not make good wives. But the average young man will go on taking his chances.

Presidents of some of the smaller countries get as large salaries as the president of the United States. But our president gets his.

The German professor who claims that insanity among women is increasing may have been present at a bargain sale, where \$2 goods were offered for \$1.98.

Marconi is indeed a man of magnificent distances. He says he will begin in a month on a wireless service of 6,000 miles between Italy and Argentina.

Every time Sir Thomas Lipton pays a visit of inspection to the Shamrock Three it's the greater becomes his certainty that she is invincible.

The United States wants a snake-catcher. A condition is that applicants must be of teetotal habits, as the appointee will be expected to catch real snakes.

A Chicago preacher condemns the new "don't worry philosophy," but he would not advise those who have no troubles of their own to hurry out and borrow some.

Half of the English statesmen were made prominent by their American wives, but you never hear of an English woman doing anything for an American husband.

Lieut. Hobson was foolish to resign from the navy on account of sore eyes. There are lots of people who would be perfectly willing to assist him in making up his pay roll.

The late Julian Ralph was another brilliant journalist who began his career as a printer. There seems to be something truly inspiring in contact with the types in the composing room.

The postal authorities of Germany have decided that automobiles in the service are a failure. Evidently the officials grew tired of sending out horses to draw the crippled machines in for repairs.

To establish a limit of \$10,000,000 as the maximum amount any person may acquire or lawfully hold we fear would result in Uncle Russell Sage packing his grip and emigrating to some other country.

Vienna specialists have discovered a new nerve tonic, which they call acetoparamidithymolacetyl. People whose nerves are not in good condition should, however, merely point when they go into the stores to buy the stuff.

Honduras now has a dictator and a president who expect to give the people down there a good lively spirit for their money. Honduras has been quiet for several months and was rapidly losing caste, hence the present upheaval is hailed with becoming joy.

Michigan Items

State Happenings
Succinctly Told
by Our Special
Correspondents.

COUNTY SEAT COMPLICATION

Courts May Have Chance to Untangle Knot in Sanilac.

A new complication has come up in the Newaygo county seat war. It seems the present county buildings at Newaygo are located on a piece of land which was dedicated to the county in 1850 for the purpose, and those who are opposed to the removal of the county seat say that this land, in case of removal, would revert to the heirs of the donor. The other side claims that the county has a legal right to dispose of the property as it wishes. If White Cloud wins out at the spring election the courts will probably have a chance to say which side is right.

HAS FIERCE BATTLE WITH LYNX

Trapper Brings the Brute's Scalp to Town and Collects Bounty.

Dennis Curran, a well known trapper, recently shot and killed several wolves and a lynx and has brought the hides to Bessemer for bounty. He stated that never in recent years have the wolves been so savage as this winter and attributes the condition to the fact that the game upon which these animals subsist is very scarce. He reports that his fight with the lynx was fierce, lasted several minutes and the ferocious animal was nearly into his camp when he fired the shot which killed him.

"Works" Workman's Wife.

A Jackson stone cutter was asked by a smooth looking stranger if he might have the pile of stone dust which had accumulated under the saw and file. The workman told him to help himself and the fellow boxed it up and carried it away. When the stone dresser went home to dinner he found his wife had paid twenty-five cents for a few ounces of the stuff, which had been highly recommended to her for scouring purposes.

Extraordinary Church.

The millennium in churches has been found at Caumet. The Finnish Apostolic Lutheran Society has never held a church fair, social or oyster supper for remunerative purposes, has never begged a cent from the business people of the city or the county, and has never gone outside of its own membership for one cent of the cash necessary to support the church. There is a fine church edifice to keep up and a pastor's salary to pay.

Wants \$15,000 for an Arm.

Joseph Belger of Charlotte has commenced suit in the Circuit Court against the Grand Trunk Western Railway Company for \$15,000 damages. Belger lost his right arm while in the employ of the company as a wiper, the accident occurring at Porterville last spring. Belger was at his work under an engine when it started moving, cutting off his right arm close to the shoulder.

Delay Is Costly.

Because the railroad company had no empty cars for Portland Mrs. N. B. Barnes, Sr., of that city, is poorer by eighteen tons of hay than she was. She had tried to ship the hay to market, but the railroad hadn't gotten around to sending the necessary rolling stock when the barn in which the hay was stored caught fire and was destroyed.

To Have City Sealer.

The city of Owosso is to have a city sealer of weights and measures, so Mayor White and the common council have decided. A city sealer has been the pet hobby of Mayor White since the first year he served as alderman. The appointment will be made by May 1 by the mayor, who is elected in April.

