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## CHELSEA SAVINGS BANK,

CHELSEA, MICHIGAN.

Oldest and Strongest Bank in Western Washtenaw County.

STATEMENT OF CONDITION NOV. 17, 1903.

Capital, \$60,000.00

Surplus and Profits, \$30,268.53

Guarantee Fund, \$145,000.00

Deposits, \$439,095.18

Total Resources, \$529,363.53

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### Cut Glass and Silverware.

Nothing makes a finer gift than a beautiful piece of Cut Glass or Silverware

Fine Perfumes, Toilet Articles, Albums, Mirrors, Military Sets, Jewel Cases

### CHRISTMAS PIE

FROM DECEMBER 15 TO 21, AT THE

## BANK DRUG STORE.

CHELSEA TELEPHONE NUMBER 8

## A FARMERS INSTITUTE

TO BE HELD IN CHELSEA SOON.

Active Preparations Now Being Made—Program Not Yet Complete But a Profitable Time Assured.

A representative gathering from the membership of both the farmer's clubs and the Granges met Saturday at the office of Turnbull & Witherell and put in motion the project for holding a farmer's institute in Chelsea on Thursday the 28th of January.

Mr. Ari Guerin was made president of the body and will act as manager in pushing the project through to a success. The institute will last through one entire day in which there will be three separate sessions. The program has not been fully arranged as yet, but from such features as are now in sight a very profitable time seems assured.

The music will be an interesting feature. Prof. Thomas and daughter of Sinks Corners will have this in charge and those that know of their ability readily predict excellent entertainment. Those having the matter in charge are confidently expecting the enthusiastic cooperation of this entire community.

### FARMER'S CLUB MEETING.

An Interesting Account of the Recent Meeting of the Western Washtenaw Club at the Herman Fletcher Home.

The annual meeting of the Western Washtenaw Farmer's Club which met with Mr. and Mrs. Herman Fletcher the last Saturday evening, was a very enjoyable occasion, and was attended by a large attendance as usual. The program was well arranged and good cheer seemed to prevail throughout the evening. The guests were entertained by the hostess, Mrs. Fletcher, and her daughter, Miss Fletcher, who were assisted by the other members of the club. The program consisted of a reading of the minutes of the last meeting, a report on the work of the club during the year, and a discussion of the various subjects brought up by the members. The meeting closed with a social hour and a delicious supper.

### A GOLDEN WEDDING.

An occasion of a great interest and joy among the friends of Mr. and Mrs. Elijah Keyes was the celebration of their golden wedding on Monday at their home in Lima. They entertained about forty of their relatives and friends at a very sumptuous dinner on this occasion. Mr. and Mrs. Keyes are now entered into their 50th year and although it has been a life of hard work and sacrifice, they are still full of life and vigor. They have many children and grandchildren and are well loved and respected by all who know them.

The next meeting of the Club, will be at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Barkhart, January 21st.

### CHRISTMAS OBSERVANCE.

The church of Our Lady of the Sacred Heart will be elaborately decorated with evergreens, holly, palms and many wax candles in beautiful candelabras on Christmas day. The program is as follows, viz:

High Mass 5 a. m.  
Emerson's Mass.  
Offertory.....Adeste Fideles  
Children's Mass 8 a. m.  
Christmas Hymn.....Junior Choir  
Offertory, solo.....Master Garrett Conway  
High Mass 10 a. m.  
Wiegand's Mass.  
Vespers 7:30 p. m.  
Gregorian Vespers.  
Peter's Magnificat.

Alma Redemptoris.....Lambillotte

O Salutaris.....Giorza

Mr. Louis Burg

Tantum Ergo.....Beale

Mr. Louis Burg, Miss Pauline Burg

and Senior Choir

Te Deum.....Holy God we Praise Thy Name

The beautiful Christmas Crib will be seen in the Sanctuary. Rev. Father

Weinman, S. J. of Detroit, will assist the pastor and preach on the "Birth of Christ." The collection at all the services on this day is a Christmas offering to the pastor by his faithful people. Strangers and non Catholics are cordially welcome to all these services.

### DANGER OBSEQUES.

Corrections Concerning Some of the Circumstances of Miss Dancer's Untimely Death—A Largely Attended Funeral.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin A. Dancer wish the impression corrected that has gone abroad to the effect that they were allowing their deceased daughter the use of an unsafe horse. It was reported that the horse was blind, unshod and a runaway. On the contrary the horse had lately been shod and was not totally blind, and the only happenstance in the nature of a runaway was a turn over, a short time previously, for which the horse was not responsible. Miss Dancer's death occurred at Four Mile Lake creek which is the first one on

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# THE CHELSEA STANDARD

G. C. SIMMONS, Publisher.

CHELSEA, MICHIGAN

The mistress of the future will be known, perhaps, as a rare and medium madden.

There's a whole bunch of us willing to be generous at the expense of somebody else.

A bill has been introduced at Washington providing for clean money. No more filthy lucre.

If it is true that crinolines are going to be revived, it must be that golf is going out of fashion.

At 40 one's wish to grow old gracefully is chiefly made up of an earnest desire not to grow fat.

One means of checking the spread of the divorce mania would be to put a curb on the hasty marriage craze.

Some men display a total lack of interest in a cat show who often have sat up all night feeding the kitty.

At least Japan must be credited with a resolute effort to keep looking at the silver lining of its war cloud.

It was not James Lane Allen, the novelist, who struck the \$1,750,000 bill well in Texas. Too good to be true.

J. D. Rockefeller Jr., says that if you live long enough you are bound to win, a remarkably profound statement.

The doings in Cripple Creek remind one of old times. But poor Bret Harte isn't here to write them up properly.

It is indignantly denied that Colombia is eager to possess the pen with which the Panama junta signed that canal treaty.

When Dr. Hillis predicts that in fifty years the women "will be" smarter than the men, doesn't he know that it is no compliment?

A Washington paper believes that Adam owned the first talking machine, but Adam never said a word until Eve arrived and began it.

Africa is being ravaged by the "sleeping sickness," the malady being even more acute there than it is in the United States senate.

Mrs. Langtry found herself fascinated by the "splendid vice" and "uncouth masculinity" of Chicago. Think of that for a Jersey lily!

The author of the song, "The Last Farewell," says he can't understand how Patti came to accept and sing it. Perhaps the title pleased her.

A bald-headed man in Missouri is suing for a divorce because his wife compelled him to sit on the front stoop all summer to keep the flies out of the house.

As usual at this time of year, the more one looks at the literature in the Christmas magazines the more one is disposed to admire the truly beautiful pictures.

The whole number of pieces of stamped paper sold by the postoffice last year was 7,024,902,785. This country pays a big stamp tax now without complaint.

A New York preacher became the father of triplets a few days ago. If he can go on preaching peace on earth now it will have to be admitted that he's a wonder.

There is renewed talk of shortening the college course. But how can an expert football player succeed in doing in three years what he is expected to do in four years?

It is with a sense of regret we note that Lady Constance Mackenzie has come to hunt the Mexican wild hog instead of the American species, which we could spare so easily.

Mrs. Ogden Golet says she is disgusted with America, and will in future make her home in Europe. She has not decided, however, to refuse to touch any more filthy American lucre.

Commander Robert E. Peary, who in June next begins his farewell tour to the north pole, says: "I shall not take my wife with me." Now, perhaps Mrs. Peary wouldn't put it in just that way.

The New York artist who left directions in his will that one of his friends should look over his paintings and destroy all the bad ones evidently picked out the right man. The friend says that all of them are good.

It has been practically decided that those wind shields and paces records will not be admitted as regular, but will have to go into a class by themselves. That's right, give Father Time a square deal, just as he gives everybody else.

Possibly the teachers who advocate phonetic spelling are inspired by their failure to turn out good spellers with the present fad methods of teaching that branch. In the old days of "spelling down" and "leaving off head" there were few complaints.

# THE MICHIGAN NEWS

Showing What's Doing in All Sections of the State

## Maybury's Mail Boxes.

In his full report to congress on the postoffice frauds, Fourth Assistant Postmaster-General Bristow takes occasion to go more deeply into the connection of Mayor Maybury, of Detroit, with the mail box business, of August Machen and his indicted associate, Dr. Eugene Scheble, of Toledo.

After reviewing the history of the case as it has been heretofore published in Detroit, concerning the giving by Maybury & Ellis of an interest in their contract to Scheble, and the payment by the latter of money to Machen, Gen. Bristow passes to the award of the letter box contract in 1901. He says that Mayor Maybury's firm had hoped to get a renewal of their contract at this time, with the help of Scheble, but failed, the plum going to Scheble himself, who had the boxes made by an Adrian firm. The box itself was the patent of "Doc" Smith, of Adrian. Mayor Maybury was a partner in this contract also, evidently, adds Gen. Bristow, since there is evidence of his receiving large sums of money as his share of the profits accruing from the sale of the contract box to the government.

## A Terrible Voyage.

Like a phantom from the arctic seas the big freighter J. T. Hutchinson came down the Detroit river Monday afternoon and tied up at the dock at Sandwich. Great masses of ice a foot thick hung on her bows, and over her decks, making a picture seldom seen except by those on arctic explorations. It has been a fierce battle with the elements on her run down from Lake Superior, but nothing daunted Capt. J. S. Smith will try to take his ship on to Buffalo. The passage down was made doubly perilous by the fact that five of her water-tight compartments were filled with water. It seems little short of reckless, say vesselmen, that the voyage should be continued. The steamer was drawing 20 feet and three inches when she arrived at Sandwich, and it was necessary to lighten more of her cargo so that she would be able to get over the Lime Kiln crossing.

