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BANK DRUG STORE

CHELSEA TELEPHONE NUMBER 8

A SHOCKING ACCIDENT.

FRANK W. MEINHOLD

Caught in the Machinery of His Grist Mill and Killed Almost Instantly Last Sunday Afternoon.

Frank W. Meinhold, who owned and operated the flouring mill at Jerusalem, in Lima township, was almost instantly killed while inspecting some of the machinery in the mill last Sunday afternoon. For a week or ten days previous the machinery had been in the hands of millwrights, receiving a thorough overhauling. One large cog wheel that drives the buckwheat grinding stone had become so worn that it had been the source of considerable trouble, and the workmen had given considerable of their time to place it in order again.

About four o'clock Mr. Meinhold left the house, saying that as they were going to start up Monday to grind buckwheat, he would inspect the cog wheel and ascertain if everything was in order. He opened the gates and turned the water on and set the wheel in motion. Just how the accident happened no one knows, as he was in the mill alone, but it is thought that he was leaning over the wheel watching the working parts when his clothing caught, drawing both legs into the meshes of the cog wheel. One leg was mangled up about midway between the knee and ankle, and the other through the knee joint. The noise of the machinery so completely drowned his outcries, that he made any, that no one heard him or entered the plant to render assistance. At 5:30 the youngest son of Mr. Meinhold went across the street to call his father for supper, and as he entered the door he discovered his father lying across a belt several feet from the cog wheel, which was still in motion, and gave the alarm, but life was extinct when he was discovered. Drs. Palmer and Gulde were called, who after investigation came to the conclusion that death was almost instantaneous, caused from the shock. It was decided after the physicians' verdict not to hold an inquest.

The death of Mr. Meinhold is the second one that has occurred in the mill. The other one being some 31 or 32 years ago. The man who lost his life at that time had his clothing caught in the shafting near the roof and his life was fairly whipped out by the revolving shaft.

Seven years ago Mr. Meinhold moved his family from Bay City to Jerusalem and assumed charge of the mill. He was born in Saxony, Germany, 51 years ago, and 22 years ago moved from his native country to the United States. He was united in marriage to his bereaved widow 31 years ago. The funeral was held Wednesday at 10 o'clock from his late home, and at 11 o'clock from Zion church, Rogers' Corners. He is survived by the wife of his youth, and two sons. He was a member of Chelsea Tent, K. O. T. M. M., and carried \$2,000 insurance, and also belonged to the German Workmen's Society of Bay City.

SILVER WEDDING.

Surprise Given By the Brother and Sisters to Mr. and Mrs. Homer G. Ives—Who Live Just North of the Village.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer G. Ives and family residing about one mile northwest of Chelsea, were very happily surprised on Thursday, November 17 by the unexpected arrival of Mr. Ives' brothers and sisters with their wives and husbands and a liberal quota of the junior members of their families.

Mr. Ives was not long in analyzing the cause of the unexpected visit; readily recalling the fact that just twenty-five eventful years had come and gone since he and Mrs. Ives had plighted their faith at the marital altar. To avoid delay the usual "bountiful repast" was among the suspicious-looking bundles stored in everywhere, with a huge bronze turkey for a center piece.

The dinner over, the company assembled in the sitting room; Mrs. D. E. Watts at the organ Mr. Watts sang "My dear good wife and I." About this time there appeared upon the center table a beautiful four piece silver tea set; silver cake tray and a gold bowlled berry spoon. Col. L. H. Ives, with impressive remarks of a reminiscent character, placed the souvenirs of the occasion in the keeping of brother Homer and sister Katie, with the impressed wish for their safe and pleasant journey adown the years to the dawn of their golden wedding day. It is a remarkable fact that of the three brother and two sisters, all have now celebrated their silver wedding in a similar manner and each with their companion is still living.

The guests present were an uncle, S.

C. Ives of Dansville, Col and Mrs. L. H. Ives, D. E. and Mrs. Watts of Mason, Frank E. and Mrs. Ives of Stockbridge, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Parker of Chelsea, Lute Ives, wife and three children, Wirt Ives and wife of Unadilla and Mrs. Grace Taylor of Ann Arbor. Like all days of this character the day was altogether too short.

When the big red sun was setting down behind the western hills and the great round silvery moon came looming up in the east, the friends had all departed and the usual quiet came into the home; and the family gathered about the evening lamp, they looked into each others faces and were glad and happy, and a prayer of thankfulness for the strong ties of kinship went out from grateful hearts. More love, truer friendship, warmer affection down in the hearts of men is the great need in this lower world today.

SALE BEGAN MONDAY.

The sale of reserved seats for the May Festival began Monday morning, November 28, at 9 o'clock at the University School of Music. During the first week of the sale, Nov. 28 to Dec. 3, inclusive, choice of seats may be had for \$3.50 in addition to the regular price of a season ticket, \$3.

During the first week of the sale, Dec. 5 to 10 inclusive, choice of the remaining unreserved seats may be had for \$3 extra. During the following days, Dec. 12 to 16 inclusive, choice of unreserved seats may be had for \$2.50 extra. On Saturday morning, Dec. 17 at 9 o'clock, the remaining seats will be placed on sale at the regular prices, \$2 and \$1 extra.

The public will please notice that the prices of tickets this year is really lower than usual, in that the regular unreserved season ticket has been placed at \$3 instead of \$3.50 as formerly, while no one is obliged to pay more than \$2 or \$1 extra for reservation unless they wish to do so for the privilege of first choice.

All sales of reserved seats will begin promptly at 9 o'clock in the morning at the University School of Music.

Mail-orders will be attended to in the order of receipt. Those desiring to order seats by mail will please address (indicating choice and enclosing P. O. order) Charles A. Sink, Secretary.

DECEMBER JURORS.

The jurors drawn for the December term of the circuit court are as follows: Ann Arbor City—First ward, George Feiner; second ward, Christian Feiner; third ward, Wm. H. McIntyre; fourth ward, Wm. Seery; fifth ward, Ernest Rehberg; sixth ward, Ralph Miller; seventh ward, Wm. Andrews.

Ann Arbor Town—Edward Ransom. Augusta—Melvin Hooker. Bridgewater—Henry Bross, jr. Dexter—Christopher McGuinness. Freedom—Charles Stierle. Lima—W. Bahmiller. Lodi—Bert Waters. Lyndon—Ernest E. Rowe, John Howlett.

Manchester—Frank English. Northfield—William Osborne. Pittsfield—R. B. Rouse. Salem—Myron Atchison. Saline—David Simmons. Seio—Fred O. Fiegel. Sharon—John C. Lehman. Superior—David Nanry. Sylvan—Joseph Helm. Webster—Stearns Wheeler. York—Frank Kelsey.

Ypsilanti Town—Horatio N. Benham. Ypsilanti City—First district, John Burg; second district, Albert Smith.

LOSSES ADJUSTED.

The board of directors of the Washtenaw Mutual Fire Insurance Company met in Ann Arbor Saturday and adjusted the following losses at the figures given: Charles Johnson, Pittsfield, personal, loss \$1,008, insurance \$400; Myron Cady, Pittsfield, three barns and a shed, loss \$1,100, insurance \$600; J. W. Loveland, York, loss \$1,400, insurance \$800 house, personal \$171; John E. Walz, Sylvan, heifer killed by lightning, loss \$25, insurance \$16.00; Peter Gallagher, Northfield, damage to house, \$4.

The resignation as director of Judge of Probate-elect E. E. Leland was accepted and Joshua B. Laraway of Northfield was elected director to fill out the unexpired term.

"DON'T WANT WINANS."

So stated the Detroit Tribune of the 27th inst. alleging that he was accused of issuing improper bills of health to steamers leaving Iqueque. As Mr. Winans left Iqueque on leave of absence last March the Tribune's article does not concern him personally.

From the article it appears that the U. S. vice-consul at Iqueque has had charge of the Peruvian consulate at that port during the absence of the Peruvian consul. The Peruvian authorities have requested that the Department of State cancel the vice-consul's authority to further represent the Peruvian government.

CHELSEA MAKES GOOD SHOWING.

Good Record of this Station as a Shipping Point of Farm Products—Farmers Can Always Make Sales Here.

Chester as a market has always had the reputation of paying higher cash prices for whatever the farmers has to sell, than either Grass Lake or Dexter. Our local buyers have made for this market a shipping record that is far better than many towns in the state twice its size, and will see to it, that this record is maintained in the future, and make a better one if possible.

The following item appeared in the Francisco correspondence of the Grass Lake News:

"Business prospects are looking favorable here. On M. C. tracks one car is being loaded with haled straw for Jackson parties; another with 'murfys' to go to Cincinnati; while Gage, Kimball & Wolfinger, of Grass Lake, ship one or more carloads of stock, thus averaging one shipping day out of every week from here. Farmers report the yards as roomy and much more convenient for unloading stock from wagons than at other places. Farmers living one mile east of Chelsea sold stock here last week. They said the unsatisfactory method of Chelsea buyers forced them to drive the extra distance, for which they were well repaid."

The author of the foregoing, says the unsatisfactory methods of the Chelsea buyers force the farmers to drive the extra distance. There has been shipped from this station during the past eleven months 81 car loads of stock that our local buyers has purchased from the farmers in this community, so their methods of doing business, must, to say the least, be satisfactory to most of the men who raise stock for market. As to farmers one mile east of Chelsea going to Francisco with their stock, the author, we believe, must have been indulging in a "pipe dream." Undoubtedly the writer intended to say one mile east of Francisco. Yesterday several farmers from Grass Lake township delivered stock to the buyers here, showing how well they are pleased with the Chelsea markets and methods.

D. C. McLaren, the shipper of hay and straw from this place, has since January 1, 1904, to date, shipped of 161 car loads of hay and straw that he purchased of the farmers who make Chelsea their market and trading place. In fact, Mr. McLaren the past year, bought and shipped from Grass Lake, the largest portion of hay and straw that was sold in that market.

The total number of cars of farm products shipped from the Chelsea station, by our local buyers during the last eleven months amount to 493. For the month of October 63 car loads were shipped out to other points. Chelsea seems to be a pretty good shipping point, regardless of what the "knockers" have to say.

TREAT DEFORMED CHILD.

Any child of Michigan birth that is born deformed is entitled to free treatment at the hospital in connection with the medical department of the University, provided the application is accompanied by a doctor's certificate that he was present at the child's birth, and that the child was born deformed, and that in his judgement it can be helped by treatment; and further provided that the mayor of the city, the president of the village, or the supervisor of the township from which the application comes will order the child cared for at the hospital.

STARTLING EVIDENCE.

Fresh testimony in great quantity is constantly coming in, declaring Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds to be unequalled. A recent expression from T. J. McFarland, Bentonville, Va. serves as example. He writes: "I had bronchitis for three years and doctored all the time without being benefited. Then I began taking Dr. King's New Discovery, and a few bottles wholly cured me." Equally effective in curing all lung and throat troubles, consumption, pneumonia and grip. Guaranteed by Glazier & Stimson druggists. Trial bottles free, regular sizes 50c. and \$1.00.

Col. O. A. James of Detroit, who has been pension agent for Michigan since March 4, 1897, says that the war veterans of Michigan are answering the last roll call at the rate of 150 a month. Last year, he reports, there were between 1,700 and 1,800 deaths of old soldiers in the state, and 47,900 in the United States; and it is estimated that this year it will reach 50,000.—Ex.

THAT THROBBING HEADACHE.

Would quickly leave you, if you used Dr. King's New Life Pills. Thousands of sufferers have proved their matchless merit for sick and nervous headaches. They make pure blood and build up your health. Only 25 cents, money back if not cured. Sold by Glazier & Stimson druggists.

Xpsilanti has laid five miles of cement walks this year, aggregating a cost of \$10,001.17.

Women love a clear, healthy complexion. Pure blood makes it. Burdock Blood Bitters makes pure blood.

CLOTHING FOR BOYS



About this time some boys need a change of clothes. You can get the kind of clothes you want if you will come to the right place. We would like to talk it over with you and show you our new fall styles. Our

Fall Clothing for Boys

and children is so attractive that it is easily way ahead of any display ever made in Chelsea.

It Don't Cost Much to Cloth the Boys Here.

We have a good strong suit at \$1.50

We have a large assortment of rattling good wearing suits at \$2.00, \$2.25 and \$2.50. Made up stylish, good fitters and well sewed.

We have a still larger assortment at \$3.00 and \$3.50. These suits must be seen to be appreciated.

We always sell good clothing, but our boy's clothing this season is the best we have ever shown.

You Take no Chances in Coming Here.

We promise you better style Clothing for your money than you will buy elsewhere and guarantee absolute satisfaction or your money back.



COME AND LOOK.

W. P. SCHENK & COMPANY

See our advertisement on local page.

HOLIDAY GIFTS.

In our line of Jewelry for the Holidays we are showing a complete assortment of the latest designs of the jewellers workmanship consisting of

Watches. Clock. Rings.

Chains. Brooches. Pins.

Society Emblems. Novelties.

Your are invited to call and inspect the new design.

A. E. WINANS.

Sheet music and periodicals of all kinds carried in stock.

Entire Process of Monument Construction Done at our Plant.

MARSTELLER GRANITE WORKS



WE ARE not making monuments that are twenty per cent. cheaper than everybody else; but we are making monuments that are works of art, and we will be glad to have you compare them with anything you have seen elsewhere. No piece of work leaves our plant until it is as perfect as we can make it.

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CLINTON, MICH.

Carving, Lettering and Finishing Done by Pneumatic Machinery.

Weaving.