Cars Are Scarce.

Shipment of produce from Morley has been almost an impossibility ever since last October, on account of the refusal, or inability, of the railroad company to furnish cars, and the people up there are just about angry enough to smash things. They are going to ask the legislature for relief.

Hair Renewer.

A stranger bought a dozen bars of common laundry soap at Creswell, cut them up into cakes about an inch square, wrapped them in tin-foil and sold them at 10 cents per cake as a hair renewer, which he guaranteed to make hair grow on the balded head.

Returns a Purse.

A Sault Ste. Marie man found a purse containing \$150, hunted up the owner and handed it over. He got not even a "thank you" for his honesty and trouble, let alone a reward. The purse belonged to a woman.

Repeal a Franchise.

The village fathers of Clio have tired of getting honeyed words from promoters instead of actual fulfillment of promises, and have repealed the ordinance granting a franchise to the promoters of the Saginaw Suburban railway.

Farmer Is Killed.

Fritz Hauman, a farmer of Moltke township, while engaged in sawing wood with his wife, was instantly killed by a falling tree. He leaves a widow and six small children.

BITES AT THE DIAMOND GAME

Flint Man Is Out \$100, but Has Piece of Plate Glass.

A Flint young man was recently taken in on the old, old diamond substitution game to the extent of \$100. A new-comer in town who struck up an acquaintance with him wanted to sell him a diamond for \$150, and although a jeweler examined the stone and pronounced it a first-class one the young man wouldn't buy. A few days later, however, he offered \$100, and the stranger accepted. The stone and the money changed hands, and after the stranger had left town the purchaser found that he had acquired a fine piece of plate glass, the stranger having made the substitution between the examination of the real stone and the sale.

Smut Poisoning.

Veterinarians have been called frequently to treat horses and cattle ill with a strange malady which has recently been diagnosed as smut poisoning. The disease is caused by the animals eating smutty grain or hay, and is more prevalent this year on account of the wet weather last season, which injured much of the hay and grain. The disease frequently results in the death of the animal unless prompt medical attendance is procured.

Buys His Own Coffin.

William Northey, an old resident of Keweenaw county, was taken ill recently and was told by his doctor that he had not long to live. He immediately gave orders to have his coffin purchased and brought home, so that he could inspect it and see that it was what he wanted. When it arrived the old man looked it over with a critical eye, pronounced it satisfactory and said that he was ready to die.

Epidemic of Mumps.

An epidemic of the mumps is prevalent in Niles and vicinity, more cases being reported than in many years past. The epidemic is seriously interfering with the attendance at the public schools, many children in addition to those who have the mumps being kept at home for fear they will become afflicted. Many people who have had the mumps before are again victims of the contagion.

May Have Library.

Several months ago the school board of Tecumseh wrote to Andrew Carnegie asking for one of his famous libraries. An answer has just been received from him offering \$8,000 upon the usual conditions, an annual appropriation of 10 per cent of that amount for maintenance. The school board will consider the matter of acceptance of the gift upon these terms.

Must Pay Damages.

The Valley Telephone Co. of Saginaw, will have to pay the \$5,000 judgment secured against it in the Saginaw Circuit court by Mrs. Nora Keyes, whose husband was killed while in the employ of the company. The Supreme court has sustained the verdict.

Asks Big Damages.

William Culver of Lawton, who lost both his legs while employed as a brakeman by the South Haven & Eastern railroad, has brought suit against the company for \$100,000 damages.

CATHOLIC PAROCHIAL SCHOOLHOUSE AT IONIA.



Plans have been prepared for a parochial schoolhouse for the Catholic congregation at Ionia, of which Rev. Father William J. Fierle is rector. It will be 62x112 feet in size, two stories and basement, constructed of Ionia sandstone with slate roof. It will cost \$20,000.

Auto Ordinances.

The common council at Grand Rapids is considering an ordinance for the regulation of automobiles one clause of which requires chauffeurs to ring their gongs while passing every street crossing.

Messick Is Modest.

Messick announces that the town needs a bank, bakery, doctor, drug store, feed and exchange store, brick yard, half a dozen manufacturing institutions and a mill.

COMPANY DEMANDS TOO MUCH

Allegan Citizens Refuse to Comply With Terms of Box Concern.

Allegan has been trying to secure a box factory, but when the company's demands became known the efforts immediately ceased. All the company asked was \$10,000 in cash within ninety days, a deed to a fine site for a building, and the subscription of \$25,000 of stock by Allegan citizens. The people were afraid that if they gave the company what it wanted this time it might take the remainder of the town some day without asking.

