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COUNTY SCHOOL MEETING

Which All Interested in School Affairs Should Attend.

The Teachers, School Officers and Patrons Association will hold a meeting in the court room at Ann Arbor, Saturday of next week, Jan. 28, which it is hoped every teacher, school officer and many patrons of the Washtenaw county schools may attend.

The executive committee consisting of President L. H. Jones, of the State Normal College, Superintendent H. M. Slason, of the Ann Arbor high school, J. K. Campbell, Ypsilanti, J. L. Markley, U. of M., and County School Commissioner C. E. Foster, Chelsea, have endeavored to arrange a program that will interest every teacher in the rural schools as well as those in the graded schools. Everything possible will be done to make the meeting a success. Sessions will be held both morning and afternoon and the following interesting program will be rendered:

MORNING SESSION, 10:30.
Music.
"Some Possible Advantages of a Rural School," George Reber, Ph. D. U. of M.
Third Grade Reading Class, from Dis. No. 3 tr., Pittsfield, Miss Edna B. Smith, teacher.

AFTERNOON SESSION, 1:30.
Music.
"How to Make the Immediate Surroundings of a District School Helpful in Teaching Elementary Geography," Prof. M. S. W. Jefferson, State Normal School.
"A Geography Lesson," Miss May L. Cody and class, Ann Arbor schools.
"A Few Points in Law," Martin J. Cavanaugh, Member of Board of Examiners. A discussion will follow each subject.
The subject "A few points in law" will be of special interest to school officers.

German Workingmen's Society.

The annual meeting of the German Workingmen's Society was held Monday evening, Jan. 16. The reports of the officers showed the affairs of the society to be in an extra good condition. Fifteen new members were added during the past year. The society lost two members by death. The local society paid four death claims during the year, on two members and two wives of members. The officers elected for the current year are:

President—Michael Staffan.
Vice president—Charles Kaercher.
Secretary—Israel Vogel.
Treasurer—Jacob Heffer.
Secretary of Sick Committee—Charles Neuburger.
Physician—Dr. Andros Gulde.
Trustees—For three years, Michael Merkel; for two years, Martin Eisele, jr.

On account of the general poor attendance at the regular meetings it was decided to inflict a fine of 25 cents on each member who does not appear on the annual meeting at least.

Our Rural Schools.

Prof. Delos Fall in his report as state superintendent of public instruction just issued says:

1. That the cost per capita for teaching the common branches in the small rural schools is greater than in the city and village schools.
2. That not one-third as large a proportion of the pupils in rural schools complete the eighth grade, or, in other words, receive a common school education, as in the incorporated village schools.

As remedies for correcting these conditions he suggested that public sentiment be aroused to the necessity for better teachers, the enforcement of the compulsory school law, and that schools having less than 25 pupils on the census list be consolidated with schools of adjoining districts.

Last week the Herald said the Northwestern Washtenaw Farmers' Mutual Fire Insurance Co. had had a net decrease of \$55,575 during the year. This statement was wrong, the net decrease was \$24,579, as there was \$30,996 taken out in new policies. The cost of insurance in the company last year was very light, being about 60 cents on a \$1,000. The liabilities of the company were only \$314.10.

HAD A PROSPEROUS YEAR.

Northwestern Washtenaw Mutual's Affairs Are in Good Shape.

The annual meeting of the Northwestern Washtenaw Farmers' Mutual Fire Insurance Co. held at the town hall, Chelsea, Wednesday, Jan. 18, was fairly well attended.

The report of the secretary showed the affairs of the company in good condition. The total liabilities during the year past amounted to \$314.10, and an assessment of \$1 per \$1,000 was on motion ordered to be levied on the capital stock.

The officers elected were John Clark, of Lyndon, president, Geo. T. English, of Sylvan, secretary, George Gage director for Sylvan, and W. B. Collins for Lyndon.

