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CHELSEA TELEPHONE NUMBER 6

HAYES-MCKUNE BRILLIANT WEDDING

A Popular Chelsea Girl Marries an Eminent Detroit Attorney.

The wedding of Dennis Hayes of Detroit and Miss Agnes McKune of this place and Detroit, on Wednesday morning, was as notable and brilliant affair of its kind ever celebrated in Chelsea. It was made so especially by the well-known popularity of the bride in her home town, by the prominence of the groom and by the many persons of importance in attendance from Jackson, Lansing, Detroit and Chicago and elsewhere.

The ceremony was performed at low mass at St. Mary's, Rev. Fr. Connelidine officiating. The bridal party arrived in carriages at the appointed hour and proceeded at once toward the altar. First came the bridesmaid, Miss Alice Long of Jackson, upon the arm of the groom. They were followed by the bride with her brother, Herbert who acted as best man. The bride wore a traveling suite of blue etamine, appliqued

of a very jolly and enjoyable nature. The house, in readiness for the following day, was decorated with smilax, palms, ferns and cut flowers making a charming scene for the many friends of the bride and groom, who came upon them suddenly from Detroit and elsewhere. They organized themselves at once after the manner of banqueters and Mr. O'Connor was made toastmaster. He called upon the groom, of course, for a speech. Others to respond were Neil Hayes, brother of the groom, and Hon. T. E. Tarnsey. Also Messrs. Blackwell, Burke and Rev. Fr. Connelidine. During the evening Messrs. Burke and O'Connor added to the festivities with their vocal selections.

Among the guests present from out of town were W. E. Partridge and Henry Blackwell of the firm of Partridge and Blackwell of Detroit. Also Dr. Sullivan, Dr. Conlan, Arthur O'Connor, M. P. Barden, Hon. T. E. Tarnsey, Jr., George Eagle, Frank White, R. J. Lawson and Barton Jones all of Detroit. D. H. Hayes and Miss Mary Hayes of Chicago, James Hayes of Ft. Wayne, Ind., and Mr. and Mrs. Neil Hayes, Miss Margaret Hayes and Mrs. Hayes, mother of the groom, from Adrian. From Lansing Michael



DENNIS HAYES



AGNES MCKUNE

with cream lace. She also wore a black picture hat trimmed with pink roses and carried a prayer book. Miss Long, the bridesmaid, wore a becoming costume of blue wool crepe du chene and a white hat.

During the service impressive vocal selections were rendered. M. P. Barden of Detroit sang The Palm and O Salutaris and Louis Berg sang Ave Marie and Miss Hayes, a sister of the groom, gave a pleasing rendition of a simple hymn. Miss Clark at the organ also did much to add to the impressive beauty of the occasion.

Following the church service the guests returned to the McKune home where a brief reception was held after which all sat down to a delightful wedding breakfast. The table was replete with a beautiful array of cut glass, painted china and silver. The repast was under the direction of Miss Nen Wilkinson who acted as cateress.

As to the presents they were to numerous to mention in detail. It being sufficient to say that they were of the choicest, in splendid taste, expensive and beautiful.

To be mentioned in connection with the wedding was the impromptu gathering of the previous evening which was

Burke, Deputy Attorney General, and from Jackson Mr. and Mrs. D. Long, Andrew Meade and Daniel Conway.

Following the wedding breakfast Mr. and Mrs. Hayes left immediately for Detroit and the East. They will sail Saturday from New York on board the Ss. Ivernia for Liverpool from whence they will make an extended tour throughout England, Ireland and the Continent.

A complimentary banquet was tendered Dennis B. Hayes at the Russell House, Detroit, Monday evening. It was an expression of appreciation from his male friends who had gathered to assist him in saying goodbye to bachelor days and wishing him happiness through his married life.

A lengthy toast program had been prepared which was under the direction of the Hon. Timothy E. Tarnsey who acted as toastmaster. Among those on the program were the Hon. Henry C. Smith, and John Atkinson. The toast, "Domestic Relations" was responded to by George B. Greening, a former Chelsea resident and therefore prepared to know his subject. The program was interspersed with music and the menu elaborate and all tended to a very enjoyable occasion.

Impersonated Celebrities.

The Chelsea Bay View Reading Circle last Tuesday night held a more than ordinarily interesting meeting. The circle met with Mrs. James Gorman. Regular work was laid aside and the time given over to a character study of some of America's notable women.

Each member present came representing, by appropriate dress or emblem, some person known to fame, and the others endeavored to establish the relationship between the facts as set forth and the person to whom they applied. There were three separate editions of Susan B. Anthony and Francis Willard was impersonated by several. If Dr. Mary Walker was among the celebrities the fact has not leaked out yet.

It is reported that some of the make-ups and emblems were very ingenious and the descriptive articles were of interest. After the program light refreshment was served. In spite of the weather a large number were present.

The Treble Clef Club Concert.

The music loving people of Chelsea were given a rare treat at Friday evening's entertainment given at the Congregational church by the Treble Clef Club of Ann Arbor. A fine program of classical music was carried out, the dis-appointment and necessary change occasioned by the detaining at home of Miss Farlin by illness, was acceptably compensated for by the substitutions.

The ladies "covered themselves all over with glory" by their excellent manner of rendering their different selections. More than passing mention is due the soloists, as each one evidently put forth her best effort to please. As for Mr. Daley, the poor lone masculine representative amid all the feminine

loveliness, he too won laurels by his fine rendition of his parts.

The instrumental solos of Mrs. Fischer-Cross were embodiments of fine musical technique and a thorough understanding of all which combines to make a fine execution of high grade selections. All in all, the Ann Arbor ladies may be sure of many admirers should they again favor this place with their presence.

The Standard's Executive Story.

The Standard management still considers Postmaster Hoover an honorary member of its staff and he is therefore next week to tell of his recent trip with the Eastern Michigan Press Association over the Wabash road to St. Louis where they were interestingly entertained as guests of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition Co.

An account of the plans and prospects for a world's fair that will outlast the one at Chicago, when written expressly for local reading, certainly ought to be interesting and The Standard promises that it will be.

Auction Sale.

Having decided to quit farming I will sell at public auction, on the premises known as the Jacob Lulick farm in Litchfield township, 8 miles southeast of Chelsea and 9 miles west of Ann Arbor on Tuesday, April 21, 1903 commencing at 10 a. m., the following personal property: Two work horses, two cows, young cattle, hogs, 41 grade black-top ewes, wagons, harnesses, farming tools and household furniture. Lunch at noon.

Mrs. Mary Ann Lulick, administratrix. J. D. Merrithew, auctioneer. Otto D. Lulick, clerk.

CONDITION OF CROPS LOCALLY

Farmers Round About Chelsea Tell Spring Prospects.

Nothing here about, this time of year, can be of greater interest than the plans and prospects of our farmer readers. Everyone should be glad to know how his neighbor's stock and crops have fared through the winter and by thus hearing what others think have a basis from which to judge his own.

With this idea in mind The Standard has been to the pains of inquiring just how these matters stand. And we quote below from a number of farmers in this vicinity. The list is not as great as wished for but perhaps another time there will be a greater number ready to give information concerning crop conditions. George English of Sylvan when asked as to his stock and other interests replied that his stock through the winter did exceptionally well. He mentioned however that his yearling lambs for some unaccountable reason were not doing so well. They eat but do not thrive. He has not as yet discovered the reason for their being so backward. His wheat and grass are in good condition and the general outlook appears very promising.

