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## CHELSEA SAVINGS BANK,

CHELSEA, MICHIGAN.

Oldest and Strongest Bank in Western Washtenaw County.

Capital and Surplus, - \$90,000.00

Guarantee Fund, - - - \$150,000.00

Total Resources, - \$500,000.00

Money to Loan on Good Approved Security.

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

Interest Paid on Time Deposits.

We draw Drafts payable in Gold in any City in the World.

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

PROMPT ATTENTION GIVEN TO ALL BUSINESS ENTRUSTED TO US.

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

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

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

Your Business Solicited.

### DIRECTORS.

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## FRESH NAVEL ORANGES 14 CENTS DOZEN

AT THE

## BANK DRUG STORE.

And a great many other things in proportion.

### 10 CENT CHINAWARE

A large assortment of fancy tableware, plates, creamers, olive dishes, bowls, etc.

**TEA DUST.** This tea dust is sifted from the best Japan teas that are imported. We sell it at 15c lb.

**MOLASSES** At 25c Gal. This is something extra for the price. Many ask 35c and 40c for this grade. Try a sample.

You can pay higher prices for Coffees than we are asking but you won't get anything that will suit you better.

### SCHOOL SUPPLIES

We are always headquarters for everything in this line.

The best ink and pencil tablets  
Slates at all prices  
New novelties in pencils and penholders

### MARBLES--TOPS.

Agates, Glass Alloys, Crockeries. 15 mbs for 1c.

## BANK DRUG STORE.

CHELSEA TELEPHONE NUMBER 8

## FINANCIAL STATEMENT

### OF FINANCIAL COMMITTEE

Report of the Village of Chelsea for the Year Ending March 1, 1904 Showing Items of Expenditure and Receipts.

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE.

To the Common Council of the Village of Chelsea:

Your committee on finance respectfully report that they have examined the books of the treasurer and of the secretary of the electric light and water works plant and find the financial condition of the village to be as follows:

RECEIPTS.

Cash on hand March 1, 1903. \$ 451 07  
Received for lights. 4 171 06  
Received for water. 926 02  
Received for taps. 105 00  
Received for supplies. 1 379 16

\$7 032 91

DISBURSEMENTS.

Amount paid village treasurer. \$6 360 00

Amount paid Chelsea Savings Bank. 30 75

Cash on hand and in bank. 642 16

\$7 032 91

We have supplies on hand and monies due as follows:

Cash on hand. \$ 642 16

Supplies on hand per inventory. 615 25

Coal on hand. 520 00

Due for water, lights and supplies. 594 40

Balance in favor of plant. \$2 371 81

W. P. SCHENK,  
W. J. KNAPP,  
J. E. MCKUNE,

Committee.

MONEY PAID OUT.

Mar. 2 John Ricketts. \$ 3 00

" 2 John Ricketts. 2 50

" 2 Welch Coal Co. 65 00

" 4 General Electric Co. 3 48

" 4 M. C. R. R. Co. 51 67

" 6 M. C. R. R. Co. 1 59

" 6 Dan Corey. 4 05

" 7 Hoag & Holmes. 1 05

" 7 Milo Shaver. 13 50

" 7 Gil Martin. 13 88

" 7 Hugh McKune. 30 28

" 7 A. E. Winans. 13 70

" 7 J. Schumacher. 5 10

" 7 J. Ricketts. 3 00

" 9 M. J. Howe. 7 75

" 10 E. G. Upthegrove. 4 00

" 10 Harry Shaver. 4 00

" 10 J. E. McKune. 2 00

" 10 W. H. Heeselschwerdt. 2 00

" 10 W. F. Riemschneider. 4 00

" 10 B. Parker. 4 00

" 10 O. C. Burkhardt. 6 00

" 10 H. D. Witherell. 4 00

" 10 B. B. Turnbull. 4 00

" 10 Jacob Hummel. 2 40

" 10 M. C. R. R. Co. 25 00

" 13 Simon Hirth. 1 25

" 13 H. D. Witherell. 9 25

" 13 Geo. H. Foster & Co. 20 39

" 13 The Sterling Co. 71 76

" 13 H. D. Edwards Co. 22 30

" 13 H. R. Worthington. 1 52

" 13 J. C. Paul. 1 25

" 13 J. F. Maier. 30 00

" 14 David Albert. 30 00

" 14 Elliot McCarter. 20 00

" 14 C. Lighthall. 20 00

" 14 J. M. Woods. 20 00

" 14 B. Parker. 20 00

" 14 Hugh McKune. 19 25

" 14 D. Foist. 4 00

" 14 B. Gutrie. 7 08

" 14 John Ricketts. 2 15

" 19 J. Schultz. 4 10

" 19 T. W. Mingay. 19 96

" 19 Geo. Ward. 3 00

" 20 M. C. R. R. Co. 1 81

" 21 Milo Shaver. 1 50

" 21 A. W. Wilkinson. 4 00

" 21 Joe Sibley. 7 68

" 21 W. Sumner. 7 65

" 21 Gil Martin. 9 15

" 23 David Bennet. 2 70

" 23 H. McKune. 17 50

" 23 F. McKune. 3 25

" 23 M. C. R. R. Co. 44 89

" 14 M. C. R. R. Co. 87

" 16 M. C. R. R. Co. 3 56

" 16 Gil Martin. 9 00

" 16 John Ross. 8 25

" 16 Hugh McKune. 21 00

" 16 Chas. Hagadon. 6 00

" 16 M. Maier. 3 75

" 16 Joe Sibley. 6 72

" 16 Milo Shaver. 6 90

" 16 M. Maier. 9 80

" 16 John Embury. 1 50

" 20 Manhattan Electric Supply Co. 17 10

" 23 Gil Martin. 8 10

" 23 John Ross. 8 10

" 23 H. McKune. 18 90

" 23 M. Maier. 10 50

" 23 M. Maier. 4 50

" 23 A. Wilkinson. 12 50

" 23 A. Wilkinson. 85 00

" 23 M. C. R. R. Co. 2 64

" 23 C. Hagadon. 1 65

" 26 Central Electric Co. 7 41

" 26 C. Steinbach. 80

" 26 Electric Supply & Engineering Co. 33 25

" 26 The Geo. Worthington Co. 27 02

" 26 Michigan Electric Co. 17 51

" 26 Chelsea Lumber & Produce Co. 53 39

" 28 Chelsea Telephone Co. 100 00

" 28 The Fostoria Lamp Co. 3 56

" 29 John F. Maier. 35 00

" 29 David Albert. 20 00

" 29 E. McCarter. 20 00

" 29 C. Lighthall. 20 00

" 29 J. M. Woods. 20 00

" 29 Gil Martin. 6 73

" 29 John Ross. 6 73

" 29 H. McKune. 15 75

" 29 E. G. Upthegrove. 1 08

" 29 M. C. R. R. Co. 89 65

" 29 J. F. Maier. 5 91

" 29 M. Shaver. 6 00

" 29 C. Hagadon. 5 70

" 29 M. C. R. R. Co. 1 50

" 29 C. Hagadon. 6 65

" 29 M. C. R. R. Co. 1 62

" 29 M. C. R. R. Co. 76 21

" 29 Gil Martin. 5 95

" 29 John Ross. 2 80

" 29 Hugh McKune. 13 82

" 29 C. Hagadon. 1 50

" 29 M. Shaver. 75

" 29 Am. Lino Oil Co. 3 50

" 29 J. A. Roe & Co. 500 00

" 12 E. H. Chandler. 4 50

" 13 J. F. Maier. 35 00

" 13 C. Lighthall. 20 00

" 13 J. M. Woods. 20 00

" 13 B. Parker. 20 00

" 13 H. McKune. 21 00

" 13 Gil Martin. 9 90

" 13 E. McCarter. 6 97

" 13 John Ricketts. 5 80

" 19 J. A. Roe & Co. 220 01

" 19 Burton, Beldier & Phillip Co. 90 32

" 19 Standard Oil Co. 9 74

" 13 Milo Shaver. 13 34

" 15 Ohio & Michigan Coal Co. 33 17

" 19 Michigan Electric Co. 14 73

" 15 E. J. Corbett. 350 58

" 15 G. C. Stinson. 5 21

" 23 M. C. R. R. Co. 4 15

" 27 H. Mensing. 1 50

" 27 E. G. Upthegrove. 4 50

" 27 Gil Martin. 6 20

" 27 Hugh McKune. 7 00

" 27 Wm Wright. 7 00

" 27 C. Lighthall. 10 50

" 27 C. Hagadon. 1 95

" 30 C. Lighthall. 10 00

" 30 J. F. Maier. 35 00

" 30 D. Albert. 20 00

" 30 E. McCarter. 20 00

" 30 J. M. Woods. 20 00

" 30 E. G. Upthegrove. 2 25

" 30 F. Mensing. 2 25

" 30 Ohio & Michigan Coal Co. 29 74

" 2 A. E. Winans. 9 55

" 7 Walter Grant. 4 00

" 7 W. J. Denman. 4 00

" 7 The Fisher Governor Co. 35 00

" 7 Standard Oil Co. 29 25

" 7 Garlock Packing Co. 13 10

" 7 Glazier Stove Co. 76 85

" 7 The Sterling Co. 189 49

" 7 Liberty Mfg. Co. 9 34

" 7 Glazier & Stinson. 10 85

" 7 Sprague Electric Co. 21 98

" 7 H. D. Edwards & Co. 2 50

" 7 W. F. Schenk. 5 00

" 7 Chelsea Lumber & Produce Co. 6 90

" 7 Ohio & Michigan Coal Co. 107 31

" 8 Hugh McKune. 11 90

" 8 Gil Martin. 8 10

" 8 Chelsea S. Bk. and Kenaf C. Bk. 600 00

" 8 D. Albert. 10 00

" 8 Electric Supply & Engineering Co. 122 85

" 10 Chelsea Savings Bk. 153 12

" 10 Chelsea Savings Bk. 1,050 00

" 10 Tom Mingay. 11 57

" 10 G. C. Stinson. 10 88

" 10 M. C. R. R. Co. 1 14

" 12 Frank Carringer. 6 00

" 12 Chas. Lämpert. 13 20

" 12 F. L. Davidson. 583 01

" 12 Michigan Electric Co. 48 05

" 14 Bauer Gas Fixture Works. 21 84

" 14 M. C. R. R. Co. 1 32

" 15 J. M. Woods. 20 00

" 15 E. McCarter. 20 00

" 15 C. Lighthall. 20 00

" 15 W. Barry. 16 00

" 15 D. Albert. 10 00

" 15 Hugh McKune. 17 50

" 15 Gil Martin. 10 00

" 15 M. C. R. R. Co. 36 14

" 15 F. F. Brooks. 12 00

" 15 B. Parker. 20 00

" 15 J. F. Maier. 35 00

" 18 M. C. R. R. Co. 1 45

" 19 M. C. R. R. Co. 34 56

" 20 John Ricketts. 5 80

" 21 Gil Martin. 1 80

" 21 John Fay. 10 00

" 22 C. Lighthall. 11 50

" 22 Ed. Chandler. 7 50

" 22 H. McKune. 34 86

" 24 M. C. R. R. Co. 2 50

" 26 M. C. R. R. Co. 65 96

" 29 Gil Martin. 3 90

" 29 Hugh McKune. 8 60

" 29 J. F. Maier. 35 00

" 29 D. Albert



# THE CHELSEA STANDARD

G. C. SIMMONS, Publisher.

CHELSEA, MICHIGAN

Russian fashion note: Japanese cables this spring will be cut crosswise—if possible.

Again, speaking of the various "fathers of the navy," is there not also Father Neptune?

There is enough Irish in Kuropatkin's name to inspire some confidence in his fighting ability.

It will not be necessary to do much carpet-beating out behind The Hague palace of peace this spring.

Russell Sage says his will is going to surprise the world. A bequest of \$35 to some charity, perhaps.

A quart of whisky weighs just two pounds. And yet some men stagger under the load as if it weighed a ton.

It is now generally believed that next to Ohio, Satsuma, Japan, is the greatest breeder of great men on earth.

Things have not yet progressed quite far enough for a poem by Kipling, but there can be no doubt there's one coming.

Julian Hawthorne traces the Baltimore fire to the Angel of Destiny. The blaze at Chicago was started by Mrs. O'Leary's cow.

The price of diamonds has gone up 20 per cent within a year, and many a girl's engagement ring is worth \$12 now instead of \$10.

Gen. Jimenez has fled for parts unknown. There is probably nothing in the world that San Domingo could better afford to lose.

London women have revived the fashion of wearing nightcaps. It appears that a good many of them are using openers too.

The Antarctic scientific expedition sent from Scotland made one sounding of 10,434 feet, or 2,739 fathoms—which beats McGinty's record.

A Newark, N. J., bride asked the justice who performed the ceremony for trading stamps. What she probably meant was a return check.

Korea is a "disinterested spectator" in the sense that a crippled rat over which two terriers are fighting is a disinterested spectator of the dog fight.