On motion a board of auditors to audit the books and accounts of the company was chosen, Alonzo Olsaver, of Webster, for one year, N. W. Laird, of Sylvan, for two years.

A resurvey of all the risks by the directors was ordered to be made, to be completed by the middle of April.

A Half Year's Criminal Record.

Ex-Prosecuting Attorney Duffy has filed the report for the last six months of his term of office and as with the two previous ones the record shows that during the period there was not an acquittal registered against him.

During the half year there were 485 prosecutions, of which 457 were convicted, 6 discharged on payment of costs, 19 nolle prossed, and 3 discharged on examination. Drunkenness was the most frequent cause of arrest, there being 306 cases of that character—290 common, 13 drunkard and tippler, and 3 on second offense of the latter—while there were 86 vagrants.

The other cases recorded were: Assault and battery, 17; assault with intent to do bodily harm, 5; larceny, 31; cruelty to animals, 1; arson, 1; bastardy, 1; burglary, 1; carrying concealed weapons, 2; common prostitute, 1; non-support, 4; false pretenses, 1; violation of game laws, 3; defrauding hotel keeper, 1; indecent language in presence of women, 5; indecent liberties with child, 1; violation of liquor law, 4; malicious injury to property, 3; breaking into freight car, 1; rape, 1; disturbing religious meeting, 1; slander, 1; surety of the peace, 2; threats, 1; truancy, 1.

During the four years Mr. Duffy has been prosecutor there have been 3,965 prosecutions, 3,697 convictions, 10 acquittals, 77 discharged on payment of costs, 126 nolle prossed, 21 discharged on examination, and 34 escaped and settled. In 339 cases the costs were paid and \$1,956 has been collected in fines.

The Late Patrick Murphy.

The death of Patrick Murphy, who died at Jackson Jan. 9 after a week's illness from smallpox, aged 24 years, was a great shock to his relatives and friends. He is survived by his mother Mrs. P. Murphy, of this place, four sisters, Mrs. Clyde Beeman, of Waterloo, Mrs. Frank Jones, of Lafayette, Ind., Mrs. Joseph Remnant, of Jackson, and Agnes, of Chelsea, and three brothers, Thomas, of Sylvan, James, of Detroit, and Arthur, who lives at home. The deceased was well liked among his many friends who sympathize with his family in the sad nature of his death. The remains were interred in the Catholic cemetery at Jackson.

Eugene Helber, editor of the Washtenaw Post, Ann Arbor, has begun suit for \$10,000 against Prof. E. A. Lyman, professor of mathematics in the State Normal at Ypsilanti. Helber was thrown from his bicycle June 1 last by coming into collision with an automobile driven by Prof. Lyman, and the bicycle was smashed, the editor receiving a broken collar bone, two broken ribs and other injuries. Helber claims \$100 for damage to the wheel, \$100 for doctor's bills, and the remaining \$9,800 is for injuries to his feelings and business interests.

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Young Kingdon Gould should be earnestly advised not to shoot as long as he can run.

A Jersey hen that had lost her cackle has developed a crow. There is hope for Patti.

It is found to be much harder to exterminate the German carp than it was to germinate it.

A New York judge decided against a man suing for a dog bite. Every dog has his day in court.

If any motion is needed, we move that the Chadwick matter be laid on the table for a few days.

Much may be forgiven the inventor of that thinking machine if he doesn't develop it into a talking machine.

There be two individuals who cannot be reasoned with—a girl in love and a man who is determined to run for an office.

The average woman thinks it's just horrid if her husband is jealous of her, and just horrid if he isn't, so there you are.

A man who thinks he understands women is just as likely as not to invest his money in a perpetual motion invention.

No doubt poor old Franz Joseph of Austria sympathizes with the czar in the latter's resolve not to add a parliament to his troubles.

John Barrett says shirts cost \$13 apiece in Panama. Still, for most Panamanians a shirt constitutes approximately a suit of clothes.

The United States has thirteen battleships in commission—a very unlucky number for any nation that is rash enough to run up against them.