## A Desperate Prisoner.

William Wilson, alias Frank Harris, in jail charged with burglary in Holland, made a desperate attempt to escape from the Grand Haven jail Monday night. Deputy Sheriff Hans Dykhuys was locking up the prisoners and had just noticed that Wilson was missing when the latter appeared from behind a partition with a revolver and fired at him. The deputy dodged, and Wilson then shot Sheriff Dykhuys in the jaw and fled through the office door and across the court house square. Deputy Dykhuys got his revolver, pursued the fugitive and brought him to a stand, though Wilson fired at him three times. The prisoner's revolver is believed to have been smuggled to him by a tramp, who is under arrest. Wilson was a partner of Quinn, the young burglar who escaped from Dykhuys on the way from Kalamazoo.

## The Grand Rapids Scandal.

The prosecution in the Grand Rapids scandal will ask to have the most simple cases disposed of first; that is, those wherein the evidence will be most easily produced. For instance, in the case of Gerrit F. Albers, accused of perjury in his own trial a year ago on the charge of trying to bribe Ald. Rinehan, there will be testimony from Dr. Derricks on one hand to show that Derricks induced Albers to approach Rinehan, Rinehan will be placed on the stand to show that Albers really did make a proposition to bribe him, while Salisbury's story will take in the whole matter. All this testimony is right at hand, and the prosecutors figure that they will easily dispose of this case.

## The State Treasury.

Indications point to a depleted state treasury before the December taxes begin to come in, about Jan. 15. Deputy Auditor-General Wilkinson reports a balance on hand of \$1,087,482.47. Of the cash on hand, \$7,421.17 belongs to the specific tax fund. The amount likely to be used for running expenses before Jan. 1 is \$173,333.33; in addition there are outstanding orders against the state amounting to \$36,833.03. The amounts appropriated by the legislature for buildings at state institutions is \$890,763.97, leaving a prospective balance in the treasury, Jan. 1, of \$39,286.73.

## She's a Heavyweight.

Lydia Wiedeman, of Calumet, is only 15 years old, but she tips the scales at 365 pounds. Ever since her birth her growth in weight has been remarkable, but she has gained most in the last two or three years. She is apparently in good health, and does not seem to mind her superabundance of flesh, being of a happy disposition, and is perhaps bothered only by the attention she attracts. Neither of her parents is of large size, and physicians cannot account for her case. Offers to exhibit her in museums have been refused by her parents.

## Burial of Mrs. McClue.

The body of the aged woman who committed suicide in the Hotel Albion a few days ago has been claimed by her son, Charles McClue, of Lacota, N. D., who writes asking the authorities of Albion to bury it. He requests that a bill covering all the expenses be sent to him, as sickness prevents him coming here to look after matters himself.

## Several Porter Farmers are Feeding Western Sheep.

Menominee fishermen are getting ready for winter.

## Shot His Father.

About 8 o'clock Thursday morning, Emil Wlepke, a laborer, shot and killed his father at the family residence, 623 Maple street, Saginaw. Immediately after the murder Wlepke left home and with gun in hand, started for the police station. En route he met Officer Reins, to whom he told the story of the murder, and surrendered. The elder Wlepke returned home at an early hour from the annual meeting of the Arbeiter society. It is claimed that he was somewhat the worse for liquor, and commenced to abuse his wife. This awakened the son, who got up and intervened, the result being the murder of his father. A double-barreled shotgun was the weapon used.

## Shot His Own Son.

According to meager information furnished John Lalry, a farmer living near La Salle, returned home from a hunting trip and started to clean up his gun. The work had been in progress for a few moments and Lalry's little three-year-old son stood near watching the operation. In some manner one of the loaded shells had become lodged, and in trying to get it out the gun was discharged, the whole load taking effect in the boy's head, literally blowing the top of it off and killing the child instantly.

## Were Burned to Death.

Martin Olson, John Rusk and Lars Anderson, Swedes, were burned to death in a fire which broke out in Peter Sundstrum's saloon in Saint Ste. Marie Thursday, and Mrs. Sundstrum suffered a broken leg by jumping from the second-story window. The three Swedes came into the saloon about 11 o'clock rather the worse for liquor and fell asleep, one on the floor with his back to the wall, one in a chair and one on a couch. In these positions they were all found after the fire had been extinguished.

## Mrs. Angell Dead.

Mrs. James R. Angell, aged 70, wife of President Angell, of the U. of M., died early Wednesday morning after a brief illness with pneumonia. Her husband and all her relatives except her daughter, Mrs. A. C. McLaughlin, were at her bedside in the last moments. Mrs. McLaughlin, who resides at Washington, D. C., was unable to reach here before her mother's demise. Because of Mrs. Angell's death classes will be dismissed today until after the holidays. The city and university is in deep gloom.

## "Deadheads" Valuable.

Several lumbermen of Michigan have conceived the idea of raising the "deadheads" that have sunk to the bottom of the river. It being estimated that there are several hundred thousand feet of valuable lumber at the bottom. The boom company has already commenced to raise the water-soaked logs and they will be left on the banks for several months to dry out before being sawed up.

## Mrs. McKnight's Home.

Mrs. Mary McKnight, the Kalkaska murderess sentenced to life imprisonment in the Detroit house of correction for poisoning her brother, was brought there Wednesday morning, and the doors of that institution closed for life upon the woman who is considered by many people living in her locality to be a modern Borgias.

## STATE NEWS IN BRIEF.

Mrs. Malone, aged 104, of Cassville, is dead.

Mason county is spending \$14,000 on roads.

Charlesworth has several cases of typhoid fever.

Pontiac wants the state fair there permanently.

Manistiquie is so healthy the physicians are idle.

A Quincy man caught 500 muskrats in three months.

Buchanan ministers are holding temperance meetings.

The County Line grange meets at Sand Lake Dec. 26.

There were 2,623 deaths during November in Michigan.

A Wisconsin company may open a sheep ranch in Iron county.

The smallpox cases in Turner are all in, and no more on hand.

They need more buildings in Needmore and are building them.

A woman of Lam sold thirty-seven turkeys that weighed 400 lbs.

A Bronson man fell off a load of cornstalks and broke his arm.

A Chicago firm will build the Carnegie library at Three Rivers.

A woman has been found in Coldwater subsisting on parched corn.

The Ironwood tax rate of \$1.25 per thousand, is higher than last year.

A Menominee farmer grew 22 tons of sugar beets on 1 1/2 acres of ground.

Battle Creek offers a franchise to any company that will furnish 85-cent gas.

In the two U. of M. hospitals, 4,401 patients were treated during the past year.

A Kalamazoo woman named her house "The Club" and now he stays home nights.

At Lexington there is a man so mean that he steals the chimneys off the street lamps.

A Sault Ste. Marie street vender kills and cooks 8,000 chickens annually to supply his trade.

Linden Presbyterians have secured Rev. Albert Ross, of Huron county, as their new pastor.

When the pupils in the Bloomingdale school want a holiday they break the near-sighted principal's spectacles.

An Adrian man found three calves in his lane. After swearing at the neighbors, he remembered buying the calves himself.

W. I. Brotherton & Co., of Bay City, one of the oldest wholesale grocery concerns in the Saginaw valley, is in financial straits.

Orr Schwartz, superintendent of the Negaunee schools, slipped on an icy walk. His left leg was broken and he was seriously injured internally.

The Northville village council is considering the question of running the municipal lighting plant all night. Some taxpayers object to this expense.

Frank Yakke, 73 years old, was found drowned in the west side canal, Grand Rapids, Saturday. He left his home to go to the river to catch drift wood.

Rails on the new line from Saginaw to Flint city have been laid as far as Bridgeport, and workmen are now engaged in the overhead construction work.

M. A. Talbot & Co., the sewer contractors who put in a \$30,000 system in Charlotte have brought suit against the city in the United States court for \$20,000.

Bessie, the 22-year-old daughter of John Snyder, a wealthy farmer who lives a mile west of Homer, killed herself with strychnine. The reason is not known.

Some new suspicions have arisen regarding the death of Fred Neill, the Benzonia farmer, and his remains have been taken from the grave for chemical examination.

A. H. Carr, the 73-year-old man who was exposed for several hours in the snow while suffering from an apoplectic stroke, died as a result. He had lived 30 years in Galesburg.

Frank C. Andrews has had enough of prison life, and in a talk with Deputy Attorney-General Chase said that he would not remain in prison a day for all the money he ever possessed.

The examination of ex-Senator Geo. E. Nichols for perjury will be made Dec. 26, the date of the McKnight examination, for the reason that the same testimony applies to both cases.

Senator Alger says "I have always been a primary reformer. There is a demand for it and without making charges against anyone." He said that his adoption would do a great deal of good.

Gov. Hillis has ordered the release of Mrs. McLaughlin.

Charles E. Swanson, a saloon man in McLaughlin, died through the explosion.

Gus Swanson and Ole Erickson were everly burned but saved their lives by jumping into a snowbank.

Miss Ida Hamilton, of Bay City, recovered from an attack of diphtheria two weeks ago. A peculiar swelling appeared in her throat, and despite all that physicians could do she died in terrible agony. The case is considered an unusual one.

Land Commissioner Wilder has been after the railroads for inducements for settlers to locate in northern Michigan on state lands, and has met with great encouragement, the roads agreeing not only to carry the settlers at reduced rates, but their household goods also.

A smallpox patient from a lumber camp got on the Michigan Central express from Mackinac at Trowbridge. The train was held up for three hours, in consequence, while the smoking car was detached and shunted to a siding with the sick man, and all who had come near him were vaccinated.

Civil service examinations for the departmental service of the government will be held at the following places: Detroit on March 21 and 22 and April 19; Grand Rapids, March 22 and April 19; Manistee, April 6 and 19; Marquette, April 6 and 19; Saginaw, April 6 and 19; Sault Ste. Marie, April 19.