B. P. Chase of Sylvan says that his stock was never better and that wheat, grass and pasturage are good. All things considered, the general farming situation is as fine as he ever knew it.

Howard Cook of Gregory never had stock come through a winter in so good a condition as his has this year. Prospects of a good wheat crop are abundant and grass and pasturage conditions are very favorable.

David Luick of Lima is enthusiastic about the fine condition of his stock of which he has of all kinds. Wheat and grass prospects are excellent. Some new grass seed he has sown is apparently alright. He has done some spring plowing and sown barley. As compared with other years he thinks this season so far can be rated top notch.

On the farm of O. C. Borkhart in Lima everything is in a flourishing condition. Never were there such fine lambs declared the proprietor and he believes that 75 per cent of them will live and the cows are also in good condition and the milk is being sold to the Tower Creamery Co. in large quantities. He has begun some spring plowing. He concludes by saying that if these wet seasons continue he has made up his mind to change his wheat crop to one of docks.

In trying to reach Lyndon folks The Standard came across L. L. Gorton the merchant of Waterloo village. He was suspected of knowing something of crop conditions but all that learned was to the effect that he contemplated stocking the mill pond with ducks and geese and that the prospect for planting telephone poles was never better.

Horace Leek of Lyndon says his sheep have not done as well as usual. Otherwise stock is in good conditions. As to wheat and grass they give good promise

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Asks Help in Chelsea.

For some little time now bills have been noticed in this vicinity, and at the postoffice in particular, asking the services of both men and teams for contract work on the Michigan Central R. R. Investigation discloses that the road has let the contracts for the greater portion of their road work for the present season, which involves the expenditure of several millions of dollars. It can hardly be hoped that the double track now built as far as Marshall can be pushed to Lawton this season. The first stretch will be from Marshall to Augusta, a distance of twenty-three miles, and the contract for the building of the grade for this has been let to W. A. Tench, a contractor of Detroit. The road bed will be changed at Wheatfield, a station between Marshall and Battle Creek. At present there are curves of 180 degrees at this point, and the track will be shortened and the curves eliminated.

Another big contract which it is estimated will take two years to complete and which will cost the railroad company a million and a half of dollars is the building of a division at Osthemo hill. From Kalamazoo west to Osthemo is a steep grade for a railroad at least, and then after the top of the hill is reached it is down grade west to Niles. The Osthemo hill is a matter of constant hindrance, and the road will be built to the north about two miles in some places to avoid the hill. The contract has been let to Contractor Griffin, who has been working in this part of the state more or less on the steam or electric roads.

Work on these contracts will be started at once, and the Michigan Central company will now most any day start out the road trains. The road trains are operated by the road, and any work which they do for the contractors is charged against their account.

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THE CHELSEA STANDARD

G. C. SIMMONS, Publisher.

CHELSEA, MICHIGAN

The British taxpayer is paying a good deal of freight nowadays.

The threat of a cigar famine turns out to be nothing but clouds of smoke.

It is a great deal easier to get out of a job than it is to get into one again.

Gates says he is going to quit speculating. The water may yet turn and run uphill.

The hand that is "loving and considerate" would not be so persuasive without the smile.

Sir Thomas Lipton is habitually as full of hope as Lord Dunraven habitually was of prunes.

The wife of England's chief pawnbroker has just been received at court. You can't keep money down.

Mr. T. McGovern staggers to the ropes to remark that he was robbed. He's a wise man who knows when he is all in.

Even after the north pole is at last discovered, there will remain the south pole. And, after that, the rest of the universe.

It took fifty-seven congresses to enact a law prohibiting the sale of liquor in the capital. It will take fifty-seven more to enforce it.

The Chicago News innocently asks: "How does the dressmaker know what the ladies are going to wear before she has asked them?"

The south polar continent is believed to cover an area nearly as large as Europe. And land there is free to anybody for the asking.

Whistler the artist is to be made an LL. D. by Glasgow university. It is evident that there is at least one university which can take a joke.

The dynamite cruiser Vesuvius is to be sold as junk. What predictions there were that she would make the navies of the world look like 30 cents!

Two enthusiastic London aeronauts are building a 24-horse power airship, but the cautious passenger will wait until he sees it develop one-bird power.

A criminal sentenced in England to imprisonment for life is released at the end of fifteen years, but any one married for life there has to stay clean through.

The agricultural authorities had to work with themselves a long time before they felt entirely safe in deciding that there is no such thing as corn wheat.

Another advance of 5 per cent in the price of diamonds. This makes an advance of 15 per cent in six months. Meanwhile, black ones are quoted lower.

President Schwab, who said that he went abroad to study nature, must have acquired the habit, for he is now reported looking at some steel plants near Pittsburgh.

According to the reports Miss Shaw exhibited all the signs of a severe frost when the earl of Yarmouth began to quote himself at figures rising above \$25,000 a year.

According to Said Pasha there is no doubt that Turkey is trying to live up to modern notions regarding the moral responsibilities of nations. At least that is what Said said.

Feathered millinery is a bar between woman and heaven, according to a Boston preacher. She who sighs for "the wings of a dove" should not desire them on her Sunday hat.

The declaration of a New York physician that golf causes cardiac hypertrophy, will be especially disquieting to golf players who do not know what cardiac hypertrophy is.

No doubt many people in this country will be stunned with amazement to read that a Missouri court has decided the public has some rights in the streets along with the trolley car.

The shirt waist girls have gone into executive session on the question of abolishing themselves, and from the reports that reach the waiting world outside the discussion must be something fierce.

They are making collections of the Pennell love letters. The consensus of expert opinion seems to be that the one about the lady's gloves found in the Tuxedo coat pocket is the sweetest one of the lot.

It seems a great pity that many of the things that are the tutti-frutti of gilded perfection in theory often turn out to be the cold pancakes of stern reality when the attempt is made to put them into practice.

Why shouldn't Admiral Sir Henry Keppel follow Admiral Dewey's example and seek the highest happiness there is in life, even though he is 92 and in the ordinary course of things can hardly have more than eight or ten years to live?

Michigan Items

State Happenings
Succinctly Told
by Our Special
Correspondents.

GIVES \$1,500 TO STATE MISSION

M. H. Quick of Manistique Helps Baptists in Their Work.

One of the pleasurable reports made at the quarterly meeting of the board of Baptist state missions, held in the Woodward Avenue Baptist church at Detroit, was that M. H. Quick of Manistique had given \$1,500 for the furtherance of the work. An unusual thing was the fact that every member of the missionary force made a report. There are forty-five missionary pastors serving sixty-three churches and forty-three out stations. In the past three months there have been 148 additions to the church by baptism and 1,826 sermons were preached. The new superintendent, C. H. Irving, is making strenuous efforts to secure \$14,000 for the present work and for the opening of new fields.

HORSE DEMOLISHES BABY CAB

Child Escapes Injury Under Hoofs of the Frightened Animal.