Dr. Spitzka now announces that Lombroso has given to the world only a "hodgepodge of generalities." And \$7,912 sensational Sunday stories, doctor.

The explosion of that Galesburg woman's false teeth marks the advent of a new terror. To their well known falsity such teeth have begun to add treachery.

It is just beginning to be understood by some people that it will be impossible to dig the Panama canal and have it full of water inside of two or three months.

If Tow Lawson is patronizing a clipping bureau there is a prospect that he may be driven into bankruptcy when confronted by the necessity for paying the bill.

George Meredith says America has not produced one great man of letters. Evidently he hasn't heard of the Ohio sign painter who recently was victorious in a pugilistic contest.

Edmund Russell has a series of rules on "How to Get Rid of a Lover." We select the most cogent: "Never laugh when he laughs." That is enough for any girl to work on.

First cabin rates to Europe are to be made \$10 higher. That, however, will not be serious. The important thing is to have money enough to get back after one has reached Europe.

A Cincinnati man is mourning the loss of a sample case of Bibles which was stolen from a saloon. So far no reports have been received of anybody stealing a case of whiskey from a church.

Representative Henry proposes a bill to prevent rural free delivery carriers from "carrying packages more than six feet in length." The package should not be more than six fingers deep, either.

The world isn't informed exactly what progress Mr. Andrew Carnegie is making in his noble effort to save the disgrace of dying rich, but his gift of \$1,000,000 to St. Louis for a library will help some.

Cincinnati has a citizen 110 years old who walks three blocks every day to a saloon. He must be fond of exercise. There is no place in the city where he would have to go so far if he didn't want to.

However, the London Lancet's learned opinion to the effect that turkey is a superior food was unnecessary. In his own unsentimental fashion the average American had groped his way to the same great truth.

The clergyman who recently bought more than \$4,000,000 worth of New York real estate appears to have a shrewd suspicion that it is not so difficult for a camel to go through the eye of a needle as it is cracked up to be.

New York has an employer in court charged with working children 68 hours in a six-day week, paying them \$3 for the week, and docking them 10 cents for talking and 2 cents for being five minutes late. Is there any shame left in New York?

THE MICHIGAN NEWS

Showing What's Doing in All Sections of the State

HOFFMAN GETS FOUR YEARS.

Sheriff-elect of Wayne County Convicted of Felony

Sheriff-elect John T. Hoffmann, of Wayne county, has been convicted on a charge of getting money from the state of Michigan by false pretenses in "state cases," while acting in his capacity of coroner.

The jurors were out 31 hours and 17 minutes.

The Sealed Package.

In the investigation of the death of N. S. Phelps, the Battle Creek financier, a package of papers labeled "To be opened after my death" was expected to enlighten the coroner's jury. Mrs. Phelps testified:

"My attention was first called to the package of papers when I found them the next morning after my husband's disappearance. When I found them among his papers.

"The package contained mostly insurance papers and receipts. It contained no personal communications to me or to any members of the family. The insurance policies were made to me. They were straight life insurance. I opened the package Friday evening, on my return from New York, where a telegram apprised me of the finding of the body. When I returned I quietly opened the package.

"There was nothing in the package that would throw any light upon, or clear up the mystery of his death. I have received no personal letters addressed to him since his disappearance, and none of any importance. The accident policy for \$10,000 was taken out Aug. 30, 1904, on the Employers Liability Association of London, Eng. The premium was paid up for one year."

Governor's Appointments.

On Wednesday evening Governor Warner sent those appointments to the senate for confirmation:

For railroad commissioner for two years, beginning January 1, 1905, T. W. Atwood, of Caro.

For inspector-general, for same two years, Carl A. Wagner, of Port Huron.

For quartermaster-general, same two years, J. H. Kidd, of Ionia.

For adjutant-general, same two years, W. T. McGurran, of Grand Rapids.