Noah Raby of New Jersey, now 120 years old, has been an inveterate smoker since he was 20. Here is another awful example of the evils of tobacco.

Chicago women have organized to solve the servant girl problem, but the servant girl will keep on her old, dyspeptic way, unmindful of the higher criticism.

The State Journal's Manila correspondent writes that baseball is all the rage in the Philippines. That certainly looks like complete Americanization.

Capt. Mahan complains that he has been misquoted by a reporter. Those familiar with the captain's metaphysical way of saying things will not blame the reporter.

A woman's club in London has posted a notice that no member must bring pet animals or birds to the meetings with her. We trust this applies to birds on hats.

A Louisville millionaire brought suit for divorce on his golden wedding day on the ground of incompatibility. He seems to have taken time enough to be sure he was right before going ahead.

"The heathen Chinee" has one New Year's custom that his Christian critics would do well to emulate. He either pays all his debts when New Year's comes or runs the risk of social ostracism.

There is no No. 13 office or floor in a New Broadway building, yet there is both a thirteenth room and floor. If superstition can be blocked so easily, could anything be more foolish than to be superstitious?

We notice that a Passaic man, the proud father of twins, has named one of his offspring Russi Ann and the other Jap Ann, and conclude that Passaic is doing its level best to preserve strict neutrality.

Johns Hopkins university lost eighty buildings, worth \$1,300,000, in the Baltimore fire, with only \$74,000 insurance. That's the way a professor attends to business. He isn't even as careful and thrifty as an editor.

One of the Chicago banks has decided that its employees must not get married unless their salaries amount to at least \$1,000 a year each. This will give the boy who is in love a good excuse to strike for a raise.

A woman in St. Louis is to run a restaurant at the exposition for dyspeptics—an enterprise that does not seem to have anything startlingly new in it. Most restaurants, so far as we know, are run for dyspeptics. That's why dyspepsia is so distressingly common.

# THE MICHIGAN NEWS

Showing What's Doing In All Sections of the State

## The Flood in Monroe.

Tuesday evening the ice gorge at Sisters' island, in the River Raisin, gave way and the flood poured in on the city of Monroe doing great damage. Before the gorge carried away at the island, lowering the water, the high water mark of four years ago was exceeded by 18 inches. As an example of the flood's fury, there lies, unbroken, in the center of the street, a Navarre and Front streets, a huge ice cake, 60 feet square and 4 feet 3 inches thick. When the water receded this piece was one of many left stranded about the city. For four miles above the city the river is practically free from ice. But there are still 30 miles of solid ice further up stream, liable to cause more trouble when the break-up comes. Before the water broke through the upper ice barrier, the whole river part of Monroe was afloat. At 8 o'clock, with a roar like thunder, the jam gave way before the terrific pressure, and in 15 minutes the flood fell six feet. In the wild rush that followed ice floes battered against houses and stores, carried away porches and small structures, threatened to sweep the bridges, but rolled on, leaving them shaking on their foundations.

As a wall of ice and water struck the Navarre street jam, there came another roar, and that gorge also carried away, and the town was saved. The terrific storm of hail and lightning added to a scene of horror never before beheld here. Below the ice is still gorged and a large portion of the country west of town is submerged.

## Gogebic Office Holders.

For a county of only 16,000 people Gogebic, no doubt, leads the list in the state on official salaries. The regular list is as follows: Mine inspector, per annum, \$1,500; sheriff, per annum, \$1,200; judge of probate, per annum, \$1,500; county clerk, per annum, \$1,800; prosecuting attorney, per annum, \$1,800; three poor commissioners, per annum, \$1,400; janitor, per annum, \$750; total, \$15,250. So-called extra compensation and salaries are: Circuit judge, \$1,000; tax attorney, \$600; deputy clerk, \$600; deputy treasurer, \$600; two deputy sheriffs, each \$720; \$1,440; county physician, per annum, \$1,000; for boarding prisoners, per annum, \$2,500; total, \$8,450, making the grand total \$20,400.

## Kill the Robins.

"Death to the robin" is the cry of the Michigan Horticultural society. Prof. Hendrick, of the M. A. C., read a paper before that body in the Lansing convention in which he declared that the red-breasted sinner should be a game bird and its slaughter legalized at any and all times. He declared that the bird has become a pest and that the fruit crops are suffering as a consequence of the sentiment expressed for the chirper. There was only one champion of the robin in the convention, and he claimed that the bird was a good worm destroyer.

## Crazy Mother's Freak.

Mrs. Andrew Hanson, of Big Rapids, who was burned by gasoline, will recover. The woman has acted strangely for some time past, and her attempt to set fire to her 16-year-old son while he was at breakfast is explained as an insane freak. She threw gasoline over him, at the same time hurling a lighted match in his direction. The boy dodged, and on her second attempt to ignite his clothes she succeeded only in lighting her own. The flames were put out by neighbors.

## Using Old Stumps.

Thousands of acres of pine stump lands in the northern part of Newaygo county are being taken up by speculators, with a view to the production of turpentine, wood alcohol, etc. It is said that a cord of stumps boiled five days will produce 16 gallons of refined turpentine, 30 gallons of tar and 20 bushels of charcoal. It is also stated that a plant running one retort produces monthly 90 gallons of turpentine, 180 gallons of tar and 180 bushels of charcoal.

## Burned to Death.

Mrs. Solomon Nideau, a widow, aged about 60 years, residing four miles north of Monroe, was burned to death Saturday night. She lived alone in her house, and it is presumed that in her efforts to extinguish the flames her clothing caught fire. The house was completely destroyed.

## STATE NEWS NOTES.

Muskegon faces water famine. Hay sells for \$12 per ton in Hesperia. Michigan has over 500,000 cows on farms. Mr. Butt owns a goat ranch in Montmorency county. Mrs. John Coher is dead in Calvin township at the age of 104. Naval recruiting officers have 17 enlistments at Grand Rapids. Mulliken, with a population of 300, had eight deaths in 19 days. A Lansing man stole a blanket to cover a horse and was arrested. Hancock has a fire engine which has been in commission over 30 years. Paul Topp, South Grand Blanc, was shot through the ear while hunting. A Port Huron youth stole \$20 from his mother's pillow while she slept. Receiver L. E. Wood of the defunct First National bank of Niles, has been instructed by Comptroller Ridgely to wind up the bank's affairs within six months. The receiver will pay a 5 per cent dividend within two weeks, making 75 per cent for depositors to date. Mrs. Cyrus G. Luce, the wife of the venerable ex-governor, was in Bronson last week to aid in the celebration of the 95th birthday of her father, Ira Brown. In spite of his extreme age Mr. Brown is in good health, although weak with the weight of many years. He is a pioneer of Michigan, having located in that section in 1831.

The Charlotte postoffice will be moved, after being in one location 36 years.

Last year the Westphalia creamery manufactured over 111,000 pounds of butter.

Fred H. Smith, a Soo brakeman, had both legs cut off by a train. Death followed.

Land and railway companies are endeavoring to colonize upon peninsula counties.

No relatives or friends could be found for August Barandt, who died in Menominee.

Will Van Fleet, of Palmyra, had the end of his thumb bitten off by a hog he was ringing.

A Menominee family is dangerously ill from eating poisoned biscuits made from stale flour.

The proposition to bond Grand Rapids \$200,000 for school extension will be settled by people.

James Osborn, of Camden, who is blind, was burned to death in his home where he lived alone.

A movement is on foot to double the capacity of the Grand Trunk shops in Port Huron.

Capt. Bartlett, Dayton, the first white child born in Berrien county, is hale and hearty at 74.

Lenaewee county will submit the question of local option to the voters at the spring election.

The burned business district of Coleman will be rebuilt with brick and cement structures.

The wildest storm of the winter raged Wednesday night in the copper district, with a heavy fall of snow.

Will McGill, a Leslie farm hand, was kicked in the face by a horse. The bones of his lower jaw were broken to splinters.

Gov. Bliss will call an election in Jackson county to nominate a successor to Judge Peck, the election to be held on April 4.

Michigan railroads earned \$3,674,778.83 in January, 1904, a decrease over the same month in 1903 of \$171,068.04, or 4.44 per cent.

The printing plant of the Wynkoop, Hallenbeck & Crawford Company in Lansing was burned Tuesday morning. Loss, \$25,000; no insurance.

Charles M. Rice, wanted for alleged theft of \$1,100 from a bank at Grand Rapids, Mich., has been captured and returned to that place by the police.

The 2-year-old child of Mr. and Mrs. William Barnett, of Lansing, is in a critical condition as the result of having drunk a quantity of concentrated lye.

Mrs. Almira Austin, convicted of polygamy, was sentenced in Port Huron to the Detroit house of correction for two years to two years and six months.

Clifford E. Gilbert, of Jackson, 3 years old, is dead from eating strychnine tablets. Lewis Crosby, a neighboring child, ate some of the poison, but recovered.

Nine-year-old Turner D. Turner, of Porter, while playing with a calf, was hooked in the eye. The injury was so serious that it was necessary to remove the eye.

J. N. Merrifield, 70 years old, of Coldwater, was struck by a train and his head cut off. He was walking on the tracks and being deaf did not hear the train.

Prof. Hendrick of the M. A. C. told the Michigan fruit growers, at the meeting in Port Huron, that the way to stimulate trade was to advertise as the California fruit growers do.

Because of the frozen condition of the ground Sexton Mark Huston was unable to dig a grave in an Owosso cemetery in time for a funeral Saturday, so the burial was postponed to Sunday.

Edith, the 19-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis DeLisle, of Flint, was poisoned by eating canned tomatoes prepared for supper. Only the prompt action of a physician saved her life.

Mayor Wood ordered the Niles opera house closed until extensive repairs are completed. The mayor also ordered Bullard's hall, the only other playhouse in town, closed for the same reason.

Joseph Ritzler, while chopping cedar in Haedek's camp near Rogers City, practically cut his foot in two lengthwise, the ax slipping and penetrating almost to the heel.

Gov. Bliss has granted a requisition for Dale Finney, who is wanted at Ionia for stealing a gold watch and other articles of jewelry, worth about \$200. Finney is in jail at Fitzgerald, Ga.

The Jackson street railway service is held up as the result of the township treasurers of Leoni and Grass Lake levying upon the rolling stock of the Jackson & Suburban Traction Co. for \$5,500 unpaid taxes.

George Atkinson, who came to Lansing from Laingsburg a few weeks ago and who is employed in the Olds gasoline works, fell from a high scaffold Monday and is now in a serious condition from paralysis.

Stanley Hicks, a Taymouth farmer, left a big fire in the stove when the family went to spend the evening with a neighbor. On his return he found the house and contents destroyed. There was no insurance.

Henry Kuhl, a farmer living near Gallien, was chopping a limb from a large tree lying on the ground when another limb was in the same manner set free and Kuhl was hurled about 20 feet in the air. Coming down he turned a complete somersault and landed squarely on his head. He will recover.

Bay City suburban merchants have been taken in by clever check forgeries the past week. Jos. Fortin, of the west side, is the latest victim. A stranger bought a sack of flour, giving a check for \$9.50 in payment, receiving considerable change. It was signed "Sharp & Co." and made payable and indorsed by John Henry.

Harry Levere, well known throughout the upper peninsula as "Lord Harry," died in Iron Mountain after a prolonged illness. He was 60 years of age, was born in Wales and is said to have been a Welsh nobleman.

Sylvester Snow, of Liberty township, aged 35, is dead as a result of injuries received in an accident on his farm. He was felling trees when a limb fell, crushing his skull. He walked 80 rods to his home before he collapsed.

Starting for the home of a nearby neighbor with her infant child, apparently well and healthy, in her arms, Mrs. George Leslie, of Muskegon, was shocked to find upon removing the shawl that the little one had died in her arms.

Roy Gillett, a Lapeer boy with troupe F, Fourth Cavalry, U. S. A., stationed at Fort Leavenworth, Kas., writes his parents here that orders have been received for the company to prepare for immediate departure for the Philippines.

The proposal to bond the Pontiac school district for \$30,000 for a new high school to be built in the central part of the city was overwhelmingly defeated at the special election. Of the 200 voters cast, 454 were against the proposition.

Isaac Wheeler and his wife were buried in the one grave at Flushing Wednesday. Both died within nine hours of each other from pneumonia. Mr. Wheeler in the morning and Mrs. Wheeler in the afternoon. Each was about 65 years of age.

The state board of health reports show that typhoid fever is 274 per cent more than usually prevalent in the state, and Secretary Baker further notes that the larger number of reports are from cities or towns having a general water supply.

Dewey Heywood is dying in Louisiana, according to telegrams received from Lafayette, in that state. He is a Niles young man who became a millionaire with the celebrity of a fairy story when the oil strikes in Texas enriched northern men a few years ago.

Bert Fenton, the Brookfield farmer who shot his employer, John Unterkircher, the night of December 28, pleaded guilty in circuit court. He was given an indeterminate sentence by Judge Smith at Ionia for a term of not less than one or more than two years.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos McCrea, of Muskegon, received a telegram from the war department announcing that their son, Lieut. Rufus McCrea, was killed in the island of Samar in a bold rush. Lieut. McCrea was 21 years of age and enlisted in 1900 as a private at Grand Rapids.