Yes, I'm a weaver, and each day
The threads of life I spin.
And he the colors that they may,
I still must weave them in.
With morning light there comes the thought,
As I my task begin.
My Lord to me new threads has brought,
And bids me "weave them in."
Sometimes He gives me threads of gold
To brighten up the day;
Then somber tints, so bleak and cold,
That change the gold to gray.
And so my shuttle swiftly flies,
With threads both gold and gray;
And on I toil till daylight dies,
And fades in night away.
Oh, when my day of toil is o'er,
And I shall cease to spin,
He'll open wide my Father's door,
And bid me rest within.
When safe at home in heavenly light,
How clearly I shall see
That every thread—the dark, the bright—
Each one had need to be!

THAT BALL DRESS

BY ROSE ROYNT GERRY

Leoline Harper was just 21, a bright, ambitious, high-spirited girl, who earned her livelihood by teaching in a grammar school. But her prosy profession left her plenty of time to dream of a larger and brighter future, and she erected some very stately edifices in Spain.

"I don't want to drudge all my life," said Leoline. "I am pretty enough, with a conscious laughing glance at the mirror, and clever enough. I hope, to make my own future."

"Yes, dear," said Aunt Josepha, who admired her niece exceedingly, "you are pretty enough, and I believe you are smart enough; but still I don't understand how you are going to do it."

"You'll see," said Leoline, with a bright smile and a nod. And when Kitty Toppelfield, who taught in the primary department of the same school, told Aunt Josepha about Mr. Maurice, the new trustee, who was so handsome, and wore such superb diamond studs, and admired Leoline's method of imparting instruction so enthusiastically, she began to comprehend what her niece meant.

"Leo," said she, when she had the rare chance of being alone with her niece, "do you like this Mr. Maurice?"

The blood flushed into Leoline's face.

"Of course I like him, Aunt Josepha," said she.

"Do you love him?"

"I—I don't know whether I might or not," said Leo, coloring still deeper. "That is, if I knew him better. He is a society man, and I have so few opportunities! If I was only in a fashionable circle like George Fitzalan!"

Now, Miss Georgie Fitzalan was a pretty, dashing young lady, the daughter of a rich importing merchant, who had been in the same class as Leoline Harper at school, and Leoline had always secretly envied her luxurious, butterfly sort of life that seemed to have so few of the elements of shadow about it.

"And," added Leoline, "he is to be at Georgie's birthday party, and Georgie has asked me to come—and I can't, because I haven't anything fit to wear. And I do believe, Aunt Josepha, if I could only go—"

"Yes, yes, I understand, my dear," said Aunt Josepha, regretfully. "But, really, I do not see how you can go."

"Nor I, either," said Leo, gulping down a little suffocating lump that somehow would keep rising in her throat. "So I must just be contented to give it up."

But half an hour afterward she came to her aunt with dejected color and eager, shining eyes, the newspaper in her hands.

"Look, Aunt Josepha!" cried she.

"La, child," said the old lady, "you know I can't see a thing without my spectacles."

"Then I'll read it to you," and Leoline read as follows:

"For sale, at a bargain, two silk evening dresses, one a blue and the other canary color; worn only once, by a lady just returned from Europe."

"I don't know whether I might or not."

Price, twenty-five dollars each. Apply to H. C. No. — Rotherward street.

"What do you think of that, aunt?"

"Why, I never had a real silk in my life!"

"I don't like the idea of second-hand finery," said Aunt Josepha, shaking her head.

"But when you can't afford anything else," pleaded Leoline. "Oh, Aunt Josepha, I do so want to go!"

"My dear, remember the old fable

of the daw with borrowed plumes," warned Aunt Josepha. "If this man is really a man of sense he will think as much of you in your cashmere dress as if you wore the queen's diamonds."

But Leo, believing that her aunt was hopelessly behind the age, persisted. "I will go to the number and address. I will just look at the silks; of course I needn't buy unless I like them."

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"Is it night, pappy?"

"Yes, my chile," responded the father, kindly; "look out der winder and yo' will see de stars. Better go to sleep ag'in, honey, it's twelve o'clock."

"The little darky gazed reflectively through the window. 'Twelve o'clock, pappy? Den de stars is changin' from yesterday to tomorrow, ain't dey?'"

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"None," replied the witness.

"Well, what particular thing has he done that has tended to convince you that he isn't in his right mind?"

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"I—I am very sorry. I hope you do not consider it my fault," she said.

"Oh, not at all; perhaps I shouldn't

have spoken of it, but you see, I was so taken by surprise. Pray wear the dress; it is so charmingly becoming to you," said the lady.

Leo did not stay long. She felt as if every one in the room must know that she was wearing a second-hand dress, stolen from its owner! And the fact, now for the first time ascertained, that Mr. Maurice was a married man seemed to take all the sparkle out of her life. She went home early and cried herself to sleep. The next morning she sent back the dress to Mrs. Maurice with a note of apology, and she has been a wiser girl ever since.

"If my fortune comes to me, well and good," she said, "but I shall not go a step out of my way to seek it."—Chicago Journal.

How Boys Botanized Teacher's Hat.

Miss Johnson was an excellent teacher, but her taste in dress, especially headwear, was so peculiar that even her adoring pupils could not fail to notice it. The verdure which appeared upon Miss Johnson's hat one season was so gaudy that several wondering comments were made by the boys.

"I'm going to ask her what that green stuff is," said one boy, valiantly, in spite of the vigorous objections of his companions. "She won't mind, and next nature study class I'm going to ask her, and see who's right."

So, red in the face, but stubborn, he rose at the end of a lesson on wayside flowers, in response to Miss Johnson's general request for any questions which might have come up since the last lesson.

"I'd like to know about that green stuff on your hat," he said, bluntly. "John Aken, he says it's beach grass, but I say it's onion sprouts."—Youth's Companion.

Glamour.

I have read so long in the Book of the Brave.

I hear the tramp of their feet
In the quiet village street.
I catch the sound of an echoing cheer,
Blown down the night wind, faintly clear,
And the drums' unflinching beat.

I have read so long in the Book of the Brave.

Their flags go streaming by,
Sharp comes the sentry's cry.
The shaded light of my study lamp
Seems a low glimmer from some still camp
Where the sleeping soldiers lie.

I have read so long in the Book of the Brave.

I match where the heroes are;
On my breast I feel a scar.
I turn to gaze on the rayless night;
The gleam is left by a beacon light,
And behold—the bivouac star!

—Lulu Whedon Mitchell in the Century.

Star-Dust.

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In Fine Old Westminster

(Special Correspondence.)

Thousands of persons pass within the doors of Westminster abbey every year, but few of them are privileged to see all that is worth seeing in the famous edifice. The object of this paper is to enlighten some of those to whom Westminster abbey is dear by describing some of the less known parts of the building.

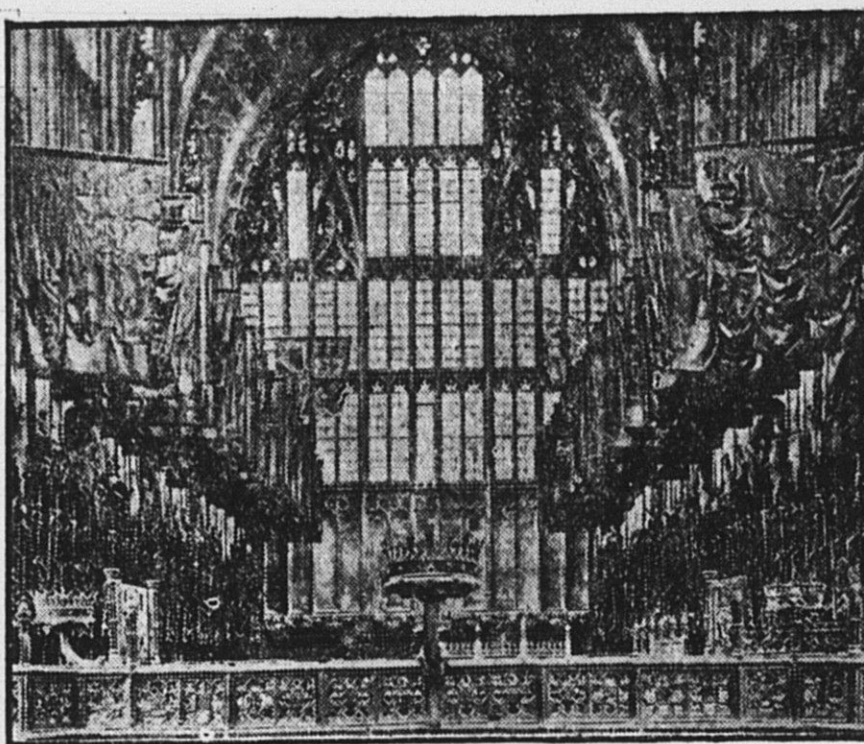
First of all, then, let us proceed downstairs below the floor itself of the great church. The abbey, unlike York Minster and Worcester cathedral, does not possess a very extensive crypt, but that which does exist is of a most interesting character.

It is situated immediately beneath the beautiful chapter house and it is entered from Poets' Corner. When you have first descended the uneven flight of steps which leads down to it, you can for some time distinguish

ery, and a very brief study of abbey history serves to show that the dean of Westminster has inherited a large number of privileges and characteristics of his ecclesiastical ancestor, the abbot.

We pass inside a little quadrangle known as the abbot's courtyard and up a flight of stone steps. The door opens and we see a passage in front of us and two other doors to the left and right. The first of these leads directly into the abbey, and that on the right into the deanery, so that it is possible for the dean of Westminster, if he so wills, to attend divine service under cover all the way and without even changing his slippers.

The doorway to the left leads immediately into the beautifully paneled Jericho parlor, a building which was constructed in the reign of Henry



Interior Chapel of Henry IV.

scarcely anything in the deep darkness. Then you are at length able to make out the existence of a massive column in the center of the building, which happens to be circular, and from this column there spring a number of vaulting ribs, which after a while you begin to realize are very beautiful.

Then you notice that in this massive central pillar and also in the walls of the crypt there are a number of curious square holes. There is authentic evidence to show that the regalia and crown jewels were kept in this strong room once upon a time, and it supposed that the holes were utilized for storing money.

Be this as it may, a burglarly took place here in the reign of Edward I. No end of treasure was surreptitiously made away with by certain members of the monastic body. The heavy hand of "the greatest of the Plantagenets" fell upon the abbot and monks alike, with the result that no less than forty-eight of them were arrested and confined on suspicion in the Tower of London.

The crypt ceases to have any special history after that. It is a great curiosity among the other wonders of the abbey, but it is many generations since it has been employed for any specific purpose.

On the Abbey's Roof.

Let us proceed by an extremely abrupt transition from the cellar of the abbey to the roof. A visit to the triforium of the abbey is a revelation.

Until you get to the top of the long flight of stairs which leads to this great gallery running practically all around the building, it is impossible for you to have an adequate conception of the immense size of the church. When you are once safely in the triforium you find yourself in a gallery the breadth of which is not much less than that of many a street.

Immediately below the triforium is the south transept and above a portion of the cloisters is one of the most interesting rooms in the abbey, and, indeed, in all London. It is known as the muniment room, and was originally the scriptorium of the monks. It opens on to the abbey through the lofty arches of the south transept and for centuries past it has been the most jealously guarded place in the entire fabric.

Here is kept, roll after roll, consisting of priceless charters and other records. What the actual number of these documents is probably no one really knows; but their historical value and interest is great. Some time ago Dr. Scott, chief of the manuscript department in the British museum, told the writer that there was scarcely a single great name in English history which he had not come across in these rolls. They date from the eighteenth century down to the present time, and they have not been classified.

In the Deanery.

Of course, by far the most interesting of the various building contiguous to the abbey church is the deanery, a house which will be long associated with the name of Dean Stanley. Into its more private recesses we do not propose to enter, but there are a number of state apartments belonging to the deanery which are shown from time to time to a privileged few.

It must be remembered that the abbot of Westminster in olden times was a very important personage indeed, and that he had a seat in the house of lords and was expected to do a great amount of entertaining in his own home. This, then the abbot's place or palace, has now become the dean-

VII, as its ornamentation shows, by another famous abbot, John Islip by name. The word Tudor seems to be stamped all over this room.

The Jerusalem Chamber.

From Jericho it is but a short cry to Jerusalem. Only a few feet of passage intervenes between the Jericho parlor, which must have been a kind of state ante-room, and the celebrated Jerusalem chamber, the state drawing room, as it were.

Anything more exquisitely beautiful than this room it would be difficult to conceive. The matchless tracery of its three windows, its graceful shape, its handsomely carved mantelpieces, its fascinating tapestry and frescoes, all combine to render a visit to this world renowned chamber a memorable event. Built in the reign of Richard II by Abbot Littleington, it was destined for another generation had passed away to witness the death struggle of a famous English sovereign, Henry IV—

Bear me to the chamber and there let me
In that Jerusalem shall Harry die.

Here the Westminster Assembly of Divines met during the stormy period

Costuming as a Fine Art.

In number the diaphanous robes worn by a Japanese woman of high rank of the eleventh or twelfth century were seldom less than twenty, while on great occasions even more might be necessary. Thus, at a great palace fete it is said that "some wore as many as twenty-five suits, showing glimpses of purple, of crimson, of grass green, of wild rose yellow and of sapanwood brown, their sleeves and skirts decorated with golden designs; while others, by subtle commingling of willow sprays and cherry blossoms, and by embroidered patterns picked out with gems, represented the poem of the jewels and the flowers."

A Quest.

What ways through the wide world, east or west,
Shall I follow, dear, to find you?
Perhaps by some road I know the best
I should fare—and not far behind you—
Perhaps by the changing tracks that cross
Where the suns and the storms are
beating.