Severe on Husband-Beater.

In the eyes of the law as administered at Battle Creek it is a far worse offense for a woman to beat her husband than for a man to beat his wife. Clarence Hood pleaded guilty to having beaten his wife and was sent up for twenty-five days. He immediately made a complaint against his wife for thumping him, and when she pleaded guilty, sixty-five days was the judge's mandate.

To Rehabilitate Fort.

Congressman William Alden Smith will make an effort to have the government again constitute the Fort Mackinac a national military park. From the time the United States came into the possession of the island, in 1796, a garrison was maintained there until about ten years ago, when it was withdrawn and the government reservation turned it over to the state as a state park.

Beat the Auction Game.

There was an auction sale of unclaimed express parcels at Kalamazoo the other day at which the packages were sold "unsight unseen." A college student paid fifty cents for a bundle that proved to contain a brand new, complete set of burglar tools of fine quality. For eighty cents a woman got a case of one dozen revolvers of a model that retail for \$6 apiece.

"Confiscation."

The railroads at Jackson are finding out just how it is themselves. They steal coal belonging to patrons—confiscating, they call it, but it's the same thing—and now they are complaining because they find that someone has been "confiscating" several hundred tons from one of the stockpiles maintained in the outskirts of Jackson to supply their engines.

Can't Keep Money.

One Eastlake man has about decided that it doesn't pay to have money. Recently he was held up and robbed of a considerable sum and then to prevent losses he adopted the plan of concealing greenbacks under his hat band. But the other day he hung the hat up in a restaurant and someone stole that.

Farmers Buy Coupons.

The farmers of Lakefield, Saginaw county, bit to the extent of about \$600 on a coupon book scheme for securing \$64 buggies for \$4. One of the men who roped them into it has been arrested at Elgin, Ill., and will be brought back to stand trial on the charge of fraud.

Hockey Craze.

Black and blue is the popular color combination at Grand Haven at present. The hockey craze has struck the town.

MICHIGAN LEGISLATURE.

Among bills for consideration are these: To increase pay of supervisors for making assessments from \$2 to \$3 a day; to prohibit the marriage of first cousins. It is recommended by ministers and physicians of Marquette; to prevent telegraph or telephone companies from cutting shade trees without consent of the owners of the premises; for a state sailors' and soldiers' monument, to be erected upon the capitol grounds at Lansing. It asks for an appropriation of \$250,000; to prevent the fraudulent issue of stock, it provides that reports of the issue of stock, to whom sold, etc., shall be made to the secretary of state; to restore the bounty on English sparrows. It proposes that two cents shall be paid for every sparrow killed; for the regulation of sales of stocks of goods in bulk is the measure favored by the National Association of Credit Men, and which this association is requesting other states to enact to give uniform laws upon this subject; proposing the appointment of a commission to establish the exact position of Michigan troops at Vicksburg. Of course, there is to be an appropriation to pay the expenses of the commission; a bill which provides that liquor selling druggists shall pay \$500 license fees; bills intended to repeal the bills creating the positions of game warden and deputy warden. The passage of these would leave the enforcement of the game and fish laws to the various local officers.

Attorney-General Blair has submitted an opinion to the governor to the effect that the joint resolution relieving County Treasurer Charles A. Buhner, of Wayne, of responsibility for loss of over \$15,029.36 of state inheritance tax funds by the failure of the City Savings bank of Detroit, is unconstitutional. The resolution was passed by both houses, but the governor declined to pass on it until Blair's opinion was handed down. The attorney-general has suggested that the governor might sign the resolution in order to establish a ruling through a decision from the Supreme Court. The attorney-general will institute proceedings against Buhner as a debtor to the state in order to bring the matter before the court.

Some of the bills among the 500 and over before the two houses are for these purposes: To close up photograph galleries on Sunday; to prevent cruel or painful operations on animals for scientific purposes; providing for the general use of the Spaulding voting machine; to make some changes in the banking laws which are recommended by Banking Commissioner Moore; to pay members of the state boards of control \$10 for each meeting they attend; providing that the state board of equalization shall be reconstituted this year; to abolish the Thirty-eighth judicial circuit of the state, and attach the county of Monroe to the Twenty-second judicial circuit.

Wednesday afternoon the governor sent to the senate the name of Thomas J. Navin as a member of the Board of Control of Jackson prison. In executive session the appointment was immediately confirmed by a vote of 16 to 12. This concluded a most interesting and warm fight so far as legislative politics is concerned. It is said the vote for confirmation stood thus:

For—Baird, Brown, Burns, Doherty, Glazier, Goodell, Jones, Kelly, La Plamby Moffatt, McClary Scullen, Smith, Van Alin, Westover and Fuller, president pro tem.—18.