For insurance commissioner, for the two years beginning July 1, 1905, Jas. V. Barry, of Lansing.

For dairy and food commissioner, for two years, beginning January 1, 1905, Arthur C. Bird, of Lansing.

F. H. Fletcher, of Bay City, is to be deputy labor commissioner, in place of Malcolm J. McLeod, of Detroit, who is to be the head of the labor department.

E. A. Wilkey, of Van Buren, former land commissioner, will succeed John Porter, of Saginaw, as salt inspector, Porter having been elected to a city office.

Lived to Be One Hundred.

Louis La Ponce is dead at Baraga at the age of 100 years. He was one of Baraga county's oldest residents, and his death recalls the story of the murder of Henry Hebard, who lived at Ripley, a suburb of Hancock, for which crime La Ponce was tried and convicted in the circuit court, Judge O'Grady, whose death occurred many years ago, sentenced him to life imprisonment in the Jackson penitentiary, where he remained until the latter part of Gov. Begole's term of office. In 1884, when he was paroled by that official, since which time La Ponce has led a rather quiet and secluded life at the Indian mission near Baraga, where death occurred.

Permanent Location.

The fifty-sixth annual fair of the Michigan State Agricultural society will be held in Detroit, beginning September 11, 1905. This decision was reached at a meeting of the new board of directors held in Pontiac, Tuesday. There was some objection on the part of those opposed to the Detroit location, but it was a clear case of majority rule and the new board had not been in session but a short time before it was evident that the next fair will be in Detroit, and the directors say that this time it is a permanent location.

Shot Three Hunters.

Tony Diebold, a saloonkeeper of West Branch, accidentally fired a load of shot that hit William Close, Wm. Schultz and Sidney McElaine, while the quartet were hunting rabbits. Close received a few shot in the arm. McElaine was hit thrice in the nose, and Schultz was badly peppered in the back. Schultz may not recover. Diebold did not know how he shot, but evidently was trying to load his repeater when he pulled it off, as the empty shell was found in his gun.

Madden Will Not Resign.

Rumor had it that Edwin C. Madden, of Detroit, third postmaster general, is to follow Fourth Assistant Joseph L. Bristow's example and resign his office. The Detroit man is not going to resign. His relations with Postmaster General Wynne are cordial, as they are with the prospective Postmaster General Cortelyou.

Mr. Madden has a record for method. The department officials say, which has never been equaled.

Messenger Vote Close.

Forty-two ballots were necessary to decide which of the 14 presidential electors of Michigan should carry the vote of the state as cast for Roosevelt and Fairbanks to Washington, Philip McMillan, of Detroit, led at the start, but his support dwindled. Robert R. Loomis was next the favorite, but failed to score a winner. Finally, after hours, the choice fell on E. B. Foss, of Bay City, well known lumberman. The electors adopted a resolution expressing it as their opinion that their expenses in coming to Lansing should be provided for by the legislature.

STATE NEWS IN BRIEF.

Wexford county contemplates the erection of a \$25,000 court house. The supervisors of Kent county want the water deal cases stopped owing to the expense.

Figures compiled by a Marshall paper show that there are 499 unmarried women in that city.

The mid-winter meeting of the joint boards of trustees of Michigan insane asylums will be held at Kalamazoo, January 19.

The position of woman physician on the staff of the asylum in Pontiac has been tendered to Dr. Elizabeth Morse, of Baltimore, Md.

Wolves are increasing rapidly about Calumet and kill more deer than hunters do. The board of supervisors has increased the bounty on them to \$25.

Thomas Primrose, brother of the well-known minister, George Primrose, has lain in a hospital in Port Huron for 20 years, suffering with locomotor ataxia.

The senior literary class, Ann Arbor, voted to have a portrait of Prof. R. N. Wenley painted by Percy Ives and presented to the university as a class memorial.

Lacy A. Streeter, of St. Johns, has been awarded \$4,247.50 against the Pere Marquette railroad for injuries sustained in the collision at Paris in December, 1903.