'Mid the lonely reaches—where swift
waves toss,
I might seek for the place of meeting!

Ah, whatever the road, or south or north,
Through chill of snow, or the glowing
Of passion-roses, I journey forth
Far, far as the winds are blowing!

O, heart of my heart, when I reach you,
when
The army of my longing blind you,
It may be that then, and only then,
I shall know I can never find you.

—Madeline Bridges in The Smart Set.

Appetites in Tudor Times.

Our athletic women of the present day have no scruples about eating heartily, and the small appetites which were the correct thing for ladies of the early Victorian era are quite out of date now. But in spite of all their open-air sports and pastimes, the girls of to-day are "poor eaters" compared with their ancestors of Tudor times. Then women's appetites were positively amazing, judged by modern standards, and three rum steeped for breakfast was the allowance made for the maids of honor of good Queen Bess.

Not Referring to Size.

"That'll be a powerful machine," said a native of the north of Scotland to a motorist the other day. "Yes, it's a splendid car," replied the owner, proudly. "I suppose a car like that will be nearly a hundred horsepower?" suggested the countryman. "Oh, no," said the motorist, modestly, "it is only ten horse. A hundred horsepower car would be much larger." "I wasn't going by size," the highlander dryly explained. "I was going by the smell of it."

COLLEGE HAZERS AT WORK.

Victims Put Through Series of Amusing "Stunts."

A Williams college freshman writing home tells of his adventures when a party of sophomores captured him and some of his classmates and introduced them to the mysteries of college life. After a preliminary on the campus, where the freshmen were forced to "scramble like eggs," the captives were taken to one of the dormitories. Some of the features of the evening are described by the freshman as follows: "William Tell's wonderful feat was performed again and again, although with considerable less skill, a wet sponge being substituted for the bow and arrow, and the freshman's face taking the place of the apple. George Washington cut down a whole orchard of cherry trees, the roles of George, cherry tree and ax being taken by freshmen. In addition to the main performance, which I have attempted to describe, there was a series of 'sideshows' which were no less attractive—or, rather, unattractive from the freshman's point of view. One fellow was put under the bed and told to roll out like a volume of smoke. Meanwhile, a 'victim' in the opposite corner was doing his best to develop like a film."

WHERE THE BAD EGGS GO.

Find Ready Sale for Various Manufacturing Purposes.

A poultry farm, whether ducks, geese, chickens or turkeys be the specialty, accumulates a large and malodorous surplus of eggs that refuse to develop into fowl. The average person would suppose that there is anything on earth that is utterly worthless it is a rotten egg. Millions of stale eggs are used every year in preparing leather dressing for gloves and bookbinding—an industry that is largely carried on in the foreign tenement houses of New York and other large cities. They are also used in manufacturing disinfectants and in the preparation of shoe blacking, and even the shells are made into fertilizers. The eggs that have not yet lost their virtue also have other uses besides the more common ones for culinary purposes. It is estimated that fully 55,000,000 dozen are used by wine clarifiers, dye manufacturers and in the preparation of photographers' dry plates.—Brooklyn Eagle.

Vivisection a Science Not for Men.

There is a knowledge which is heavenly, a knowledge which is human, and a knowledge which is diabolic; there is a knowledge which is blessed and a knowledge which is accursed. The first is ennobling and elevating, and lifts man toward God. The second is debasing, degrading, and drags men toward the pit. The knowledge gained by rooting amid the groans and agonies of living creatures, whom their Maker and ours put into our power, to teach us mercy, as He gives mercy to us, is such an accursed knowledge that only demons could seek for it, and it can turn to no human good. "Science" so gained is not for men, but for devils.—Bishop Hugh Miller Thompson in Success.

What a Lump of Coal Can Do.

A single pound of coal is capable of producing 236 horse-power, and could do the work of an express locomotive for one-fifth of a minute. In other words, it is enough to haul a train of eight cars, including the Pullman sleeping-cars and dining-cars, at the rate of fifty miles an hour or sixth of a mile.

In sawing wood a man may work at the rate of about sixty strokes a minute, and his saw-blade may have progressed five feet a minutes, but a circular saw, driven by machinery, will cut seventy times as much wood in the same time. And yet this one little pound of coal contains power enough for 180 such saws.

When Long Sermons Prevalled.

A Scotch preacher, not in the present degenerate age, has been known to preach from five to six hours at a stretch, and sometimes, when one preacher had finished his sermon to another would begin, and there would be a succession of preachers, delivered upon sermon, until the happy congregations were kept listening to "the Word" for as many as ten hours without a break.

A Teacher's Testimony.

Hinton, Ky., Nov. 28.—(Special)—It has long been claimed that Diabetes is incurable, but Mr. E. J. Thompson, teacher in the Hinton school, has pleasing evidence to the contrary. Mr. Thompson had Diabetes. He took Dodd's Kidney Pills and is cured. In a statement he makes regarding the cure Mr. Thompson says:

"I was troubled with my kidneys for more than two years and was treated by two of the best doctors in this part of the state. They claimed I had Diabetes and there was little to be done for me. Then I started to use Dodd's Kidney Pills and what they did for me was wonderful. It is entirely owing to Dodd's Kidney Pills that I am now enjoying good health."

Many doctors still maintain that Diabetes is incurable. But Diabetes is a kidney disease, and the kidney disease that Dodd's Kidney Pills do not cure has yet to be discovered.

Practical Use of Astronomy.

The commonest practical use of astronomy is in navigation, for all the paths of the trackless sea have been mapped with

The last survivor of the noble Six Hundred is dead—again.

Do you suppose any young woman with sense would marry Thaw if he had no money?

An English lord is to become a monk. Probably tired of making a monkey of himself.

"Poets should let their hair grow," says a contemporary, with an air of authority. Can they stop it?

Two war correspondents are reported killed. In the meantime, the others are merely killing time and space.

Princess Louise denies that she is insane, but has not yet been heard to remark that she is not somewhat improper.

Platinum can be drawn into wire so fine that it is invisible to the naked eye. It seems to be something like a 25-cent beefsteak.

Kansas City has an "Au Fait" club. It is a secret organization. Probably the secret is to find out what the club's name means.

Fashionable Englishmen now wear seams pressed in their coats. Also a good many of them seem to have creases in their minds.

A 3-year-old boy of Machias, Me., walked eight miles over rough country roads the other day. That boy will grow up to be a great actor.

The vivacious Savannah Press tells us that "all industrious men are laborers." Especially that large class which labors under a delusion.

The reason women can't believe men have souls is that they don't get any more excited over baby's new tooth than over a stock market panic.

The editor of the New York Herald is doing Jerusalem. If the Jerusalemites find him they will make his sojourn there one grand, sweet song of backsheesh.

Pictures of John D. Rockefeller's new strong box now going the rounds make plain at least one of the reasons why it is so difficult to get any of John D.'s money.

Japan has floated another loan of \$60,000,000 at 6 per cent, and put another mortgage on her import duties, all of which shows that war is expensive as well as hell.

A Boston bucket shop has failed, having lost \$1,000,000 on the recent boom in securities. This is the first time on record that a bucket shop really had something to lose.

The fact that most of the great men of history were of lowly birth may be encouraging to the average man, but it is no less a fact that most of the small men of history were, too.

Word comes over seas that Sir Thomas will not challenge for the America cup again next year. Well, then, we suppose we shall have to keep the cup, just as we have been doing.

That Chicago professor who says pain reduces strength has evidently never seen the way a man kicks a rocking chair after he has racked his ankle against it in the dark—Cincinnati Post.

The djibboh is a picturesque garment which is to supplant the kimono. It comes from Egypt and Cleopatra wore one. It recommends itself to American women because no one can wear it and wash dishes.

A Chicago poet's wife wants a divorce from him because he has an abhorrence of soap and is otherwise objectionable. That he is not altogether an abandoned character, however, is clear from the fact that he does not insist on reading his poems to her.

As a precaution against a sudden drop in the temperature, says an authority, it is well to be provided with a copy of a reputable newspaper, which should be folded to the proper size and thrust up under the vest as a back warmer. Now is the time to subscribe.

The Japanese now admit that they lost a battleship several months ago when the war correspondents reported the matter and were officially proclaimed by the Japanese government to be liars. It is pretty safe, after all, to take it for granted that the war correspondents know a good deal about what is going on.

Much as all might wish it otherwise, Russia's inclination to remain away from The Hague so long as she has a war on her hands has the merit of consistency. The cause of peace will make no great strides, more's the pity, so long as nations talk peace and make war.

We read with melancholy interest that Mr. Henry N. Goldfogle, bachelor, candidate for congressman in New York, who kissed 5,000 babies during his campaign, was defeated by the married Mr. Elverson.

THE MICHIGAN NEWS

Showing What's Doing In All Sections of the State

WANTED WALLACE.

Found Him in London With Breitung's Money and a Woman.

James Wallace, the confidential clerk of Edward N. Breitung, of Marquette, who is alleged to have decamped with securities worth \$20,000, has been arrested by detectives at London, England. He was traced through a letter of credit procured in Boston. Most of the missing stock has been located, and it is believed that most of the money will be recovered.

Great surprise is occasioned here by the report that Wallace was accompanied by a woman on his arrival in England. He is a single man.

Wallace fled from Marquette on Oct. 30, leaving word with his employer that he was going to an institution for the cure of insanity in Illinois. When he did not return, Mr. Breitung began an investigation, with the result that 850 shares of Michigan Copper Mining stock and 200 shares of United States Steel preferred stock were found to be missing. He at once reported the case to the American Bankers' association, with the result that a search was begun for Wallace.

It was found that he took passage from Boston on the Cunard liner Saxonia for Liverpool on Nov. 12, with a woman said to be his wife, under the names of Mr. and Mrs. James Wilson. It was subsequently learned that Wallace had obtained a letter of credit in Boston for \$22,000. When the steamer reached England a detective was at the pier, and the man and woman were followed until the man was positively identified as Wallace. The \$22,000 and the money which Wallace had in his possession was recovered.

Before sailing from Boston Wallace had called on Lee, Higginson & Co., bankers, and obtained a letter of credit on Coutts' bank, London, for \$22,000. Edward Breitung, Wallace's former employer, at Marquette, brought a bill in equity in the superior court against the Boston bankers seeking to have them enjoined from paying any part of this sum to Wallace.

PERRY'S DEFENSE.

Another Ruling Favors Ex-Mayor Perry's Side of the Case.

Following the admission of letter press copies of Ex-Mayor Perry's correspondence in the Grand Rapids water scandal, another important ruling was made Tuesday morning. When court adjourned Monday afternoon the defense asked about witness Perry going down the river with the board of trade excursion, where he made a speech about the water supply for Grand Rapids. The defense wanted him to tell the nature of his speech, on the ground that his attitude was opposed to the Lake Michigan scheme, and if he had had any idea of flopping over to its support he would not have openly gone on record against it. The court would not allow the speech to be introduced, but when court opened in the morning the judge reversed his decision and stated that he thought it a material matter and would allow it. This was another marked victory for the defense.

The witness told of his speech on this occasion, and said he told the members of the board that if they would help him get a water supply up the river he would help them open the river-belt for navigation. He denounced the Lake Michigan scheme as extravagant and out of the question.

Ginseng Thieves.

The amateur ginseng raiders of Ludington, whose crops are just now beginning to produce the famous roots large enough to bring in quite a little revenue, are in a state of great perplexity over the disappearance of their roots in the night time. Some weeks ago Bert Olney, who has over \$1,000 invested in a ginseng plant in the rear of his home, found that thieves had come in the night and practically cleaned out his crop.

Marriage Quadruple.

Rev. E. M. Nelson, Andrew Nelson and Charles Nelson, brothers, were married Monday in Chippewa Falls, Wis., to Jessie Johnson, Amanda Johnson and Clara Johnson, sisters. After the triple ceremony, Rev. C. J. Erdman, who officiated, asked Rev. M. Nelson, one of the newly-married brothers, to marry him to one of the guests. All the bridegrooms and all the brides will go in a party to the World's fair for a honeymoon trip.

Hunters Killed.

August Mayworm, aged 26 years, of Hurontown, a suburb of Houghton, was accidentally shot by Frank Daniel, a companion, while hunting near the Pilgrim river. The shot entered the thigh and Mayworm bled to death before he could be brought home. Fatalities in the Lake Superior district during the deer season number about 15 to date, with a week of the open season remaining.

Coal Found.

Coal has been discovered in the vicinity of Bellevue, and parties have come from Ohio and Pennsylvania to prospect the deposit, and if found in paying quantities to mine it. The vein is about 100 feet below the surface and is said to be from four to eight feet thick. The country is gently rolling and lies within three miles of the Grand Trunk railway.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Hills, of Marshall, have returned from a hunting expedition. Each shot a deer.

Three Rivers has had no rain since Oct. 21 and wheat will suffer unless the drouth is broken soon.

Steve Putney, 16, son of a rich capitalist, of Richmond, Va., who vanished from the world's fair grounds, St. Louis, the other day with \$2,000 worth of jewels belonging to his stepmother, and who was supposed to be held for \$2,000 ransom by wicked kidnappers, has been found. He wasn't kidnapped—just ran away—and when found ran away again.

CONTRACTOR KILLED.

Quarrel Over a County Drain Causes Murder.

A county drain quarrel led to the murder on Sunday of Drain Contractor John Bouts, of Olivet, by Geo. Tubbs, one of the wealthiest farmers in Barry county and widely known as a thoroughbred cattle breeder.