The infant child of Mrs. Edith Bullis had a narrow escape from death at Stockbridge. Mrs. Bullis wheeled her babe in its cab to the postoffice and left it outside for a moment while she entered. A gust of wind put the cab in motion, driving it against a horse that stood hitched to a post near by. The animal was frightened and began rearing and kicking; the cab was kicked completely to pieces, but the child came out uninjured. The horse broke from its fastenings and ran away.

Trouble Over Roller.

Last fall the Ypsilanti council attempted to purchase a steam roller over the mayor's veto and failed. The machine was rented, however, for one year with right to buy. Lately, some of the parts of the machine were missing, and as the same firm has had trouble at Niles and Mt. Clemens, the taxpayers are suspicious. A Port Huron firm is offering as good a roller at about half the price, and in all probability the old machine will be returned and one bought from the Port Huron concern.

Perpetual Officeholders.

The copper country is quite a place for long-time officeholders. A. J. Scott, who was elected mayor of Hancock, has been supervisor of his township twenty-four years; John Duncan has represented Calumet on the board for thirty-two years and Michael Finn has been for thirty-six years clerk of the village of Hancock and for thirty-seven years clerk and justice of the peace of Hancock township.

New Hotel Project.

The project for a new hotel in Pontiac before the opening of another state fair has again been given a boost and it is expected that the plan contemplated will be carried out, and that work on the new building will be begun within a short time. Two sites are under contemplation by the capitalists who propose to build the hotel.

Capture Silver Foxes.

Lewis Hartel, Harry Pierce and Fred Shance of Porterville made a find which will mean a good many dollars in their pockets. They found eight young silver gray fox cubs in a field two miles south of town. The mother escaped, but the young ones will be raised to maturity, if possible, when their fur will bring a big price.

Suffers From Enemy.

In the past fifteen months some unknown enemy of Wells Townley of Morrice has shot at him, cut a set of double harness belonging to him to pieces and poisoned two of his horses. Townley has been unable to discover the identity of his enemy and will remove to Howell in order to get rid of him, whoever he is.

Gets Canning Plant.

Port Austin has landed the canning factory it has been after, and both the townspeople and the farmers round about are happy over it. It will give employment to some 100 persons during the camping season, and will furnish a good home market for the produce raised in the vicinity.

Will Go to Goshen, Ind.

Rev. J. V. Fradenburg, until recently pastor of the Bethel Baptist church at Kalamazoo, and pastor of the church at Otsego, Mich., for a term of years, has received and will accept a call to the pastorate of the Baptist church at Goshen, Ind.

Lack Patriotism.

Some Lansing men rented their business places to the city for polling places on election day, and they sent in bills of \$25 and \$30 respectively for the one day's use of the buildings.

Egg With Three Yolks.

These two-yolk-egg hens who have been figuring in the papers so much of late must stop their cackling. Stimulated by the approaching Easter, a Portland hen has laid an egg containing three yolks.

Land Company Incorporates.

The Michigan Land Association of New York, incorporated with \$200,000 capital to act as agents for the purchase and sale of lands in Michigan, has filed articles of incorporation with the secretary of state.

TELEGRAPH EARNINGS SHRINK.

Tax Payment Indicates Reduction in Western Union Business.

The Western Union Telegraph Co. has filed its annual report with the auditor-general showing gross earnings in the state of Michigan of \$137,607.28. The taxes computed on this sum to be paid by the company amount to \$4,128.22. Last year under the present law the company paid a tax of \$4,311.70, but it seems that the income of the company in Michigan has been slightly reduced. It appears that under the old law which provided for ad valorem taxation the company paid in 1898 a tax of \$15,711, while in 1899 the sum of \$13,465 was paid. The company did not complain on account of this tax, but the legislature saw fit to place the telegraph companies on the specific tax basis, and the result is decreased taxation. In his annual report the auditor-general recommends that the companies should be required to pay taxes on the same basis as railroad companies.

OLD CITIZEN CASTS FIRST VOTE.

Army Officer Has Been Entitled to Franchise for Forty Years.

Although he became legally qualified to vote away back in 1865, Maj. Edmund Fehet has just cast his first vote. Having been a resident of Port Huron when appointed to the army at that time, that city has always remained his legal residence, the constitution providing that a man neither gains nor loses a residence by serving in the army. This is the first time he has ever happened to be in Port Huron when an election was held.

Mishap Saves Kittens.

Martin De Gloppe, of Grand Haven, was disposing of some surplus kittens which the store had brought his household by drowning them in the river, and little Willie Abenga was watching him. About the time the second kitten was losing its fifth life, Willie became so interested that he fell off the plank on which he was standing to watch the performance. Not having nine lives, like the cats, he stood a good chance of drowning, but De Gloppe dropped the cat subject long enough to jump in after him and pull him ashore. In the excitement the kittens escaped.

Signing Notes Is Dangerous.

Some time ago the teacher of Genesee county were victimized by the agent of a Chicago concern which sold them books and in return took their notes. The notes were discounted at local banks, but the representations made by the agent were not carried out and the givers of the notes refused to pay them. Now the bank at Montrose has begun suit to recover on one of the notes it purchased, and a test case will be made to see if the teachers can be compelled to pay for something they didn't get.

Invalid's Leg Is Broken.

There was a fire in the Ewart House at Ewart, caused by the explosion of an oil stove in the basement, and one guest, Clarence Ingersoll, who was sick in bed in his room, was forgotten in the rush. When aid finally went to him he had to be taken out through a window, and in the haste of doing so one of his legs was broken.

Tally Sheets Are Stolen.

The principal question at issue at Lowell was the liquor one and the contest was exceedingly bitter. The "drys" won out, but the tally sheets were stolen, and now how to make legal returns of the election is what is puzzling the authorities.

Trappers Fare Well.

Those persons who have an idea that the days of profitable trapping for furs have passed may be interested in knowing that a single dealer at Fennville has paid out \$1,200 the past winter for furs taken in that immediate neighborhood.

Contracts for Hospital.

The contract for the construction of the new hospital presented to the city of Muskegon by Charles H. Hackley, has been let and the building is to be completed in time for occupancy on Hackley day, May 25, 1904.

Humane Thief.

The Muskegon police received a complaint the other day from a man who said someone had stolen the muzzle of his dog.

New Hospital for Insane.

A new hospital will be built in the near future at the Michigan asylum, at Kalamazoo to cost between \$50,000 and \$60,000.

Boom in Real Estate.

Grand Rapids real estate dealers report an unusual volume of sales of residence property. The increase in rents is driving many persons to buy homes rather than pay the high rents demanded by landlords.

Timber Is Scarce.

The big coopers plant at Coldwater may be removed to Menominee. The timber is all cut away in the vicinity of the present location and the plant must be removed to a spot nearer the source of supply.

AMPUTATES HIS INJURED LEG

Most Remarkable Surgical Operation Is Performed at Coats Grove.

George E. Coats of Coats Grove has a Plymouth Rock rooster which some time ago injured one leg between the knee and ankle on a barbed wire fence. The injured member bothered the fowl a great deal and finally, concluding that there was no hope of saving the leg, he went to work to amputate it. The bird sat on the perch and with his bill severed the bone, and at last accounts the wound had healed and all danger of blood poisoning was past.

Arbor Day.