Miss Bessie Bridges, the young woman who disappeared from her home in Foster City some weeks ago, and was thought to have been murdered when a relative identified a woman's foot found in the snow in Spalding, as hers, has been found safe in the Y. M. C. A. building in Milwaukee. She has both feet.

The Grand Rapids & Indiana Railroad Company has paid its annual tax assessment to Kalamazoo, \$339.36 in all, for 1900, for the first time in seven years. City Treasurer Joseph Adams had threatened to attach and sell railroad property. The company claims exemption from taxation under the amended state law.

On account of the sickness of Burton J. Every, of Summit, one of the jury that had sat for 14 days at the trial of Orson D. Chester will case in the Jackson circuit court through a change of venue from the Hillsdale court. Judge Peck discharged the jury and permitted the case to take the status of a mistrial. Another trial will be held, probably.

Erbery Granger, a farmer living near Charlotte, is in a critical condition, as a result of a fall while catching a sheep. He struck his head on the frozen ground with such force that he remained unconscious for several hours. When found, he was still clinging to the sheep like grim death. The animal had dragged him several yards. Concussion of the brain is feared.

Mrs. Ruth Bryan Leavitt, daughter of Wm. J. Bryan, writes that her husband, Wm. Leavitt, has decided to locate at Hannasville, Mo., and seek the Republican nomination for congressman next year.

# NEWS OF THE WORLD

A Brief Chronicle of All Important Happenings

## Health and Smith Hit.

The report of Attorneys Conrad and Bonaparte on the charges made by S. W. Talloch, formerly cashier of the Washington city postoffice, against the administration of that office, says: "The reasonable inference to be drawn from Mr. Heath's complete failure to meet fully and explicitly accusations which, as Postmaster-General Payne very justly admonished him, 'charged him with many acts of doubtful propriety,' added to the facts appearing from the record evidence laid before us, oblige us to say that at least a strong prima facie case is presented of wilful and reckless disregard by the late first assistant postmaster-general of obligations imposed on him by the regulations of his own department, as well as by the statutes of the United States; we feel it our duty to add that suspicion of his personal integrity must be inevitably aroused in our judgment by an impartial consideration of the facts submitted to us and of his plainly inadequate explanations."

In regard to former Postmaster-General Smith, the report says: "Charles Emory Smith, late postmaster-general, appears to have shared in some measure the responsibilities of his subordinates for violations of department regulations for his seeming failure, notwithstanding repeated warnings, to appreciate the gravity of their misconduct and the consequent necessity for its prompt and adequate punishment."

## It Averted War.

The secession of Panama and the quick recognition by President Roosevelt of the new republic averted a war in which France, Great Britain, Holland, the United States and Colombia might have been involved, so declared Assistant Secretary of State F. B. Loomis at a banquet in New York.

He pointed out that the rejection by Colombia of the canal treaty was a part of a conspiracy in Bogota to postpone action for another year, let the French canal company's canal concession lapse and then demand from the United States the \$40,000,000 the latter is to pay the French company, in addition to the \$10,000,000 for the right of way, continuing, Mr. Loomis said:

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# Sirius, the Star of Bethlehem

Theory of Prof. Forbes and Servis Refuted—Kepler's Hypothesis Untenable—Star in the East Must Have Been a Magian Star—Were the Magi, or Wise Men, Keltic Druids?

By Rev. F. P. Duffy, M. D., Secretary of the American Church Bible Institute.

The Star of Bethlehem is a theme of wondrous power. It has fascinated the minds of the East and philosophers of the West. It has been discussed these sixteen hundred years by men of varying minds with a freshness that never fades. It excites a glow of fervent love in the breast of the saint. It kindles the dying embers of hope in the soul of the sinner. It is the ray of Heaven's own light to the afflicted. It beckons the prodigal back to the father's home. It gives strength to the living. It brings peace to the dying.

But though a mystery of awe to angels, it is a symbol of Love Divine to men. As such it cannot fail to profoundly interest every intelligent inquirer after truth. That we may better understand the subject and more thoroughly appreciate the ways of God with man, I propose to treat the subject under the following heads:

1. The star was a real, true, bona fide star—not a mere temporary mirage or apparition created for the specific purpose.

It is allowed by all authorities that the Magi, or Wise Men, were learned. They would, therefore, make use of words and terms with discrimination. But not only were they learned, they were astronomers.

Hence, when they used an astronomical term, they would use the appropriate word or phrase descriptive of the object referred to. They use the word "star," which means an ordinary and permanent star, not an extraordinary and temporary one.

Now, in the Bible star is used only in a tropic significance—literally or figuratively. In its figurative sense it

6. It was a fixed star—not erratic in its movements. The term "star" was used by the Wise Men. But they were skilled astronomers and knew the difference between a star, a planet, a comet or a meteor, for all of which there were distinct names. Hence planet, comet, meteor are ruled out by the word aster (star). And hence we conclude that the Star in the East was a fixed star.

7. It was a star in the sign of the zodiac—the Sign of Judea. This is an important factor. Among the ancients there was a part of the heavens called the zodiac. It was a belt encircling the heavens on each side of the ecliptic, or apparent path of the sun among the stars, within which the larger planets always remain. It extended to eight degrees on either side of the ecliptic. It was divided into twelve parts called the Signs of the Zodiac. The different countries of the earth were divided among the twelve signs. Judea belonged to the sign of the zodiac. The Magi, like all other astrologers or astronomers, believed in that division.

So far we have traced some of the necessary conditions of the star. Let us now try and discover the star that fulfills these conditions. In doing so we shall briefly discuss the different theories put forth and held by different people, some of them men of great eminence in their own particular sphere. We shall also show the untenability of the different hypotheses.

I—The star was not an angel. No less a father of the church than Theophylact held this view. He believed it was an angelic apparition. No doubt

seen, the Star of Bethlehem had a periodic time, which must necessarily have corresponded with "the fullness of time." But the periodic times of Mars, Jupiter, Saturn are all known and are of short duration. Even if we apply the periodic time to the conjunction of the planets the objection still holds good. The times of the conjunctions are known and are comparatively short. So that attractive as is the theory of Kepler, we must dismiss it, and look elsewhere.

There is one star which fulfills all the conditions. (a) It was in an especial sense the Magi's star. (b) It has a periodic time. (c) Its revolution is of indefinite length. (d) It was in the sign of the zodiac at the birth of our Lord. (e) I believe we can find a peculiarity by which it could be called "His Star." That star was Sirius, the brightest in the firmament of heaven.

Before we can arrive at our final conclusion it is necessary to learn something about the Wise Men, or Magi. Who were the Magi? Where did they come from? The etymology of the word Magi is involved in much doubt. It is generally supposed to be primarily a Persian word, but the Persians are only a form of the original. Our word Magus, of which Magi is the plural, is but the Latin rendering of the Greek Magos, the Persian of which is probably Maz. Maz is cognate to Maj in Major, Mag in Magnus and Meg in Megas (Rawlinson). "It is an intensive and means much or all." In Ahura-Mazda, Persian name for God, it means the all-wise or all-powerful.

It is clear, however, that the Persians borrowed the word, as they as-

soir go Hierusalem," which shows the Irish belief that the Druids were Magians.

It is a matter of history that part of the Irish or Gaelic in the westward movement of the race returned by the valley of the Danube and settled in Asia Minor. They prefixed their own name to Asia, and called their abode Gael-Asia, or Galatia, as it came to be spelled.

Whether the Druids or Magi to whom the Star of Bethlehem appeared were residents of Ireland, Scythia, or Galatia is immaterial, for they were all the same Gaelic race. Having, as I hope, made it clear that it was the Gaelic priests or Druids that the star of Bethlehem appeared, let us go back to primitive times, when Magiam was incorporated with Zoroastrianism.

Besides Ahura-Mazda there were the Amesha-Spentas, or "the Immortal Holy Ones." There was a third class lower than the Amesha-Spentas. Among this class were Mithra and Tistrya. Mithra was the spirit of light, or the sun. Tistrya was the spirit of the brightest star in the firmament, or Sirius. Ultimately Mithra became associated with Ahura-Mazda and placed almost on an equality with him. So we may exclude Mithra from our calculations. Tistrya, next to the Divinity, became the object of the Magi's reverence. Sirius was his star, and thus became to the Magi "the star."

Balaam, the Rab-Mag, Chief Magian, or Arch Druid of his time, was a prophet like Iarabon of the Gaeils. In his prophecy, which still lives, he uttered, under the inspiration of Jeho-

## MIGHT OF A GRASSHOPPER.

Its Buzz Led a Dinosaur to Create Mississippi Valley.

The vast low Jurassic island had been raised above the level of the sea, where now the great continent stands. A matriarchal dinosaur was leading her ponderous troop in single file across the upheaved marshy plain.

A dry season had lighted the lower pastures and forced them to travel, and as she was about to turn north-ward a Jurassic grasshopper said buzz under her nose. The insect is quite harmless, but it protects itself by imitating the fearful buzz of the ancestral rattlesnake.

The old dinosaur wheeled to one side and raised her head. Her little twinkling eyes fell on a rank green marsh, and she now turned and led her troop to that. Each day they came to the feeding ground along their first discovered trail, until it was worn deeply.

Time went by. A wet season made the upland marsh a brimming lake. It would have overflowed to the west-ward, for this was its lower side, but the deep-worn trail of the Dinosaur offered an outlet that enlarged with the yearly rains faster than the slowly rising lands could tilt the other way, and so it became a stream.