Four men were killed instantly, and two others severely injured in a shaft which is being sunk at Glenn Falls branch of the Ontonagon river by the Victoria mine for the hydraulic power plant.

The following Michigan items are included in an omnibus claims bill reported to the senate: G. R. & I. railroad, \$1,830, for carrying mail; Minnie H. Dewall, \$1,591; J. E. Read, administrator, \$25.50.

The bank certificates which were stolen from Paquinia Spatofore, a Pontiac fruit dealer, by a strange Italian, on Dec. 27, have been returned to the First Commercial bank, having been cashed in Loganport, Ind.

The superintendents of the poor of Calhoun county did not have to ask for an appropriation this year, as the saloonkeepers' tax amounts to \$19,810.74, which is sufficient to support all the insane and poor in the county.

With a sob in his voice and begging the privilege of rocking the baby, William H. Pierce, of Kalamazoo, who had been restrained from visiting his home pending divorce proceedings, was taken back and forgiven by his wife.

Two large barns and sheds on the C. Croley farm, two miles south of Thornville, were totally destroyed by fire. Wm. Swain, the tenant, lost 35 tons of hay, 600 bushels of oats, his entire crop of beans and his farm tools, etc.

That 100,000 men are out of work in New York, that the hospitals are overcrowded and that there is greater destitution than at any time since 1893 is the astounding assertion of Immigration Commissioner Sargent.

Michigan's senators, it is said, will have a hard time holding the place now occupied by Henry M. Rose, as assistant secretary of the senate, when he retires to become collector at Grand Rapids. The job pays \$3,250 a year.

The main feature of Governor LaFollette's message, which he read personally to the Wisconsin legislature, was a demand for an appointive freight-rate commission, the last of the big reforms asked by the governor.

Four men were convicted in Monroe of destroying muskrat houses and were fined \$5 each or 20 days in jail. They took the latter. From 40 to 50 rats live in one house, and when it is destroyed they are driven into the river and are drowned under the ice.

Alfred Dakenkolb, formerly of Northport, and later of Traverse City, is wanted by the German consul. He has fallen heir to a large estate in Germany. When 5 years old, Alfred's father killed the mother and then committed suicide, leaving Alfred an orphan.

A searching party of 100 farmers has been organized to search for Eddie Weeks, an 18-year-old boy who has been missing from Bennington since Dec. 20. It is alleged that on that date he was severely whipped by his foster parents for getting drunk on hard cider that he found in the cellar.

Buried in a snow drift, a G. R. & I. train drawn by two engines slowed down, and on going forward to find the cause, the conductor saw the engine vanishing in the distance. They went 12 miles before they discovered they had left the train behind them. The passengers were nearly frozen.

Stories to the effect that the interurban electric line is hurting the town of Marshall, that a number of merchants are going out of business, and that the plant of the Marshall Furnace Co., which employs over 100 men, and also the D. T. & M. shops are utterly without foundation.

That \$50,000 which Philip Bennett, of Connecticut, left to William Jennings Bryan, but which the latter has been unable to collect, is having another whirl in the courts, Bryan having appealed to the supreme court of Connecticut on the ground that the superior court erred in not admitting in evidence the sealed letter to the widow which directed the bequest.

Mr. and Mrs. Chase S. Osborn, of Saint Ste. Marie, will sail by the Pacific Mail and Oceanic line from San Francisco for New Zealand, stopping en route in Hawaii and Samoa. From there they will go to Australia, the Philippines, China and Japan. In New Zealand Mr. Osborn expects to study the effect of the economical and political reforms that are being experimented with there, such as the arbitrary wage and the eight-hour law.

Action has finally been taken in the matter of the Elmdale wreck on the Pere Marquette on Nov. 16, and the responsibility will, if possible, be placed on Engineer Kelleher.

THE LEGISLATURE.