Gov. Bliss issued the following proclamation: "Acting under authority vested in the executive, I do hereby proclaim Friday, April 24, 1903, as Arbor Day, and request a general observance. Arbor Day being essentially educational in character, its purposes should be impressed upon the minds of the young by appropriate exercises in the educational institutions of the state, and in general by increased attention to the beautifying of private and public grounds."

House Is Haunted.

Oakwood, Oakland county, boasts of a haunted house. The old building is a relic of the destruction wrought by the big cyclone which swept through that section in May, 1896, and every night lights are seen through the broken windows and shrieks and noises of hurrying feet heard by the timid neighbors. As yet no one has had the courage to investigate the mystery.

Pays for Folly.

A hobo was arrested at Kalamazoo on a charge of carrying concealed weapons. He claimed he carried the revolver to protect himself from robbery, but as his total worldly wealth consisted of a plugged quarter, the police couldn't see that there was much need of protection on that score and the weary Willie will spend some of these fine spring days in the cooler.

He Voted for Jackson.

It seems queer to think of a man who voted for Andrew Jackson when the latter ran for president being still on earth and able to vote in this year of 1903. Stephen Whipple, of Denton Wayne county, did this, however, an expects to vote at least once more for a president of the United States. He is 93 years old.

Must Incorporate.

The Litchfield village council recently passed an ordinance requiring rural telephone companies to incorporate under the state law before entering the village with their lines. There was a loud complaint, but the council stood pat, and the rural companies are complying with the demand.

Indecent Language.

A Cheboygan justice has the right idea of the way to treat these so-called men who use indecent language in the presence of women and children. When one of this kind was brought before him he sentenced him to twenty-five days in the lockup without the alternative of a fine.

Touche Live Wire.

While going home Andrew Johnson of Marquette, noticed that an ar light near his house was out, and tried to start it burning again by shaking the wire. The wire he touched was an unannulated one and Johnson was killed by the current.

Petty Thieves.

There seems to be an organized band of petty thieves operating in southern Michigan. Personal property of various kinds is no longer considered safe in church sheds, the villages in Calhoun and neighboring counties.

Boys City Is Booming.

A building boom is on at Boy City. There are no empty houses. Rents are high, more than 100 houses have already been contracted for, and several new business blocks will soon be under way.

Engl's Works Grow.

The gas engine company at Coldwater will have a new and large building in which to do business before long, having outgrown the present quarters.

Good Roads Appropriation.

They believe in good roads! Davison township. At town meeting they voted \$1,450 for highway purposes.

May Get Grain Elevator.

There is a prospect of a new grain elevator being erected in Mason in the near future.

Boom at Bloomingdale.

Work is so plentiful in Bloomingdale that there is a general rush for the village. Every house is occupied and old buildings heretofore counted as uninhabitable are now being fitted up and rented at big prices.

Home Market for Crops.

Produce dealers and business men in Bloomingdale have formed a store company to build a big storehouse at elevator in the village, and thus furnish a home market for the crops raised in the vicinity.

MICHIGAN LEGISLATURE.

Labor men in the house were stirred up by a bill which passed the senate last week. It provides that men who take railroad tickets from companies or individuals upon the agreement that they shall do certain work and then refuse to do the work may be punished by fine and imprisonment.

Representative Shea, of Detroit, has prepared some amendments which he will ask the house to add to the bill, calculated to allow workmen to get even with companies which do not keep their part of agreements as to work, wages, board, etc. It provides that whenever agreements are made to take men from their homes to do work in some other place, the officer or agent of the company making the agreement shall prepare a statement of the conditions in writing, giving the wages to be paid, hours, work, kind of board, etc., and if the company does not observe these terms their officers or agents may be fined or imprisoned.

The legislature resumed its sessions Tuesday night after an adjournment for the election. There were quite a number of absentees, but the house went to work. A large number of petitions were received asking for the passage of the Holmes liquor bond bill. Most of them were from ministers and their congregations. Some of the members wanted to begin holding morning sessions to-morrow, but a resolution to that effect was voted down, 18 to 20. However, to show that they were not lazy the members went into committee of the whole. When the bill to appropriate \$78,000 for improvements at the asylum at Newberry was reached, Representative Rodgers objected to a \$30,000 item for an amusement hall. But Chairman Neal, of the ways and means committee, said the new building is necessary, but Rodgers thought the figure too high and the bill was laid over.

Speaker Carlton is one of the strongest advocates for an early cessation of lawmaking. He said: "I can see no reason why we cannot finish our work in four more weeks. Of course, we could quit at any time, but I believe that all the work that is necessary to be done for the good of the people may be accomplished by the early part of May." It is said that some of the senators propose to put through a resolution providing for final adjournment on May 15.—The house may begin holding morning sessions next week, in order that the heavy list of bills now on the general order may be disposed of.

R. L. Lewis, of Reed City, has been appointed circuit commissioner of Oscoda county by Gov. Bliss. Lewis was elected to the office last fall, but neglected to file his bond. Frank H. Stephens, of Ithaca, is appointed stenographer of the twenty-ninth judicial circuit.

The new chairs ordered for the house did not arrive in time for the McMillan memorial exercises, as promised. Representative Hunt, who was chairman of the committee that ordered the chairs, last January, says they'll be in place before the legislative adjourns; in fact, he expects them next week.

Senator Doherty Ill.

Senator A. J. Doherty, of Clare, administration leader in the senate, was seized with abdominal pains after he had been in bed in the Doherty house but an hour Monday night. Dr. H. A. Haze was summoned, and at first it was feared that the senator was suffering with appendicitis. The doctor remained with him a great part of the night, and he was easier this morning, though confined to his bed. It is not now believed that the senator has appendicitis.

Work and Wages.

State Commissioner of Labor Griswold has completed his annual report for the year 1902. The daily pay rolls of the factories of the state aggregate \$340,741.28. For each week \$2,080,447.08. For the year, \$108,183,273.36. The average workday was slightly longer in 1902 than 1901. The number of months factories were operated during the year was nearly one month greater than in 1901.

Maj. Dunham and all his Salvation Army band were arrested while holding a street meeting in Paterson, N. J. Application has been made in Washington for the establishment of a post-office at Marlborough, where the new Great Northern Portland Cement Co. plant is located.

Russians and Japanese are quarrelling over a timber concession claimed by a Russian agent at the mouth of the Yalu river. Upon going there to operate it was found that Japanese were in possession and they would not vacate.

The bodies of Capt. Henry Hartwell and his son, Alva, were found on Round Island beach by William Marshall. It is thought that while they were returning from Mackinac Island to their home on Bois Blanc Island, the fierce gale that prevailed wrecked their small boat on a reef.

The pope received Mgr. Vecchia, secretary of the congregation of the Propaganda, who submitted the names of Right Rev. John J. Glennon, coadjutor bishop of St. Louis, and Right Rev. Henry Moeller, bishop of Columbus, O., as coadjutor archbishop of Cincinnati, which the pontiff ratified.

An investigation of the explosion on the battleship Iowa, which occurred off Pensacola, Fla., resulting in the death of three and serious injury of five others, shows that the accident was caused entirely by a defective shell fuse which, it is stated, burned faster than was calculated. It is understood that the shell exploded 60 seconds before it was timed to go off.