The drain had long been opposed by the Tubbs families, several of whom live in the same section, having fought it 15 years ago, when it first came up in the courts. Two weeks ago Tubbs and Bouts had a quarrel over the ditch and a fight was avoided by Bouts' wife rushing in between them. Tubbs claimed that Bouts was varying a trifling from the right of way across his farm.

Desiring to complete the drain before freezing weather set in, Bouts in company with Cecil Powers and Phil Bigley, two workmen, went to the Tubbs farm Sunday morning.

The Tubbs, Levi and Charles, brothers, and George, a son of a farmer, on whose farm the job was being completed, discovered the men at work and hastened to the scene and ordered them from the place. The two older men went into the ditch armed with clubs to drive Bouts out. During the fight George Tubbs whipped out a revolver and fired at Bouts, the shot went wide and just as Bouts turned around Tubbs fired again. His victim fell and the Tubbs trio started for the house. Bouts rose and when asked by one of his men if he had been hit he said he had and thought he was going to die. At the same time trying to climb into the wagon. He was assisted by his companions and reached the road only a short distance away when he dropped dead.

Great Fluid.

Members of the Michigan Embalmers' association, who marveled over the fact that John Leek, a colored man, had been successfully mummified by a modern process, when they attended a state meeting in Battle Creek two years ago, will be interested in the fact that three years have now passed and Leek looks as natural as life. Walter Keet embalmed the Negro in November, 1901, with a fluid he wanted to experiment on. The flesh became like rubber, and Leek has never been buried. Indeed, on gala occasions his box is wheeled out into the presence of guests and he stands erect before them, plump, straight and natural. His preservation is one of the wonders of modern science.

Closed the School.

Matrimony has caused the closing of the grammar department of the village school at Athens. The teacher left her desk the other morning, carried her resignation to the board of education, then climbed into a carriage with her sweetheart and hid away to the county clerk's office and a clergyman. The board of education has not yet recovered from the astonishment sufficient to seek the engagement of a successor.

MICHIGAN NEWS IN BRIEF.

Buchanan is soon to have an auto factory. Several other concerns are also headed that way.

Henry Krogman, of South Haven, grieved because his wife left him, took carbolic acid and died.

Thomas Bracken is locked in a cell at police headquarters in Detroit. Cincinnati wanted him on a charge of murder.

The promoters of the Soo-Detroit railroad are planning to inaugurate a car ferry service between Detroit and Cheboygan.

No rain of consequence has fallen in Coldwater in about two months and farmers are becoming much alarmed for their next season's wheat crop.

Many farmers have been compelled to stop fall plowing on account of the extreme dry weather of the past few weeks. This is an uncommon occurrence.

Traverse City board of health has ordered all pupils of the high school to be vaccinated. There are now 14 cases of smallpox in the city, six in one family.

Fannie Wilson, arrested last summer for picking pockets at Monroe Piers, and released on \$500 bonds, failed to appear for trial and the bondsman will have to pay.

Ernest Boelter, of Saginaw, foreman of a lumber mill at Lake Charles, La., was shot in the back by an employee, whom he had reprimanded, and died.

Ben Needham, of Charlotte, was sentenced to not less than seven years nor more than ten years at Ionia for attempted criminal assault upon his own daughter.

Mrs. Jane Riley died at her home in Alpena township Tuesday night aged 106 years. She was born in England and was the oldest person in this part of the state.

Mrs. Mary Peterson, a Muskegon widow, dropped dead on the steps of the city hall from emotion and excitement due to the fact that her son was going to be arrested.

Joseph Krause, aged 23, of Saginaw, suffered a broken back, a fractured skull and two broken legs by falling into the Verré mine. He died in St. Mary's hospital.

There's a little village in the upper peninsula which was probably never heard of in the outside world. It is known as Bergland and was founded less than two years ago by G. A. Bergland, of Milwaukee. Its population has gradually increased and its founder has expended over a half million dollars in erecting mills and factories, which are now doing business.

An air blast in the Atlantic mine, Calumet, brought down hundreds of tons of rock in abandoned workings on the thirty-first level. It resembled an earthquake and alarmed residents of the location. Fortunately no men were employed in the vicinity of the blast.

AFTER MANY YEARS.

The Fox Sisters' Claim of a Murder May Be True.

In the cellar of the little house located on the farm of W. H. Hyde, in the hamlet of Hydenville, N. Y., one mile north of the village of Newark, where the Fox sisters resided in 1848, the year which witnessed the birth of modern spiritualism, human bones have been found. They are believed to be the bones of Charles Rosna, who, according to the sworn statement made by Margaret Fox, was the man whose spirit made the rappings, and who communicated to her by a system of rappings the story of his murder in the house by a man named Beck, and the burial of his body in the cellar of the house.

Time and again the cellar of this house had been dug up in search for the bones, which were the missing link in the Fox sisters' story. Why they were not found before is now made clear by the displacement of a portion of the cellar wall which revealed the fact that the foundation of the house was a double stone wall, the space between being filled with earth and the bones were found in earth between the two walls. Nearly all except the skull were found. The sisters claimed the head was removed by the murderers at the time of burial.

CONDENSED NEWS.

Dunklin county, Mo., wants to be annexed to Arkansas, because Missouri went Republican.

Leonard and James Taylor, of Batavia, brothers, have both celebrated their golden weddings within the past year.

Eleven negroes and five white Chicago society women all banqueted together the other day to prove their desire for social equality.

A number of Holland and Zealand residents have left to join the colony of their townsmen and countrymen established in Baldwin county, Ala.

A ponderous bear wagon ran down and crushed to death the 2-year-old daughter of William Griesel, of Detroit. The tragedy was witnessed by the mother of the little one.

Henry Walcott, of Holland, charged with murdering John Greenwood, 19 years old, for trespassing on his farm, will claim self-defense because the boy attacked him with a knife.

Although the Utah Indian reservation in northwestern Utah is not to be thrown open for settlement until next March, already prospective settlers are beginning to camp on the boundaries of the reservation.

A pure white deer was shot by Chris LaBonte while hunting in the woods near Marquette. The animal was a small one, weighing but 70 pounds. Albino deer are very scarce, and it is not every season that one is brought down.

Mrs. John J. Roberts, of Battle Creek is the first woman in Michigan to be charged with driving an automobile too swiftly. She recently went to Milwaukee and thence to St. Louis, acting as her own chauffeur.

The Finlanders who work in the upper peninsula during the summer and emigrate to Finland to spend the winter, all remain here this year. The fact that they may be required for military service at home keeps them away.

The members of the state tax commission discussed the making of the next railroad assessment, which must be completed by Jan. 15. Much will depend, it is said, upon the position taken by Commissioner Shields, the new member.

Two more of the convicts who escaped from Jackson prison last week were captured Wednesday. They are: James Wilson, sent from Calhoun county on Sept. 8, 1900, for seven years for burglary, and Edward McPherson, of Ionia, sentenced Nov. 10, 1900, for ten years for burglary.

Home Winches was showing some friends how handy he was with the gloves in a Battle Creek bar room. His opponent administered one vigorous punch that knocked Winches among some wine-casks, one of which cut a gash in his head five inches long, exposing the skull and requiring 19 stitches.

Ralph Root, the young hunter who disappeared Friday night, was found by the searching party in a cornfield one mile from Hesperia, dead. He was shot in the right side of the face, and all the clothing burned from his body. Appearances indicate that he made a desperate fight for life, and it is believed that he burned to death from accidental shooting.

Three Minneapolis murderers and holdup men who killed 9-year-old Fred King and shot Bartender Edward Mingo during a turkey raffle in a saloon at Columbia Heights, were captured at Cambridge, Minn., 50 miles away, after a chase lasting 24 hours, in which 1,000 men have been engaged. There is talk of lynching.

Dr. W. E. Newark, of Charlotte, pleaded guilty to a charge of manslaughter, and was fined \$100 and costs, the whole amounting to about \$200. Two years ago he performed a criminal operation upon a married woman and was tried twice for the offense, but each time the jury disagreed.

W. H. Ellis, the negro who accompanied P. K. Loomis when he started for Abyssinia with the United States commercial treaty, and continued the trip alone after Loomis' tragic disappearance from an ocean liner, has arrived back in Washington, and in a personal interview with the president told him of his trip. Ellis refused to talk for publication.

Judge Wood, of St. Louis, has decided that Henry Nicolaus was entitled to recover the \$75,000 "bottle" fund placed on deposit with the Lincoln Trust Co. by the Suburban Railroad Co. to bribe the members of the house of delegates, for the reason that "Mr. Nicolaus was ignorant of the purposes for which the money was to be applied."

Wm. Pollworth, aged 20, of Bartlett, Ill., shot Conrad Boxman, proprietor of a general store, for a fancied grievance, and then barricaded himself in his mother's home, holding a score of citizens at bay for several hours.

NEWS OF THE WORLD

A Brief Chronicle of All Important Happenings

ZEMSTVOS' DEMAND.

Demands on the Czar are for Share in Ruling the Empire.

As expected, the zemstvos' meeting is fraught with great consequences for Russia, and may be regarded as an epoch in her history. The 100 men who gathered in St. Petersburg privately Saturday, after their meeting was refused recognition by the czar, included many men prominent in all sections of the empire. The meeting continued Sunday and Monday and will continue for several more days.

A memorial to be presented to Czar Nicholas, which is a practical demand for a constitutional government, without insisting on a constitution itself, has been adopted in full by a vote of 85 to 10. The memorial and minutes of the meeting will be sent to Prince Sviatopolk-Mirsky for transmission to the emperor. The memorial in ten sections recites:

1. The government and people are now estranged.
2. Fear of popular initiative and a wish to exclude the people are the causes of present conditions.
3. The bureaucratic system leaves much to personal caprice, deprives people of their rights, and undermines confidence in the government.
4. Co-operation of people and government is the only solution.
5. Right of trial for all charged with offenses is demanded.
6. Freedom of conscience, speech, press and meeting is demanded.
7. Peasants must be made more independent by alleviating conditions; this to be done by equalizing rights of all classes, releasing rural government from bureaucratic control, and giving proper courts of justice to peasants.
8. Independence of zemstvos is demanded and all people admitted to share in electing members, thus making them popular assemblies.
9. A specially elected body to participate in national affairs is demanded.
10. Settlement of all above matters should be left to national body chosen under conditions above indicated as essential for freedom in elections.

THE BELL RINGS.

Colorado's Adjutant General Says He's Ready to Fight.

"The thing to do out here is to be prepared," said Adj. Gen. Sherman Bell, when asked for his opinion of the status of the present contest for the governorship. "We are ready for anything that happens. I have 2,300 well armed men. They will follow me anywhere. With one regiment I would undertake to clear up any element that would resist the constituted authority."

Gen. Bell has a supreme contempt for all politicians, Republican or Democratic. Asked how he came to be made adjutant general with such a dislike for politicians, he said: "I wanted the office for a purpose. I was running a mine in Cripple Creek. I knew there would be trouble, and I wanted to be in it. I gave up a \$5,000 salary to take an \$1,800 office, but I am satisfied. When this is over I'm off for Mexico. I had a contract to go there before I entered the guard."

Eight hunters killed in Maine woods this far.

Alice Roosevelt may visit London this winter.

Socialists cast 500,000 votes in United States Nov. 9.

The McKinley Memorial association wants \$50,000 more to complete the monument fund.

Marie Riedel, Plainfield, Conn., is back from Alaska with \$10,000,000. Went there poor.

Bandits in Quirora, Spain, roasted a blacksmith to death in his own forge for refusing to give up his hidden money.

Robbers blew up the Southern Maryland Savings Bank building at La Plata, secured \$3,000 in cash and escaped, cutting the telegraph and telephone wires to prevent capture.

A spark from a pipe fell into a pile of gasoline in an old grain warehouse occupied by a number of Italian railroad laborers at North Bend, Pa., and five of the men were burned to death.

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WHERE GEN. STOESEL WILL MAKE HIS LAST STAND. (Map of Liaotian peninsula, showing its natural defensive advantages. Star marks location of the main fortifications. Dotted line shows position of Japanese Forces Back of Port Arthur.)

Miss Eva Booth, for eight years in command of the Salvation army in Canada, has been appointed commander in the United States, with headquarters in New York city. Booth Tucker, now the head of the army in the United States, will return to England.

Wm. Holden, who claims to have left Michigan, attempted to hold up the Platte Valley bank at Platte Center, Neb., yesterday, and on the refusal of Cashier Barney Schroeder to surrender the cash shot the latter in the breast, inflicting a serious but not fatal wound.

AT PORT ARTHUR.

The Japs Are Heavily Reinforced and Fighting Is Coming.

A Japanese official among the latest arrivals in Che Foo from Dalny, states positively that the general attack upon Port Arthur has not been resumed. Rumors to that effect in Dalny have arisen because fresh troops, including the seventh division recently landed, are being sent to the front.

It is believed that the explosion which took place on November 15 occurred in some counter tunneling work.

The second explosion, which was heard on November 19, was much heavier and it is reported upon the best authority, was due to the blowing up of a Russian magazine.

It is expected that the next attack upon Port Arthur will be a tremendous affair. More reinforcements are coming to the support of Gen. Nogi than those dispatched to Field Marshal Oyama.

The Japanese are now constructing coast defense forts at Pigeon bay, which is accepted as an indication that they expect to be defending Port Arthur themselves some day.

It's Mine, Says Kodama.

In an interview with Gen. Kodama, chief of the Japanese staff, Kodama admitted that to take Port Arthur would be a difficult task.

Kodama stretched out his closed hand, interrupting, "Yet I hold Port Arthur here," he said.