Agnes went by. The great upheaval went on. The Rocky mountains arose. The former trail was now a crooked river, flowing eastward, growing larger, carrying into the shallow sea millions of tons of clay, till that shallow sea became the Missouri and Mississippi valley, which might never have existed had the Dinosaur been allowed to follow her original course—a course that would have left these vast, turbid, land-creative waters free to seek the Western sea, and the buzz of the harmless grasshopper did it all.—Century.

## That Woman Is Pretty to Look At.

On Monday, before Mr. Abdur Rahim, magistrate, the case in which one Sampat charged Jhagroo, Sybil, Boodhun, Juggernath and Kaloo with unlawful assembly, causing hurt and theft of a box containing 28 rupees, came on for hearing. Babu Jotindra Mohun Ghose, vakil, appeared for the prosecution, and Babu Tarak Nath Sadhu for the defense. The vakil for the prosecution opened the case, saying that for a single woman several men were sent to jail, and still there were two cases of the like kind pending before this court.

About four years ago one Sitha Abir brought down a woman named Gonesh from Benares. His chela Kaloo enticed her away. After some time Sitha recovered her, and again she was taken away by Kaloo. This gave rise to two factions in Jorabagan, and there for four years the fighting was going on between the parties over that woman, who is prettier to look at.—Amrta Bayar Patrika.

## Fairy Dancing.

A German Christmas legend gives us a dancing Rip Van Winkle. One of the guests at a Christmas feast was induced to leave the festivities within doors by the attraction of strange music from the outside. On wandering to the spot whence the alluring sounds came he was met by two beautiful girls who invited him to join their Christmas celebration near by. These fairies introduced him to myriads of others like themselves. He drank a cup of wine with them and forgot everything but the fairy dancing and feasting. On being reminded of his own home he hastened back to the village, only to find it in ruins and decay and all his friends and relatives long dead. The effects of his fairy wine had lasted a century. German children are warned by this story how dangerous it is to wander about at night, especially at Christmas time.

## She Tried to Spare Him.

The little man who was the meek escort of the big woman in her rambles through the big shopping establishment had fainted.

"Is he subject to this sort of thing?" asked the shopwalker, as he applied a piece of ice to the unfortunate man's head and motioned the crowd to stand back.

"Not exactly," replied the prostrate man's better three-quarters. "He's a bit nervous sometimes. I tried to buy him without letting him see me, but he heard me give the order."

"Buy what?" said the shopwalker, somewhat suspiciously.

"A rolling-pin," said the aggressive angel. And then they understood.

## With a Christmas Gift.

At Christmas-time long years ago "Good will to men" the angels sang, "And peace on earth" their message rang. Across the sky's celestial glow, At Christmas-time Long years ago.

At Christmas-time that comes to-day, This message of good will I send—The loving wishes of a friend. Thine happiness may hold full sway At Christmas-time That comes to-day.

At Christmas-time in future years—And all the other days beside—May life for you always provide Its laughter all unmixed with tears At Christmas-time In future years.

—W. R. Murphy, in Christmas St. Nicholas.

## An Accommodating Conductor.

"I was traveling up in Canada, just over the border of New York state, this last summer," said the talkative drummer, "when, just as the train was about ready to pull out of the station, a negro ran up excitedly.

"Hey, there!" he shouted to the conductor, who was singing out "All aboard." "Mr. Martin says you'd hold the train till he can change his clothes, and he'll be along in a few minutes."

"For sure," said the conductor, in a matter-of-fact way. And we waited for five minutes before Mr. Martin turned up in his wedding regalia."

# THE BIRTHPLACES OF GREAT MUSICIANS

(Special Correspondence.)

Certainly few people realize how humble were the homes, and hard the lives, of many of our most celebrated musicians. It must be remembered that in the sixteenth and seventeenth centuries the art of music was too great an innovation to be received at once with enthusiasm by the general public; the composers had to work very hard to please their critical audiences, who needed special education before they could appreciate the charms and interpret the meaning of a great musical composition. The soul of music must be alive in the hearts of people before they can understand that it is "a kind of inarticulate, unfathomable speech, which leads us to the edge of the infinite and lets us, for a moment, gaze into that."

The first composer who made any impression on the world was a native of Holland, called Josquin de Prez, who lived in 1450-1521, who taught the first use of the voice in singing, and started vocal music in the principal churches and at the courts of the emperors of his day.

But the greatest composer of the age was Pierlingi da Palestrina, who was born of very poor parents, about the year 1524, in the town of Palestrina, near Rome. He lived a poor and, at times, precarious life, and labored for years to beautify the church music, with apparently small result.

After Palestrina's death, in 1594, nearly 100 years passed before the birth of another great composer. Then, in the year 1685, two of the most famous musicians were born—Handel and Bach.

At No. 6 Nicholas street, not far from the picturesque market place of Halle, in Saxony, George Frederick Handel was born Feb. 23, and the old house, which is still to be seen, is a natural place of great interest. It bears a bust of Handel over the doorway, and wreaths of laurel and carving ornament the windows.

Sebastian Bach was born into musical surroundings. His ancestors, although hard-working artisans, were all musical, and several gained distinction as composers or organists. Bach's father married the daughter of a furrier, and lived in the beautiful town of Eisenach, in Saxe-Weimar, where their younger son was born. The outside of the cottage bears the following inscription: "E. S. Bach was born on 21 March, 1685, in this house. Restored, 1868." The room, however, in which the musician was born remains unaltered.

Strange to say, although these two powerful masters, Handel and Bach, were contemporaries and of the same age, they neither saw nor even corresponded with each other.

After Bach's death at Leipzig in 1750, the next great musician was Joseph Haydn, who came of very humble birth. His father was a wheelwright and his mother a cook; they lived in a tiny cottage thatched with reeds at Rohrau, close to the river Leitha, which forms the boundary between Austria and Hungary.

The neighborhood is cheerful and wooded, and a small row of cottages lead from the little market square toward the castle of Rohrau. The last cottage bears a tablet with the words, "To Haydn," as its only distinction. On the left side of the door are four small windows, and a little wooden seat; and the front room contains several relics of the great musician, including his portrait on the wall. In this room Joseph Haydn was born in the night of March 31, 1732, the second of fourteen children; and in this humble home he spent the first eight years of his life.

Only once in after years did Haydn return to visit his birthplace, and that was after he had made \$2,000 at one London concert alone. He was invited by some friends in Vienna to accompany them to Rohrau, and there he found the old familiar stove where he



Beethoven's Birthplace. used to sit as a child and listen to his parents' simple songs; as well as a monument, with a bust of himself upon it, standing near the cottage.

Unfortunately a fire occurred in the village on the 7th of March last and the thatched roof of the house was destroyed; it has since been replaced by tiles, which, although not so rustic in appearance, will at least preserve this most interesting place.

Mozart, like Bach, came of a musical family, his father being court musician and composer at Salzburg. His mother was the daughter of a steward,

and both parents are reported to have been very good-looking, which accounted for their son's beauty. Wolfgang was their youngest child, and was born on Jan. 27, 1756, in the third story of a house in the Getreide Gasse, which is now a most interesting Mozart museum, containing the piano, portraits and manuscripts of the musician.

The next celebrated composer was Beethoven. His parents, who were very poor, lived at Bonn, and Ludwig was born on Dec. 16, 1770, in a garret in the back part of a house in the Bonn Gasse, No. 20. His father held some insignificant musical post in the town, but, being a man of dissipated habits, the family income was very small and the early life of the composer was a rough one.

The house has been bought by several of his admirers, and is now fitted up as a Beethoven museum. It contains numerous portraits of the musician, his family and contemporaries, his piano, quartet instruments, ear trumpets, scores, letters, etc. The



Where Bach Was Born.

house into which Beethoven's parents removed after his birth also bears an inscription.

The greater part of Beethoven's life was spent in Vienna, where he died in his 57th year. A monument of him, sitting on a lofty granite pedestal, stands in the Beethoven Platz; and outside the city is a shady path called after the composer, because it was his favorite walk.

The one great composer native to Vienna was Franz Schubert. His grandfather was a Moravian peasant, his father a parish schoolmaster, and his mother a cook. Franz was the youngest of fourteen children and was born on Jan. 31, 1797, in the district called Lichtenhain, at the house which is now numbered 64 of the Nussdorfer-Strasse, on the right going out from the city.

Schubert's life was spent principally in his native city in a house not far distant from that of Beethoven. Of worldly prosperity as a result of his genius, Franz Schubert knew little. It is stated that the highest price he ever received for one of his songs was \$15, and for some of his best only 35 cents. Moreover, after his death, at the early age of 31, all his possessions were valued at the sum of \$10.45. He died less than two years after Beethoven, for whom he had a great admiration, and the graves of the two musicians lie within a few yards of each other.

The birthplace of Richard Wagner, the great dramatic composer, was an old house called the "Red and White Lion," in the north part of the town of Leipzig. His parents were not at all well off, and his father, who was a police magistrate, died shortly after the birth of their ninth child, Richard, which took place on May 22, 1813. In spite of the struggle against poverty which the boy had to face, his perseverance and ambition led him to take his place eventually in the ranks of the great masters.

The immense success and popularity of Wagner's operas in the present day is a striking contrast to the opposition experienced by the composer when they first appeared before the public; indeed, he had considerable difficulty in finding a conductor who would undertake the risk of the performance of his works.

## Intoxicants in Old Days.

Before Intoxicating liquor was made dear by taxes and its sale was regulated by licenses the use of it in England was astonishingly common. Not only were there in London six or seven thousand regular dram shops, but cheap gin was given by masters to their work people instead of wages, sold by barbers and tobacconists, hawked about the streets on barrows by men and women, openly exposed for sale on every market stall, forced on the maid servants and other purchasers at the chandler's shop, until, as one contemporary writer puts it, "one-half of the town seems set up to furnish poison to the other half."