Owing to the spreading of the rails a drill engine on the Central railroad of New Jersey left the track and plunged down a 20-foot embankment into a pond at Elizabeth, N. J. Engineer Arthur Bortat, fireman Brooks and three others were killed.

NEWS OF THE WORLD

Brief Chronicle of Matters of Importance

Shell Exploded on the Iowa.

The premature explosion of a shell in a 12-inch gun on the battleship Iowa at Pensacola, Fla., killed three men and injured five, two seriously. A part of the crew were at target practice at the time and in the forward turret under command of Lieut. Reed. Mess call had just been sounded and the gun was the last to be fired that day. When the gun had been loaded the order to fire was given. The dull sound of the shell exploding inside the gun was heard instantly after the discharge and three pieces of the muzzle, weighing about a ton each, outside of the turret, dropped through the deck, falling in the midst of a group of men at mess. The men who were killed were badly crushed and mangled. None of those who were firing the gun were hurt.

927 Scabbable Trusts Crushed.

Gov. Murphy's annual proclamation dissolving the trusts and other corporations that have not paid their annual tax to the state of New Jersey, was sent to the printers. It wipes out 927 companies, having an authorized capital of \$239,000,000. There are all kinds of wrecks in the list and their debris is scattered pretty generally over the United States and Alaska. Mining companies, bologna trusts, railroad corporations, steamship lines and corn cove evasions are intermingled indiscriminately. Nobody can tell how many hundreds of thousands of innocent persons have been swindled into purchasing their stocks, but the transfer books of a few, recently exhibited in the state courts, would seem to indicate that their number is legion.

With Stilletoes and Revolvers.

Under a murderous fire from 13 desperate Italians who were strongly entrenched behind heavy oak doors, 20 policemen charged a saloon at 1900 Armonr avenue, Chicago, in search of the assassin of Frank Wink, who was picked up near the saloon suffering from five knife wounds and other injuries. The battle between the police and the Italians lasted several minutes. A number of the Italians and two officers were injured.

Killed 100 Moros.

Capt. Pershing's force captured Bacolod, island of Mindanao, Wednesday, killed a hundred Moros and wounded many others. Three Americans were wounded.

Pershing was surveying the west shore lands when the Bacoldians opposed his advance and provoked the fight. Pershing surrounded and attacked their stronghold, first shelling them, and then rushing his troops forward, charged gallantly.

Four Men Killed.

A collision on the Inter-Colonial about 17 miles west of Halifax, N. S., between an express and a freight train resulted in the almost instant death of the engineer and fireman of the express train, and the fireman and one of the brakemen of the freight, while the freight train did not obey orders and ran through a siding where it should have stopped.

Government Wins Merger Suit.

The Northern Securities case was decided in favor of the United States government by the United States Circuit Court of Appeals. The decision enjoins the company from voting the stock of the Northern Pacific or Great Northern railway companies, but allows the return of such stock as had been delivered to that holding company. The opinion was unanimous, all four judges concurring, but the opinion was written by Judge Thayer.

Thirteen Were Killed.

A furious cyclone is reported to have struck the town of Hanceville, Ala., at 2 o'clock Monday morning, killing 13 persons and injuring 25 others. Hanceville is a town of about 1,000 inhabitants in Blount county, directly north of Birmingham about 25 miles. Henry McCoy, a prominent farmer, and his entire family of seven persons, are reported among the dead, also a farmer named John Griffin, and son. No other names have yet been secured.

Another Cuban Scandal.

Congressman J. H. Southard, of Toledo, has started an investigation which may bring to light a scandal among United States officials at Havana, Cuba. The charge is that exorbitant charges are being made for the disinterment and shipment of the bodies of dead soldiers from Cuba, when it should be done free of cost, according to Mr. Southard.

1,500 Said to Be Dead.

An explosion has occurred at the Canton (China) arsenal powder factory. Fifteen hundred persons are reported to have been killed.

Married against her father's wishes, Elvira the favorite daughter of Chas. Lockhart, the millionaire of Pittsburgh, and partner of the Rockefeller in the Standard Oil Co., has been cut off from her \$30,000 per year to a nominal sum and a new division of the \$40,000,000 that some day will be divided. Miss Lockhart secretly married Dr. Wm. Flower, a dentist.

Lolla Armour, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Ogden Armour, of Chicago, who was operated upon in the winter by Dr. Adolf Lorenz, the Vienna specialist, has arrived home and is in excellent health after spending the cold season at Atlanta, Ga. Dr. Lorenz is on his way from Europe to remove the cast. It is predicted that the little girl will soon be able to walk without pain.

Snow 30 feet deep on the South Park division of the Colorado & Southern railroad is reported by Roadmaster Mella, who took a two days' trip across the Alpine Pass, a distance of 25 miles.

One Man Killed, Two Injured.

Roadmaster Michael Flahive, of the Michigan Central's eastern division, Division Civil Engineer Sharp and Frank Adrian were traveling on a gasoline speeder near Grass Lake. They shifted from the south to the north track to avoid a Detroit and very sharp curve, did not notice the approach of a west-bound express on that track. The express bore down on them at the rate of 90 miles an hour. The engineer blew his whistle but they did not hear it until the train was upon them. Flahive's body was cut into pieces. The others had jumped in time to save their lives. The accident was like that in which Chicago Engineer Torrey lost his life near Alton about a year ago.

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS.

France is preparing to step in and suppress the insurrection of 100,000 Chinese rebels in Kwang-Si province, which borders the French colony of Tonquin.

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CONSIDERABLE interest has been expressed concerning the communication in last issue of The Standard signed by "A woman who drives."

Undoubtedly the matter there presented is of real interest to more people than we are conscious of and it is certainly worthy of discussion. However, we would say to our correspondent—Let us keep sweet tempered about it. Automobiles have undoubtedly come to stay and we shall all meet them in ever increasing numbers. And, too, we believe that some day they will be as staple on a farm as the corncrib is now. But until that time comes our highways will be considerably more peaceful if there is a good understanding between drivers and chauffeurs. If both parties lose their heads, as the saying goes, the horse is likely to do so likewise.

Such automobilists as have mentioned this matter concede that a good many horses are at first frightened, but that upon acquaintance with their machines they soon cease to notice them. And these persons further say that they are at all times willing to co-operate with drivers in acquainting their horses to the automobile.

But while, as we have indicated above, the solution of this difficulty lies in the good feeling of all concerned, yet the lawmakers have thought they could do something and the result is House bill No. 1109 introduced by Representative Holmes of Alma and which only last week passed the House and went to the Senate. The salient feature of this bill is that if it becomes a law it will require every person operating an automobile, upon meeting a conveyance drawn by a horse, or horses, and the animals shall display fright or fear of the automobile, then such conveyance shall be steered to the right of the wronged or travelled portion of the road or highway and there brought seasonably to a full stop until all danger is past.

As against this it is provided that an automobile coming up from behind a driver the said driver shall do all he can assist the machine to pass and if he be the driver shall turn out to the side of the road.

The bill came to the attention of a number owning automobiles and no opposition to the measure was offered in the House where it passed unanimously. Perhaps if the measure finally becomes a law it will at least afford a definite basis by which all concerned may regulate their conduct in the matter of highway practices.