Simoon Slater, an old farmer, of Lapeer, who has been insane for several years, became violent during the critical illness of his wife. Mr. Slater is very deaf and he has been main for pulling at his ears. One is severed almost entirely from his head, and he presents a pitiful sight.

The state military board has decided that the next encampment of the state militia will be held in Michigan. The board are sore on the government camp in Kentucky, the general sentiment being that the maneuvers there were not of such a nature as to prove instructive to the state militia.

Mrs. Ellen Perry, an invalid, residing in Bay City, disappeared last Wednesday. Recently she underwent two operations at Mercy hospital, and it was thought by her relatives that her mind was affected. Saturday night she was found at St. Mary's hospital at Saginaw, where she had wandered.

Because her husband jokingly accused her of taking a dollar from his pocket, Mrs. Lee Carlisle, aged 23, of Lansing, swallowed a dose of carbolic acid. The husband discovered what she had done when she asked him to kiss her good-bye. He hastily summoned a physician, but she was beyond help and died in a few minutes.

Will J. Johnson, 24 years old, a nurse at the Battle Creek sanitarium, has married Mrs. J. W. Sam, a rich woman of Houston, Texas. Mrs. Sam is 51 years old. Johnson married Mrs. Sam's first husband at the sanitarium and after he died Mrs. Sam bought Johnson an automobile, gave him plenty of spending money and finally married him.

There is in Menominee at least one man whose interest in the eastern war is greater than the average person in this country. This is Simon Melkman, a Russian Jew fruit peddler. Melkman was for a number of years a member of the czar's force, irregular Cossack cavalry of Asiatic Russia, and lived with the rest of the Cossacks in tents on the steppes.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Cady of Benton Harbor, have just received \$10,000 in exchange for a farm in Idaho, which they thought of very little value. Fifteen years ago Mr. Cady was teaching in Idaho and he met and loved the girl who, however, married a man named Whitney. When she married Cady began the study of law. Upon his graduation, her husband having died, Cady married Mrs. Whitney. Mrs. Cady was left by her husband a ranch in Idaho, which to their surprise, has now become a valuable fruit farm.

## CONDENSED NEWS.

A box of candy sent her from Boone, Ia., poisoned Miss Rena Nelson, who lives on a farm near Pierre, S. D., she may die. She accuses a jealous woman, and an arrest is expected.

While being whipped in the State Industrial school at Lancaster, O., Sylvester Crouch, aged 14, collapsed and died without recovering consciousness. The physicians attributed his death to heart disease.

Trappers and traders coming from the north to Winnipeg, Man., report terrible suffering among the Indians due to lack of food and to a scourge of smallpox. At Isle de Cross, 60 deaths are reported. The natives are fleeing from the infected district and are spreading the disease.

Prairie fires which swept over large portions of Iowa and Comanche counties, Oklahoma, have destroyed hundreds of farm buildings and much live stock, made 1,000 persons homeless, caused the death of five persons, threatened a number of towns and swept away scores of buildings on the outskirts of the towns.

# NEWS OF THE WORLD

A Brief Chronicle of All Important Happenings

## JAPS BOMBARD VLADIVOSTOK.

Russian Report Says That no Damage was Done to Forts or Town.

A fleet of five Japanese battleships and two cruisers appeared off the coast of Vladivostok Sunday afternoon and bombarded the town and shore batteries for 55 minutes, fired about 200 shells and then retired down the bay. The Russians report that no damage was done to either the town or forts.

## Japan's New Move.

The story comes from Paris that Japan has recently detached a strong squadron, consisting of two battleships and several cruisers, from the fleet that has been attacking Port Arthur, and has kept it off the north coast of Hokkaido. Her spies at Vladivostok inform the Japanese commander that the Russian squadron started out on February 29 on one of its usual dashes to prey on Japanese commerce, and that at this news the Japanese squadron set sail for Vladivostok, and is now between the Russian fleet and its port. There is no other harbor the Russians can reach, even if they accept the maneuver in time, and news of the battle at sea is expected shortly.

Great excitement prevailed in St. Petersburg Saturday night and Sunday caused by the publication of a proclamation issued by the admirals in command at Vladivostok, the terms of which made it clear that Vladivostok, like Port Arthur, is to be left to its own defenses. The proclamation warned all the inhabitants living within a radius of seventeen miles of Vladivostok to leave instantly. They were told to take with them all of their personal effects, as otherwise in case of siege the property was liable to be seized. The inhabitants were forbidden to remove any food, stores or cattle, all of which will be needed by the garrison. The proclamation is nearly identical with that issued to the inhabitants of Port Arthur when it became apparent to the Russian generals in the field that the stronghold at the point of the Liao Tung peninsula was practically at the mercy of the Japanese. This is taken to mean that the Russian base has been found to be untenable because of the presence of the Japanese fleet before the city and the approach of the Japanese troops from Possiet bay, where they were reported to have landed in great numbers from transports more than a week ago.

It is the intention of the Russian commanders in the field to practically abandon Port Arthur and Vladivostok to defend themselves as best they can against Japanese assaults and concentrate the Russian forces, along the branches of the trans-Siberian railroad to protect these as lines of communication.

A London dispatch dated Tuesday says: "Fifteen Japanese warships furiously bombarded Port Arthur from 10 until 12 o'clock this morning. The Russian cruisers Novik, Askold and Bayan, accompanied by four torpedo boats, steamed out to meet the attack. They were, however, forced to retire. The Askold was in a sinking condition. The Novik was badly damaged and a torpedo boat was sunk. The Russian battleship Retvizan was again damaged. The Japanese withdrew in good order. The attack was made in bad weather, previous telegraphic advices having reported a severe gale raging at Port Arthur. The Japanese did not remain long enough off the harbor to enable the gunners at the forts to get their range. The same three cruisers, the Bayan, the Askold and the Novik, came out to meet the attack and this suggests that either they were the only effective ships in Port Arthur or that the larger battleships were unable to get out of port."

To Celebrate July 12.

Senator Alger has introduced a joint resolution providing for congressional recognition of the semi-centennial celebration of the completion of the ship canal at the Soo, which takes place on July 12. The resolution establishes a congressional commission of five senators and ten representatives to represent congress on that occasion and to provide for suitable ceremonies to take place upon the national reserve adjoining the canal. It is also provided that the secretary of commerce and labor be authorized to have erected a monument on which to be placed suitable memorial tablets. Ten thousand dollars is provided for the preparation of a historical and statistical volume relating to the canal and five thousand dollars to defray the expenses of the commission.

Gabal Gablock held Andrew Evans while Mrs. Gablock stabbed him to death with a butcher knife in the Gablock home near Lilly, Pa. Evans went to the Gablocks while intoxicated, and insisted on getting in bed with the children.

The complete form of a mastodon has been discovered at Hillsdale on Quartz creek, in the Klondike. It was imbedded 38 feet in the earth when found and the use of a steam shovel was necessary to unearth the immense animal. It is estimated that the skeleton is worth about \$50,000.

The war department has received word from the army general hospital that Robert Manning, of Detroit, the war department messenger who was shot by a lunatic, will live. The bullet has been found.

Two March temperature records have been broken in Nebraska. At 1 o'clock Wednesday in Lincoln the weather bureau thermometer indicated 79 degrees, the highest temperature of March of which there is record. One hour later it had fallen 20 degrees, and at 7 the reading was 16 above zero, a fall in six hours of 63 degrees, a descent likewise without precedent in the state.

## Smoot's Case.

The examination of President Smith as to the teachings of the Mormon church, its rules and the laws regarding polygamous marriages, in the matter of Reed Smoot's eligibility to hold a seat in the United States senate, develops the fact that Smith has five wives and numerous children of each of them, that while he has married no more wives since the "manifesto of 1890" he has continued to live with his wives who have borne him children. Senator Burrows has subjected Smith to close questioning as to his admitted defiance of law and his many admissions of it have constituted the main feature of the examination.

## Panama Politics.

Reports say that all efforts to unite the political factions of Panama have culminated in dismal failure, and loud murmurs of discontent are heard on every side. Even before Dr. Amador had been inaugurated as president his prospective policy was made the target of bitter attacks; the original murmurs of dissatisfaction have swollen into loud chorus of vituperation and an issue between the races has been forced to the front. One result of the squabbling has been to start talk of annexing Panama to the United States. The agitation in this direction is growing, and most of the merchants openly advocate annexation.

## That Naval Station.

The senate has adopted the amendment to the naval appropriation bill for a commission of three civilians to make a new survey of the sites for a great lakes naval training station. The president will appoint as commissioners men who do not live in any of the states bordering on the great lakes, and there are to have \$5,000 for expenses. It is probable that the survey will be made during the summer and a report be made to congress next season. The commission will be expected to make surveys on all lake waters.

## Canal Commissioners.

The president on Monday sent to the senate the following nominations: Chairman of the isthmian canal commission—Rear-Admiral John G. Walker, U. S. N., retired, District of Columbia.

Members of the isthmian canal commission—Maj. Gen. George C. Davis, U. S. A., retired, District of Columbia; William Barclay Parsons, New York; Wm. H. Burr, New York; Benj. M. Harrod, Louisiana; Carl Ewald Grunsky, California; Frank J. Hecker, Michigan.

## Raising the Price.

Senator Gallinger has introduced a bill increasing the salaries of the executive officers of the government and also of senators and members of the house of representatives. The bill fixes the following scale: President, \$75,000; vice-president, \$15,000; speaker of the house of representatives, \$12,000; members of the cabinet, \$15,000; senators and members of the house, \$8,000. The bill provides that the new salaries shall take effect March 4, 1905.

The Cuban Election.

The congressional elections, the first ever conducted entirely under Cuban auspices, were quiet and well conducted. Predictions of disturbances at certain points caused some apprehension, but so far as reported nothing unusual occurred. While the liberal representation in the lower house of congress appears to have been increased by several seats, the small republican majority in the senate will prevent any radical change of policies.

## CONDENSED NEWS.

Three persons were killed in a prairie fire which swept seven counties in southwest Oklahoma, and destroyed the little town of Francis, west of Mangum. Fire and gale caused \$500,000 damage.

Fourteen lives were lost by the capsizing of two lifeboats belonging to the Pacific steamer Queen, which caught fire off the mouth of the Columbia river early Saturday morning during a storm.

Miss Sabina Lawa-Northrup, who served as election clerk in a Denver precinct in which 105 fraudulent ballots were stuffed in the ballot box, is dodging a warrant. Four alleged male accomplices have been arrested and furnished bonds for their appearance.

Russia's protest to the powers against Japan's alleged violation of international law will be communicated to the Washington government at noon Wednesday. Advices from Paris say that France has given her sympathetic support to Russia in her protest.

A "Jim Crow" bill, which provides the steam railroads in the state of Maryland shall furnish separate cars for colored people except on express trains, and that all steamboats plying in Maryland waters shall provide separate compartments, was passed by the Maryland legislature by a strict party vote, all the Democrats voting for it.

Mike Braska, a lumberman employed at the Tamarack mine, and two companions were engaged in placing timbers in a stope when in some manner a large piece of rock became dislodged and in falling struck Braska killing him instantly. His companions were also injured and are now in the Tamarack hospital where their condition is considered critical.

After 30 years W. J. Kountz, of Pittsburgh, has sold the contents of the noted oak trunk near Enterprise, Pa., which he filled in the 70s. He declared he would not dispose of the oil until it brought \$5 a barrel. The price paid was about \$1.80.

Becoming the sister of her own children is the situation of Mrs. Minnie Krueger, who, with her four sons, has been legally adopted by Wm. R. A. Wodrich and his wife. This unique arrangement resulted through the desire of Mr. and Mrs. Wodrich to make Mrs. Krueger, who has lived with them since she was 7 years old, their legal daughter.

## Fourteen Were Killed.

Fourteen persons are believed to have been killed, about a score injured and several are missing through the collapse of the steel skeleton of Hotel Darlington, in New York Wednesday. The building was 13 stories high and was located at 57 West Seventh street. The steel framework had been erected as far as the elevator floor and the structure was swarming with iron workers, masons and others when, without an instant's warning, the upper floor sagged and lapsed, and the whole structure crashed with a crash that was heard in blocks and shook all the buildings in the vicinity. A portion of the steel frame fell upon the rear of



Then, once more as proud as old Lucifer,  
She thrashed hubby well for abucifer.  
And the louder he wailed,  
Why the harder she whaled.  
Till at length he abjectly begged trucifer.  
—Baltimore American.

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At last the low rumble of the approaching train loosened the tension. The agent waited until he could see the gleaming headlight in the distance. Nearer and nearer it came, penetrating the darkness. In no uncertain haste he walked out on the platform. Once outside he clutched the handle of the door firmly, hanging on like grim death, expecting an onslaught from inside, which would

all our trouble, we determined to find them with us and hunt you down. Imagine our chagrin when, on reaching the depot, you were not to be found."