Work of the Session Now On

In the senate some of the older members, in discussing the committees, have noticed that the twelve old members have not all drawn important committees. Newer members have been located where some of the stalwarts of the legislature wished to be. But Detroit is congratulated on the committees to which her senators were assigned.

The discussion of the committees of the senate is general, in the house it settles around the committee on elections, of which Rep. Stone, of Lenawee, a primary reformer, is chairman. An informal poll was taken of the members yesterday, and it was found that nine of them were in favor of some kind of a local option scheme, while two were declared for a "state-wide" bill. Several members of the committee have bills in preparation.

That struggles are coming on the subject of taxation, primary reform, or rather methods of nominating candidates, and so-called home rule are evident, though the primary matter is not clearly definite at the present time. Economy is a watchword and all seem to be imbued with it. If the members of the two houses do business promptly and are economical without parsimony, the record will be novel as well as satisfactory. The question is: Will it be a short and economical session?

Something will be done to abolish junkies, as they have been made heretofore. It is talked that the committees for various institutions can inspect them—each committee going to only the institution whose affairs it has in charge and pass directly on its needs, the cutting to be done before the ways and means committee. But there is the lobby which is sure to be large, aggressive and insistent. Yet it may be set back and there is an undercurrent in the direction of more strenuous opposition to the log rolling than has been met for several years.

Senator Van Allen's bill to enlarge the capital by additions or other buildings at an expense of \$450,000, to be raised in taxes during the next three years, aroused discussion, but there was not any particular interest manifested for the passage of the bill.

At sessions of the two branches on Wednesday evening the standing committees were named. In the make-up of the senate committees Senator Baird, of Saginaw, again heads the committee on elections, which will handle any primary election bill that will come up. Helme and Jenks, the other two members, are new members. Senator Moriarty succeeds Senator Doherty as chairman of the railroads committee, and the latter is chairman of the committee on state affairs. The committee on taxation is made up as follows: Jones, Smith, Doherty, Glasgow and Martindale. Among the house committees, at least on railroads consists of Read, Higgins, Thomas, Gordon, Knight, Prosser, Bunting, O. H. Adams, Mapes.

Bills that come up and suspension of the rules is asked to pass them will not be railroaded through. Two local fisheries bills brought in Thursday with request to suspend the rules and pass them failed to get consideration till they come up in regular order.

Rep. Stone of Lenawee introduced the retiring dairy and food commissioner's bill for strengthening the powers and extending the duties of this department. The bill passed the house two years ago.

Rep. Deal introduced a bill to regulate pharmacy, an entirely new piece of legislation, to give the commission more power to punish violators, to require registration and to stamp out the sale of liquor.

An echo of the water scandal trials is heard in the bill of Rep. Mapes of Kent, providing that the jury list in that county be kept secret from all.

Rep. Higgins of Cass has a bill to make the office of tax commissioner elective, one commissioner supervising all the county assessors.

That some railroad legislation is coming now seems assured, so that railroads will give concessions to shippers in the matter of furnishing cars and switching charges, and to the public at large in passenger rates. Bills covering these matters are being held back just at present, as the abrogation of the 60-day limit for introduction of bills makes haste unnecessary. Such bills are coming, and there is a feeling that they will be fair to the railroads as well as the public. It is also hinted that steps will be taken to bring about a settlement of the pending tax suits between the state and the roads that some, at least, of the vast amount may get into the treasury.

Woman suffrage is a matter likely to come up. Mrs. Bliss, wife of the ex-governor, has sent letters to the legislators asking these questions: "What is your attitude towards woman suffrage? Do you favor it? An early reply is requested." Some smile over the subject and are skeptical of any results from the introduction of such a measure.

A measure providing for the inspection of gasoline is coming, as there is widespread complaint of the quality now sold. Other states impose regulations for the sale of gasoline, and why should it not be done in Michigan. Some aver that this regulation would bring in a matter of \$10,000 or more in fees to the state.