Against—Barnes, Cannon, Cook, Farr, Glasgow, Lockery, Scripps, Simons, Soverelgen, Vaughan, Waterbury, Weekes.—12.

Once more an effort will be made to induce the Michigan legislature to make a law on commercial paper in line with the statutes of New York, Connecticut, Florida, Colorado, Maryland, North Carolina, Utah, Pennsylvania, Virginia, Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Tennessee, Wisconsin, North Dakota, Oregon, Arizona, Ohio, New Jersey, Washington and Iowa. Efforts to have this uniform measure adopted in all states were begun in 1895, but successive Michigan legislatures have always suspected some ulterior purpose.

It seems that the junket trips were somewhat expensive, although the railroad fares, the Pullman cars, etc., were furnished at no cost to the travelers. The several committees drew mileage and Pullman car fares just the same, so that a total of some \$3,000 or more, not counting the \$3 per diem, will be coming to the members who went.

The way both bodies are transacting business indicates that the present session will not be a short one by any means. Little is done on Fridays, so that the adjournment to Monday with only one session a day, practically leaves only Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday for work.

There are numerous bills to amend the general tax law. The state-tax commission have a number which will soon be presented, and they propose a number of important amendments to the existing statutes.

The house disposed of a number of bills Monday under suspension of the rules, defeating two. The most important measure passed was the senate bill to amend the railroad safety appliance law.

The house, at the request of Gov. Bliss and ex-Senator Earle, listened for 10 minutes to Highway Commissioner James H. MacDonald, of Connecticut, on the subject of good roads.

Gen. Kidd says that Representative Neal's bill will cut down the revenue of the National Guard. Also that while the passage of the Dick bill by congress and the holding of encampments at the expense of the general government will undoubtedly cut down the expenses, that it is impossible to even guess at this time how much.

The most important of all the new bills is that of Rep. Randall, which launched his expected attack upon the state university's income. The bill is to amend the one passed by the legislature, granting the quarter mill tax, by limiting the income to \$300,000 a year.

Love of old books led to the embarrassment of over \$60,000 by Henry T. Gassett & Co., New York, who committed suicide, when his pecuniations were discovered.

THE NEWS OF THE WORLD

A Gigantic Swindle.

The "get-rich-quick" exposure in New York, and in 14 other states, has reached astounding, startling proportions—and the end is not yet reached. When the full sum and total of the revenue gathered in by this gigantic network of roguery, stretching in number from the Atlantic to the Gulf, numbering upward of 500 of these absurd get-rich-quick organizations, is known, it will be found that the country is face to face with a fraud the magnitude of which is without parallel or approach in finance.

The figures so far compiled from official police records in a number of the most important states show an estimate of the total spoils of \$30,000,000. In this has to be included \$18,000,000 taken in by E. J. Arnold & Co., at the rate of \$4,000 a day during four years.

Five millions more may be credited to the account of 34 states, while New York accounts for five millions.

Typhoid Fever Scourge.

Cornell University and the city of Ithaca, N. Y., are in a state of terror over an epidemic of typhoid fever, and it is feared the university will have to be closed, for nearly 1,000 students have left. With more than 100 nurses fighting for the lives of fever patients, and doctors working day and night, this little city of 10,000 inhabitants, 2,800 of whom are students of Cornell University, is in a state of panic.

Every day brings new victims to the fever and hardly a day passes without one or more deaths. Students are fleeing from the city by scores and the university threatens to be left without a corporal's guard.

The scourge has already caused more than a score of deaths and it is estimated that more than 200 persons have been stricken. Most of the victims have been Cornell students.

Roosevelt Is Earnest. President Roosevelt will call an extraordinary session of the senate of the fifty-eighth congress, unless both the Panama canal and the Cuban reciprocity treaties are ratified at the present session. The president made this declaration of his intention to several senators today, and he made it as emphatically and unequivocally as he was capable of making it. It is deemed likely by officials of the administration and by many senators that both treaties will be ratified by March 4, but it is said there are grave reasons of state why both treaties should be ratified as soon as possible. These have induced the president to make the announcement to senators of his determination.

Eight Were Killed.

Eight persons were killed and four injured by an explosion in the Peter & Fox Magazine Cane factory, Fortoria, O., Monday. The magazine contained a large supply of high explosives used in the manufacture of caps for magazine canes. It will never be known how it happened that some of the explosive let go. There was a terrible report that shocked the whole town and in a moment the whole factory was in flames. There was a desperate fight on the part of rescuers to secure the bodies of the dead before the flames reached them. As the dead and injured were brought out they were placed on sleds and carried to improvised hospitals. The factory was a total loss.