"Where will you winter about Port Arthur?" I asked. "You are not building barracks and have only shelter tents. The Manchurian winds bite bitterly."

"I shall winter inside," replied the general. "I will take the fortress soon. I hesitate to use my big guns for fear of hurting noncombatants. I cannot say what damage the big guns will do. This is the first time in history that coast-defense guns have engaged each other. I brought ours from Japan. The Russians cannot use theirs against Admiral Togo's fleet and have turned them landward."

A Trying Ordeal.

Ordeal by murdered corpse applied by the Chicago police to wrench a confession to the murder of Natoli Sefani, failed to secure the desired result, but it is thought that a confession may follow later. The procedure was as follows:

The body of Sefani was exhumed, carried to a vault and placed in a sitting posture. The right arm and hand were propped up in such a manner that the index finger pointed directly at the face of any person entering the vault. The attitude was made as nearly as possible like that which would be assumed by a person, saying:

"You are the man who killed me." Police Inspector Shippy then took to the vault Peter Miro, Frank Bell, Charles Benzie and Joyce Toppin, a colored porter.

Benzie and Bell went through the ordeal without exhibiting a trace of emotion. The colored porter was badly frightened, but did not reveal anything in the shape of a clue. Miro refused to enter the vault, and the officers were compelled to drag him before the corpse and compel him to gaze upon it. But he would not confess.

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TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS.

F. T. Henshaw has returned to New York from Klondike with \$100,000, made since last February.

Mrs. Julia Zoumski, probably the oldest white person on the coast, is dead at Tacoma, Wash., at the age of 107.

Jokers advertised for cats in the name of Prof. Nelson, of Rutgers College, New Brunswick, N. J. He got 2,730 yowlers before he could stop the rush.

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THE CHELSEA STANDARD

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JACOB SCHUMACHER.

Jacob Schumacher died at his home in this village on Tuesday evening, November 29, 1904, after an illness of two weeks' duration. Mr. Schumacher has been in the blacksmith business at this place for 39 years, and was a man well known to the entire community, and one who had a large following of intimate friends, who will miss him in their future social gatherings.

Jacob Schumacher was born in Wurtemberg, Germany, August 21, 1841, and came to America in his 13th year, with his brother George. He first worked on a farm near Philadelphia, Pa.; was located at Ann Arbor from 1859 to 1861; at Fentonville one year; then at Lansing, and finally settled at Chelsea, where he was in partnership with Fred and Israel Vogel for five years. He built his present shop in 1871, it being first located on the corner near his residence, afterwards it was moved across the street where the waiting room of the electric road is now located, and some years later to the present location on Park street. He was a member of the German Workmen's Society of this village, and was connected with the I. O. O. F. fraternity. He was married in 1865 to Mary Ann Schleicher, of Ann Arbor. Seven children were born to them, six of whom are living, Frederick W. and Edward L. of Ann Arbor; Mrs. Ida Greenleaf, of Tekamah, Neb.; Adolph H., Minnie C. and Bertha, of this village. One son, Charles, died in infancy.

The funeral services will be held Friday afternoon, December 2, 1904, at 1 o'clock from the house and later from the Congregational church, Rev. C. S. Jones officiating. Interment in family lot, Oak Grove cemetery.

SCHOOL NOTES.

Harry Long is again enrolled as a high school student.

Grace Bacon has returned to school after a short absence.

Mary Sawyer is absent from the fifth grade on account of sickness.

The second grade enjoyed a half holiday last Wednesday afternoon.

Carl Lambert has left the fifth grade and is now attending school in the country.

The eight grade will elect class officers tonight. This is one of the proudest times of a student's life.

Blanche and Clarence Grant are absent from their work in the second grade on account of quarantine.

Alvina and Artina Lambert have given up their work in the fifth grade and are now attending school in the country.

The first and second grades are planning for a fine Christmas entertainment. If anything like the former efforts of these two grades, those allowed to attend, may expect to hear something fine.

Miss Beal's room has the best record for November in the way of tardiness there not being a single case of tardiness and Miss Depew's room has the best record in attendance—their record being 97 per cent.

The fourth grade pupils are rather proud of a row of turkeys which were torn out of paper and now adorn one of the walls of their rooms. Some were so good that they called forth words of praise, from Mrs. Depew, our drawing teacher.

One more football season has closed and with it the Chelsea high school football team also closed one of the most unfortunate seasons that we have ever known. Our high school has never been noted for its football teams but never have we had so disastrous a season as the past one. With a number of new players, most of whom had never been in a football game, without a coach and without the help of the students, they have managed to play three games, and have one victory and two defeats against them. The team has had but one redeeming feature however that being the work of Captain Snyder at full-back, whose work has been of the highest order throughout the season. If all had worked and played as hard as he has to make the 1904 team a success, the team would have gone down in high school history as the best Chelsea ever had. This year's record follows: C. H. S., 6 vs. Chelsea City Team 5; C. H. S., 6 vs. Ann Arbor City Team 12; C. H. S., 0 vs. Albion High School 27.

Removes the microbes which impoverish the blood and circulation. Stops all trouble that interferes with nutrition. That's what Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will do. 35 cents. Tea or tablet form. Glazier & Stimson.

Mrs. A. Swift-Bilzard would like to remind the ladies of Chelsea who are still doing dressmaking. Yocum place.

Eczema, scald head, bites, itchiness of the skin of any sort instantly relieved, permanently cured. Doan's Ointment. At any drug store.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Miss Ethel Bacon was a Detroit visitor Tuesday.

William Rheinfrank was in Manchester Tuesday.

Stephen Brown was an Ann Arbor visitor Friday.

Miss Charlotte Steinbach was in Ann Arbor Saturday.

Mrs. William Benton was a Dexter visitor Tuesday.

C. Guerin and wife spent Thanksgiving in Detroit.

Bernard Parker and wife spent Sunday with Lima relatives.

Julius Klein of St. Louis is spending this week with his parents.

Miss Nellie Straith spent Thanksgiving with Detroit relatives.

Tommy Wilkinson and sister, Nen were Jackson visitors Friday.

George Blaich and wife of Ann Arbor were Chelsea visitors Sunday.

Misses Anna Miller and Anna Elsele were Detroit visitors Monday.

Alvin Cummer of Adrian called on Chelsea friends last Thursday.

Frank Greening, a former resident of Lyndon spent Friday in Chelsea.

George English and wife were Detroit visitors the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Hoover spent part of last week with Detroit relatives.

Verne Evans of Battle Creek spent Thanksgiving with his brother Roy.

Miss Charlotte Steinbach of Jackson spent Thanksgiving with her parents.

Thomas Wilkinson and family were Ann Arbor visitors Thanksgiving Day.

Miss Anna Tichenor was a Detroit visitor the latter part of the past week.

Charles Currier and wife visited with her mother in Grass Lake Thanksgiving.

Lee Foster was a visitor at the home of his brother, Earl in Milan last Thursday.

George Bachman and wife of Allendale are the guests of Jas. Bachman and wife.

Miss Helene Steinbach was the guest of Miss Lella Volland in Ann Arbor Monday.

A. E. Fletcher, wife and daughter were guests of Chelsea relatives Thanksgiving Day.

C. S. Winans, the American Consul at Iqueque, Chili left for Washington D. C. Wednesday.

Harvey Spiegelberg and wife spent Thursday in Dexter at the home of Ger. Spiegelberg.

Miss Louise Keck and Mrs. W. Blaich of Cleveland were guests of Mrs. T. E. Wood Sunday.

Miss Ella Slimmer, Mesdames James Geddes and John Cummings were in Dexter Friday.

Mrs. J. Gorman and daughter, Agnes were Kalamazoo visitors the latter part of the past week.

James Ryan of Chicago was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. John McKernan and family Thanksgiving.

Andrew Boyce and wife returned home Tuesday from St. Louis where they have been visiting the fair.

Mrs. George Barthel was the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Anna Rademacher of Detroit the first of the week.

C. E. DePuy and family of Stockbridge were guests at the home of Hon. Frank P. Glazier Thanksgiving.

J. F. McMillen, wife and daughter Mabel spent Thanksgiving at the home of Ralph Stone and family in Detroit.

Thomas Fleming of Lyndon spent several days of the past week with relatives in St. Louis and visiting the fair.

Mesdames A. W. Ames of Ann Arbor and Robertson of Battle Creek visited at the home of A. N. Morton Thanksgiving.

Warren Davis and wife of Charlotte and Nelson Jones and wife of Detroit were guests at the home of Rev. C. S. Jones Thanksgiving.

FOUR MILE LAKE.

H. J. Heininger has just finished painting his farm residence.

The first snow storm of the season passed through here Saturday.

There was no school in district No. 2 Thursday and Friday on account of Thanksgiving.

Wm. Bahnmiller and family spent Thanksgiving at Gerhart Lesser near Four Mile Lake.

Farmers have nearly all got their corn husked in this vicinity, owing to the excellent weather this fall.

H. J. Heininger received 870 bushels of corn from 7½ acres an average of 116 bushels per acre. Also 15 big loads of stalks. 820 bushels of this was good sound corn and about 50 bushels was small ears but most of these are sound and ripe. Who can beat this? He also raised 240 bushels on 3¼ acres, an average of only 70 bushels per acre. The latter piece was planted about one week later and was poor like all late corn, which proves that early corn was much better this year.

When you feel like sighing—sigh. Sighing will never pleasure bring. Learn to laugh, you can laugh and laugh right.

By taking Rocky Mountain Tea at night. Glazier & Stimson.

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NORTH LAKE.

P. W. Watts is visiting his son at Mason.

Mrs. F. Hinkley is suffering from a severe cold.

James Cooke and wife spent Tuesday at F. A. Glenn's.

Elmer Gordon, our minister, was here Tuesday and made a few calls.

Geo. Reade raised his new barn Friday. It stands on a cement wall.

Bert Hinkley has moved to a farm four miles northwest of Pinckney.

E. W. Daniels was here Monday and bought a supply of honey for winter.

Messrs. Lewick and Stevenson are having their clover seed threshed out.

Several couples from here attended the dance at Gregory Thursday evening.

P. W. Watts has returned from Webster, where he spent the past month husking corn.

Mr. and Mrs. Vine, of Howell, are visiting relatives here and at Chelsea for a few days.

Otis Webb makes \$2.80 a day skinning corn. He will work in Jackson the coming winter.

Bert Hinkley and wife and David Schultz and wife visited Floyd Hinkley one day last week.

I would like to buy eight shoats worth from \$1.50 to \$2.00 each. Who has them for sale?

Last Thursday W. H. Glenn delivered at Gregory a two years old heifer that weighed, off grass, 1,120 pounds.

Mrs. A. Dutton, of Plainfield, and Miss Blanche Glenn, of Gregory, visited at North Lake Saturday and in Chelsea Sunday.

W. H. Glenn took dinner with John Webb and family Thanksgiving Day, and in the evening had oyster supper with Floyd Hinkley and wife.

Rev. G. W. Gordon preached a temperance sermon last Sunday evening, which was said to be one of the best. He always gives full measure.

The writer recently attended a large sale of farm property at home of Mrs. John Devine in Webster, and met many old time Dexter and Webster friends.

Rev. G. W. Gordon took Sam Schultz's team and hauled a big load of wood home from here Friday. He also put his apples in our cellar for future delivery.

The egg market will get a shock soon, as F. A. Burkhardt has sold his flock of Plymouth Rocks and bought a flock of Brown Leghorns. He, like many others, is tired of raising chicken meat at less than beef and pork prices. When beef is 10 cents per pound chickens should be 15 cents per pound at least, to make things even. You'll think so if you try it once.

Last fall E. L. Glenn, of Gregory, sent his sister in Dakota twelve barrels of apples. After they had been shipped over two weeks he received notice from Chicago that the apples would be sent no farther until the freight charges, about \$22, was paid. Why didn't the company make the demand on the start, and not wait until fruit had reached Chicago and laid there two weeks before notifying shipper of terms. The Apples will cost, laid down in Dakota, over \$3 per barrel.

FRANCISCO.

Mrs. A. Kalmbach is on the sick list.

Mrs. P. Schweinfurth is on the sick list.

Miss Dorothy Notten is visiting Grass Lake friends.

Miss Eva Notten is visiting in Jackson this week.

Mrs. Lenz who has been sick is able to be out again.

Miss Rena Notten is the guest of Grass Lake friends.

Miss Dorritt Hoppe of Trenton is the guest of her parents.

Miss Mary Broesamle of Detroit is the guest of her mother.

Mrs. Henry Notten spent Saturday and Sunday at Jackson.

Mrs. C. Hurst is visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. Seichrest of Jackson.

Mrs. Herman Fahrner of Lima spent Thanksgiving with her parents here.

The lecture delivered by Rev. H. W. Lenz Sunday evening was well attended.

Miss Anna Mae Benter of Jackson spent Thanksgiving with P. Schweinfurth and family.

Miss Bertha Riemschneider will entertain the Ladies Aid Society next week December 7.

Burleigh Whitaker and family spent Saturday and Sunday at the home of Herman Fahrner of Lima.

Clifford Lantis of White Oak spent a few days of last week with his grandfather, P. Riemschneider.

The supper which was to be given Thanksgiving evening will be served next Thursday, December 1 at the Schweinfurth home.

Miss Eleanor Irmischer, sister of Mrs. Lenz spent a few days at the parsonage. She returned to New York city where she is engaged in the city mission work.

For bad breath and bad taste in the mouth take Celery King. Your drug-gist sells it. 25c.

SEARON.

Mrs. James Hathway has been the guest of her parents, C. C. Dorr and wife.