## Uncle Remus Right in Line.

Uncle Remus was driving a white mule hitched to an ancient gig.

"That's a very old affair in these days of progress," remarked the stranger.

"Don't matter wid me," drawled the old man, contentedly puffing his pipe, "dis heah gig kin jolt es much as de finest automobile, en dat der mule kin bray loudah den de biggest hohn."

—Chicago Daily News.



king of the East, and the Angel Gabriel, in the Annunciation. But the angelic vision would disappear with the accomplishment of the object. Not so the star; it remained.

II—The star was not a meteor. This view has been largely held. It is asserted that some kind of meteoric phenomenon would best meet the necessities of the case. But any meteor drawn to the earth would either be consumed by the atmospheric friction or else would fall to the ground and become extinguished. Its appearance would be almost momentary.

III—The star was not a comet. One of the greatest fathers of the church, Origen, held this view. But not all the weight of Origen's great scholarship could obtain credence for such a belief. Just recently this theory of a comet has been revived, unconsciously, however, that Origen was the father of it. Prof. David Forbes in England and Prof. Servis in America both claimed to have identified the Star of Bethlehem with Halley's comet. At the time I refuted the theory in an article that appeared in the Chicago Evening Post, April 11, 1903.

IV—The star was not a conjunction of planets. This is the most feasible as well as fascinating theory. It is that of the great astronomer, Kepler. He calculated that there was a conjunction of Mars and Jupiter on the night of Dec. 25 in the year of Rome 747. Next year Saturn joined Mars and Jupiter, and according to Dean Alfred, the eminent commentator, the light of the three planets blended and appeared to the beholder as one light. What a beautiful illustration of Trinity in Unity—the lights of three planets blended into one light! Ideler connects this with the conjunction of the planets, Wieseler, however, makes the conjunction of Mars and Jupiter on the night of Dec. 25, the year of the Nativity now agreed upon by the learned. It is remarkable too that the conjunction of the planets took place in the sign of the zodiac. This sign places, the Sign of Judea. This theory is also free from the objections above referred to.

But beautiful as is the theory, Biblical conditions compel us to reject it. Christ's birth took place, according to the Scriptures, "in the fullness of time." This fullness of time is an astronomical expression meaning the completion of a cycle, or the revolution of a sphere in its orbit. That cycle, or sphere, occupied thousands of years in its completion. As we have seen, the Star of Bethlehem was a real, true, bona fide star—not a mere temporary mirage or apparition created for the specific purpose. It is allowed by all authorities that the Magi, or Wise Men, were learned. They would, therefore, make use of words and terms with discrimination. But not only were they learned, they were astronomers. Hence, when they used an astronomical term, they would use the appropriate word or phrase descriptive of the object referred to. They use the word "star," which means an ordinary and permanent star, not an extraordinary and temporary one. Now, in the Bible star is used only in a tropic significance—literally or figuratively. In its figurative sense it

simulated the priesthood, from the Medians, and the Medians received it from the Accadians, who inhabited the country afterwards called Babylonia. The Accadians were the "Highlanders" who descended from the mountainous region of Elam" (Sayce).

The statement of the evangelist, "There came wise men from the east to Jerusalem," may seem to militate against this view, but in reality it strengthens it. The phrase is apo anatoles, "from the east." Apo is a preposition of severance. It means "far from," when motion is excluded, as in this instance. (See Liddell & Scott, Greek Dictionary). Its relation is to something external. Had the Magi lived in the east the preposition used would be "ek." Apo "marks in strictness the separation of objects externally; not in or within another, for in respect to such ek is used." (Robinson: Lexicon of the New Testament). Indeed apo not infrequently has the force of negation, and equals a not. Apo anatoles, therefore, excludes every part of the east as the residence of the Magi.

The Irish claim to be descended from Magog, the grandson of Noah. They originally came from Scythia. Their language belongs to the Scythic tongue or stock of languages, which connects them with the ancient Accadians. This is the same stock and race to which we traced the Magi. The original country of the Magi and Gael is the same.

It is well known that the Irish were some centuries ago known as Scots. Scot comes from Scythia, and this is the Irish for Scythia. The Greek vocalization of Scythia was Skuthes, and later Skotos. (See Keating's History of Ireland and the Century Dictionary). From Scythia comes "Scot," a term of derision, referring to the short garbment or kilt of the Scot (Irish).

In the seventh century before Christ the Greeks came in contact with a race "whom they called Scythians. An exact form of the name was Scythoi. Herodotus and Hippocrates clearly distinguish the Scythoi, or true Scythians, from all their neighbors. (Encyclopedia Britannica). It will be seen at a glance that Scythoi is but a different linguistic way of spelling Scot or Scyth.

The Irish word Druid means wisdom or Magian. It is worthy of record that the Irish Scriptures render "there came wise men from the east" "there came Druids from the east."

The Irish words are: "Druides a naird

vah, "The star shall come out of Jacob." Sirius was "the star" to all the Magians. The stars symbolized kings or rulers. He whom Sirius symbolized, therefore, would be greatest of all kings.

If we could connect Sirius in any way with Jacob at the time of the Nativity there could be no question as to the star of Bethlehem. And we can do it. The twelfth sign of the Zodiac was Pisces. And Pisces was the Sign of Palestine, or Jacob, or land of Judea. That part of the heavens known as Pisces presented a most remarkable spectacle at the time of the Nativity. There the splendor of the heavens appeared to culminate. The sun seemed to shine with a deeper effulgence. Meteors, precursors of some mighty event, flashed athwart the sky. Comets shot from out the darkness of space and illuminated the sign with their fiery flow. Mars and Jupiter and Saturn halted in their orbits to focus their lights into one mighty blaze in Pisces. And wondrous sight! The star—the Magians' Star—his star—Sirius!—enters Pisces, and is now in Jacob!

This wondrous event occurred in B. C. 5. The heliacal rising of Sirius took place on the same day in four successive years, the fifth, fourth, third and second B. C. There is something most remarkable about this heliacal rising. It is on the same day. But sameness is unity. It thus symbolizes the Unity of the Deity. Then, assuming that B. C. 4 is the correct year of the Nativity, which scholars assert, there was one year before the birth and three after it. In the symbolism of numbers one is Unity and three Trinity. But the one year before birth signified the past revelation of God, or unity of the Deity. The three years after the birth symbolized the new revelation, the Trinity of Persons. Lastly unity and unity (one year + three years) equal the complete and perfect number four, the years that Sirius may be said to have remained in Pisces. This symbolism occurs with the rising of Sirius, which signified the coming of the Light of the World. It was as if, whilst heaven's arches rang with the angels' loud acclaim, Sirius flashed through space, "Arise! Shine! For thy light is come!"

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## ANDREWS PAROLED.

Every newspaper, and, for that matter, nearly every individual in the state, will have an opinion to air concerning Gov. Bliss's parole of Andrews. A great many will not grant that the governor was actuated by wholly honest motives in the matter, still others will not grant that he knew any more about the merits of the case than they, and that therefore his action was not well grounded. But in most instances the discussion will center around the statement that the parole is the basis of an injustice in that others, as deserving of parole as Andrews, but of less prominence and with less of influential friends will not get it. For our part we believe Gov. Bliss had the courage of his convictions and performed an act that will be mighty unpopular. Probably he will be known in history as the governor who paroled Andrews.

## TWO KINDS OF SCHOONERS

It is related of Senator Dolliver, who comes to Chelsea, New Years night, that he once got into a controversy with a newspaper out in his state and that paper vowed it would cause his political undoing. The paper waited its opportunity until the senator went to speak at a town where the prohibition sentiment was very strong, which is not unusual in Iowa. When he reached the town he found the paper alluded to being thrown freely about the streets. Across the top in big head lines he read, "Five schooners gone down at Dolliver's Neck." Under this was an insignificant little paragraph which stated that five small ships had been wrecked on the part of a peninsula on the Maine coast known as Dolliver's Neck. This had to be explained in that town for a man who could down five "schooners" wouldn't do for legislative purposes.

## ADDITIONAL LOCALS.

Harold Glazier and Hermon Benter are both home from Poughkeepsie. They are much pleased with the opportunities offered at Eastman Business College.

John Brenner, who is employed on the farm of Wilbur McEwen in Lima was kicked Wednesday morning in the stomach by a vicious horse. The injury was severe.

Chas. Canfield a pioneer resident of Lyndon died at his home in that township Wednesday morning, December 23. Mr. Canfield has been an invalid for several years.

William N. Lister for postmaster of Ypsilanti is the recommendation of Congressman Townsend. He has been school commissioner of this county and is well and favorably known about Chelsea.

A little sand, ashes, sawdust or something of that nature, on our walks, might help Santa Clause to slip up in the center of the village and prevent his sliding right through from corporation limit to limit.

The Baptist Sunday school will hold its Christmas celebration on Thursday evening. They are to have a Christmas tree and the little ones are to provide an excellent entertainment, as well as which they have been drilled.

Frank Leach recently made a shipment of poultry to Detroit for which he paid \$116. When he received a remittance for the same the check read \$416.17. He thinks the 17 cents profit is doing business on a very close margin.

John Castello, treasurer of the township of Seio, died at his home in Dexter, Friday of last week, at the age of 71 years. He was born in Dexter and lived there all his life. He engaged in both milling and mercantile pursuits and was prominent in politics.

The hearse and carriages at funerals in Chicago may all have to display the union label if the poor deceased is going to get buried; but so far we have not heard that St. Peter has been organized, and the union label, as yet, is not necessary at the pearly gates.

There will be a meeting of the committees appointed last Saturday by the officials of the coming Farmer's Institute to arrange the program at the office of Turnbull & Witherell at 2 o'clock on Saturday of this week. Everybody interested in making the day a success should be present.