Ten Lives Lost.

Ten lives at least, according to the best information obtainable under difficulties, were lost in a fire which Friday morning destroyed the Clifton hotel in Cedar Rapids, Ia. The fire started at 2:30 o'clock and at 10 o'clock the smoldering debris forced so fierce a heat that search for bodies was impossible. The hotel, three-story, brick veneer, is said to have been a veritable fire trap. The flames started in a pile of rubbish in the basement, presumably ignited by defective electric light wires.

The list of dead may prove larger than the number given, but it is supposed the information which accounts for all but this number, is correct.

Forty Millions the Price.

The government has formally accepted the offer of the Panama canal company to sell to the United States the canal property and all of the company's rights therein for \$40,000,000 subject only to the ratification of the pending treaty with the republic of Colombia.

The effect of this acceptance will be to extend the life of the option held by the government beyond March 4 next and until the treaty now before the senate has been ratified by both countries in interest.

Eleven Were Killed.

Running at almost full speed a train on the D. L. & W. railroad, crashed into a trolley car loaded with pupils on their way to the Newark, N. J., high school Thursday morning. Eight pupils were killed and three died of injuries they sustained. At least 30 others were injured, some so badly that it is feared they will die.

George A. Hammond, 92 years of age, said to be the oldest shoemaker in the world, is still pegging away in his shop at Fredericksburg, Pa.

A letter was sent to Mrs. John F. Stafford, Fall River, Mass., signed "The Gang." It demanded that \$350 be placed in the hands of one of her servants. Failure to do so as the signers ordered was to be followed by shooting and robbery. Her husband is the grandson of John D. Flint, one of the city's millionaires. Mrs. Stafford is one of the leaders of local society, a very handsome woman.

Love of old books led to the embarrassment of over \$60,000 by Henry T. Gassett & Co., New York, who committed suicide, when his pecuniations were discovered.

Father Busche Dead.

Fr. John Busche died Sunday morning. He had been a resident of Laporte for forty years and was for many years pastor of the Catholic church. Finally became estranged from the church. After his severance from the church he married a Miss Hoffman, Imlay City, and spent the remainder of his days quietly at his residence of the second ward, living a sort of recluse life. He never returned to the faith, and when he knew he was near his end last night he requested Rev. Mr. McDonald, of the Presbyterian church, to preach his funeral sermon. Mr. Busche was about 70 years old and had been a sufferer from uranial troubles, for which he had been operated upon.

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS.

From Duluth to the Gulf is the latest electric railway scheme.

The Indian appropriation bill and the Philippine currency bill have been passed the senate.

Paul Grant, of Atchison county, Kas., aged 18, will marry Hattie L. Thompson, aged 31. He is her adopted son.

A colored footpad was shot by Mr. Lillian Wilson, whom he held up on the street at Omaha. The robber was badly wounded.

The widely heralded discovery of formalin as a cure for blood poisoning is declared by New York physicians to be a failure.

Death to five Italian coal miners resulted when the Kansas City limited on the Chicago & Alton road struck the wagon they were riding in near Brainerd, Minn.

The coal strike commission will go to the senate today to report on the holding secret sessions at Washington, formulating their report to the president.

Ella Atkins is dead and Folger Green, in the hospital, at New Orleans, with three wounds as the result of a compact they entered into to kill each other.

Chicago street cars, it is estimated, injure five women every day in the downtown district, the victims being struck while craning their necks to look out shop windows.

Gross earnings of all railroads in the United States reporting for February to date are \$13,697,893, a gain of 11 per cent over last year, and 17.6 per cent over 1901.

Thirty states were represented at the road roads convention at Chicago, which drafted a memorial requesting congress to appropriate \$20,000,000 to build good roads.

The Venezuelan Supreme Court has just awarded \$700,000 damages to the heirs of Henry Rudolf, an American whose concession to build a market in Caracas was annulled.

Oliver Nichols, a lumberman, shot and killed Mrs. Ira Shaffer in the woods near Erie, Pa., and then placed the muzzle of the shotgun to his face blew his head off.

The health officer of the town of West Seneca, N. Y., reports that there are 80 cases of typhoid fever at the place and probably more than 100 additional cases not reported.

Mmanuel Del Valle, of Menlo Park, suburb of San Francisco, Cal., claims that he is 137 years of age. He has certificates showing that he was born in Zacatecas, Mexico, on November 24, 1743.