"Somebody suggested," put in another voice, "that perhaps you had cut across country to this out-of-the-way station. We were in a firm belief it was too late, for we figured

**CAN'T STAND CIVILIZATION.**

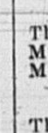
**HE SOLD A BOTTLE.**

**Truthful Man's Story Secured Him Customer.**

"I'd like to show you my new electric cement," said the soft-voiced man in the shiny black suit. "I make

**Old Blackjacks.**

Leather bottles, or blackjacks, were common in Europe two centuries ago. The bottles were made of one skin doubled up, closely stitched together, leaving an aperture for the neck. The piece between was inserted for a slip; it was meant to be slung over the back, a leather thong passing through two loops placed on each side of the neck, and it was sufficiently flat at the base to stand when put down. The stopper was made of wood, horn or old leather. A good deal of care was required in the preparation of the leather, which had to be oiled and worked with mallets to make it supple and washed with a lye, so that all the impurity was entirely removed, leaving the leather clean and dry. No matter what the weather, the bottle, whether of leather or air had, any effect on the Blackjacks were in various sizes. They were sometimes pitched in



**The Life That Counts.**  
 The life that counts must toll and toll  
 Must hate the wrong and love the right  
 Must stand for truth, by day, by night  
 And this the life that counts.

**The life that counts must aim to rise**  
 Above the earth, to sunlit skies;  
 Must fix its gaze on Paradise—  
 And this the life that counts.

**The life that counts must hopeful**  
 In darkest night make melody;  
 Must wait the dawn on bended knee  
 And this the life that counts.

**The life that counts must helpful**  
 The cares and needs of other care,  
 Must seek the slave of sin and free-  
 And this the life that counts.

**The life that counts** is linked with  
 And ours not ours across the cross,  
 But walks with joy where Jesus trod  
 And this the life that counts.

**Many Sunday School Pupils.**  
The fact brought out by the National Review that over 13,000,000 persons are enrolled in the Sunday schools of this country. In the schools the enrollment is of near 1,000,000 or only 3,000,000 more. The accusation that the religious education of children is neglected in America, with the consequences of an inevitable moral degeneration in our society, as alleged by the Rev. Greer, is not sustained by these facts. More attention seems to be given to the religious training of children in this country, by churches in schools and by home instruction than in any other country in Christendom.

## PRONUNCIATIONS OF FAR EAST NAMES.

Songchin—Song-cheen.  
Kin-Chau—Keen-chow.  
Liau-Ho—Lih-oh-Ho (river).  
Niu-chwang—Nee-oh-chwang.  
Liau-Tung—Lee-ah-oo-Toong.  
Pekin—Pee-kin.  
Luang—Loo-ahng.  
Wiju—Wee-zhu.  
Chang-Sieŋ—Chahng-Se-eng.  
Ham-Heung—Hahm-Hay-ong.  
Ta-Chwang-Ho—Tah-Chwang-Ho.  
Luang—Loo-ang.  
Tang-Fang—Tang-Fang.  
Pao-Ting—Pah-oh-Ting.  
Taku—Tah-koo.  
Ham Heung—Hahm-Hewng.  
Chang-Sieŋ—Chang-Seeng.  
Yongamp—Yong-ahmp.  
Chong Ju—Chong-zhew.  
Ping Yang—Peeng-Yahng.  
An Ju—Ahn-Zhew.  
Tientsin—Teen-tseen.  
Tallenwan—Tar-lye-wahn.  
Chinnampo—Shee-nahm-po.  
Hwang Ju—Wahng-Zhoo.  
Chang Yun—Chahng-Yone.  
Pechili (gulf)—Pee-chee-lee.  
Ching Ting—Cheeng-Teng.  
Ma Pheng Khou—Mah-Pheng-Koo.  
Cheefoo—Chee-foo.  
Teng Chow—Teng Chow.  
Kiu-Tchang Cheng — Kew-Cha-chen.  
Wutingo—Woo-ting-o.  
Seoul—Sool.  
Chemulpo—Shay-mool-poe.  
Wei-Hai-Wei—Way-Hie-Way.  
Whang—Whang.

Shimon—Ura—Shee-mon-o-o-ra.  
Honjo—Honzo.  
Kumedi—Koo-may-di.  
Akita—Ah-kee-ta.  
Noshiro—No-she-ro.  
Fu-ku-yama—Foo-ko-yah-ma.  
Hakodate—Har-ko-dah-tee.  
Okushiro—O-koos-she-ree.  
Barauta—Bah-a-o-o-ta.  
Sutsu—Soot-soo.  
Otaru—O-tar-oo.  
Atsuti—At-su-ti.  
Mashike—Mash-ee-kay.  
Furebetsu—Foo-re-bet-soo.  
Wakanaal—Wa-ka-nah-ee.  
Repunshiri—Re-poon-she-ree.  
Sarubutsu—Sar-oo-boat-soo.  
Tombetsu—Tom-bayt-soo.  
Esashi—Ay-sahs-ee.  
Mombetsu—Mombaytsoo.  
Yube—Yew-bay.  
Tukoro—Too-ko-ro.  
Yezo—Yay-zo.  
Kushiro—Koo-she-ro.  
Peru—Pay-roo.  
Shoja—Sho-zha.  
Shamanl—Sha-mah-nl.  
Hachinohe—Har-chee-no-hee.  
Konji—Kon-zhee.  
Morloka—Mo-ree-o-ka.  
Kamega—Saki—Kar-may-gah  
kece.  
Karatanu—Kar-a-tah-noo.  
Hanamakl—Hah-nah-mah-kl.  
Kessennuma—Kes-say-nu-ma.  
Midzusana—Mee-soo-sah-nah.  
Ishinomaki—Ish-ee-no-mah-kl.

Tsi-Nan—See Nahn.  
 Chang-Te—Chang-Te.  
 Kiaochau—Kee-ow-chow.  
 Hong-Ju—Hong-Zhu.  
 Chung-Ju—Cheong Zhu.  
 Yong Hai—Yong Hie.  
 Ulsan—Ool-sahn.  
 Kunsan—Koon-sahn.  
 Hoang Ho (Yellow river)—Hoo  
 Ho.  
 Chang-Heung—Chang-Hay-oong.  
 Fusan—Few-sahn.  
 Tushima—Tao-sheema.  
 Quelpart (Island)—Kwei-part. (C  
 ruption of French).  
 Ching-Kiang—Generally known  
 Ching-King.  
 Nanking—Nan-king.  
 Su-Chow—Soo-Chow.  
 Wu-Sung—Woo-Sung.  
 Shanghai—Pronounced in Eng  
 Shiang-Hie.  
 Kiu-Kiang—Kew-Kyang.  
 Lan-Ki—Lan-Kye.

**DEAFNESS GOOD AT TIMES.**

**Senator McNery's Neat Way Avoiding Questions.**

Senator McNery is afflicted with certain degree of deafness. He hear less at times than at others is said. At those times when newspaper men seek to draw information from him that he is unwilling to give he is particularly hard of hearing. He was during one of his deaf periods that he emerged from a recent extensive session and was accosted by a correspondent. "Well, Senator, the thing doing on the inside" asked the newspaper man. "Yes, the weather is pretty bad outside," answered the senator. "It's pretty hard on our people." And he bowed pleasantly and passed on, leaving the newspaper man wondering.

**Good Roads for New Hampshire**  
Gov. Bachelard of New Hampshire has appointed an engineer who will work mapping out the highways of the state. When this has been done a comprehensive system of road improvement will be begun. It is intended that every section of New Hampshire shall be provided with a class gravel road and the cost is expected to be from \$800 to \$1,500 a mile. The state is to appropriate \$100,000 a year for this purpose, the governor thinks that in six or eight years 600 miles will have been completed.

Fukushima—Foo-koo-shee-mah.  
Nakamura—Nah-kah-moo-ra.  
Sukagawa—Soo-kah-gow-a.  
Takahagi—Tah-kah-har-gi.  
Mitto—Mee-to.  
Kominata—Ke-mee-na-ta.  
Kojo—Ko-zho.  
Yokohama—Yo-ko-hah-ma.  
Nagoya—Nah-go-yah.  
Otsu—Oat-su.  
Osaka—O-sah-kah.  
Hamamatsu—Hah-mah-t-soo.  
Shingu—Sheen-goo.  
Tokushima—To-koo-shee-ma.  
Matsuyama—Mah-tsoo-ee-ah-m-a.  
Take—Tah-kay.  
Uwajima—Oo-wa-zhee-ma.  
Saga—Sah-ka.  
Kumamoto—Koo-ma-mo-to.  
Yamashiro—Yah-tsoo-shee-ro.  
Takanabe—Tah-ka-nah-bay.  
Miyasaki—Mee-yah-sah-kee.  
Kiusiu—Kow-she-w.  
Tientsin—Tan-shinn.

**PUTS BAN ON WIDOWS**

New York Magistrate Wants Maidens Given a Show.

Magistrate Luke J. Connors of Brooklyn has just promulgated an opinion from the bench that "and it should not be admitted to dance the exclusion of maidens and widows should not try to make a matrimonial agency of a dance hall." The decision was promulgated because the St. Paul hall in which the St. Paul day ball is to be held is too small to accommodate all who have applied for admission. The vote among the managers of the ball on the question of the admission of widows was 10 to 10, and the final decision was left to Magistrate Connors, whose opinion stands as the final decision, which there is no appeal.

**Bishop of London "Stumped"**  
The following tale, doubtless apocryphal, is told of the bishop of London. Having indulged, that pastime of asking any small girl in the audience to ask him a question, Dr. Ingram was met by the following: "Please, sir, why do angels walk up and down Jacob's ladder when they had wings?" It is recorded that even the bishop of London was driven to make the usual humiliating and miserable escape by turning: "What little boy would like to answer this?"

"So it is. Of course I was  
create a good impression, especial-  
as Harry was there that week, and  
that Smith girl was fairly haunting  
his footsteps. Somehow I couldn't  
manage to think or to dream of a good  
one. Finally, the day of the party  
went to see my laundress about my  
dress—we were all to wear white, you  
know. To my joy I found on her mar-  
teltpiece an old dog-eared book  
ghost stories. I borrowed it at once  
and took it home in triumph, and that  
evening I told one of the stories from  
it, of course making myself the  
heroine. It began with my arrival  
at the country house late at night, you  
know, and being given a bed in the  
haunted room—".

"And waking up conscious that  
something was in the room. I know  
that." "Yes. Well, it was a great success  
and I felt that the prize was mine  
when that Smith girl stopped talking  
to Harry and began to applaud. And  
what do you think she said?"

"Something awful, of course."  
"Clasping her hands, she said: '  
how delightful! And did it all really  
happen to you?' Of course it did,"  
said. "How perfectly charming!"  
cried. "My old nurse used to tell  
that story when I was a very little  
girl, and I shall enjoy it so much more  
now that I know you were the

roine!"

**Just His Luck.**

"I had never had any luck on races," said Mr. J. H. Jonah, "no games of chance. In fact, my number is all wrong one way or another and if anybody proposes a shot where it's win or lose you can bet that it is little Jimmy Jonah to lose. Just now I am referring to the pool. Ever lay it? In that game, you know, the table slants and is studded with little prongs projecting about two inches. There are holes, through which, if the balls drop, you are enabled to make big scores. The object of the project is to embarrass the ball and to prevent it from going into the holes. But there is no need to particularize since what I am talking about is just luck. The other evening I met with three South Side friends and we had several games with the pool, 25 cents each in the pot, and I lost score to win. Well, sir, you can bet six times each during a game, and sixteen games I held the high score. Then I got mad. I offered to bet into a pot at a dollar each, with the person who made the low score. They jumped at it. Now you can bet what happened? Try as I would, I could not score. I rolled the highest anybody had made in any game that evening. Luck? I can't figure it out anyway."

**His Prayer.**

Chaplain Hale no longer asks for to join with him in repeating Lord's prayer at the morning sessions. This arises from the fact when he did make the request was no response. This circumstance was the basis of a report, printed in some newspapers, that none of the senators knew the prayer. The report in turn became the source of no anxiety to Dr. Hale.

"Can it be possible that such a deplorable condition of affairs exists he asked more than one senator he was apparently much relieved by the assurance given him that no newspaper report was without foundation.

"I'd just like to see the test said Senator Tillman when he told the story. "I fear they'd all be two fellows they tell about from South Carolina. They were in there taking their lives by drink."

When one of them insisted that he should pray, notwithstanding his companion remonstrated that he did not know how to pray.

"Just pray anyhow," said the other, "whereupon the one said:

"Lord, make us thankful for what we are about to receive."—Wm. L. Post.

**Faithful to His Friends.**

One thought had he, to live his life to link with joy its most precious end. But he was thick of the strife. He was faithful to his friends.

Honor's not he for right nor wrong. Care's call nor duty's way: He but lived in the throng, Lived among them for a day.

Thus he lived and thus he died. Yet each one now his life defied. For we saw the rule applied, He was faithful to his friends.

Rough and tempest tossed the road, And

But after all his varied years  
No reason he to make amends  
He left no payment in arrears,  
He was faithful to his friends.