A little work is being done on the Jackson and Chelsea division of the Be-laud road, but when the line will be open for traffic there is no way to predict. At present an injunction sued out by H. H. Boyd of Sylvan Center prevents work along a small certain strip in that place. Mr. Boyd claims the road has seized property to which it is not entitled and until this matter is settled in the Washington circuit court and all doubts as to title dispelled nothing further will be done.

## SERVE LUNCH IN CHURCH

Evanson, Ill. House of Worship Starts an Innovation Which Proves a Success.

Free lunch as an inducement to attend church has proved a successful experiment at the First Presbyterian church of Evanson. On a recent Sunday night there was coffee and sandwiches, and a pleasant social chat, and after that there were religious services, for which everybody remained.

"The spread" was laid out on tables in the church parlors, where half an hour later the Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor held its weekly meeting. As a result of the Sunday evening luncheon the Christian Endeavor society added more than a score of names to its roster and held an unusually enthusiastic meeting.

"This is no prayer meeting," announced President Robert Candee, of the Christian Endeavor society. "That will come later. Now, just pitch in and help yourselves."

"Please pass the lady fingers," stammeringly murmured a blushing co-ed, which helped to break an ominous silence.

"There, I've gone and forgotten my Scripture text," declared another co-ed in dismay, as she poised an olive between her fingers. "What shall I do?"

"Ah, but I have provided for that," said Secretary Jeannette Lee. "There is a Bible at every plate."

So, between the sandwiches and the ice cream, texts were gleaned and lessons learned. It was a happy combination—the luncheon and the spiritual food.

## PRACTICE FUNERAL REFORMS.

Stanford University Professor Who Called Lavish Burials Barbarous Is Given Simple Interment.

Encased in a plain, unpainted pine box that did not cost more than \$2.50, Prof. Max Wright, recently instructor in modern languages in Leland Stanford, Jr. university and son of wealthy parents, was buried at Grand Rapids, Mich., the other day. The simple burial was the result of the unusual philosophy of life cherished by Prof. Wright.

He believed the present custom of lavish funerals barbarous and wrong and directed before death that \$200 of his money, that would be spent ordinarily for a funeral, be used for a public fountain as a monument to his memory.

There was no minister and no religious service. The father performed the duties of the undertaker and hauled the body to the grave in a plain wagon. There was no expensive clothing on the corpse, and the mourners rode in open carriages. At the grave Dr. P. B. Wright, father of the deceased, addressed the relatives and friends, explaining the reasons for the simple funeral.

## To Test Fireproof Theater.

Coquella, the celebrated "French actor," is about to embark upon a career as an inventor. At a dinner party recently he explained that he had discovered a method of constructing a fireproof theater and is building a small theater, with scenery and all other accessories, in which he will be locked up with the architect, who is the co-inventor, and will have the building fired. This test, he claims, should satisfy any skeptic.

## Wrecks in the Air.

If Prof. Langley will look over the models in the patent office he will observe that he is far from being the only man who has had flying machine disappointments.

## ELECTION OF OFFICERS.

The following are the officers recently elected by Chelsea lodge No. 61 A. O. W. for the ensuing year.

M. W.—Chas. Steinbach.  
P. M. W.—John G. Hoover.  
Overseer—Thos. Wilkinson.  
Recorder—Jabez Bacon.  
Financeer—G. J. Crowell.  
Receiver—H. S. Holmes.  
Guide—G. Hitzel.  
Inside Guard—Jas. Bachman.  
Outside Guard—E. Hooker.  
Rep. to G. L. G.—Thos. Wilkinson.  
Alternate—Jabez Bacon.  
Trustees—H. S. Holmes, Thos. Wilkinson and Jas. Bachman.

The following officers were elected Monday evening by the Modern Woodmen of America for the ensuing year.

V. C.—Geo. Jackson.  
W. A.—Mat. Schwikierath.  
B. R.—J. Beckwith.  
C. B. Parker.  
E. C. Schwikierath.  
W. A. Sawyer.  
S. P. Oesterle.  
M. J. J. Schenk.

## THEATRICAL ATTRACTIONS.

The attraction at the Athenaeum, Jackson during January will be as follows:

Buried at Sea, January 1.  
Presidents Daughter, January 2.  
Hearts of Oak, January 1.  
Johnston Flood, January 5.  
Sign of the Cross, January 6.  
Bridge at Midnight, January 9.  
Hortense Neelson, January 11.  
Hermann, January 12.  
Word of Volkes, January 15.  
Sweet Clover, January 16.  
Rose Shay Girl Opera Co., January 18.  
Marie Cahill, Nancy Brown, January 20.  
Not Guilty, January 23.  
James K. Hackett, January 25.  
A Daughters Devotion, January 29.  
A Thoroughbred Tramp, January 30.

## DRIVEN TO DESPERATION.

Living at an out of the way place, remote from civilization, a family is often driven to desperation in case of accident resulting in burns, cuts, wounds, ulcers, etc. Lay in a supply of Bucklen's Arnica Salve. It's the best on earth. 25c at Glazier & Stimson drug store.

## PERSONAL MENTION.

Fred Kennick was in Detroit Sunday.

T. G. Speer was Wednesday in Ypsilanti.

Rev. C. S. Jones was Monday in Ann Arbor.

Frank Thorp of Jackson was in town Monday.

Miss Sallie Speer was a Jackson visitor Monday.

Mrs. William Zinke was a visitor here Monday.

Miss Treasa Conlin was Friday in Jackson.

Mrs. George Leach was a Detroit visitor Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Samp are spending a few days in Detroit.

J. H. Hollis returned late last week from his western trip.

Wm. Yocum of Manchester visited friends here last week.

Miss Minnie Vogel was the guest of Ann Arbor friends Sunday.

Mrs. Fred Menslog is spending a few days with Mrs. A. Johnson.

Mrs. E. Durand of Detroit was in Chelsea the first of the week.

Charles Foran of Detroit was in town the later part of the past week.

Miss Minnie Allen of AuSable is the guest of her parents this week.

V. Hindelang of Albion is the guest of his sister Miss Frances Hindelang.

R. V. Thos. Holmes expects to spend Christmas with Ann Arbor friends.

Miss Nellie McKernan of Detroit is the guest of her parents this week.

Mrs. Fred Broeze and sister Miss Lizzie Alber were Detroit visitors Monday.

As Grace McKernan of Ypsilanti is spending her vacation with her parents.

John P. Miller is home from Detroit college to spend his vacation with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. George Spiegelberg and daughter of Detroit were Chelsea visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Gibbins of Jackson were the guests of C. H. Schwikierath Sunday.

Miss Clara Heiber who has been spending some time in Ypsilanti returned home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Glazier and children left Sunday for Buffalo where they will spend several days.

Miss Lillian Gerard is home from Charlevoix where she is a teacher in the schools of that place.

T. A. Massey of Detroit has been here for a few days engaged in draughting for the Chelsea Mfg. Co.

Vernie Riemen-schneider is home from Columbus, Ohio where he is studying dentistry in the Ohio Medical University.

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## NORTH LAKE.

Miss Edna Reade spent Sunday at home.

Will and Lewis Stevenson spent Saturday and Sunday at home.

Misses Amy and Mary Whalan have returned home from their schools for a two weeks vacation.

Miss Mildred Daniels was at home last week on account of sickness, but is better at present writing.

Miss Rose Glenn and Floyd Hinkley have of late been greatly enjoying the sleighing in a fine Portland cutter which was recently purchased in Pinckney.

## SYLVAN.

Albert Helm now rides in a new Portland cutter.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Flisk are the guests of Danville relatives.

Mrs. George Wasser and daughter Rose were Saturday in Detroit.

Miss Blanche Hagan of Detroit is visiting at the home of D. Heim.

Mrs. Michael Hoeselchwerdt and daughter, were Jackson visitors Thursday.

Michael Hoeselchwerdt had the misfortune to lose a cow one day last week.

Michael Hoeselchwerdt was Sunday the guest of his brother Conrad who is in the hospital at Ann Arbor.

Miss Alice Heim gave a very pleasing Christmas entertainment at her home Wednesday evening. It was given in honor of her school.

## SHARON.

Ashley Holden has been the guest of Detroit relatives.

Mrs. J. E. Irwin and son Max were in Jackson Thursday.

Harvey O'Neil and Fred Brunette were in Jackson Monday.

The North Sharon Sunday school gave a pleasing entertainment Tuesday.

Born on Monday December 13, 1903 to Mr. and Mrs. Herman Strahl, a son.

Miss Esther Reno came home Wednesday to visit her parents over the holidays.

Mrs. A. L. Holden and Christine Oberschmidt were Jackson visitors Saturday.

Mrs. Jas. Hathaway of Horsey, Oacocla county is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Dorr.

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### Hard to Miss it Isn't it?

This store is the spot where it pays to buy good things to eat.

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Pillsbury's XXXX flour at \$2.50 per 100 pounds  
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Michigan maple sap syrup \$1.00 per gallon  
Fancy breakfast bacon 14c pound  
Granulated sugar \$5.00 per 100 pounds  
Good cooking figs 10c pound  
Roasted rio coffee 10c pound  
Sweet juicy navel oranges at 20c, 30c, 40c and 50c dozen. We have the finest oranges that are grown.

We wish you a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year.

## Freeman Bros.

### LOCAL EVENTS

OF THE PAST WEEK FOR  
THE STANDARD'S READERS.

Matt Alber is confined to his home by sickness.

All mail for Waterloo travels by the way of Grass Lake now.

It now appears that all the turkeys didn't die at Thanksgiving.

Chelsea shippers are complaining of a shortage of cars in which to ship farm produce.

There will be the usual Christmas service at St. Paul's Evangelical church Friday morning.