Bessie Logan, believing that her father had sold her for \$25 to her prospective husband, George Millon, balked at the altar of the Mount Carmel church, near Husterville, Ky., and fled from the church.

Commander-in-Chief Stewart of the G. A. R. has arrived in San Francisco from Pennsylvania. He will meet the members of the local command to decide on a date next summer for the holding of a national encampment.

A bill has been introduced in the New York legislature providing the drugs must bear the date of manufacture, the time limit after which they will be unfit for use, and imposing a penalty for the sale of drugs not marked or after the expiration of the time limit.

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County and Vicinity

Milan is to have a soldier's monument.
The Occidental mineral well at Ypsilanti will be again put in commission by Elmer Haysden and George Gaw, and baths will soon be furnished again. There is talk of investigating further the natural gas possibilities of the well.

Rev. E. W. White, a celebrated evangelist, of Jackson, is expected here the first week in March to conduct a series of union evangelistic meetings. Mr. White is a very able speaker of wide experience in this line of work and good results are anticipated.—Dexter Leader.

Herbert Rushton, carrier on rural route No. 3, had a cold walk yesterday afternoon, while out of his cutter his horse became frightened and ran home leaving Herb to hoof it home from down in Bridgewater. Carrier Schaffer of route No. 2 was tipped out of his cutter but he managed to stop his horse and continue his work.—Manchester Enterprise.

The dropping of the large Elks steamer stretched across Main street on to the trolley wire last night caused the high current to enter the clothing store of Carnross & Kellogg, where the build cut up all sorts of strange didoes. A large ball of fire was formed which danced from one electric chandelier to another but which fortunately did no damage.—Jackson Patriot.

Word comes from Washington that that portion of the federal building appropriation bill which referred to an item of \$12,000 for a site for a postoffice building for Ann Arbor was knocked out by the senate. It was thought to be a cinch that Ann Arbor would get the appropriation and the news comes like a blow. Nearly every one is a self appointed investigating committee to ascertain who in Ann Arbor had their "hammers" out.

It developed at the council meeting Monday that some objections existed to the plan of the Jackson & Suburban company to run its high tension wires into the city by way of Trail street, as it was asserted it proposed to do. It was said the company contemplated making a very complete power system and that its plans contemplated the running of a wire carrying a voltage of 60,000 down Trail street. The assertion was made that this would prove dangerous, as such a current has been known to "jump" from the wire carrying it. A suggestion was made that the company, at least in expense, could run its wires to the center of the river over the bed of the river.—Jackson Patriot.

Chas. Tuffs and Orrie Lathrop had a narrow escape from a fearful accident Tuesday evening. They are both employed by the Michigan Central at the pumping station at Kinear and were on their way there on a railroad speeder. They started on the north track but had changed to the south track to avoid a freight train. While on the south track, the afternoon express, which was late and which they supposed had gone, caught them. They had just time to jump from the speeder but Mr. Tuffs who was on the inside did not get far enough away so that he was struck by the engine and his right arm broken at the elbow. The fracture is a bad one and was attended to by Drs. Honey and Wylie. Mr. Lathrop was considerably shaken up but not much injured. It was certainly a miraculous escape for the men for an instant later and they would never have known what hit them.—Dexter Leader.

"What's the matter, old man? Been losing on wheat?" "No, not that, forgo to take Rocky Mountain Tea last night. Wife said I'd be sick today." 35 cents. Glazier & Stimson.

There will be an auction of farm tools, Horses, cattle, Hogs, and Sheep, Hay, Grain, and etc on the Wheeler farm one mile west of Chelsea on March 8th, at 10 a. m. Lunch at noon.

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A WEAK STOMACH causes a weak body and invites disease. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure cures and strengthens the stomach and wards off and overcomes disease. J. B. Taylor, a prominent merchant of Charleston, Tex., says: "I could not eat because of a weak stomach. I lost all strength and ran down in weight. All that money could do was done, but all hope of recovery vanished. Hearing of some wonderful cures effected by use of Kodol, I concluded to try it. The first bottle benefited me and after taking four bottles I am fully restored to my usual strength, weight and health." Glazier & Stimson.

MAN WHO DARED NOT SMILE

United States Citizen Was Forced to Frown at Funny Stories to Save His Life.