A resolution calling for a special election to vote on the matter of a general revision of the constitution is to be introduced by Senator Fyfe of Grand Rapids.

Rep. Waters introduced a bill to amend the game laws. The bill collects all game laws into one and adjusts them. It protects quail for four years.

Rep. Holmes of Gladist introduced a bill to provide for the state registration of motor vehicles and drivers.

Rep. Canfield introduced another bill against the "double tax" on mortgages.

The Grand Rapids association of retail butchers propose to build a large packing house that will provide a market for all the live stock of northern Michigan.

The Civic Improvement society, of Ypsilanti, will ask the council to appropriate \$2,500 to buy more land for the Normal. Last fall an additional 10 acres was purchased and the society feels that the grounds should be still further enlarged while land is still comparatively cheap.

NEWS OF THE WORLD

A Brief Chronicle of All Important Happenings

Deal With Freight Rates.

President Roosevelt continued his conference with members of congress on the subject of tariff revision and of the powers of the interstate commerce commission. One statement which stands out almost with the pre-eminence of an official announcement, is that unless congress, at the present session, should enact legislation looking to a regulation of railroad freight rates, an extraordinary session of the fifty-ninth congress will be called by the president to deal with that problem.

The president regards the interstate commerce question as the paramount issue now before the American people. At the conference last Saturday he informed those whom he had summoned into consultation that, in his judgment, the question of railroad freight rates was far more important than that of the tariff and that while he desired a readjustment of the existing customs duties, he would not permit any radical differences in the Republican party on that question.

He said definitely that he would call an extraordinary session of congress to consider interstate commerce legislation unless definite action were taken by congress on the subject at the present session. At that session he hoped, tariff revision also might be accomplished.

Gen. Stoessel at Nagasaki.

A dispatch from Nagasaki, Japan, says: The Japanese transport Kamakura has arrived from Port Dalry, Jan. 11, with Gen. Stoessel and Mme. Stoessel, two of the Russian commander's personal staff, seven others, two ladies and six orphan children were landed in three steam launches at the Inasa Jetty, where they were received by a guard of 50 police and several officers of gendarmes.

The Russian general was attired in a gray travelling overcoat and wore his sword. He looked well and walked with a stately step.

Some dozens of Russian officers, finding that their late chief was arriving, ran up from all directions and saluted in respectful silence. The party then entered the house. The closing act of the great drama caused a feeling of sadness which was not dispelled by the glorious weather, beautiful surroundings and kind reception accorded to the Russians by the Japanese.

Louise Michel Dead.

Louise Michel, prominent as a communist and revolutionary agitator for the last 35 years, died yesterday in Marseilles, aged 75. She had been ill for the past year with tuberculosis. Known as "the red virgin" and "the Petrovna," Louise Michel from her youth devoted herself to the anarchist cause, and in her younger days made no secret of her belief in assassination. She is said to have declared that only lack of opportunity prevented her killing Napoleon III. With years came discreation, however, and lately she has been strongly opposed to physical force. Born in the chateau of Broncourt in 1823, she was the illegitimate daughter of a chambermaid and the son of M. de Mally.

Outrage Failed.

An unsuccessful attempt was made Tuesday by one or more civilians, to blow up the statue of Frederick the Great, recently presented to this government by the emperor of Germany, and now standing in the war college grounds, Washington.

A charge of explosives with lighted fuse was attached to the fence surrounding the statue, but was removed by an employee before it exploded. No damage resulted to the statue or to property or persons.

Prompt measures were taken to detain the perpetrators of the crime before they left the grounds, but they did not succeed.

The Spoil in Port Arthur.

The Japanese legation has received a cablegram from Tokio saying that Gen. Nogti reports that the delivery at Port Arthur has been completed. It includes the following:

Permanent forts, 56; guns, 546, of which 54 are of large caliber, 149 of medium caliber and 343 of small caliber; cannon balls, 82,670; ammunition, 30,000 kilos; rifles, 35,252; horses, 1,920; battleships, four, except Sevastopol, which is entirely sunk; cruisers, two; gunboats and destroyers, 14; steamers, 10, etc., besides small steamers, 25 of which will be serviceable after little repairs.