H. D. Hewes and wife will soon move to Grass Lake their son, Clarence will work their farm.

WATERLOO.

Mrs. George Runciman has been very sick for the past week.

Miss Laura Moeckle gave a flinch party Thursday evening.

Rev. and Mrs. Fowler moved their household goods here Monday.

Jacob Schiller and family of Chelsea spent Thanksgiving with relatives here.

Mrs. Della Stephens of Chelsea was a guest at the home of H. Leek Thanksgiving day.

Miss Lizzie Hammock spent Saturday and Sunday at the home of H. McClay near Stockbridge.

Louis and Marion Thomas of Jackson and Everett Rowe of Grass Lake spent Thanksgiving at the home of John Hubbard.

SYLVAN.

Edward Fisk is visiting in Fishville.

Herman Hayes was a Detroit visitor last week.

Conrad Heselshwerdt and wife spent Sunday in Ann Arbor.

Louis Hayes and wife visited relatives in Manchester Sunday.

George Heselshwerdt and wife were Leslie visitors last week.

Miss Clara Merkel has been visiting at the home of Michael Merkel.

John Mohrlock and wife have moved on the Seeger farm near Francisco.

Mrs. M. Heselshwerdt and daughter, Lizzie are guests of Saline relatives this week.

D. Helm is the happy owner of a flowing well which he has just discovered on his farm.

Wm. C. Kellogg and wife of Milan and Dr. E. B. Kellogg and wife of Belleville and Mrs. M. Ward aged 92 spent Thanksgiving with Chas. Kellogg and family.

Bodily pain loses its terror if you've a bottle of Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil in the house. Instant relief in cases of burns, cuts, sprains, accidents of any sort.

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to thank the neighbors and friends who so kindly assisted us during the sickness and death of our baby. Also the choir who furnished the music.

MR. AND MRS. B. WHITAKER.

You will save doctor-bill, save time and avoid discomfort if you will learn to "read the tongue" and take Celery King when it tells you, by its coated appearance, to do so. 25c. at druggists.

Lima Taxpayers.

I will be at the Lima town hall on Friday, D-c 2, 9, 16, 23 and 30 at Dexter Savings Bank Saturday, Dec. 17, and at the Chelsea Savings Bank, Saturday, Dec. 31, for the purpose of receiving the taxes of said township.

ROBERT TONEY, Treasurer.

WEEDS

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

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

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

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

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

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We will send you a little of the Emulsion free.

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

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WOMEN FIGHT LATE CLUBS

Paola Society Being Formed in Holyoke, Mass., as an Antidote for Men's Organizations.

Information comes from Holyoke, Mass., that the women of that city are on the verge of organizing a unique club, truly original in its purpose. It will be known as the Paola Social society. Membership in the new organization will be confined at its institution to women whose husbands are associated with social organizations generally recognized as clubs, thereby tending to irregular home attendance.

The Paola society will primarily insist upon the rights of wives, among them being given liberty to absent themselves from home at pleasure and the adoption of rules and regulations governing their house duties in lines of labor unions of the better class and similar organizations.

The two purposes in mind, the promoters say, are not so much to abolish club life, but to impress husbands with a stronger fondness for home ties and to minimize at the same time the labor of housekeepers. There is no feeling expressed against clubs as such.

As a matter of fact, the promoters of the Paola society recommend them for social purposes among men as being far preferable to other places where husbands are apt to congregate; but as in eating and drinking, it is argued that club attendance can be carried to the extreme of intemperance, also to the neglect of obligations imposed by marital bonds.

The Paola society will be instituted with a charter list of 50 members, if the present plans be carried out, and immediately the campaign along the lines referred to now and again as the emancipation of women, but far different in plan, will be safe-guarded.

HOME AS ANIMAL SCHOOL.

New York Man of Wealth Devotes Himself to the Education of His Charges.

On a New York boulevard there is a unique institution—a school for dogs, cats and other animals.

The owner of the house, which is the headquarters of this animal academy, a man of means, has given up most of his domicile and his yard to his charges, and devotes himself solely to their education.

At the present time he has in his keeping 40 dogs, ranging from fox terriers to Great Danes.

Every night after sundown the dogs are brought out for an airing. Each dog is tied to a peg driven in the sidewalk, and the row of dogs stretches nearly the length of the block. Then, like the ringmaster in a circus, he gets in front of his canines with a large whip and puts them through various stunts.

Some of the animals, cats and goats as well, he has trained to a nicety, and, wholly unconscious of the crowd that nightly congregates to witness the "performance," this animal educator goes quietly about his work as if there was no one within miles of him.

This is his sole occupation. Frequently managers of animal shows and trick comedians have offered him large sums of money for some of his animals, but he would rather part with his life than lose one of his pets.

Although he has had his animal school in the locality for a number of years, not one of his neighbors has had occasion to complain to the authorities that he is a nuisance.

WANTS BISMARK PAPERS.

German Government Anxious to Secure Far-Famed Collection of the Iron Chancellor.

The death of Herbert Bismarck in Berlin puts a stop to the chief labor of his latter years, sorting and editing his father's immense collection of papers. The interesting books issued under the care of Herbert Bismarck in the last five years are only the result of dippings into this immense store.

At his death 17 large cases of papers had still to be sorted. It is difficult to know to whom this work will now be intrusted, and the Kaiser is desperately anxious on the point. Princess Herbert has no political knowledge and her husband did all he could to keep men of the collateral Bismarck branches from all knowledge of his father's affairs.

Strong efforts will be made by the state to gain possession of these valuable archives, as it is known that there are numerous documents freely criticizing the present Kaiser.

There is also much that illustrates the "blood and iron" side of the great chancellor's character, which millions of his admirers would regret to see published. Either the state will secure the papers or they must wait until young Otto, to whom they are left by will grows up; he is only seven now.

Celery King is woman's greatest friend because it cures every year more cases of female weakness than all other remedies combined. Price 25c. at druggists.

BEWARE OF COUNTERFEITS.

"DeWitt's is the only genuine Witch Hazel Salve" writes J. L. Tucker, of Centre, Ala. "I have used it in my years and can recommend it to be the best salve on the market. Every family should keep it, as it is an invaluable household remedy, and should always be kept on hand for immediate use." Mrs. Samuel Gage, of North Bush, N. Y., says: "I had a fever sore on my ankle for twelve years that the doctors could not cure. All salves and remedies proved worthless. I could not walk for over two years. Finally I was persuaded to try DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve, which has completely cured me. It is a wonderful relief." DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve cures without leaving a scar. Sold by Glazier & Stimson.

A MATTER OF HEALTH

ROYAL BAKING POWDER
Absolutely Pure
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There will be a hop at the Dexter opera house Friday, December 2nd. Good music. Dance bill 50c. Everybody come. Chamberlain & Lemmon managers.

Stop! Don't take imitation celery tea when you ask for Celery King, a medicine of great value. The "teas" are urged upon you because they are bought cheap. Never jeopardize your health in a bad cause. Celery King only costs 25 cents and it never disappoints.

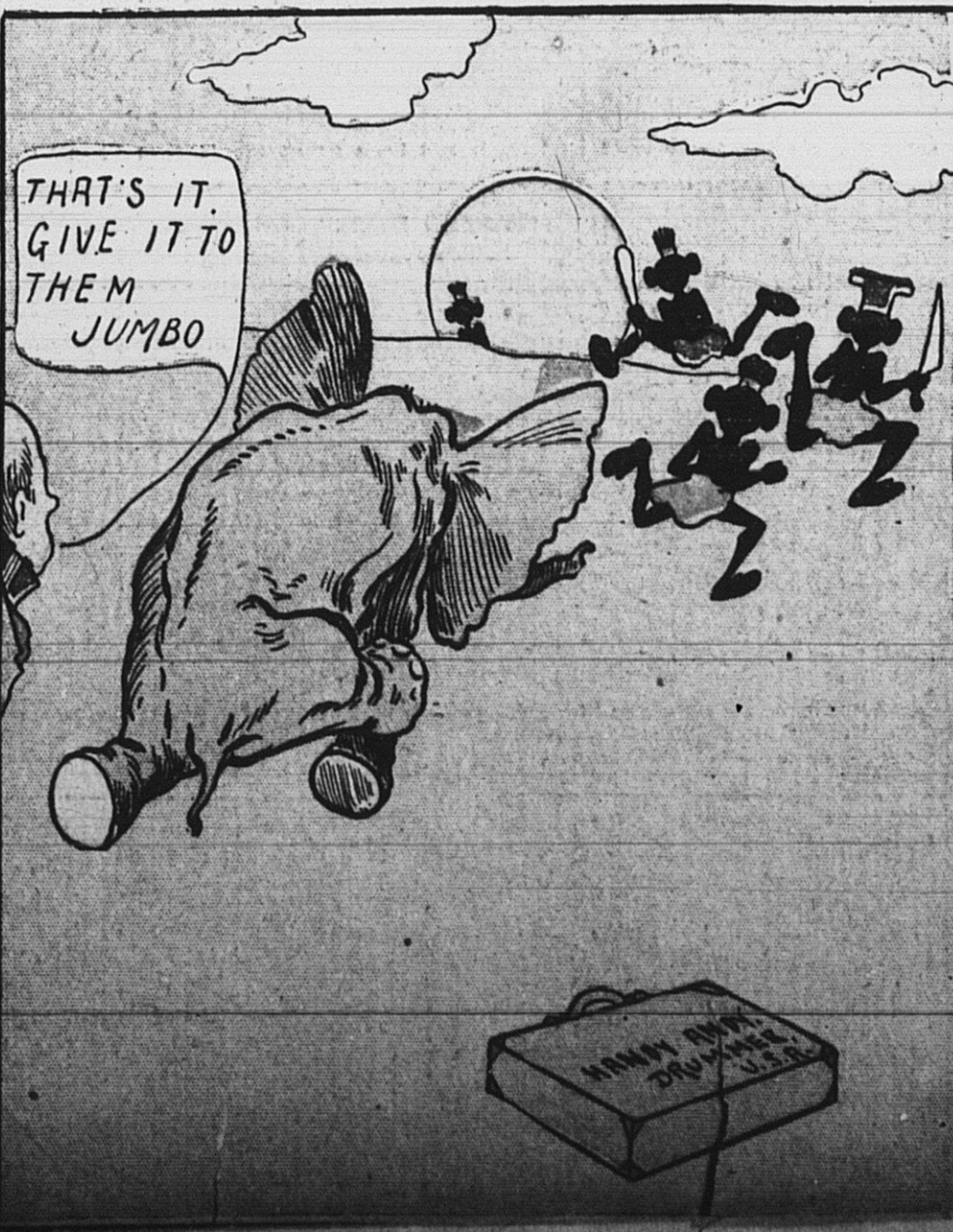
THE CHELSEA STANDARD.

CHELSEA, MICHIGAN, THURSDAY.

Dec. 1, 1924.

HANDY ANDY THE MAN OF GOOD INTENTIONS

JUMBO, THE BABY ELEPHANT, COMES TO HIS RESCUE AT A CRITICAL TIME!





Passingby—"Aha, an elopement! I'll just tell her father and earn his friendly gratitude."



"Hello! Hello the house! Police! Burglars! Fire!"



"What is it? Why, I just scared a man away who was going to elope with your daughter!"



Papa—"Oh, you did, you infernal idiot! What did you do it for? It's the only chance we had to get her married!"

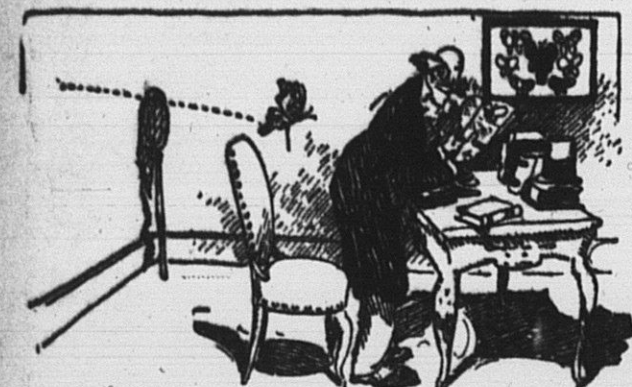


Ephraim Crosscorners—"By hickory, if people can't eat without spilling things on their clothes I'd be responsible for 'em."

A TOUCH OF THE SAME.



The Rare Butterfly—"Yes, you've got me pinned at last, but—"



"Never mind, professor—"



"Just the same I'll—"



"Get even! Aha! Revenge! How do you like it yourself?"

UNNECESSARY QUESTION.



Cholly—"I went to the menagerie today." Freddie—"So? I didn't see you! Which cage were you in?"

VITAL ERROR.



Canvasser—"Sir, I am selling a choice—"



SIGN.



TRU AND VALIS



Farmer Oatsake—"Gosh, Mandy! I suppose the hotels are awful crowded if they have to hang the trunks outside."

FRIENDLY OFFER.



Mr. Staylate—"I think I could be very successful if I only had a little start." May Weary—"I can help you on with your hat and coat."

STRICTLY TRUE.

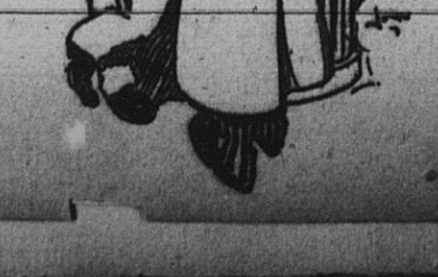


Mr. Spouter—"Yes, I have often dined with crowned heads."



These are the crowned heads Mr. Spouter has often dined with.

SURE CURE.