A naturalized citizen of the United States, D. Assourian, an Armenian, who is in business in Cleveland, was locked up in Constantinople, Turkey, charged with conspiracy. Through the offices of some Turkish business men he was released under \$5,000 bonds, effective during his stay of 50 days. He has just returned to his home here, reports a Cleveland exchange. Concerning his experience he said: "I went there on business. As soon as my presence became known the officers came for me. They questioned me, asking if I spoke the Armenian language. This I denied, because had I admitted it I am sure that I would never have returned to America. The Turks fear American Armenians. They think that in America the people have an advanced knowledge of high explosives, which might be used to blow up the sultan. They suspected me of being in sympathy with the Armenians. After putting me in prison they had some men come into my cell and tell funny stories in the Armenian language. They wanted me to betray my knowledge of it by laughing. But I didn't laugh, for had I smiled I would not be here now to tell the tale. The stories were very funny, but I managed to keep a sober countenance in spite of my wish to laugh."

IN MODERN LONDON.

Many Quaint Customs Are Still in Vogue, But This One Is the Most Curious.

A host of quaint old customs, says the London Daily Mail, linger round and about the famous "King's Guard" at St. James palace, but perhaps none is more curious than that which decrees that his majesty's health shall not be drunk at dinner, except when the Scots guards are on guard. The omission, when one reflects that this one toast, even when no others are drunk, is invariably honored every evening at every regimental mess and guardroom dinner throughout the British empire, is sufficiently striking.

The explanation lies in the fact that the regiment from across the border was at one time suspected of a leaning toward Jacobitism, and so the officers were specially ordered to drink his majesty's health after dinner, those of other corps being forbidden to do so in order to make the enforced loyalty of the Scotsmen stand out in clearer relief.

It was also ordered that they should not be allowed to use finger glasses after dinner, lest they should drink to "the king over the water," and finger glasses are, in consequence, tabooed there on these occasions to this day.

SALARIES OF ACTORS.

Are Absurdly Exaggerated in the Public Mind and Actors Keep Up the Deceit.

Salaries of actors vary from almost nothing to \$500 a week, with a few exceptions that go above that, writes F. E. Fyles, in Leslie's Monthly. I doubt though that any supporting actor outside of Weber & Fields' company gets more than \$500. Those that go above are stars, many of whom receive a fixed salary and a percentage on the profits. A female star who crowded a New York theater the season before last for six months received only \$150, while her leading man was getting \$250. But she was a risky venture for her manager, who lifted her from a minor position to stardom, and a failure would have cost him much. Many stars are their own managers, and engage a business man to direct their affairs for a salary, as they would a supporting actor. The gains of actors are absurdly exaggerated in the public mind, and even among themselves they endeavor to keep up the deceit. A reason that so many English actors are imported is that players of the first class in London receive a third less than equally talented and well-known Americans.

Borgia's Later Years.
In the National Library of Florence an Italian historian has found a document which contains many interesting and hitherto unknown facts in regard to the later years of the famous Lucrezia Borgia. According to it she took the veil and joined the congregation of the Brothers and Sisters of Penitence, which is better known under the name of "Tertiaries of the Order of St. Francis." She received the veil from the vicar general, Ludovico de la Torre, and Giovanni Gonzaga wrote to her uncle that during the last ten years of her life she wore a penitential shirt. She died in 1518 and was buried in the robes of her order.

'Anger Cures Deafness.
Here is a novel cure for deafness. According to several Dutch papers a deaf woman, who resides at Krommenie, had a quarrel a few weeks ago with some of her neighbors, and as a result got into a violent passion. As she is 70 years old, her friends feared that this sudden and terrible outburst of anger would injure her, but instead it completely cured her of her deafness.

In Memory of Victoria.
It has been decided to found an eye hospital and an asylum for the blind as a memorial to the late Queen Victoria.

NEW TIPPLE FOR WOMEN.

Cordial Flavored with Roses That Tastes Like the Odor of the Flowers.

Many women at the east have taken of late to a new tipple imported from Holland and called oil of roses, reports an eastern exchange. It is a cordial in name only. It is none of the sticky, sirupy components of the other insipid cordials, but has a peculiar, almost biting taste that appeals to the feminine palate. This cordial is flavored with bride roses and is the invention of a firm in Amsterdam that was organized in 1875. A bushel of selected roses are crushed into a press and the essence is extracted by a complicated system. This distillation is enlivened with alcohol and other spirits, but naturally the flavor of roses is responsible for the increasing popularity of the drink. The cordial tastes like a rose smells. The color is pale pink and as the distillation of "huile de roses" requires an enormous amount of roses and great care, this is the most expensive cordial on the market. A mere tablespoonful for 25 cents. The firm in Amsterdam exports this liquor in genuine DeWitt jugs that the purchaser retains, and the average woman derives much pleasure taking home the tiny jug from which she has quaffed the delightful cordial.