—Henry R. B. Lee

**Deer Make Pretty Pictures**  
▲ Middlesex, Vt., farmer, drawing logs two or three days a week, saw a group of eight deer on a hillside about a mile and a half from the village. He describes the deer as sleek and in good condition. He says they made a picture well looking at.

On one of the ships which he commanded there was a mutiny of the crew one morning on the high seas which he promptly started to quash. The sailors were too many for him, however, as he was unarmed, and he soon had him down on the deck bound and gagged with a long knot across his mouth. It was this knot that produced the wounds whose scars the captain carried the remainder of his life concealed beneath the beard. While thus bound and gagged a lady passenger came to him and cutting the bonds handed him a loaded revolver. With this weapon he soon had the crew at his feet and the ringleaders were placed in irons.—*Lewiston Journal.*

**A Physician's Advice.**  
Yorcktown, Ark., March 7th.—Dodd's Kidney Pills must not be confounded with the ordinary patent medicines. They are a new discovery, a specific for all diseases of the Kidneys, and have been accepted by physicians only after careful tests in extreme cases. Dr. Leland Williamson, of this place, writes, "I endorse Dodd's Kidney Pills" as a remedy for the various forms of the diseases of the Kidneys, pains in the back, soreness of the region of the Kidneys, foul-smelling urine and cloudy or thickened condition of the urine, discharges of urine or corruption. Gout, Rheumatism, Inflammation and Congestion of the Kidneys and all kindred complaints." Continuing he says:

"I could mention many cases in which I have prescribed Dodd's Kidney Pills with success. For instance, Mr. Robert Weeks, farmer, had haematuria or swamp fever the first time, kidneys weakened, continuing pain and soreness in back, which made him very nervous, had a fever and sometimes chilly. Under a changeable, but generally very hot colored; an old chronic case which taken much medicine with little effect. After taking Dodd's Kidney Pills about six weeks he was entirely cured and had gained fifteen pounds in weight. The last time I saw him he was the picture of perfect health."

**Platinum Finely Drawn.**  
Platinum has been drawn into  
so fine that eighteen strands  
braided together could be drawn  
through the hollow of a human

## WESTERN CANADA'S RESOURCES

### Farming Very Successful

By Western or Northwest Canada usually meant the great agricultural country west of Ontario, and now Minnesota, North Dakota, and Montana. Part of it is agricultural; treeless in places, part like in the part is genuine plains, well adapted to cattle ranches; part requires irrigation for successful tillage, most does not. The political division of this region are the Province of Alberta and the territorial districts of Manitoba, Saskatchewan, Alberta and Athabaska. At present, however, the latter is too remote for immediate practical purposes.

The general character of the soil in Western Canada is a rich, black loam with a clay subsoil. Such soil is particularly rich in food for the wheat plant. The subsoil is a layer which retains the winter frost until it is thawed out by the warm rains in the sun and drawn upward to retard the growth of the young wheat that even in dry seasons wheat can grow a good crop. The clay soil also retains the heat of the sun later in the summer and assists in the early ripening of the grain. It is claimed that irrigation has the effect of increasing the temperature of the soil several degrees, as well as the air above it.

Western-Canada climate is cold in winter, hot in summer with cool nights. Violent storms of any kind are rare. The rainfall is heavy. It varies with places, but averages about 17 inches. It falls at the time the growing crops are in.

The Department of the Interior, Ottawa, Canada, has agents established at different points throughout the United States who will be pleased to forward an Atlas of Western Canada and give such other information as may be required.

That agriculture in Western Canada is shown by the number of farms paid for by farmers. The following is an extract made from the 1909 census of farms near Moose

"At the present time I own a hundred acres of land, fifty horse and a large pasture fenced about a thousand acres. These horses are all winter and come in in the quite fat. A man with money has recently expended will make a tence very shortly. I consider last six years the increase value of my land has netted a thousand dollars."

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To hold fast upon God's hand and open wide the other neighbor—that is religion—MacDonald.

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## THE CHELSEA STANDARD

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## CHELSEA'S PRIDE

The Junior Stars Base Ball Team Reorganizes and Formulates Plans that Will Give This Town Fine Base Ball.

The Junior Stars met with a number of their friends in K. of P. hall last evening and affected their reorganization for the coming season. Those chosen to fill the offices of the association were: President—D. C. McLaren. V. Pres.—G. C. Stimson. Treasurer—George A. BeGole. Sec. and Manager—Wirt S. McLaren. By this choice all those who were importantly connected with the Junior Stars success of last year were continued in office.

Considerable informal discussion was had as to the advisability of changing the club name and the general opinion appeared to be that it would be best to retain the old name. It was realized that the reputation of the past two years was a difficult one to defend but at the same time worthy of the very best efforts of all interested in the Junior Stars. The boys appeared to believe themselves capable of living up to this present reputation.

This season, as in all others, the cream of the game is in the pitcher and ways and means had to be discussed to provide one. All seem to be agreed that McCain of Ann Arbor, is unmistakably the one who will land the boys a winner. However, to secure him the boys will have to have some financial support from their friends, but in view of the excellence of the kind of base ball the Stars give us, and the character of the boys engaged in the enterprise, this help will undoubtedly be forth coming. Something over a hundred dollars is needed to give the team the help it needs and put it through the season, but the amount named is less than towns a third the size of Chelsea frequently raise for a one day celebration of some kind or another and it will be strange indeed if enough funds cannot be secured to give the Junior Stars a good send off. The boys have now a state reputation, and games are asked for from Battle Creek, Albion, Marshall, Jackson, Lansing and Detroit high schools and many other first class junior teams as well, and it will never do for anyone having pride in Chelsea's name to desert the Junior Stars who have advertised this place so widely and so well.

## BAHNMILLER-MARSHALL.

A pretty, little wedding took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Veit Bahnmiller, Wednesday afternoon, at three o'clock, when their daughter, Julia, was united in marriage to Mr. Ben Marshall. The ceremony was performed under a canopy of lace curtains to which the contracting parties gathered as Miss Martha Marshall played the wedding march. Miss Bortha Marshall, sister of the groom, acted as bridesmaid and Mr. Emanuel Bahnmiller, brother of the bride, acted as best man, and Rev. Garber of Francisco was officiating clergyman.

The bride was prettily dressed in white mull, trimmed with lace and silk ribbon; and the bridesmaid wore a dress of Persian Lawn trimmed with lace. The house was prettily decorated with pink and white carnations and evergreen. After the ceremony a delicious supper was served. The presents were very beautiful and useful. The happy pair left for Michigan City, Ind., Thursday morning. Mr. and Mrs. Marshall are wished a long and happy life by their many friends.

## WORKINGMEN'S TICKET.

In pursuance of the regular call the Workingmen's caucus was held on the main floor of the town hall Tuesday evening. There were over 100 present. As aptly spoken by Hon. James S. Gorman, who called the meeting to order, the following were placed in nomination to be elected next Monday. The ticket is as follows: President—Frank P. Glazier. Clerk—Henry Heselschwerdt. Trustees—O. C. Burkhardt, W. J. Knapp and Adam Eppler. Treasurer—W. F. Riemschneider. Assessor—Daniel C. McLaren. Before the adjournment Chairman A. W. Wilkinson appointed the following as committee for the ensuing year. Hon. J. S. Gorman, Fred Wedemeyer and H. D. Witherall.

The Cosmopolitan is making a vigorous fight for the establishment of a parcels post in this country. The editor continues his able argument in the March number showing what portion of the population would be most benefited by such a service and his editorial in the front of the magazine is of special interest to manufacturers, small storekeepers of the country towns and villages, and merchants in the large cities, for these classes would profit most by the parcels post, although the majority of them do not fully appreciate the benefits they would derive.

## PERSONAL MENTION.

W. Benton was in Jackson Sunday. Wirt McLaren was in Ypsilanti Saturday.

Alva Steger of Detroit was home over Sunday.

Jacob Schultz of Ann Arbor spent Sunday here.

Harvey Spiegelberg visited his parents in Dexter Sunday.

Chauncey Staffan of Ann Arbor was home over Sunday.

William Phaba of Ann Arbor visited friends here Sunday.

Adam Falst and daughter Milda were in Ann Arbor Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Davidson were Ypsilanti visitors Sunday.

Misses Anna Corey and Anna Zukle were Jackson visitors Friday.

Miss Nellie McKernan is this week the guest of Ypsilanti friends.

Miss Zoe BeGole entertained Mr. Weeks of Ann Arbor Saturday.

Rev. L. S. Katterhenry of Lansing was a caller at this office Friday.

Miss Myrtle Shaw spent Saturday and Sunday at her home in Ypsilanti.

B. B. Turn Bull was called to Chicago Sunday evening on legal business.

Dr. Orrin Riemschneider of Grass Lake was in town Tuesday evening.

Misses Eva Luick and Lella Goddes were Saturday and Sunday in Detroit.

John Lincoln and Miss Edith White were Ann Arbor visitors Saturday evening.

Bert Conlin was Tuesday in Ann Arbor.

C. McGuire Tuesday visited his son Michael who is in the hospital at Ann Arbor.

L. G. Heinritz of Holyoke, Mass. is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Matt Jensen.

James Ryan and John Carrol of Detroit were Chelsea visitors Saturday and Sunday.

George Tucker of Ann Arbor was the guest of Chelsea friends Wednesday evening.

Mrs. James S. Gorman and mother, Mrs. Bingham were Jackson visitors Tuesday.

John Lincoln of New York was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Wood the past week.

Miss Sattie Speer was Sunday the guest of her sister Mrs. John Larmee of Jackson.

M. J. Lehman and wife of Ann Arbor were Sunday the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. Lehman.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Hayes of Detroit were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. McKune Sunday.

Miss Nellie Newkirk and Lee Gimmerman were guests of Wirt McLaren Tuesday evening.

Art Raftery, LaMont BeGole and W. S. McLaren attended the track meet at Ann Arbor Saturday evening.

Mr. Ford Hatten and daughter Zelma of Jackson were the guests of her mother Mrs. C. Oesterle Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Shirley Adams of Battle Creek and Miss Nellie Casterline of Ann Arbor were guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Weber Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Hoover went to Battle Creek of Wednesday for a few days where they will visit at the home of their daughter Mrs. R. W. Crawford.

WON TWENTY-FIVE DOLLAR PRIZE.

Henry I. Stimson, secretary of the Glazier Stove Co., this noon received a telegram from Thomas Balmer, president of the Butterick Publishing Co., of New York city, saying that he was the winner of a \$25 prize recently offered by the Butterick Co. for the best essay on advertising, the discussion being particularly intended to determine when newspaper advertising might be more advantageous than through magazines, or vice versa, or, again, when both might be used to advantage. As this contest was open to everyone, and advertising experts participated it is a signal honor to Mr. Stimson especially so as he has never made any special study of advertising except as a matter of general interest.

## CITIZEN'S TICKET.

At a Citizen's caucus the following ticket was named.

President—George P. Staffan. Clerk—William Arnold.

Trustees—John Palmer, Tom Mingay and John P. Foster.

Treasurer—John Cummings. Assessor—William Bacon.

Report of school in district No. 5, Lyndon, for February. Attending every day, Spencer, John and Elsie Boyce, Vincent and Anna Young, George Goodwin, Charlie Cooper, Mary and Bessie Johnson and Millie Wallace. Standing 95, Anna Young; 90, Charlie Cooper, George Goodwin, John Boyce; 85, Hugh Wallace, Maggie Goodwin, Bessie and Mary Johnson, Elsie Boyce, Vincent Young; 80, Spencer, Floyd and Howard Boyce. Mrs. S. A. Stephens, teacher.

The game law of Michigan for 1904, states with reference to water fowls, that beginning with March 2nd and jacksnipe, blue bill, canvas back, pidgeon, pin tail, whistler, spoon bill, butter ball and saw bill ducks may be killed until April 10 inclusive, and then only lawful by the use of a gun of not greater size than 10 calibre, such gun to be held in the hands at the time of firing.

## FRANCISCO.

Mrs. Frank Gleske and Miss Augusta Benter spent Tuesday in Jackson.

Miss Grace Faulkner spent Wednesday and Thursday of last week with her cousin Mrs. Frank Gleske.

## SHARON.

Miss Helen Kendall has been on these sick list.

Edward Gentner of Lima will move on the Charles Fish farm.

Mr. and Mrs. William Wolff have moved on the Wm. Heselschwerdt farm.

Claude Gage, who has spent the past year at California returned home Saturday.

A. L. Holden was called to Lansing Saturday by the death of his brother, the funeral was held Sunday.

## LYNDON.

Ray Hadley is sick with the measles. Charlie Duddy assisted Thos. Gibeay a few days the past week.

Fred Marshall is going to work for Sam Schultz the coming season.

Ed. Collings who sprained his ankle some time ago is again able to be out.

Mr. and Mrs. Warner of Detroit spent a few days of last week at E. R. Buck's.

A few from this vicinity attended the shadow social at Unadilla Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Liebeck spent Tuesday last with James Birch and family.