WHEN FOOTBALL IS TAUGHT IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS.



School Principal—"We will now take our first lesson in reformed football. Remember, the ball is to be passed gently from hand to hand. Attention!"



(Two minutes after.) "Have you telephoned for the ambulance, Miss Yankum?"

CANINE AND BOVINE.



Hiram (at college)—"What in the world does this mean, dad?" Father—"Why, I heard you were going to spend \$50 for a Boston bull, so I thought I'd bring you a bull up from the farm and see if it wouldn't answer just as well."

IN THE JUNGLE STUDIO.



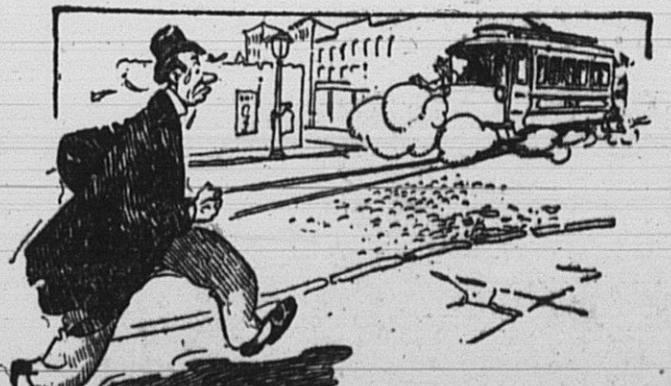
Photographer—"Your expression is all right, Miss Hippo. Now, if Mr. Jocko could look a little pleasanter."

A POSSIBLE DRAWBACK.



If portable schoolhouses are to be used will there not be a great temptation open to adventurous pupils?

"SAVING TIME."



Mr. Geton—"Well, I'll be hanged if that isn't my car passing. I thought it was blockaded for two minutes, anyhow, when I got off and hotfooted it ahead! Six blocks yet to go!"



Mrs. Skippy—"Yes, doctor, he thought he could save a second or two by rushing across a street crossing ahead of an ice wagon. A week, did you say?"



EASILY EXPLAINED.



Gunner—"There goes a woman who has caused many a man hours of pain." Guyer—"Coquette, eh?" Gunner—"No; woman dentist."

SHACKLED.



Reginald—"This football playing makes my Saxon blood tingle with delight in the fury of the fray!" Frances—"Then why don't you play the game?" Reginald—"Oh, mamma will not allow that."

PROBABILITY.



Miss Pokery—"Excuse me, but will you kindly speak to that man? He's staring at me." Mr. Dudely—"Er—I'll speak to him if you like—but he'll certainly say something back."

DANGER.



Jennie—"Ow, ooh, oh!" Johnnie—"Don't be scared, he won't bite." Jennie—"Tain't that. I'm afraid I might step on him and have a murder on my soul!"

KEEPING UP THE PACE.



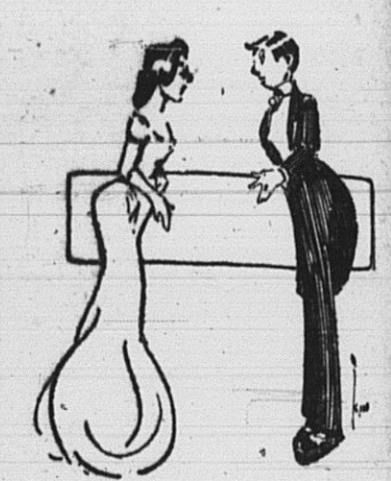
Mr. Crawfoot—"Lands sake, Mandy, what are you doing with them oranges?"

FINAL TOUCH.



Husband (after the quarrel)—"Well, I must say that all fools are not dead yet!" Wife (affectionately)—"I'm glad of it, dear. I never look well in black."

STRANGE BEHAVIOR.



Eddie—"Strange that the little birds should be so happy in the early morning, isn't it?" Ethyl—"Why?" Eddie—"Because their little bills are all over dew."

ONE OF THE TWO.



Stubbs—"I saw the most vicious-looking bulldog to-day on the street." Penn—"Indeed! Who had him, a society woman or a tough?"

PRECISION.



Bill—"Duffy has a level head." Tom—"He has?" Bill—"He has. A piece of rock from the blast fell on it yesterday and he laid up for six weeks."

DIFFERENT.



Johnny Touchdown—"Oh, ma, you're killing me. Please don't. I can't stand it!"



Latest Modes For Street & House



Combination of Plush and Cloth



A Dinner Waist
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Messaline



White
Chiffon
Broadcloth
Theatre
Gown



Velvet
Foliage
attractively
Disposed



An Automobile Outfit

STREET dress, and by that we mean costumes actually worn in the street when madame or mademoiselle goes forth afoot, shows a very marked tendency toward simplicity. And, as though to preserve a proper balance, all other costumes are allowing, if possible, even greater elaboration as the season advances.

And what is more rational than that woman should tire of her furbelows and yearn for simplicity, only in turn to tire of this and come back to her frills and finery again?

We have seen a season of elaboration follow close on one of almost Puritan simplicity, but 1904-5 gives us both in one season, and madame changes from one extreme to the other in the hour. There is plenty of good taste and no small bit of philosophy in this present mode. But who since Johnson has been interested in the philosophy of clothes? Woman, the person most concerned, certainly is not.

But to return. The street costume par excellence is of mannish tweed or broadcloth or the dressier velveteens, the skirt laid in wide but shallow plaits that are stitched well down to hold the skirt firmly fitted about the hips. The skirt is invariably the rasure or swing-clear length, and may be lightly flared with a light haircloth set in the hem. The coat is on fitted lines, with perhaps a neat little fancy waistcoat to give the color note to the whole. A blouse of light-weight flannel or silk is worn under the coat, its fulness plaited into a prettily scalloped yoke, and velvet-covered buttons for trimming.

With this suit is worn a fur set, the saddle-wheel scarf loosely knotted and one thrown over the shoulder, the muff very big and soft. The suit, both in color and outline, is inconspicuous, and the fur set very plain and tailor made in effect.

The intermediate step between the severely simple costume and the elaborate, formal toilette is the demi-tailleur. Here the fancy may have full sway. All fabrics, from voile to broadcloth and velvet, are made to do duty nowadays in the demi-tailleur. The little bolero is often chosen as the coat shape, and, by the

way, who was it announced the demise of the little bolero last fall? He (or was it she?) reckoned without his host, for this smart little coat shape is still with us, and bids fair to long remain. It flourishes especially in the demi-tailleur styles. Even the severest weather cannot banish it, for madame has learned to slip on her heavy coat or redingote or cape right over this little suit when out of doors, and her removal leaves her fittingly clad for luncheon or reception or tea.

An amethyst velveteen of chiffon-like quality was developed into one of these little coat suits. The fulness of the skirt about the hips was laid in stitched darts. A shirred circular flounce was set on under two tucks at the knee. A scroll design of amethyst cloth was disposed above the flounce and again near the hem. A lightweight haircloth was inserted in the hem, which gave the skirt a pretty spring. The little coat fell loose from the figure to the top of the broad girdle. It was finished with the cloth band, with collar and cuffs and insets in the border of white suede embroidered in dull gold. A blouse of white mouseline, lace-trimmed, accompanied this. Worn with it was a full, soft, white fur boa and a side roll hat in a lighter shade of amethyst felt, with a sweeping white plume.

Soft, filmy materials play so important a part in this season's fashions that elaborations must needs be a feature of the modes. Chiffons, gauzes, crepes, velvings and nets are all in high favor. One of the fancies of the moment, and a very charming one, indeed, is, the skirt of chiffon or net, with endless tiny tucks and ruffles, and the bodice of silk in a contrasting color. The sleeves oftentimes match the net skirt, while long tabs or sash ends from the waist reach almost to the end of the customary round train.

The printed chiffons or gauzes are in high favor, and these are often oddly combined with heavier materials. For instance, a white chiffon covered well with dull pink roses and their foliage had a deep shirred flounce of soft taffeta silk in changeable dull rose and green. The bodice was of the chiffon, with short

puff sleeves of the taffeta. The effect was delicate and harmonious, strange as the combination may seem to us. There was a certain practical side to it, too, though we doubt if the designer thought of that, namely, that the silken flounce would prove far more serviceable than one of the delicate chiffon.

again under the front fulness. The waist's silken lining—a soft pink silk—special point of elegance in this robe faintly printed in greens and blues.

SOME TIMELY HINTS TO WOMEN

ADVICE FOR STOUT WOMEN.

A stout woman should not wear a tall-ormade suit, nor should she wear large bows at her belt, nor a high, tight collar. In choosing her gowns, she should avoid large figure designs, selecting striped or plain goods. She should also be chary of jewels, and it will usually be found more becoming to wear her hair high on the head. And here it may not be amiss to offer a few suggestions on the reduction of flesh. No woman sees herself growing stout with undisturbed feelings. We are told that when the Empress of Austria perceived her waist growing larger, she gave up riding and took long walks every day, regardless of weather. Queen Marguerite of Italy, when threatened with too much embonpoint, began to scale the mountains of her realm, and another celebrated woman walked each day "in order to retain her beauty." Where the tendency to obesity is pronounced, not exercise alone will overcome the trouble. It must be accompanied by extreme temperance and diet. Farinaceous foods should be avoided, also pastry and sweets, and little drink should be taken while eating.

unbecoming, but it is not conducive to health, predisposing to apoplexy. It may appear hard to deny oneself certain foods, but appetite is, after all, a matter of education; the Bostonian likes his baked beans and the Carolinian his rice, because they have always been accustomed to these particular dishes, and the strictest vegetarians were once the heaviest meat-eaters.

A FEW FASHION HINTS.

The girl with the small-income has numerous opportunities this season of displaying her ingenuity. The fashionable modistes insist on the pointed bodice, broad shoulders and full sleeves, but what is a poor girl to do under these decided changes? It is not so difficult if one stops to consider. For instance, the large "puff" at the top of the sleeve can always be added, and Fashion has decreed a combination of different materials on one gown. This fact is a boon to the girl who is brave or industrious enough to remodel her own garments. After the large sleeve has been rebuilt, the attention turns to the girdle.

THE WOMAN WE ALL LIKE.

The woman you like to meet, and who never stays too long when she comes to see you, and to whom you reluctantly say good-by, may not be either rich or beautiful or particularly brilliant in intellect, but she carries an unmistakable charm with her which it might be well if you, yourself, should seek to acquire. She always says the "Good morning" as though she particular

worn on the outside of the skirt, but it is not imperative, as the effect is almost the same with the separate girdle. These latter accessories must be made very pointed and very long in front and must extend to the bust at the top. They can be made of silk-velvet or suitable material to harmonize with the gown in question. While or feather bone is used both in back and front, to hold the girdle in place. Of course, they necessarily crush over the hips and are very narrow there. A buckle both in back and front will brighten the waist. Shining on sleeves, yoke and girdle are seen with the most pleasing results.

No matter how "blue" you felt while the door was closed between you, things get rose-colored very quickly after she steps across the doormat, and, somehow, the smell of spring blossoms, the glint of birdwings and the flutter of summer leaflets fill the air, which, before her advent, was dreary with the odor of decaying leaves, the gray of winter clouds and the moaning of the wind thro' the bare branches of the soul's wile.

A Pleasant Journey. Good temper oils the wheels of life. We ride as in a car. The journey thro' is free from strife. There's not a single foe.

There's not a sweeter way than this To pass along in perfect bliss.

THE GENTLER SEX.

When a society girl is interested in anything besides teas, dinners, cotillions and pretty things to wear she is provoking. Her dearest girl friends who are entirely absorbed in the frivolous side of life think so, at least she really doesn't get much sympathy from any source. One pretty girl, who is entirely satisfactory to her own charming self at a reception or dinner, recently took a notion to be useful in the world. Some one had told her there is a home here for stray cats and horses that are too worn out to work any more, and the society bud's little heart was pleased with the notion that she might do something to relieve distress among suffering animals. She has become more and more enthusiastic about it every day, and it happens more and more frequently that the telephone rings and the inquiry is sarcastically made, "Where have you been today?" "Up in Northeast Minneapolis making a collection of homeless cats, no doubt,"—Minneapolis Tribune.

What is known as the "blossoming age" strikes the destitute as well as those better off. An Atchison girl whose attire was so ragged as to excite pity recently turned 22, and came out in a few days with everything the 16-year-olds wear, from a big locket to all kinds of jewelry to hold her clothes together. She hadn't neglected to get an exaggerated veil and her pompousness was the highest by two inches ever seen in town. She was no longer a child, but a Young Lady.—Atchison Globe.

Mrs. Alphonsa Dellucka went to the residence of Mrs. Louis Aguirre, in the vicinity of Union and Filbert streets, to demand an explanation as to why Mr. Dellucka's affections had been alienated from Mrs. Aguirre, and instead of giving the desired enlightenment Mrs. Aguirre punched Mrs. Dellucka's face with clenched fists.—San Francisco Call.

France and the Papacy.