The Detroit Tribune goes Horatius fight to hold the Roman bridge one better in its fight for an international railroad bridge at Detroit. This is a matter in which all Michigan is interested. Detroit is the splendid gateway for our state's commerce, and whatever makes for greater facility at that point so much the more places the products of Michigan, whether manufactured or farm, in closer touch with a world wide market. The matter of building such a bridge should have the pressure of a united public opinion behind it, at all times seconding such efforts as the Tribune is putting forth to remove the minor obstructions at present hindering the work.

PERSONAL.

Miss Ione Wood was in Jackson Sunday.

Mrs. Frank Lusty was in Detroit Saturday.

Mrs. F. P. Glazier was in Detroit Friday.

Roy Blise visited relatives in Jackson Sunday.

William Caspary was in Ann Arbor Sunday.

Galbraith Gorman was in Detroit part of last week.

Miss Amy Foster was a Jackson visitor last Thursday.

John Miller of Detroit spent Sunday with his sisters.

Geo. J. Buss of Ann Arbor was a Chelsea visitor Friday.

Dr. J. W. Robinson has returned from his visit to Toronto.

Martin Conway of Jackson was a Chelsea visitor Sunday.

Miss Rose Mullen of Detroit visited her parents Sunday.

Ray Thomson spent Sunday with his parents at Hanover.

Carl Harewood of Saline called on friends here Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. Elsen spent Wednesday with Chelsea friends.

Miss Nene Wilkinson was an Ann Arbor visitor Saturday.

Miss Mary Hiss spent Sunday with her parents at Dexter.

Mrs. Richard Trouton and son Glenn were in Jackson Sunday.

Mrs. Wm. Schatz and children were Jackson visitors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Dancer were Jackson visitors Sunday.

Miss Emma Mast of Ann Arbor is visiting her parents this week.

Miss Edith Bacon of Ypsilanti spent Sunday with her parents.

Orrin Thacher and Dan Conway were Jackson visitors Saturday.

Chas. E. Paul of Summit street was an Ann Arbor visitor Saturday.

Miss Libbie Schwickler of Jackson is visiting her parents here.

Mr. and Mrs. George Ahnemiller were Grass Lake visitors Sunday.

Miss Grace Hooker of Grass Lake called on friends here Saturday.

Aaron Lawrence of LaMore Dakota is the guest of W. J. Schenk.

Miss Nellie Strath returned this week from a visit to Toronto, Canada.

Mrs. George Kempf of Detroit was entertained here the past week.

Miss Mame Shaw visited her parents in Ypsilanti Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Beatrice Bacon of Ypsilanti is spending this week with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Hoag and children of Ann Arbor were in Chelsea Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Winans spent several days of last week with Grass Lake friends.

C. E. Lette, formerly of Chelsea, now of Detroit, was a visitor here last week.

William L. Wade has returned home after spending sometime in Battle Creek.

H. D. Witherell spent a few days of last week with his parents at Manchester.

Lewis and Max Lanasberg of Detroit were the guest of George Elster Tuesday.

Mrs. William Martin of Dexter was the guest of D. Wurster and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John D. Watson entertained a small company on Tuesday evening.

Mrs. E. Negus spent part of last week with her daughter Mrs. Ira Van Gieson of Clinton.

Mr. and Mrs. Preston Strong of Battle Creek were in town for a brief stay early in the week.

Miss Erna Hutzel of Ann Arbor is at present visiting her cousin, Miss Helene Steinbach.

Mrs. J. W. Maroney spent last Thursday and Friday with her sister Mrs. J. McKernan.

Mr. and Mrs. Watts of Danville were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. Parker over Sunday.

Mr. Howard Cook of Gregory with wife and children visited at the home of L. Cook, Sunday.

Mrs. Henry Steinbach and baby Francis of Dexter spent part of last week with relatives in Chelsea.

Miss Charlotte Steinbach left Friday for Plainwell where she will spend some time visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Foster and children of Grass Lake spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Staffan.

Henry and Elma Schultz of Dexter spent Sunday with their grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Henry Schultz.

Misses Agnes Farrel, Beale Wade and Mary Wheeler of St. Joseph's Academy, Adrian spent Sunday with their parents.

Mrs. Esther Craft and grand daughter Virginia Craft of Grass Lake were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Crowell part of last week.

Miss Florence Lockwood and a party of friends attended a social occasion last week in Ann Arbor chaperoned by Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Welch.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Capron and twin daughters, Lillian I. and Vivian L. of Grass Lake, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Greening, Easter.

Overtime.

Grumpp—Is there such a thing as a pianist's union?

Register—I never heard of one. Why?

"I thought if there was one I'd like to call it to the attention of the young woman next door and get her to join. She works at her piano more than eight hours a day."—Philadelphia Press.

Uncle Reuben says:

"I have been numerous occasions in my life when I felt that I was about as wise a man as could be found on earth, and I have bin jest as many odder occasions when I realized that I was about as big a fool as de world could skeer up. Come to think of it, I reckon I was a fool when I thought myself wise, and wise when I knew I was a fool."—Detroit Free Press.

Very Similar.

Restful Rawlins—Dat new hobo hez jess completed his first "century" ride on de trucks in a freight train!

Narrow Gauge Nevins—Did it please him much?

"Not a bit! He said de dust an' jolts reminded him uv de days when he was rich an' owned an 'auto!'—Puck.

Happy Day.

"What are you writing?" asked the freshman.

"Just dropping a line to my governor, wishing him many happy returns of the day," replied the sophomore.

"Why is this his birthday?"

"No; pay day. He sent me a check this morning."—Philadelphia Press.

Warm Turned at Last.

Old Grinders—See here, young man, how do you account for the fact that you were seven minutes late in getting to the office this morning?

Wary Employee—I don't account for it at all. I've succeeded in getting another job.—Stray Stories.

The Official Canvass.

The official vote in Wash-tonaw, as returned by the county commission, which finished its work yesterday afternoon, show this county after a lapse of years in the republican column. This, however, was only true of the vote cast for officials who were in no way connected with would be county bosses. In all cases where the rank and file of the party had been ignored in selecting candidates, or where the candidate was even so much as suspected of the taint of bossism that candidate went down to sure defeat and consequently the board of supervisors is no measure of party strength in Wash-tonaw.

On the vote for Justice of the Supreme Court the county is republican by 340 while taking the average of the vote of the two republican regents and the average of the two democratic candidates for regents it is found that Wash-tonaw is republican by exactly 400. The following are the figures:

JUSTICE OF SUPREME COURT.	4,168
Frank A. Hooker	3,828
James H. Pound	228
Vincent H. D. Fox	32
Peter Fresema, Jr.	44
Herbert A. Hodge	

Hooker's plurality 340

REGENTS.

Loyal E. Knappen	4,175
Peter White	4,193
Wellington R. Burt	3,783
Willis J. Abbott	3,785
John T. Ward	222
Jefferson D. Leland	202
Vernon T. King	30
Henry Ulbrecht	29
John D. Hunt	43
William L. Benessa	

SCHOOL COMMISSIONER.

Charles E. Foster	4,086
Warren H. Smith	3,904
Joseph B. Steer	28
Daniel J. Janneville	88

Foster's plurality 183

The official vote in Sylvan was as follows:

SUPERVISOR.	865
William Bacon, r.	865—20
Frank H. Sweetland, d.	
CLERK.	360
J. S. Cummings, r.	360—21
Bert B. Turnbull, d.	