Geo. Hudson who has been spending the winter at George Scripture has gone to Hartland to work.

## SYLVAN.

Herman Hayes was a Norvel visitor last Tuesday.

Edward Fisk was the guest of his parents Sunday.

Jacob Hindelar has moved on a farm near Grass Lake.

Rha Waltz will work for Michael Merkel the coming summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Hayes called on Jacob Gruner's people Saturday.

John Mohrlock, jr. and family have moved on the Lewis Rank farm.

Misses Mary Helm and Lizzie Heselschwerdt visited the school taught by Alice Helm, last Friday.

Agnes Boyle who has been the guest of her parents has returned to the home of Michael Merkel and family.

## THE MARKETS.

Chelsea buyers offer today, the following prices:  
Wheat, red or white.....98 to 1.00  
Oats.....40  
Rye.....60  
Barley, per hundred.....1 00, 1 10  
Beans.....1 10 to 1 60  
Clover seed.....6 00  
Live Beef Cattle.....2 to 4  
Veal Calves.....05 1/2  
Live Hogs.....4 75  
Lamb.....3 to 05  
Chickens, spring.....10  
Fowls.....07  
Potatoes.....70 to 75  
Cabbage, per doz.....50  
Onions.....80  
Butter.....16  
Eggs.....17

## Loss of Flesh

When you can't eat breakfast, take Scott's Emulsion. When you can't eat bread and butter, take Scott's Emulsion. When you have been living on a milk diet and want something a little more nourishing, take Scott's Emulsion.

To get fat you must eat fat. Scott's Emulsion is a great fattener, a great strength giver.

Those who have lost flesh want to increase all body tissues, not only fat. Scott's Emulsion increases them all, bone, flesh, blood and nerve.

For invalids, for convalescents, for consumptives, for weak children, for all who need flesh, Scott's Emulsion is a rich and comfortable food, and a natural tonic.

Scott's Emulsion for bone, flesh, blood and nerve.

We will send you a free sample. Be sure that this picture in the form of a label is on the wrapper of every bottle of Emulsion you buy. SCOTT & BOWNE, CHEMISTS, 409 Pearl St., N. Y. 50c. and \$1.00 all druggists.

## KATAH BUTTER

This is one of the remedies that has attracted so much of attention of late because

IT ACTS INSTANTLY and cures even the worst cases of

Nasal Catarrh, Bronchitis, Coughs, Colds, Sore Throat, Lungs or any Stoppage of THE AIR TUBES.



A \$1.00 Jar for 50 cents.

Come at Once and Take Advantage of this Liberal Offer.

## Free Tests

DAILY AT THE

## Bank Drug Store

CHELSEA, MICH., UNTIL

March 19th.

## RUMA-KATAH

for Rheumatism, Internal Catarrh, Stomach, Liver and Kidneys, acts upon the Bowels, Blood and Nerves, cures Constipation, Sour Stomach, Heartburn, is a Strong Tonic and Tissue Builder. 50 cents for a \$1.00 bottle or 3 for \$1.25.

The Greatest of Spring Tonics and Regulators.

Cleans house right. Everybody needs it. Full particulars on hand bills and at the store Demonstrator present.

Many people cured at Manchester by these Remedies. Ask any of the following named:

CAROLINE GROSS—Stomach Trouble.  
G. W. KIEF—Rheumatism.  
PAUL QUIRK—Catarrh.  
J. E. TETTER—Nerves and Rheumatism.  
FRANK BLAISDELL—Kidney Trouble.  
MRS. L. CAMPBELL—Rheumatism.

F. MAHRLE—Kidney.  
LEVI KIMBALL—Catarrh.  
HENRY BREITENWISCHER—Nerves.  
T. B. BAILEY, Postmaster—Stomach Trouble.  
T. W. HUNT—Stomach Trouble.  
AND MANY OTHERS.

Chelsea people who have been benefitted by the treatment:

THEO. MOHRLOCK—Rheumatism of Nerves.  
MRS. J. ADRIAN—General Tonic.  
S. L. GAGE—Rheumatism.  
MRS. THOS. FLETCHER—Catarrh.

W. B. SELF—General Tonic.  
JOHN ROWE—Kidneys.  
C. E. HOFFMAN—Catarrh.

## CO-OPERATIVE STORE

HEADQUARTERS FOR Paints and Oils, Alabastine, Farming Tools, Woven Wire Fence, Sheep Shears, and we have something special on

## SCALES

at lower prices than ever before. Sewing machines, crockery and groceries.

Bacon Co-Operative Co.

Don't buy binder twine till you see us.

AXLE GREASE

## HARNESSES.

We are now in a position at the Steinbach Store on Middle street, west to offer exceptional bargains in

Heavy Team, Light Double and Single Harnesses.

Also special attention will be given to REPAIR WORK of all kinds.

Bring in your repair jobs. We are prepared to do it promptly and all prices the lowest.]

W. J. KNAPP.

## CLOTHING.

We are showing several new cloths suitable for

## SPRING SUITS

At money-saving prices. Call and examine them.

Our business Suits at \$18.00 and up; our Overcoats at \$15.00 and up; our Fancy Vestings at all prices, last but not least the largest stock of Trousering in Wash tenaw county.

For all-wool goods and to be as represented at the lowest possible price, call on

Phone 37. RAFTREY THE TAILOR.

LADIES! \$5.00 to \$8.00 a week at home in your spare moments. No canvassing. "Here is the way you long have sought and mourned because you found it not." Full particulars, ten toilet formulas and a 15c sample of my goods for ladies, all for 10 cents, silver or stamps: Mrs. A. M. McNEAL, Chicago, Ill.

## RADIUM

FREE FREE

RADIOS RADIOS RADIOS

Stupendous offer made by a well-known Philadelphia firm.

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Thousands of persons in all sections of the country have been healed by this wonderful discovery.

Every educated person has heard of Radium, its wonderful powers and healing qualities have occupied page after page in the Metropolitan publications. Almost everybody knows that it is the greatest remedy that God has ever given to suffering humanity. Disease germs of every description flee before it—they cannot stand the contact. We have such faith in our proposition that we guarantee absolutely to cure you. What is more we will give you a written contract to that effect. This offer has never been duplicated. Fill out the blank below and mark the malady from which you are suffering and receive by return mail information that will be worth hundreds of dollars to you. Ask any banking firm regarding our responsibility.

Free Offer Free Offer Free Offer

RADIOS CO., 812 Drexel Building Philadelphia, Pa.

SIRS: Kindly send me free of cost information regarding your Radium treatment and your wonderful remedy "Radioe."

Name.....  
Address.....  
City.....  
State.....  
Disease.....

DoWitt's Little Early Risers The famous little pills.

Sewing Machines Cleaned & repaired E. J. Whipple

REGISTRATION NOTICE To the electors of the village of Chelsea, county of Washtenaw state of Michigan: notice is hereby given, that meeting of the Board of Registration of the village above named, will be held at the council room of town hall said village, on Saturday, March 13, D. 1904 for the purpose of registering the names of all such persons who are possessed of the necessary qualifications of electors, and who may appear for that purpose, and that said Board of Registration will be in sessions on day and at the place aforesaid from 8 o'clock in the forenoon until 8 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose aforesaid. Dated this 27th day of February, A. 1904. By order of the Village Board of Registration. W. H. HESLSCHWERDT, Clerk of said Village.

## SAMP'S Springlift Hayloader

This loader has many advantages over any other hayloader, it will load hay either side of the wagon from bunches of windrows, it will also load cornstalks, beanpods and in fact anything that is loadable. The machine itself is made of the best materials, is durable and wanted to do the work required. For further particulars inquire of the inventor

CHARLES L. SAMP, Patent on file. Chelsea, Mich.

## Notice of Change in Banking Hours

Following the custom of all banks throughout the state the

Kempf Commercial & Savings Bank

will on and after

APRIL 1, 1904

discontinue opening evenings except Saturdays.

On and after the above date Banking hours will be from 9 a. m. to 12 noon 1 p. m. to 4 p. m. - Saturday evenings to 7 p. m.

DIRECTORS: Reuben Kempf, H. S. Holmes, C. H. Kempf, C. Klein, R. S. Armstrong, Ed. Vogel, Geo. A. BeGole. JOHN A. PALMER, CASHIER.

## ATHENAEUM.

JACKSON, MICH.

Monday, March 14

INEZ FORMAN

supported by JOHN DILLON in

EAST LYNNE.

Prices, 25, 35, 50, 75.

Wednesday, March 17

NEW ENGLAND FOLKS

Prices, 15, 25, 35, 50.

Thursday, March 17

A HOMESPUN HEART.

Prices, 15, 25, 35, 50.

Saturday, March 19

RETURN ENGAGEMENT.

THE SILVER SLIPPER.

Prices, 25, 50, 75, \$1.00, \$1.50.

Sale of seats open three days in advance and may be ordered by mail or phone.

"IT DIDN'T HURT A BIT!"

WHY?

DR. STEGER PULLED IT



# This Is The Spot



## Grocery Trade

and if low prices, good goods, fair treatment, honest business methods will get it we have your case won.

## THESE ARE REASONS

50 pounds granulated sugar \$1.00  
New Orleans molasses 60c gallon  
Fancy table syrup 25c gallon  
Broken Java coffee 10c pound  
6 pounds rolled oats for 25c  
2 packages cream crisp for 25c  
2 packages maple flake for 25c  
Tea dust 2 pounds for 25c  
18 bars laundry soap 25c  
Good mixed candy 6c pound  
Dinner sets cheaper than anywhere.  
Tollet sets were \$2.50 now \$1.50  
Porcelain lamps 4 off

## COFFEE ?

We have the genuine "Standard" brand Mocha and Java which we sell at

25 cents

per pound; if you try it once you will buy it regularly.

## BEST CHEESE

In town, all October and November make. Price 15c pound.  
With the cheese many of our customers buy

## MACARONI

We sell the celebrated

## MARVILLI

2 packages for 25c

Cheaper kinds 10c a package

Egg noodles 10c package

Vermicelli 10c package

## Freeman Bros.

F. P. GLAZIER, President. O. C. BURKHART, 1st Vice Pres.  
WM. P. SCHENK, Treasurer. F. H. SWEETLAND, 2d Vice Pres.  
JOHN W. SCHENK, Secretary.

## Chelsea Lumber & Produce Co.

Sell all kinds of roofing. Wiggins B asphalt roofing, Three-ply black diamond prepared roofing, Big B line. White pine, red and white cedar shingles, brick, tile, lime, cement. Farmers' market for all kinds of farm produce.

See our Fence Posts before you buy.

Get our prices--we will save you money.

Yours for square dealing and honest weights.

## Chelsea Lumber & Produce Co.

Office, corner Main street and M. C. R. R.

## 1-2 OFF CASH SALE!

Men's pants \$1.00 to \$2.50 value 1/2 off.  
Men's caps for winter 25 to 50c 1/2 off  
Children's hats Tam O'Shanter 75c to \$1.00 1/2 off  
Children's underwear 10c to 30 1/2 off  
Children's hose 12 to 50c 1/2 off  
Children's mittens, knit, 15c 1/2 off  
Ladies' mittens, knit, 20c 1/2 off  
Men's shirts, negligee, colored, 75c to \$1.00 1/2 off  
Men's shirts, laundered, colored, with cuffs 75c to \$1.00 1/2 off  
Men's shirts, laundered, colored with cuffs 75c 1/2 off  
Men's suits, very few left 1/2 off  
Men's hats, stiff \$2.00 to \$3.00 value 1/2 off  
Men's linen collars, all styles 15c 1/2 off  
Men's celluloid collars, all styles 15c 1/2 off  
Men's sweaters 75c 1/2 off  
Ladies' button-kid gloves \$1.00 1/2 off  
Wire hair pins 100 for 5c

AT

## J. S. CUMMINGS.

## One Minute Cough Cure

For Coughs, Colds and Croup.  
COLD CAUSE PNEUMONIA.  
One of the most remarkable cases of a cold, deep-seated on the lungs, causing pneumonia, is that of Mrs. Gertrude E. Warner, Marion, Ind., who was entirely cured by the use of One Minute Cough Cure. She says: "The coughing and sneezing weakened me that I ran in weight from 148 to 92 pounds. I tried a number of remedies to no avail until I used One Minute Cough Cure. It cured me entirely of the cough, strengthened my lungs and restored me to my normal weight, health and strength." By J. S. Cummings.

FEARFUL ODDS AGAINST HIM.  
Bedridden, alone and destitute. Such in brief was the condition of an old soldier by name of J. J. Havens, Versailles, O. For years he was troubled with kidney disease and neither doctors nor medicines gave him relief. At length he tried Electric Bitters. It put him on his feet in short order and now he testifies: "I'm on the road to complete recovery." Best on earth for liver and stomach and all forms of ailments. Guaranteed by Glazier & Stimson.

## LOCAL EVENTS

Ice in the Great Lakes is reported as breaking up.

W. I. Terry reports to The Standard having seen a blue bird.

The spring poet sharpens his pencil—but the pencil is very dull.