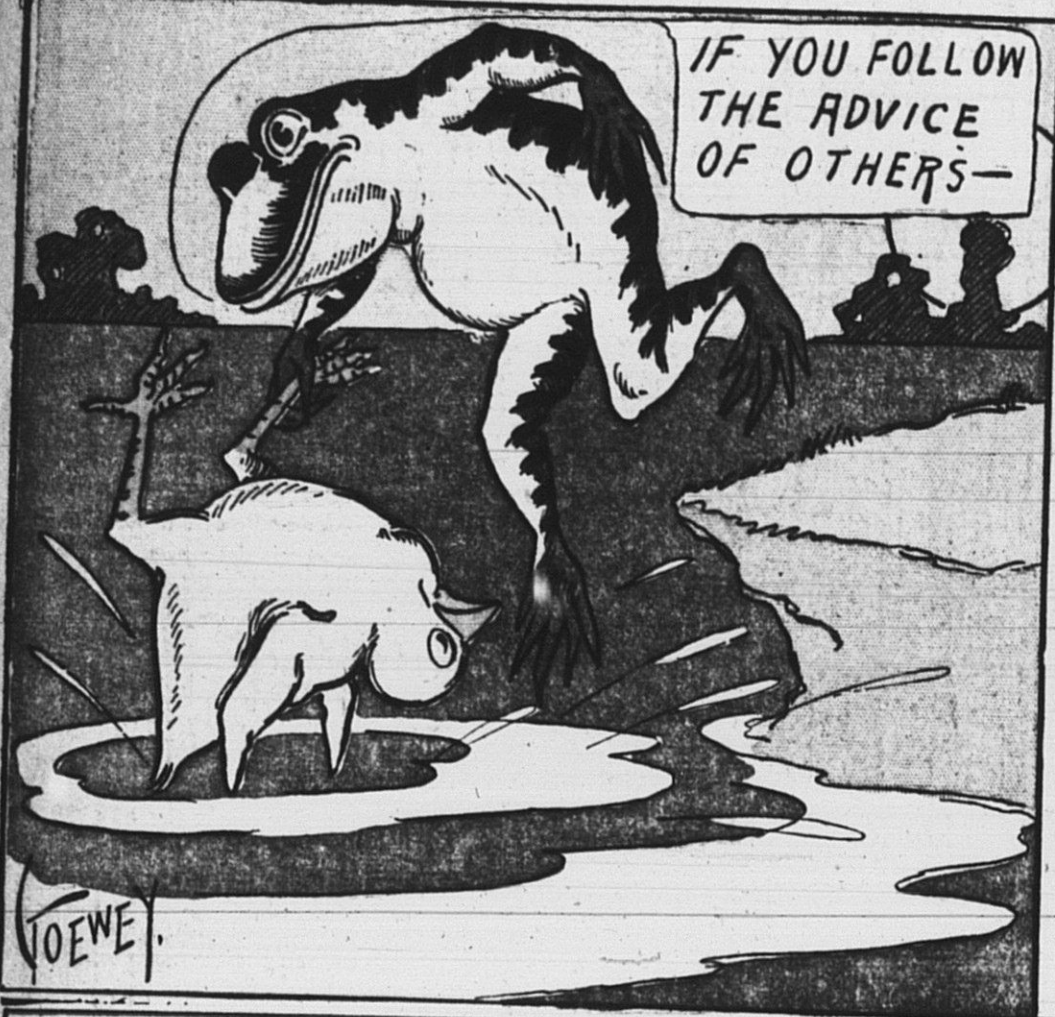
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ker Hill Monument.—Boston Transcript.

Three days ago J. H. Way reported to the District Attorney that his son-in-law came home drunk, beat his wife and ran away to a saloon, where he hid with his 3-year-old boy. A warrant was issued for William Jenkins, the supposedly erring son-in-law, and he was taken into custody. Yesterday Mrs. Jenkins appeared in the Municipal Court and declared that her husband was a kind man and had never beaten her, and that the trouble was caused by her father's uncalled-for interference. Jenkins was therefore released.—Portland Oregonian.

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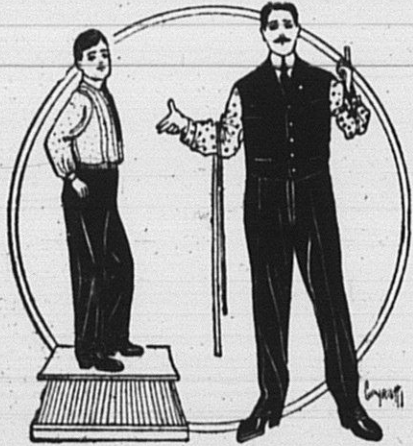
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LOCAL EVENTS

OF THE PAST WEEK FOR
THE STANDARD'S READERS.

The township treasurers will today begin collecting taxes.

Edward Weiss spent the past week with friends at Debuque, Iowa.

Judge Ellison, the famous poet orator, at the town hall Monday night.

There will be initiation by the O. E. S. on Friday evening of this week.

Prof. F. E. Wilcox has purchased the Schultz residence on Madison street.

J. F. Heiber has had a telephone placed in his residence on Taylor street.

M. C. Urdike and family expect to return to his farm in Sylvan in the near future.

Chas. Lambrecht and family have moved to the farm of Joseph Weber in Sylvan.

C. Lehman has just refitted his place of business with new quartered oak fixtures.

C. S. Winans and family are now residing in the Heininger house on Madison street.

There will be third degree work by the F. & A. M. at their hall on Tuesday evening of next week.

Miss Kate Staphish, of Ann Arbor, was called home to take care of her mother, who is very ill.

Mrs. John R. Gatos left this week for Mt. Clemens, where she will receive treatment for rheumatic trouble.

There will be preaching service at Woodman hall next Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock by Rev. P. H. Pohly.

It is claimed by the astronomers that there will be four eclipses the coming year, two of the sun and two of the moon.

The Ladies' Aid Society of St. Paul's church will meet at the home of Mrs. C. Girbach on Friday afternoon of next week.

James Beasley returned Saturday from his hunting trip in the upper peninsula, and reports that he killed three deer.

There will be an election of officers for the ensuing year by Chelsea Tent, K. O. T. M. M., at their hall on Friday evening of this week.

The long drouth causes the farmers to complain, as they think the wheat crop will be ruined, and the housewives because the cisterns are dry.

Nelson Jones, who has charge of the stock room at the Glazier Stove Co.'s plant has been spending some time at his former home, near Windsor, Ont.

Dr. F. A. Johnson formerly of this place has purchased the home of Dr. S. M. Gleason of Greenville, Mich. and has been practicing their since October 1.

The annual collection for the Catholic University at Washington, D. C., will be taken up next Sunday, December 4, in the Church of Our Lady of the Sacred Heart.

Rev. Father Considine left Monday for Lapeer, where on Tuesday and Wednesday the diamond jubilee of the founding of the Catholic church in that village was celebrated.

You will miss one of the best lectures ever given in Chelsea if you do not go to the town hall Monday night and hear the next number on the Lecture Course, Single admission 35 cents.

Mrs. S. Adeline English, mother of Geo. T. English, of Sylvan, died at her home in Detroit, Monday, November 28, 1904, aged 78 years. The funeral was held this afternoon from her late home.

The Chelsea Juniors and the Jackson East Central High School played a tie game Saturday neither side being able to score. The Chelsea boys outplayed their opponents, but were unable to score.

Wm. Rheinfrank and wife, Jas. Geddes, Jr., and family, A. Hunter and family, and Jacob and Ella Slimmer attended the 25th wedding anniversary of Michael Brenner and wife in Ann Arbor Sunday.

When the limited service was inaugurated on the D. Y., A. A. & J. Monday, the company abolished the issuing of the student tickets. This move will effect nearly 100 students who live along the line and attend the U. of M.

Married, Wednesday, November 30, 1904, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick W. Niehaus, Lima, Miss Clara Niehaus to Mr. Ernest Hutzet, both of Lima township. The young people were the recipients of many beautiful and useful presents.

Chas. H. Buss of Freedom and Wm. Buss of Manchester made a business trip to Detroit Saturday.

Wm. Brown, of North Lake has bills out announcing an auction sale of his personal property for Tuesday, December 6. This will be an all day sale, and everything advertised will be sold. Ed. Daniels will be the auctioneer.

Mrs. Mary L. Bell, of Gormer, Mich., died at her home in that place Tuesday, November 29, 1904, aged 71 years. Mrs. Bell was the only sister of J. P. and H. L. Wood, who left this morning for her late home to attend the funeral services.

The Thanksgiving sermon delivered by Rev. Thomas Holmes, D. D., at the Baptist church last Thursday evening, was listened to with considerable interest, and spoken of as one of the ablest addresses the Dr. has ever delivered in Chelsea.

Thomas Heim, of Sylvan, engaged the firm of Geo. H. Foster & Co., to drive a well for him on his farm, and last Wednesday the men in charge of the work struck a vein of water that proves to be one of the finest flowing wells in that part of the township.

The subject of the sermon next Sunday evening at the Congregation church will be "When a man is alone." The morning sermon will be "The influence of the Holy Spirit." These morning sermons on the book of Romans are awakening a good deal of interest.

The L. O. T. M. M. will serve one of their popular 15 cent suppers at the Macaboe hall, Saturday evening, December 3, from 5 o'clock until all are served. The ladies are arranging to have an abundance for all who will come and invite everybody to be present.

LaFayette Grange will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Keyes Wednesday forenoon, December 7. Election of officers will take place at this meeting. Select reading with the following topics, "Good Homes" and "What constitutes the essential features inside the ideal home?"

Chris. Trinkle, of Lima, was a caller at the Standard office Tuesday, and reported that sneak thieves had recently entered his chicken house and carried away forty very fine young pullets. He said that they were the best chickens he had ever raised on his farm, and they had just begun to supply the household with fresh eggs.

The Concert given by the Chelsea Band at the opera house on Tuesday evening was the best one given by the present organization, and the members are entitled to merited praise. The attendance was so small that the band boys have decided to abandon the rest of the series of concerts that they had laid out for the winter months.

The Chicago Record Herald says of Judge Ellison, "It is not given to many, the dual power to wield the pen and adorn the platform. Judge Ellison has won the warm approval of the verse-readers and lecture-going public to an extent which ought to satisfy the ambition of many an older contestant for honors in the arena of intellect."

The Lima and Vicinity Farmers' Club will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leander Easton, Thursday, December 8. The annual election of officers and an oyster dinner will be the features of the day, and all members are requested to be present. Subject for discussion, "Does the higher education lure our boys and girls from the farm?" Discussion led by the president.

The managers of the D. Y., A. A. & J. Ry. on Wednesday of last week run one of their specials on the new schedule from Detroit to Jackson, having as their guests the newspaper men of the former city and those who reside in the towns along the line. The trip was made on time and the newspaper men were entertained at the hotel Otsego in Jackson to a six course dinner furnished by the managers of the company.

Thursday, December 8, will be the feast of the Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin, a holy day of obligation in the Catholic church. In the Church of Our Lady of the Sacred Heart masses will be celebrated at 8 and 10 a. m. In the evening at 7:30 o'clock Rosary and Benediction will be given. This year the Golden Jubilee of this dogma of faith will be commemorated, and special special services will be held in all Catholic churches in the world.

Report of school in District No. 11, Lyndon, for the month ending November 14, 1904. The following have an average standing of 95, Hattie Stoffer, Irene Clark and Roland McKune; 90, Cecelia and Herbert McKune, Gladys and Lawrence Shanahan, Gertrude Clark and Bernice Barton; 85, Ileen and Margaret Shanahan and Raymond McKune. Hattie Stoffer and Cecelia McKune did not misspell a word in written spelling during the month, Irene, Gertrude and Roland McKune missing but one. Gladys, Ileen and Lawrence Shanahan and Irene Clark were neither absent or tardy. Margaret Young, Teacher.

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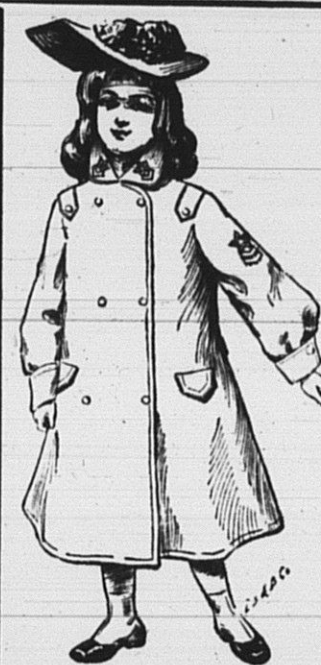
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Livestock	4 25
Live Hogs	3 to 05
Lambs	07
Chickens, spring	07
Fowls	07
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HOUSE TO RENT—Corner of North and McKinley streets. Inquire of Mrs. Mary McNamara or Wm. Remnant.

TO RENT—A house and a coal stove for sale. Inquire of Dr. G. W. Palmer.

FARM FOR SALE—The William C. Green farm of 93 acres, 9 miles north west of Chelsea. Three good cows and quantity of fodder. \$2500.00, cash. Balance 5 per cent. Address, S. Stralsh, 702 Washington Arcade, Detroit, Mich. 41tf

WANTED—Bright business woman (home work) to distribute sample magazines and to compile an official census of magazines subscribed for. Steady employment. Salary at start \$15.00 per week. Experience unnecessary, but good references required. Address Sprague Wholesale Co., Magazine Dept., 270 Wabash Ave., Chicago.

NOTICE—480 acres of land either for sale, rent on shares or for cash rental. Situated 4 1/2 miles north of Chelsea. Inquire of J. S. Gorman.

ATHENAEUM

JACKSON, MICH.

Thursday, December 8,

J. H. STODDART

IN

"The Bonnie

Brier Bush."

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

Friday, December 9,

WARD & VOKES

IN

A Pair of Pinks

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

Saturday, Matinee Dec. 10

and Night, UNCLE HEZ

PRICES, Matinee, 10, 25, Night, 15, 25, 35, 50.

Sylvan Taxpayers.

The Sylvan tax roll for the year 1904 is now in my hands and I will be at my office, room 3 Kempf bank building, every Friday for the purpose of receiving said taxes.

W. F. RIEMENSCHNEIDER, Treasurer.