TREASURER.

Jacob Hummel, r.	458—175
Hiram Lighthall, d.	283

HIGHWAY COMMISSIONER.

Philip Schwelburt, r.	319
James Geddes, sr., d.	420—101

JUSTICE OF THE PEACE.

George K. Chapman, r.	389—40
Rolla J. Beckwith, d.	349

SCHOOL INSPECTOR.

George Gage, r.	387—39
Joseph L. Sibley, d.	343

MEMBER BOARD OF REVIEW.

Stephen L. Gage, r.	415—82
William P. Schenk, d.	32

CONSTABLE.

Rush Green, r.	361
Jay M. Woods, r.	344
Adolph Kruse, r.	358
Philip Broesamle, r.	355
Charles E. Paul, d.	380
Frank Leach, d.	346
Roy Evans, d.	338
William Wheeler, d.	345

SCHOOL COMMISSIONER.

Charles E. Foster, r.	418—202
Warren H. Smith, d.	216

CONSTABLE.

YOUR NEIGHBOR'S DOINGS

AS SEEN BY

The Standard's Correspondents.

WATERLOO.

The third Quarterly Meeting of the U. B. church will be held in the village of Waterloo April 26. Services will begin at 10.00 a. m. and at 7.30 p. m. There will be Lovefeast and Communion in the morning. Rev. Brinkman, presiding elder, will preach. Also on Saturday there will be a conference at 2.30 and in the evening.

SYLVAN.

Mrs. Nelson Dancer is on the sick list.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gilbert Tuesday, April 7, 1903, a son.

Mrs. S. Tyndal spent part of last week at Parma with her son, George Lowrie.

Mr. and Mrs. Seymour Tyndal visited her sister, Mrs. Nathan Hatt of Stockbridge, who has been quite ill.

SHARON.

Miss Jennie Rhoades of Ann Arbor visited in town over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Cook who have been on the sick list are recovering.

The W. H. M. S. met with Mrs. J. E. Irwin on Wednesday of this week.

Miss Helen Heselachwerdt spent last week with relatives and friends in Franciscan.

John Fletcher and Carrie Fairchild visited at Ralph Boyden's Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Lemm who have been spending the winter in California have returned home.

Theodore Jacobs who has a position as fireman on the Lake Shore railroad was home over Sunday.

Mrs. C. Obermeyer who has been visiting in Manchester for the past few days has returned home.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Burch of Belleville died of

pneumonia and the remains were sent here for burial. The funeral services were held at the Center church last Monday afternoon, Rev. J. S. Steinger of Manchester officiating.

Jennie, the only child of Mr. and Mrs. Bion Raymond died last Wednesday morning and the funeral was held from their home on Friday, April 10. She was a member of the Junior class of the Manchester high school and the remains were carried to their last resting place by the boys of the class, while the girls carried the flowers. Jennie was much loved by all who knew her and will be greatly missed.

NORTH LAKE.

Preaching services will be held next Sunday at 10.30.

George Webb is having his house painted inside and out.

George Heade expects to leave for Washington this week.

Misses Alice and Lucy Reilly spent a part of last week at home.

Miss Rose Glenn is at her brother's, Emory Glenn, near Gregory.

Fred Schultz had the misfortune to lose a valuable horse last week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Cooke spent Sunday with friends at Chelsea.

Married, at the home of the bride's parents, Thursday, April 9, Miss Ella Reade to Mr. Eli Buck of Grand Rapids. Rev. Gordon performed the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Buck will make their future home at Grand Rapids.

FRANCISCO.

Mrs. B. C. Whitaker spent Wednesday at Jackson.

Harry Beathem and family have moved to Stockbridge.

Peter Lehman of California is the guest of his sister Mrs. John Miller, Jr.

Mrs. Fred Killmer of Denver, Colo. is the guest of John Killmer and family.

Mrs. Henry Riemeuschneider of Port Huron is visiting her parents here.

Misses Martha and Fannie Muebach spent a few days with their brother at Munith.

Miss Nancy Berry has returned home after a few weeks visit at St. John and Grand Ledge.

Several men of this vicinity attended the Woodmen's banquet at Jackson last Thursday night.

Mrs. Ortbling and Mrs. Schriener are at housekeeping after spending the winter with their children and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Killmer and Misses Lydia and Minnie Killmer of Chelsea visited their parents here Sunday.

Communion services will be held at the German M. E. church Sunday, April 19. Rev. Kern of Detroit will be present.

Mrs. H. H. Lammers and sons who have been visiting her parents at Michigan Center returned home Thursday last.

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UNADILLA.

The Misses Mabel Hartniff and Grace Lane are on the sick list.

Edna Bunker of Munith is spending this week with her sister, Mrs. Sarah Barnum.

Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Palmer spent a few days last week with their daughter, Mrs. Alice Holmes of Stockbridge.

William Laverock's mother died at his home Sunday morning. Her remains were taken to Owosso for burial.

Mrs. Janet Webb since her return from Dakota has been suffering with a severe cold but is better at this writing.

Mrs. John Kleinsmith was in Stockbridge Friday and her little niece returned home with her to spend a few days.

Mrs. Ellen Marshall who has been spending the winter with her son, Frank of Stockbridge returned home Sunday.

Died, at his home in Williamsville Tuesday, April 7, 1903, aged 74 years. Mr. Daniels was born in Schenectady Co. N. Y. in 1829 and came to Michigan at the age of 16 with Mr. and Mrs. Jeremiah Fuller, his parents having died when he was young, and settled on a farm in Lyndon township now known as the Daniels farm. He leaves a wife and five children, all grown to manhood and womanhood to mourn his loss. The remains were interred in the Williamsville cemetery, Rev. Hinks conducting the service.

A LOVE LETTER.

Would not interest you if you're looking for a guaranteed safe for fires, burns or plies. Otto Dodd, of Ponder, Mo., writes: "I suffered with an ugly sore for a year, but a box of Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured me. It's the best salve on earth. 25c at Glazier & Stimson's Drug Store."

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WANT COLUMN

RENTS, REAL ESTATE, FOUND, LOST, WANTED, ETC.

FOR SALE—New bed room suit. Cutter robe. J. W. Robinson.

FOR SALE—Good champion mower and truck wagon. Inquire of John Kalmbach.

FOR SALE—Light double harness and one single harness. Inquire of A. Stegar. Electric depot.

FOR SALE—Early and late potatoes for seed. Inquire of Hector Cooper county blue.

NOW is the time to get your bee supplies and if hives are needed order them this month. J. W. Graham, Chelsea, Mich. Res. Wilkinson street—Boland crossing. Beeswax wanted.

FOR SALE—A small mare, good roadster very desirable for family horse. Dr. Robinson.

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LOCAL EVENTS

OF THE PAST WEEK FOR
THE STANDARD'S READERS.

The Chelsea Mfg. Co. is increasing its list of help considerably.

Mrs. Nancy Curtis attended the funeral of her grandson in Detroit the first of the week.

Chas. Currier was called to Detroit the first of the week to attend the funeral of a nephew.