The Ladies Research club met with Miss Ethel Bacon Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Klingler have moved into the Mrs. B. Keenan house on East street.

"Number please?" is what the telephone girl says now a days and number is has to be.

Mrs. D. C. McLaren is attending a party given by Mrs. F. E. Chase of Dexter today.

Floyd Ward will sing a solo entitled "The Chord" at the Congregational church Sunday evening.

The wise ones say, "Don't leave off your overcoat because now and then we have a springlike day."

The conservatism of weather prophets when asked as to the coming of spring is very noticeable.

Mrs. William Rheinfrank entertained the Ladies Aid Society of St. Paul's church, last Friday afternoon.

Milan lost its oldest resident Tuesday in the death of Mrs. Sally B. Huck. She was ninetyseven years of age.

No person ever filled the position of village clerk with better satisfaction than our painstaking Henry Heselenschwerdt.

Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Freeman were called to Manchester Wednesday by the serious illness of Miss Cynthia Bailey.

A number of Ladies surprised Mrs. S. G. Bush Tuesday evening. The evening was spent in playing finch and other games.

The families of Michael, Martin and George Wackenhut were called to Seio Wednesday to attend the funeral of a relative.

The Women's Missionary Society will conduct the services at the Baptist church next Sunday morning. No collection will be taken.

It begins to look very much as if the "Under the Oaks" celebration at Jackson next summer would be minus the presence of President Roosevelt.

A box social given for the benefit of the school in district No. 2 will be held at Wm. J. Baerle's on Friday evening, March 18th. Every body invited.

Engineer Smith, of Cleveland, has been doing an interesting bit of work of late in moving and placing in position the mammoth dryer at the peat plant.

Misses Mildred and Blanche Stephens entertained the Sigma Delta club, at their home Monday evening. The evening was pleasantly passed in playing games.

R. F. D. Carrier Weiss owing to the impassable condition of the roads caused by high water has been obliged to leave a small part of his route untaveled.

Chelsea sent quite a delegation down to the indoor track meet in Barbour gymnasium at the University Saturday evening. Some inter-collegiate records were broken.

William Riemenschneider the Workmen's nominee for treasurer enjoys the confidence and friendship of so many in Chelsea that he is a wise choice for this place.

The Woman's Guild of the Congregational church will serve supper in the church parlours tomorrow evening beginning at 5 o'clock. The prices will be 10 and 15 cents.

Walter Meade of the Detroit Tribune called at this office this week. He is particularly interested in pushing the "Under the Oaks" celebration to be held at Jackson this summer.

Orrin C. Burkhardt has made a painstaking and conservative trustee. It is to the credit and benefit of the village to gratuitously secure the services of such a man to perform its business.

Misses Lella Geddes, Josie Bacon, Alma Hoppe and Jennie Winslow will take the teacher's examination at Ann Arbor today and Friday. All four young ladies expect to teach next year.

D. C. McLaren appears to be the first choice of everyone in Chelsea for the important office of assessor. It is unanimously believed of him that he is qualified to perform the duties of the office and that he will do so to the best of his judgement without help or suggestion from any source whatsoever.

War among the Maccabees is causing more discomfort to the innocent non-combatants than to the fighters themselves. It appears that the local lodge has been divided as nearly equally as maybe and the two sides are battling to see which can secure the more new members in a given time. The losing side will tender the winners a banquet.

As the contest grows warmer and warmer it is likely that now and then some poor innocent will be pulled out of bed to be told the beauties of the order.

Notice is given by S. F. Guthrie that the annual meeting of the Maple Grove cemetery of the township of Sylvan will be held at Sylvan Center school house March, 14, 1904 at two o'clock p. m.

Adam Eppler is a type of the young business man who has come to success with the towns prosperity. He will make a trustee to administer the village affairs with hard-headed business sense.

The next concert in the Choral Union course will be a piano recital by Adele Aus der Ohe, the charming and scholarly pianist who scored such a success in Ann Arbor a few years ago. Date March 17.

Committee having in charge the location of the site of the state fair grounds has announced that it will visit Ypsilanti on Friday of this week, to look over the conditions and advantages of the city.

William J. Knapp is a conservative and successful business man nominated by the Workmen's caucus for trustee. His place in the council insures that the village business will be conducted on careful but not niggardly lines.

Senator Burrows is chairman of the committee that is investigating the right of Reed Smoot to a seat in the Senate. It is a long time since anyone from Michigan has been chairman of a legislative committee so much in the public eye.

An auction sale is set for March 17 on the premises of Emory D. Chipman who will sell through E. W. Daniels a large list of farm property including three head of horses, 23 head of cattle, farming implements, grain and household goods.

The robin left in the fall the subject of sentiment, sermons and song, and this spring the red-breast returns to find himself branded the rascally, robber robin by speakers at the farmer's institutes and in the columns of the state press.

G. E. Marshall advertises an auction for Wednesday, March 16, at his home, two miles north of North Lake corners and two miles southeast of Unadilla. Three head of horses, four head of cattle, swine, farming implements and other property will be sold.

The Hon. Noble Ashley, of Detroit, a representative of the Great Camp of the Maccabees, looked in on his local brethren of the order, one day recently. Also being a one-time printer he took advantage of the occasion to smell printer's ink once more, at this office.

A number of Chelsea people have already signified their intention of witnessing the performance of "Ben-Hur" at Detroit next week. It is doubtless the most stupendous theatrical attraction ever offered in this country. It requires over 300 people for its presentation.

Hon. Frank P. Glazier was last Tuesday evening nominated by the Workmen's caucus by acclamation for the fourth time as village president. His business like administration and known interest in the welfare of Chelsea is sufficient commendation for his reelection.

While Harry McManus, living a mile west of Dexter, was cleaning a revolver Monday the weapon was accidentally discharged and the ball struck his father, James McManus, in the face. The ball passed through the elder McManus's head causing a wound which will probably result fatally.

Ernest J. Cooke has arranged to have E. W. Daniels sell for him at auction Friday, March 11, on the premises known as the James Cooke farm, four and a half miles southwest of Pinckney and two miles north of North Lake school house, a large list of farm property including eight head of horses as many cattle, sheep, hogs and farming implements.

Owing to the burning of the water tank last spring the village council was obliged to raise \$3,800 more than usual, thus necessitating a 1 per cent additional tax. This amount, however, has been expended to so good advantage that this place now has a fire protection plant affording direct pressure, second to none in the state. What can be done by this new pumping plant was set forth in The Standard last summer.

Heap big medicine man! Have you seen him? He has pitched his tepee at the Bank Drug Store and is sounding his tom-tom this week through the columns of The Standard—you will find his advertisement elsewhere. He has his war-bonnet stuck full of feathers labeled with the names of prominent people he has successfully treated in Manchester just previous to coming here. Be sure and see him, his treatment is free and his story interesting.

War among the Maccabees is causing more discomfort to the innocent non-combatants than to the fighters themselves. It appears that the local lodge has been divided as nearly equally as maybe and the two sides are battling to see which can secure the more new members in a given time. The losing side will tender the winners a banquet.

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It takes all kinds of women to make a world and all kinds of shoes to please them. Still they can all be suited with "Queen Quality." It is an entirely different construction from the ordinary shoe. It is fitted to the foot, not at the toe and heel, but around the instep. It gives free play to the ball of the foot, yet the foot cannot slip forward in the shoe, being firmly held at the "waist" or arch of the instep.

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### Card of Thanks.

Mrs. M. Schwickerath and family wish to extend their sincere thanks for the kindness of their friends in their late bereavement, and for the beautiful floral offerings tendered.

### VILLAGE ELECTION NOTICE.

To the electors of the village of Chelsea county of Washtenaw State of Michigan: notice is hereby given, that the next ensuing election for said village will be held at the town hall in said village, on Monday, March 14, A. D. 1904. At which election the following officers are to be chosen, viz: one village president, one village clerk, one village treasurer, three trustees for 2 years, one assessor. The polls of said election will be open at 7 o'clock a. m., and will remain open until 5 o'clock p. m. of said day of election. By order of the Board of Election Inspectors of said village. Dated this 27th day of February, A. D. 1904.

W. H. HESSELNCHWERDT,  
Clerk of said Village.

Reconstructs your whole body, makes rich red blood. Drives out impurities that have collected during the winter. Holister's Rocky Mountain Tea is a family tonic. 35 cents. Tea or tablets. Glazier & Stimson.

## HAVE YOU A SORE THROAT?

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TONSILINE is the greatest throat remedy on earth. Tonsiline not only cures sore throats of all kinds, very quickly, but is a positive, never-failing and speedy cure for Sore Mouth, Hoarseness and Quinsy.

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25 and 50 cents at all druggists.

THE TONSILINE CO. CANTON, O.

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26, May 24, June 21, July 26, Aug. 23,  
Sept. 20, Oct. 18, Nov. 22. Annual  
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## FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Continued from first page.

" S. Sid. W. Mallard.....	73 00
" S. Wm. Bacon-Holmes.....	15 31
" 8 Lumber Co.....	48 64
" 9 Niagara Chemical Co.....	40 23
" 9 W. T. Glaucque, Agt.....	65 00
" 10 C. Currier.....	64
" 10 W. B. Sumner.....	1 09
" 10 G. H. Martin.....	9 38
" 10 Hugh McKune.....	26 25
" 8 A. E. Winans.....	16 86
" 8 G. C. Stimson.....	1 52
" 12 Louisa Johnson.....	225 00
" 13 W. T. Glaucque, Agt.....	113 80
" 13 C. Lighthall.....	10 00
" 14 W. T. Glaucque, Agt.....	319 26
" 14 J. F. Maier.....	35 00
" 14 D. Alber.....	20 00
" 14 E. McCarter.....	20 00
" 14 J. M. Woods.....	20 00
" 14 J. M. Woods.....	20 00
" 17 H. McKune.....	11 55
" 17 G. H. Martin.....	4 50
" 17 E. G. Upthegrove.....	75
" 23 Wm. Bacon Holmes.....	153 13
" 23 Kempf Com'l Bk.....	2 25
" 14 B. Parker.....	20 00
" 14 C. Lighthall.....	10 00
" 19 W. T. Glaucque, Agt.....	43 86
" 20 Maran & Hastings.....	4 55
" 21 W. T. Glaucque, Agt.....	67 00
" 21 Rob. Leach.....	5 00
" 21 John Ricketts.....	5 38
" 21 J. F. Maier.....	7 05
" 21 H. D. Witherell.....	4 60
" 26 W. T. Glaucque, Agt.....	45 90
" 26 C. Lighthall.....	10 00
" 26 C. Hagadon.....	90
" 26 H. D. Witherell.....	20 40
" 26 John Ricketts.....	27 00
" 26 W. T. Glaucque, Agt.....	78 27
" 31 D. Alber.....	20 00
" 31 Elliot McCarter.....	20 00
" 31 Walter Barry.....	20 00
" 31 J. M. Woods.....	20 00
" 31 C. Lighthall.....	35 00
" 31 James Bessley.....	2 40
" 31 H. G. Porter.....	35 00
" 31 J. F. Maier.....	35 00
" 31 W. T. Glaucque, Agt.....	3 00
" 2 C. Y. A. & J. R.....	2 14
" 2 F. Beaman.....	11 25
" 4 W. T. Glaucque, Agt.....	104 55
" 5 W. R. Lehman.....	5 80
" 5 W. P. Schenk.....	3 30
" 5 J. M. Woods.....	3 30
" 5 Standard Oil Co.....	33 75
" 5 General Electric Co.....	25 62
" 5 Western Electric Co.....	11 50
" 5 Bauer Gas Fixture.....	11 65
" 5 R. Williamson & Co.....	2 10
" 5 J. A. Roe & Co.....	24 84
" 5 Electric Supply.....	60 90
" 5 Moran & Hastings.....	2 60
" 5 Michigan Electric Co.....	34 25
" 5 F. H. Chandler.....	2 80
" 7 Hugh McKune.....	21 35
" 7 G. H. Martin.....	9 00
" 7 C. Merker.....	8 05
" 10 W. H. Heselwerdt.....	2 41
" 10 W. T. Glaucque, Agt.....	5 40
" 14 D. Alber.....	20 00
" 14 E. McCarter.....	20 00
" 14 Walter Barry.....	20 00
" 14 J. M. Woods.....	20 00
" 14 G. H. Martin.....	9 38
" 14 Hugh McKune.....	5 10
" 14 G. H. Martin.....	4 90
" 14 Joe Sibley.....	2 37
" 14 M. C. R. R. Co.....	14 75
" 14 W. Grant.....	14 75
" 5 J. E. McKune.....	3 30
" 5 O. C. Burkhardt.....	2 30
" 14 B. Parker.....	20 00
" 18 C. Lighthall.....	5 00
" 18 Garlock Packing Co.....	1 00
" 21 M. C. R. R. Co.....	1 60
" 16 J. F. Maier.....	4 48
" 23 W. T. Glaucque, Agt.....	29 92
" 24 C. Merker.....	4 00
" 23 R. Williamson & Co.....	10 47
" 30 D. Alber.....	10 00
" 30 J. F. Maier.....	35 00
" 30 E. McCarter.....	20 00
" 30 W. Barry.....	20 00
" 30 J. M. Woods.....	20 00
" 30 C. Lighthall.....	10 00
" 30 D. Alber.....	3 40
" 30 W. H. Heselwerdt.....	5 00
" 7 C. Lighthall.....	5 00
" 9 M. C. R. R. Co.....	1 32
" 11 W. B. Sumner.....	70
" 5 E. H. Chandler.....	8 05
" 5 J. F. Maier.....	2 25
" 5 J. F. Maier.....	3 53
" 15 J. F. Maier.....	35 00
" 15 D. Alber.....	20 00
" 15 E. McCarter.....	20 00
" 15 J. M. Woods.....	20 00
" 15 B. Parker.....	20 00
" 15 Walter Barry.....	20 00
" 15 C. Lighthall.....	15 00
" 17 Ralph Thacher.....	5 40
" 18 B. Haskins.....	9 00
" 18 C. H. Scharf Co.....	108 78
" 18 C. Lighthall.....	15 00
" 18 Diamond Meter Co.....	15 00
" 18 Western Electric Co.....	25 93
" 18 Cavanaugh & Wede- meyer.....	81 86
" 18 J. A. Roe & Co.....	22 92
" 18 Michigan Electric Co.....	50 01
" 18 J. T. Wing & Co.....	18 66
" 18 Am. Lino Oil Co.....	3 50
" 18 R. Williamson & Co.....	4 77
" 18 General Electric Co.....	10 23
" 18 Standard Oil Co.....	10 08
" 18 Electric Supply & Engineering Co.....	65 50
" 18 Chelsea Lumber & Produce Co.....	59 76
" 18 Glazier Stove Co.....	7 94
" 18 E. H. Chandler.....	2 75
" 18 H. D. Witherell.....	63 61
" 18 Ralph Thacher.....	35
" 18 John Farrell.....	18 88
" 18 F. L. Davidson.....	522 83
" 18 Joe Sibley.....	3 00
" 21 M. C. R. R. Co.....	47
" 23 C. Lighthall.....	10 00
" 24 M. C. R. R. Co.....	1 56
" 31 D. Alber.....	20 00
" 31 J. M. Woods.....	20 00
" 31 Elliot McCarter.....	20 00
" 31 Walter Barry.....	20 00
" 31 G. C. Stimson.....	10 80
" 31 T. Beissel.....	10 80
" 31 J. F. Maier.....	35 00
" 31 C. Lighthall.....	10 00
" 31 M. C. R. R. Co.....	36
" 31 M. C. R. R. Co.....	98
" 9 Geo. H. Foster & Co.....	15 27
" 15 J. F. Maier.....	35 00
" 15 D. Alber.....	20 00
" 15 Elliot McCarter.....	20 00
" 15 W. Barry.....	20 00
" 15 J. M. Woods.....	20 00
" 15 B. Parker.....	20 00