There is quite a noticeable sprinkling of students and teachers home for the holiday vacation.

At the next review in January of Chelsea Tent, K. O. T. M. M. will be the installation of the newly elected officers.

There is a short girl in Stockbridge by the name of Tallman. If that is not a Miss-nomer, where will you find one?

The young people of St. John's church at Rogers Corners are planning for an entertainment January 29th. Further particulars will be given later.

There will be third degree work at the next monthly meeting of the F. & A. M. Tuesday the 29th. A luncheon will be served at the conclusion of the work.

There will be a meeting on Tuesday evening of next week at Forester's hall, of the Royal Circle. It is important that every member should be in attendance.

Dr. F. A. Johnson, a student at the University and formerly of this place, will be married the 23d inst. He takes as his bride a Miss Jennie Kelsey of Lake View.

The Stockbridge Sun in its issue of December 17 publishes in full the Thanksgiving sermon of Rev. Thomas Holmes, D. D., which he delivered in Stockbridge that day.

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Ypsilanti is to have a new daily paper. It is to be edited by Frank Coddington the veteran state editor of the Detroit Free Press. Hugh Van de Walker is to look after the business end of the enterprise.

R. F. D. route No. 4 out of Grass Lake, which reaches many of The Standard's readers, is served by S. D. Crafts as carrier. On his first trip last week he delivered 90 pieces of mail and gathered up nine pieces.

The date of the Dolliver lecture at the town hall has been changed for a January 2d to one day earlier. This change has been occasioned by the Senator's desire to get back as soon as possible to Washington after the holiday recess.

Last Friday a number of people in Chelsea found marked on the wrappers of their morning mail such greetings as, "Hello," and the like, and signed C. J. V. and by the sign the friends of Carl Vogel knew that he had begun his work as railway mail clerk.

The Methodist Sunday school will Thursday evening entertain Santa Claus, himself. There is sure to be remembrances for all the members of the school and with the pantomimes and other good features the occasion is sure to be a very merry one.

This is the time of the year when the Glazier Stove Co. usually close down for the purpose of taking the annual inventory. This year, however, owing to pressure on certain lines of work in some of the departments have been kept running.

The Michigan Central is at present breaking in some new engines. Last spring a contract for 40 new locomotives was placed by the road and some of the engines are now ready. It is said that four of the new passenger engines will be the largest in the world.

The State Teacher's Association which is to be held in Ann Arbor the last three days of the month promises to be a meeting of unusual significance. Reports from various sections of the state indicate that there will be in the neighborhood of 1,000 teachers in attendance.

Standard ads bring results.

Appropo of the icy walks Rev. Dr. Holmes makes the following remark: "Usually I have preached the 'narrow way,' but just at present I am in favor of the broad one—I take the road instead of the sidewalk."

Next Sunday is known in the Masonic order as St. John's Sunday. On that occasion the Masons will attend the Methodist church in a body and Rev. Dr. Caster will deliver a sermon appropriate to the day. Members of the order are requested to meet in their hall half an hour before the beginning of the church service.

Some have recently inquired why the term Xmas is so frequently used as a designation for Christmas. The explanation evidently, is that the seeming X is rather the Greek Chi, or the first letter in the name Christ, and this sign was much used in the early Church and frequently by the ritualistic churches to this day.

Friday, January 1, 1904, New Year's day, will be the Feast of the Circumcision of Christ, and is a holy day in the Catholic church. Services in the church of Our Lady of the Sacred Heart will be as follows, viz: Low mass at 8 a. m.; High mass at 10 a. m. Benediction will be given after the high mass.

Next Sunday morning is the close of five years service in the pastorate of the Congregational church for Rev. C. S. Jones. He will preach an anniversary sermon, A look backward and a look forward. He has a message for all the members of the church and hopes every member will try and be present.

Lee G. Palmer, one of Chelsea's representatives at the University, is associated at present with J. R. Brumm in the publication of the "official" J-hop souvenir. The Junior Hop is the great social event of the year at Ann Arbor and a moment of such an occasion must necessarily be more than ordinarily well designed.

Next Sunday evening Rev. C. S. Jones will begin a series of sermons to all interested in knowing more about the bible. The subjects will be, December 27, What do we mean by inspiration? January 3, Is the bible infallible? January 10, How to make the bible real? January 17, The value of bible study, is it worth while?

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In connection with the Christmas tree and entertainment for the Sunday-school children of the church of Our Lady of the Sacred Heart to be given at the opera house on Monday, December 28, Prof. Allison Knee will appear with his Marionettes, or Funny Little Folks, and will delight both old and young. Don't fail to hear the Hon. W. W. Wedemeyer that evening.

Already there is a demand for reserved seats for the home, talent production of the beautiful four act drama "A Soldier's Sweetheart," which will be given at the opera house January 15 for the benefit of the Junior class of the high school. The seat sale will open on New Year's day at the usual place. Over 30 people are used in the play and every body should plan to attend.

A number of persons have inquired regarding the meaning of the small, yellow, flag-like signals seen at frequent intervals along the Michigan Central tracks. It is said that they mark the location of a part of the block signal system that must not be disturbed by the snow plow and therefore the yellow signal is to warn the men with the snow plow to lift it at these points.

The Chattanooga Medicine Co., one of The Standard's advertisers, is this year sending out a unique calendar. It is called a weather calendar. That is weather predictions, as forecasted by Prof. Andrew J. DeVoe, are printed with each day and in such a way that the weather possibility is as readily discerned at a glance as is the date. We understand they are mailing it for 10 cents in stamps.

Dickens "Tale of Two Cities," is a long one, and a good one; but it isn't a circumstance to the tail of Ypsilanti and Chelsea which came to town the other day on a set of new furs, was soon lost, and swept into a coal bin, under the sidewalk, found and carried up to a turkey raffle at the Metropole, and later restored to its owner whose rejoicing could be heard for five blocks. The tail that the animal lost and the lady lost is now back to its second possessor.

All Standard want ads bring results

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#### CARPETS.

On our 2d floor you will find Rugs, Carpets, Carpet Sweepers, Draperies, Curtains, Blankets, Plush and Fur Robes.

#### CLOTHING AND FURNISHING GOODS

Ladies should visit our Clothing Department as no where else in Chelsea will be shown so large an assortment of present suitable for men and boys. Men's Suits, Ulsters, Overcoats, Fur Coats. Boy's Suits, Overcoats, Reefers, Ulsters. Hats, Caps, Gloves, Mittens, Neckwear, Neck Scarfs, Fancy Shirts.

#### SHOES AND SLIPPERS.

Men's Shoes, New Slippers, Women's Shoes, Children's Shoes  
Men's Stylish Slippers at 65c, 75c, 90c and \$1.25.  
Boy's Slippers. Misses Slippers. Infant's Shoes.  
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## CHRISTMAS ATTRACTIONS

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Oranges. Lemons. Bananas.  
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Dates. Figs. Prunes.  
Squash. Lettuce. Celery.  
Grapes. Spanish Onions. Cabbage.  
Maple Syrup and Sugar. Saratoga Chips.  
English Walnuts. Mixed Nuts. Peanuts.  
Confectionary and Baked Goods.

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J. S. CUMMINGS.

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of Detroit, Mich., will be pleased to take in orders through their representative, Miss Edith Boyd. She can be seen at the Boyd House, every Saturday afternoon, where she will be pleased to wait on you, and give any information regarding Dry Cleansing and Steam Dyeing, etc., of wearing apparel, as well as household goods.

Very respectfully,  
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Regular meetings of Olive Lodge,  
No. 156, F. & A. M. for 1904.  
Jan. 26, March 1, March 29, April  
26, May 24, June 21, July 26, Aug. 23,  
Sept. 20, Oct. 18, Nov. 22. Annual  
meeting and election of officers Dec. 20.  
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Dr. A. D. Cain, a practitioner of  
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Consultation and examination free.  
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The best 5-cent cigar on the market.  
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The baker invites you try his  
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Everything strictly fresh and in first-  
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## FOREIGN DOINGS

### OF

## LOCAL INTEREST.

**Is It Possible?**  
The Stockbridge postoffice will go to  
the presidential class January 1, 1904.  
Stockbridge Brief.

**ALSO AFTER CHRISTMAS.**  
Between now and Christmas would be  
a good time to hand the editor that sub-  
scription. We can use the money to a  
good advantage these days.—Plymouth  
Dispatch.

**ONCE MEN WERE HUNG.**  
That the horseless age is approaching  
is evidenced by the fact that a man in  
Battle Creek who had recently stole a  
horse was brought before the throne of  
justice charged with mere petty larceny.  
—Saline Observer.

**A GOOD ASSOCIATION.**  
It has been suggested that the Ypsi-  
lanti Civic Improvement Association  
would find a great field for its labors in  
improving the condition of the Ypsilanti  
sidewalks. This would be a very prac-  
tical and beneficial work.—Ypsilanti.

**PLENTY OF TIME TO GET AWAY.**  
One of our school-ma'ams visited De-  
troit last Saturday and lost her purse and  
valuable, and even her railroad tickets  
by some one picking it up at a restau-  
rant while she was talking to a friend,  
having her back turned a moment.—  
Plymouth Mail.

**MILAN IN A PICKLE.**  
Archibald Gauntlett has been taking con-  
tracts for the prospective pickle factory  
which Harbauer & Marleau, of Toledo,  
will locate here, providing they get  
enough acreage. They want 100 acres  
and Mr. Gauntlett says he can get 200  
acres.—Milan Leader.

**WONDER WHAT HE TOOK?**  
Irving J. Forbes, the Stockbridge boy  
who pleaded guilty in the circuit court  
recently of robbing a school house last  
summer, was sentenced Monday to  
lonk prison, to serve not more than one  
year, or less than six months.—Stock-  
bridge Brief.