The Y. P. S. of St. Paul's church will hold a business meeting at the parsonage this evening.

The diamond at the new hall park is in excellent condition for practice at elding, bases.

Frank Leach expects to ship from this station on Saturday of this week a carload of choice lambs.

The next regular meeting of The Royal Neighbors of America will be held Tuesday evening, April 21.

Emil Mast and Ernest Weber attended the Woodmen banquet at Jackson last Thursday evening.

Mrs. C. E. Stinson entertained her Sunday school class at a six o'clock dinner Wednesday evening.

C. E. society will have a doughnut sale, Saturday, April 18th at the old Chelsea Savings Bank building.

A number of citizens have commended The Standard's call for less rowdiness at the D. Y. A. A. & J. station.

Dr. Edward McCulgan has been attending to the practice of Dr. Robinson's during the latter's absence in Canada.

A. O. Barn has taken a position with The Sharples Cream Separator Co. of Chicago and is working in this state.

Editor Brown of the Grass Lake News thinks what Gen. Sherman said about war applies, equally well to Chelsea on election day.

The annual meeting of the Washtenaw Baptist Association will be held with the church in Dexter Wednesday and Thursday, May 6 and 7.

Guy Lighthall who has been staying in Chelsea since returning from Eaton Rapids departed Monday for Washington and Pacific coast regions.

Improvements of quite an extensive nature have been made at the telephone exchange this week. A new and up-to-date switch board has been installed.

A Chelsea woman recently priced some articles in Ypsilanti and then gave the salesman a pleasant good day telling him she could do better in her own town.

Mrs. Grace Campbell and Henry Gordon were married at the Baptist parsonage, Ann Arbor, Wednesday afternoon. They returned immediately to Chelsea.

Some folks with a long face predict another as wet a season as last while others face the situation philosophically and point to the fine time in store for the ducks.

Married at the home of the bride's parents in Sylvan April 15, at four o'clock Clinton D. Fink of Springwells and Miss Catherine B. Knoll, Rev. F. A. Stiles officiating.

Remember the concert given tomorrow evening under the auspices of the Lutheran young people of St. Paul's church. It is to be at the Methodist church. Don't get your dates mixed.

Adam Eppler, the butcher whose advertisement is always in The Standard, announces that he will open his market for the convenience of the public for a short time on Sunday mornings.

Is David Luick of Lima a false prophet? He says he has never known it to fall that a rainy Easter will be followed by a wet harvest. Easter was certainly wet now what will the harvest be?

A traveling man who struck town Monday, following Easter, said that it is as many people took a bath once a year as went to church that often he was convinced that the world is getting better.

One of the guests up from Detroit to attend the Hayes-M'Kune wedding attracted considerable attention because of the small white goat he was leading, presumably to serve as a mascot for the happy event.

Edward McKune was in Detroit Monday evening in attendance at the complementary banquet tendered Dennis B. Hayes at the Russell House by his male friends who wished him bon voyage over the seas of matrimony.

Said a Chelsea man looking in at the window of an Ann Arbor photographer, "I never pass this place but that they have the likeness of a good looking Chelsea girl on exhibition and Photographer Shaver up at our place works overtime at that. Unmistakably such a finished product as ours ought to be photographed."

If all reports are true there is a large number of cases of rabies in dogs, in various places about the state; but the Chelsea canines have such well ordered lives and excellent constitution that the disease does not find a foothold.

On Monday night of last week there was a spearing expedition to Sugar Loaf lake and the deputy game warden seems to have made the biggest haul. A Waterloo young man was hailed before the authorities and asked to contribute \$29 in the way of a fine.

Down at Ann Arbor they are preparing to rival Chelsea's onion industry. Condemnation proceedings have fixed the price of the property known as the "cat-hole" at \$5,000, and it will be transformed into one of the greatest botanical parks in the world. Probably skunk cabbage will be the specialty.

By an invitation received from Rowena Lodge, No. 29, Knights of Pythias, Jackson. All members of Chelsea Lodge, No. 194, are requested to report at Rowena Castle Bloomfield building, Jackson on Tuesday evening, April 21, 1903. Cement City, No. 223 and Progress, No. 191 will be present and confer second and third ranks. Geo. A. BeGole Chancellor Commander.

About the loudest row heard recently was the South street man who says there is not a single drop of moisture in his cellar, except a little he put in for vinegar last fall, and goes on to tell how one neighbor has had his furnace fire put out, and how another worked all night carrying out 400 pails of water and how still another is preparing to start an aquarium for blind fish.

The service at the Congregational church Sunday evening will be a union meeting in the interest of the colored race. The speaker will be a negro student from Oberlin. He is represented to the people of Chelsea by Mr. Jones with the assurance that the speaker is well posted concerning the needs and aspirations of his race and the meeting promises to be both entertaining and profitable.

A great many Chelsea people are numbered among the flood sufferers. Cellars to numerous to mention are reported as being from an inch to knee deep with water and still rising. The low lands near by have been turned into lakes and if Letts' creek should retain its present volume this place would soon be known as a seaport and a custom house built at once. Anyone desiring to be collector of the port should get their application in early.

The University of Michigan Pasteur Institute has already five patients under treatment for the prevention of rabies. More cases of rabies are reported in Michigan this spring than ever before. A plague of hydrophobia prevails among dogs and cattle. The state board of health recommends every local board to exercise its authority and order all dogs muzzled. The board has also sent letters to the state press asking that it urge this matter upon the attention of the local authorities.

A number of men who believe in signs had gathered in The Standard office the other day. Some believed in one sign and some in another and all believe in a free-lunch sign when they see it. But one of the interesting articles of belief was that a nutmeg, with a hole in it and suspended about the neck by a string, is a cure for rheumatism. Of course it is difficult to determine whether it is the nutmeg, the hole in it or the string that works the wonder, but anyway all three are cheap, especially the hole, so no one need hesitate to try it.

It may be interesting to some who have slipped in "just a few words" of writing in a package of paper or merchandise mailed at the lower rates to their friends that the abuse has become so common that postmasters have been instructed to examine such packages and report if writing is found, to the department officials. The next the sender knows will be a visit from a deputy U. S. Marshall with a warrant to be taken to Grand Rapids for trial with the result of having to pay a fine of \$25 and the cost of the action.—Ex.

The Easter social which has been mentioned for sometime in connection with Methodist activities was held Tuesday evening at the church. It is hard to say which is the more gratifying net result or the feverish and enthusiastic ardor of the men in their effort to "sling hash" with a fair degree of accuracy. Everyone of the mere men, with the exception of the Hon. M. J. Noyes who made omelets fit for the queen's taste looked as wild of eye and as helpless as an over-driven flock of sheep. However, everyone that was an hungered appears to have been filled and at least twelve baskets full of egg shells were taken up. As a result of the entertainment about \$85 was netted.

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Rev. Jno. S. Cox, of Wake, Ark., writes "For 12 years I suffered from yellow jaundice. I consulted a number of physicians and tried all sorts of medicines but got no relief. Then I began the use of Electric Bitters and feel that I am now cured of a disease that had me in its grasp for twelve years." If you want a reliable medicine for liver and kidney trouble, stomach disorder or general debility, get Electric Bitters. It's guaranteed by Glazier & Stinson. Only 50c.

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