" 19 S. W. Millard.....	9 90
" 19 Cavanaugh & Wede- meyer.....	50 00
" 19 Ralph Thacher.....	1 50
" 19 M. C. R. R. Co.....	38 62
" 21 John Ricketts.....	2 88
" 22 W. T. Glaucque, Agt.....	35 57
" 22 C. Brestly.....	50
" 23 W. P. Schenk.....	12 15
" 23 Walter Barry.....	10 00
" 23 John Lucht.....	5 00
" 23 C. Lighthall.....	10 00
" 26 Moran & Hastings.....	15 07
" 26 Wadhams Oil & Grease Co.....	14 03
" 29 W. T. Glaucque, Agt.....	44 08
" 29 G. H. Martin.....	6 75
" 29 John Ricketts.....	6 20
" 30 J. F. Maier.....	35 00
" 30 W. Barry.....	10 00
" 30 C. Lighthall.....	20 00
" 30 E. McCarter.....	20 00
" 30 D. Alber.....	20 00
" 29 C. Brestly.....	75
" 2 J. M. Woods.....	20 00
" 2 J. B. Cole.....	3 50
" 3 Michigan Electric Co.....	9 00
" 3 Dr. G. W. Palmer.....	49 88
" 6 H. McKune.....	2 25
" 6 G. H. Martin.....	3 00
" 6 G. C. Stimson.....	3 50
" 8 W. T. Glaucque, Agt.....	57 38
" 8 Ohio Blower Co.....	18 00
" 9 E. P. Goodrich.....	35 00
" 10 W. H. Heselwerdt.....	1 23
" 10 John Ricketts.....	4 75
" 12 United Electric Heat- ing Co.....	2 50
" 13 National Carbon Co.....	14 00
" 13 Harry Brown.....	7 40
" 13 J. F. Maier.....	35 00
" 13 D. Alber.....	20 00
" 13 E. McCarter.....	20 00
" 13 C. Lighthall.....	20 00
" 13 J. M. Woods.....	20 00
" 13 B. Parker.....	20 00
" 13 J. F. Maier.....	1 00
" 15 A. E. Winans.....	11 35
" 16 W. T. Glaucque, Agt.....	64 03
" 18 John Ricketts.....	5 00
" 18 B. Conklin.....	6 00
" 18 J. T. Wing & Co.....	34 65
" 18 Electric Supply & Engineering Co.....	1 92
" 18 J. A. Roe & Co.....	8 21
" 18 National Carbon Co.....	10 80
" 18 Central Electric Co.....	9 00
" 18 A. G. Fast.....	75
" 18 Chelsea Lumber & Produce Co.....	9 75
" 18 Ohio & Michigan Coal Co.....	244 88
" 18 Anna B. Wehner.....	33 00
" 29 J. Wood.....	20 00
" 29 D. Alber.....	20 00
" 23 A. S. Sawyer.....	1 25
" 29 Harry Brown.....	20 00
" 29 W. T. Glaucque, Agt.....	41 51

Mar. 1 Amount on hand.....\$ 330 32  
Total.....\$19,005 46

## MONEY RECEIVED.

Am't. taxes on roll.....	\$1,875 81
Am't. taxes uncol- lected.....	191 88
Am't. of taxes collected.....	\$1,683 93
Liquor tax.....	1,485 00
B. Parker.....	6,390 00
W. H. Heselwerdt.....	463 41
H. S. Holmes (witness fees).....	2 40
O. C. Burkhardt.....	10 72

Total.....\$10,005 46

## F. ROEDEL, TREASURER.

## COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

(OFFICIAL)

Chelsea, Mich., March 2, 1904.

Board met in regular session.

Meeting called to order by W. J. Knapp, president pro tem. Roll called by the clerk.

Present: trustees, W. J. Knapp, O. C. Burkhardt, W. P. Schenk and W. R. Lehman. Absent, F. P. Glazier, president and trustee J. E. McKune.

Minutes approved.

The report of F. W. Roedel, treasurer was then presented and referred to the Finance committee.

On motion board adjourned.

W. H. Heselwerdt, Clerk.

## "A BOY'S WILD RIDE FOR LIFE"

With family around expecting him to die, and a son riding for life, 18 miles, to get Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, cough and asthma, but this wonderful medicine gave instant relief and soon cured him. He writes: "I now sleep soundly every night." Like marvelous cures of consumption, pneumonia, bronchitis, coughs, colds and grip prove its matchless merit for all throat and lung troubles. Guaranteed bottles 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free at Glazier &amp; Stimson.

## SOLD HIS WHEAT.

During the past week M. E. Keeler of Sharon delivered to H. A. Dewey at the M. C. elevator in this village 1,000 bushels of wheat. This amount represented the crop of several seasons, which Mr. Keeler has been holding for better prices. The last time Mr. Keeler sold any quantity of wheat was when the "Leites" boom was on. He still has 300 or 400 bushels on hand—just a little for bread—Grass Lake News.

## BUCKLE'S ARNICA SALVE.

Has world-wide fame for marvellous cures. It surpasses any other salve, ointment or balm for cuts, corns, burns, boils, sores, felons, ulcers, tetter, salt rheum, fever sores, chapped hands, skin eruptions; infallible for piles. Cure guaranteed. Only 25c at Glazier &amp; Stimson druggist.

## In New York State.

Bank Superintendent Kilburn, in his last report, says that there has been no failure among trust companies in the state of New York in 18 years, and with a single exception, no trust company has in recent years sustained an impairment of capital.

## THE NAME WITCH HAZEL.

The name Witch Hazel is much abused. E. C. DeWitt &amp; Co. Chicago are the inventors of the original and only genuine Witch Hazel Salve. A certain cure for cuts, burns, bruises, eczema, tetter, piles etc. There are many counterfeits of this salve, some of which are dangerous, while they are all worthless. In buying Witch Hazel Salve see that the name E. C. DeWitt &amp; Co. Chicago, is on the box and there is a certain. Sold by Glazier &amp; Stimson.

## HAPPY HEALTHY CHILDREN.

Any child can take Little Early Risers with perfect safety. They are harmless, never gripe or sicken, and yet they are so certain in results that robust constitutions requiring drastic means are never disappointed. They cannot fail to perform their mission and every one who uses DeWitt's Little Early Risers prefer to it all other pills. They cure biliousness. Sold by Glazier &amp; Stimson.

## NEARBY NEIGHBORS

FROM

## A CHALLENGE AS TO EGGS.

During the month of January Orville Jones sold \$32.50 worth of eggs. Who can beat this record?—Stockbridge Brief.

## RAINED LIKE HAIL.

The heavy hail storm of Wednesday evening did some damage in Milan in the way of breaking windows, etc.—Milan Leader.

## TO PERPETUATE THE FORE T.

Mr. Clark of the Forestry commission of Washington has been investigating some wood lots in this county. He advises the planting of locusts, oak and catalpas to perpetuate our forests.—Pinckney Dispatch.

## A HOWLING SUCCESS.

Meetings are being held to create a Howell cornet band. Our town has the musical talent all right and will doubtless soon be organized and able to give our people some fine band music. May success crown the efforts now being made in that direction.—Livingston Herald.

## NEW WOOLLEN MILL.

Warren Kimble has his men at work fitting up what was known as the "old woolen mill," the red building on the east side of the river, just below the upper dam. He will put in machinery to carry on the business he has been engaged in for several years.—Manchester Enterprise.

## BASE BALL TALK.

A four club base ball league to consist of teams in Adrian, Dundee, Carleton and Monroe, is talked of, with German as manager at Carleton and Duval at Monroe. The intention is to play two games per week in each town and clubs to be made up mostly of home players. What the matter with Tecumseh being "in it" too.—Tecumseh News.

## ROCKEFELLER'S OUTPOST.

The two drivers of opposition oil wagons became involved in trouble Tuesday evening in the rear of Huston &amp; Co's. store. Then they drove their teams to the church sheds, blanketed them and proceeded to maul each other after Marquis of Queensbury rules. The Ypsilanti driver seems to have gotten the worst of the deal as he was seen latter with one of his hands done up in a splint.—Plymouth Mail.

## THE GRANGERS WERE TWO.

Adrian Grange had a "Slag" social last Tuesday evening. No ladies present. Refreshments were served and a regular literary program given, J. W. Helme acting as toastmaster and the hall had the biggest crowd for a year. The ladies and a number of grangers gathered at the home of Senator Helme and an equally pleasant, if not more enjoyable evening was spent by the immense number who filled every nook and corner.—Adrian Press.

## WIVES ARE EXPENSIVE.

The Corn Exchange Bank of Chicago little dreamed of the mischief that was done up in its little notice to its employees not to marry on a salary of less than \$1000 a year. Some thrifty fellow getting along on \$800 will be suing it for slander for intimating that a man with a wife can't live honestly on less than a thousand a year. All the junior clerks, too, will be seized with a sudden desire to marry and will be asking an advance accordingly.—Ypsilanti.

## WHAT IS LIFE?

In the last analysis nobody knows, but we do know that it is under strict law. Abuse that law even slightly, pain results. Irregular living means derangement of the organs, resulting in constipation, headache or liver trouble. Dr. King's New Life Pills quickly re-adjusts this. It's gentle, yet thorough. Only 25c at Glazier &amp; Stimson drug store.

## SIZE OF CZAR'S ARMY.

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No one outside the Russian War office knows the actual number of troops the czar has in Manchuria or within reach of it, says Everybody's Magazine. The Russian army in point of numbers is the largest in the world. Nearly 900,000 young men reach their majority in Russia every year, and each is bound by law to spend five years in the army. If all were taken they would make an army too large even for Russia, so only 219,000 go to the colors with the army or the fleet, and the rest go to the reserve. The lowest peace strength of the Russian military establishment, therefore, numbers more than a million men, with 42,000 officers. In war time, practically all these young men join the colors, swelling the army to the stupendous figures of 4,500,000 men and 75,000 officers, for whom there are provided 560,000 horses. Men who are in position to guess shrewdly say there are more than 300,000 Russian soldiers in Manchuria or near it now. The number that can be put in the field there is limited only by the will of the government.

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