**WINTER NOT PARTICULAR.**  
Grand river shows the effect of the  
cold weather. That limped stream is in  
the embrace of winter; though how  
winter can gather the stream in its icy  
clasp is an enigma. By the way, the im-  
provement of the river has not been  
completed yet; 1,900 feet of the work is  
done. That's a beginning of the end.—  
Jackson Citizen.

**THE GIRL WILL DECIDE.**  
The famous Martin J. Gorman is to be re-  
organized and its first meeting will be  
held at the Wall school house on Fri-  
day evening of this week. Of course  
there will be the usual large attendance  
to hear the question argued: "Resolved  
that a man should marry young." At  
this meeting it will be decided where  
the next meeting will be held.—Living-  
ston Herald.

**A COUNTY OF GOOD ROADS.**  
Mason county, Mich., has this year  
spent \$14,000 on its roads. In the last  
eight years \$90,000 has been expended  
on road building in that county and there  
are at present within its boundaries 135  
miles of county roads, eleven miles of  
stone roads and nine steel bridges. Free-  
soil township alone has spent \$1,000 a  
year on its roads for several years.—Jack-  
son Patriot.

**GRASS LAKE SAYS TO MANCHESTER.**  
While in Jackson Monday we met W.  
H. Fargo, chief engineer of the Boland  
electric road and were shown through  
the extensive offices of the company.  
We were informed that a line may be  
built either from Wolf Lake or Chelsea  
to Manchester and further south.—  
Manchester Enterprise. Better wait  
awhile. We need a little power on this  
end of the line.—Grass Lake News.

**MORE DAVE HARMES.**  
Master Elwood Teachout of this place,  
and Master Charles Teachout of Tecum-  
seh, emulating the example of their  
fathers, traded ponies one day last week.  
The former now drives a little Shetland  
and tiny buggy, while the latter rides  
Elwood's western pony. Negotiations  
were not so long or vociferous as when  
the fathers swap horses, but each boy is  
quite content that he got the best end of  
the deal.—Brooklyn Exponent.

**WILL TURN ON THE LIGHT.**  
The machinery for the new municipal  
electric light plant arrived last Thurs-  
day and a force of workmen are instal-  
ling it as rapidly as possible. The  
machinery made two carloads and there  
was also another car loaded with the  
tools of the trucking company at De-  
troit which has the contract of deliver-  
ing it on the ground. This was no small  
job as the engine, dynamo and boiler  
are all very heavy, the latter alone weigh-  
ing 13,000 lbs or 64 tons.—Dexter Leader.

**THAT THROBBING HEADACHE.**  
Would quickly leave you, if you used  
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## THE FORBIDDEN LAND

England's Trouble with the Author-  
ities of Closed Tibet.

They Have Been of Rather Frequent  
Occurrence—That Nation's First  
Interference with the Lama Ge-  
nerated Over a Century Ago.

The English expedition which is just  
being sent into Tibet to force an in-  
terview with the Tibetan authorities  
in regard to the nonobservance of  
treaties recalls the incidents leading  
up to the signing of those treaties in  
1890. In March of that year a Chi-  
nese ambassador resident at Lhasa  
arrived at Calcutta with a large  
following and a week later a treaty  
was signed. Sikkim, a small Hima-  
layan state joining Tibet but allied  
to the Indian government since 1814,  
was to be treated as a British feudat-  
ary state with free trade and pas-  
sage through the country. The rajah  
of Sikkim later made a secret trip to  
Tibet and was finally arrested at  
Nepal and now lives in retirement.  
The Tibetans have always caused  
more or less trouble in Sikkim. In  
1888, before the last treaty with Tibet



A TIBETAN FORT ON THE INDIAN FRONTIER.

was signed, the rajah was influenced  
to erect a fort in contravention of a  
treaty then in force. This led to a  
military demonstration on the part of  
the British. One thousand troops  
were sent ostensibly to repair the road  
to Tibet. The rajah proved obstinate.  
The Lingtu fort was quickly captured,  
upon which the Tibetans fled. The  
fort was destroyed, and later Col.  
Graham, in charge of the expedition,  
was attacked by the Tibetans, who  
were repulsed with a loss of 200  
men. This ended the trouble for the  
time being, but Tibet continuing her  
aggression, the expedition returned  
and engaged the Tibetans at Jelapa  
pass, the latter being defeated with  
about 400 killed and wounded. A  
small war occurred with Tibet in 1884  
on account of the robbing of, mar-  
chants of Nepal, and in 1895 Tibetans  
committed further depredations.

We speak of Tibet as being the for-  
bidden land and think of her as al-  
ways having been a mysterious and  
unknown country, but such is not the  
case. As early as 1273 she was visited  
by Marco Polo, by the Jesuits in  
1661 and, something over a century  
and a quarter ago, the British gov-  
ernment through its Indian officials  
held close and important negotiations  
with the Dalai-Lama. In 1773 two re-  
presentatives were sent by the ruling  
lama to Bengal. They brought pre-  
sents, among them sheets of gilt leath-  
er stamped with the black eagle of  
Russian armorial, showing that Russia  
at that early day was in close touch  
with the country. In the present con-  
flict Tibet is expecting the help  
of Russia.

But to return to the visit of the  
Tibetans to Bengal in 1773. The British,  
wishing to pay proper respect to



A SOLDIER OF TIBET.

the Dalai-Lama, in return sent Mr.  
George Bogle in 1774 to Tibet. He  
was received with great hospitality  
and kindness by the lama at Deshe-  
ripay and made him a long visit.  
The lama became so attached to Mr.  
Bogle that he entrusted him with  
treasure to build a temple and dwell-  
ing house for the accommodation of  
his votaries to Bengal upon the banks  
of the Ganges. A piece of ground on  
the opposite side of the river to Cal-  
cutta was purchased and granted to  
the lama for the purposes desired. In  
1779 when the lama visited Peking he  
asked Mr. Bogle to go around by sea  
to Canton, promising to secure a pass  
for him from the emperor to join him  
at Peking. Unfortunately the death  
of the lama from smallpox at Peking,  
and very soon thereafter that of Mr.  
Bogle, frustrated every expectation.  
Just what the outcome of the pres-  
ent British expedition will be is un-  
certain, but it can be asserted with  
reasonable confidence that not many  
years hence will find the country of  
Tibet more accessible for the traveler.

## RAISED SON AS GIRL.

A True Story That Rivals Some of  
Mark Twain's Fiction.

Attempted Shooting of Nellie Mar-  
shall, of Kenosha, Wis., by Brother  
on Her Wedding Day Has  
Strange Denouement.

Mark Twain has written some re-  
markable stories of the errors of birth  
and the consequences that followed, but  
in all of them there is no more remark-  
able story than that told by Mrs. R. D.  
Marshall, of Kenosha. She has a son,  
Earl Marshall, who is about to attain  
his majority.

Three weeks ago last night Earl  
Marshall suddenly gained notoriety by  
shooting at his sister, Nellie, and her  
husband, J. W. Roberts. The ceremony  
had scarcely been concluded when  
young Marshall rushed into the room  
and began shooting. Before he could be  
stopped he fired two shots, but they went  
wide of the mark and no one was in-  
jured.

The strange revelations made by the  
mother of the boy to-day shows that the  
shots were fired on account of jeal-  
ousy, and furthermore, the denouement  
of the strange story shows that Marshall  
has had a peculiar double career.

For eight years Marshall lived and  
was reared as a girl, and the strangest  
part of the whole affair is found in the  
assertion that even his mother was not  
aware he was a boy.

Marshall was born in 1883 and for 20  
years his mother had studiously guarded  
from the public the history of his early  
life.

At the time of his birth it was an-  
nounced that a female child had been  
born, and for the first eight years of  
his life Marshall lived as a girl. His  
mother never discovered the error of  
the doctor until after the boy was more  
than eight years of age, when he was  
sent to a hospital for treatment for a  
nervous disease.

From childhood Marshall had borne  
the name of Eva Marshall, and at the  
time of the discovery that he was a boy  
he declined to accept the change, and  
for the next seven years he continued  
masquerading as a girl.

When the family removed to Kenosha  
Marshall was forced to lay aside his pet-  
ticoats and he donned man's attire.

Among his few friends was J. W.  
Roberts, who was recently married to  
his sister, Nellie Marshall. Marshall  
was heartbroken when the approaching  
marriage of his sister to Robert was an-  
nounced.

Since the time of the shooting  
Marshall has been making an effort to  
clear himself of the guilt, and is in order  
to do this he wrote to the papers in his  
former home town in Iowa.

It was not until the shooting of  
Marshall was made public that the  
truth came out. The story of his birth  
and the error of his parents was made  
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ment plant in this village is progressing  
as rapidly as the extreme cold weather  
will permit. The men who climb the  
great steel beams and crawl to the  
end of the girders to insert the bolts that  
are to hold the frame together, it would  
seem, take their lives in their own  
hands, for should they fall to the frozen  
ground or upon the cement foundations  
they would be seriously injured if not  
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for said County of Washenaw, held at the  
Probate Office in the City of Ann Arbor, on the  
14th day of December, in the year one  
thousand nine hundred and three.  
Present, Willis L. Watkins, Judge of Probate,  
in the matter of the estate of William M.  
Fletcher, deceased.  
Emily M. Fletcher, executrix of the last will  
and testament of the estate of said de-  
ceased, having filed in this Court her final ac-  
count of her administration of said estate, and  
praying that the same may be heard and allowed.  
It is ordered, that the 12th day of January next  
at ten o'clock, in the forenoon, at said Probate  
Office be appointed for examining and allow-  
ing said account.  
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  
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