It may be said of this new tipple, however, that it induces inebriety just as quickly as a whisky toddy, cocktail or "sour," and the resultant headaches are just as distressing.

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COMMISSIONER'S NOTICE
STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WASHTENAW. The undersigned having been appointed by the Probate Court for said County, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of and against the estate of James S. Richards, late of said County, deceased, hereby give notice that six months from date hereof allowed by order of said Probate Court, for creditors to present their claims against the estate of said deceased, and that they will meet at the office of Turnbull & Witherell, in the village of Chelsea, in said County, on the 13th day of May and on the 13th day of August next, at ten o'clock a. m. of each of said days, to receive, examine and adjust said claims.

Dated, Chelsea, Mich., February 13th, 1903.
PHILIP SCHWEINFURTH,
HERBERT D. WITHERELL,
Commissioners.

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COMMISSIONER'S NOTICE.
STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WASHTENAW. The undersigned having been appointed by the Probate Court for said County, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of and against the estate of William Mottley, late of said County, deceased, hereby give notice that six months from date hereof allowed by order of said Probate Court, for creditors to present their claims against the estate of said deceased, and that they will meet at the residence of Eugene McIntire in the Township of Lyndon in the County of Washtenaw, on the 16th day of April and on the 16th day of July next, at ten o'clock a. m. of each of said days, to receive, examine and adjust said claims.

Dated, Lyndon, January 16th, 1903.
WILLIAM CANBURY,
MORRIS LEEK,
Commissioners.

9258 12-538
PROBATE ORDER.
STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WASHTENAW. 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 12th day of February, in the year one thousand nine hundred and three.

Present, WILLIS L. WATKINS, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of John Conlan deceased.

Theresa Conlan and Kate Young, the executors of the estate of said deceased, having filed in this court of their final administration account, praying their final administration be allowed, with decree of settlement of it is ordered, that to receive allowance of account, next, at ten o'clock on the 3rd day of March, at said Probate Office be appointed for examination the following order: That a copy of this order be published three successive weeks previous to said time of hearing, in the Chelsea Standard, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Washtenaw.

WILLIS L. WATKINS, Judge of Probate.
A true copy.
LOUIS J. LINCK, Probate Clerk.

9258 12-539
PROBATE ORDER.
STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WASHTENAW. 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 12th day of February, in the year one thousand nine hundred and three.

Present, WILLIS L. WATKINS, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Mrs. Francis S. Ward, praying that administration of said estate may be granted to herself, or some other suitable person, and supervisors and commissioners be appointed. It is ordered, that the 3rd day of March, next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office be appointed for hearing said petition.

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

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Now, therefore notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be foreclosed on Tuesday, the 26th day of May, A. D. 1903, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day at the east door of the Court House in the city of Ann Arbor, in said County of Washtenaw (said Court House being the place of holding the Circuit Court for the said County of Washtenaw) by sale at public auction, to the highest bidder, of the premises described in said mortgage as follows, viz:

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MORTGAGE SALE.

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage executed by Andrew Kappler of Sharon, Washtenaw County, State of Michigan to M. E. Keeler of the same place, bearing date the eighteenth day of March A. D. 1898, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Washtenaw, State of Michigan, on the 12th day of December, A. D. 1902, in Liber 106 of Mortgages on Page 283, by which default the power of sale contained in said mortgage has become operative, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at this date the sum of one hundred eighty one and 80/100 dollars and the sum of twenty five dollars as an attorney fee as provided in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, and no proceeding at law or in Chancery having been instituted to recover the debt so secured by said mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, therefore notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be foreclosed on Tuesday the 24th day of March, A. D. 1903, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day at the East door of the Court House in the city of Ann Arbor, in said County of Washtenaw (said Court House being the place of holding the Circuit Court for the said County of Washtenaw) by sale at public auction, to the highest bidder, of the premises described in said mortgage as follows, viz: All that certain piece or parcel of Land, situate and being in the Township of Sharon, in the County of Washtenaw, and State of Michigan and described as follows, to wit:

The North East quarter of the North West quarter of section number twenty (20), containing forty acres of land, be the same more or less. All in Township number three, South Range number three East.

Dated, Chelsea, Mich., December 24th, 1902.
MATTHEW E. KEELER,
Mortgagee,
Turnbull & Witherell,
Attorneys for Mortgagee,
Business address, Chelsea, Mich.

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Turnbull & Witherell, Attorneys.
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COMMISSIONER'S NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WASHTENAW. The undersigned having been appointed by the Probate Court for said County, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of and against the estate of Edwidge G. Taylor, late of said County, deceased, hereby give notice that six months from date here