Windor's Escape.

Windor was searched Tuesday noon by the worst fire in her history, and one that had every chance of spreading over a wide area had it not been for the assistance given by the Detroit fireboat James Battle, which ran up alongside the coal dock and pumped whole drenching floods on the fire, bringing it under control about 12:30 o'clock, at a loss of about \$80,000.

Father Ducey Rests Standard Oil Co.

Asserting that the greatest of today's dangers is that from trusts and monopolies, which are crimes against God's bounty, the Rev. Thomas J. Ducey, preaching in St. Leo's Catholic church, New York, made a fiery attack on John D. Rockefeller and the Standard Oil Co.

Gov. Chamberlain, of Oregon, asks for a law establishing a whipping post for law breakers.

Owing to strikes 10,000 mechanics and their families face starvation in New York, breadwinners being out of work.

NATIONAL CAPITAL NOTES.

Breeze in the House.

The impeachment charges against Judge Charles Swayne, of Florida, caused a dramatic scene in the house Thursday. Mr. Littlefield, of Maine, called on Mr. Lamar, of Florida, who filed the charges against the judge, to admit or repudiate an alleged interview which the former claimed tended to incite the people to commit an act of violence against Judge Swayne.

Lamar admitted giving an interview, but emphatically denied any suggestion from him that could be construed into advising assassination or murder. He said that although Judge Swayne was known to be the most lawless man in Florida, he had remained secure from bodily harm.

Lamar declared he stated in the interview "that if nothing appealed to Judge Swayne, neither law nor humanity, in his own lawless career, then I would point out to him the fact that his arbitrary and tyrannical action might result in some ill-ordered brain or some revengeful brain that suffered at his hands inflicting violence upon him."

Littlefield said it grieved him profoundly that a member of the house had preached "incitement to assassination and murder."

"I deny any suggestion of violence to Judge Swayne," exclaimed Lamar, who further said that if anyone used his language in the interview to impute that he suggested violence to Judge Swayne he would denounce it as a malicious falsehood.

The gross postal receipts for the 50 largest postoffices in the country for December, 1904, as compared with December, 1903, show a net increase of about 9 per cent.

From the committee on forest reservations, Senator Kittredge reported a bill transferring the control of forest reservations from the interior to the agricultural department.

Chief Wilkie, of the United States secret service, announces the appearance of a new and very deceptive counterfeit \$2 certificate. The note is of the series of 1890. License, register, Roberts, treasurer.

The president transmitted to the senate a recommendation from the secretary of state for the establishment of a district court of the United States for China and Korea, together with bills intended to carry the recommendation into effect. The letter of Secretary Hay says the present consular courts are inadequate.

In a message to congress, transmitting the first annual report of the Panama canal commissioners and a report from Secretary Taft on Panama affairs, the president asks that legal restrictions be removed and he be given free hand to deal with work on the canal. For reasons of expedience he urged that the canal commission be reduced to five, of preferable three members.

Pension legislation at the rate of 439 bills in 108 minutes was indulged in by the house Saturday, the result being the smashing of all previous records of the house as to legislative activity. The beneficiaries of five of the bills have died since their relief measures have been on the house calendar. A widow of the war of 1812, Mrs. Rachel H. Coleman, of Chicago, was given an increase of pension to \$24 per month. When the pension list had been ground unanimous consent legislation held sway for nearly an hour, and not a measure presented under this head came under the ban of objection.

The house committee on Indian affairs has completed the Indian appropriation bill. It carries a total of \$7,244,206. The appropriation for the current year is \$9,878,480.

The house committee on appropriations reported the pension appropriation bill carrying \$128,250,100. This is \$110,000 less than the current appropriation. The payment of surgeon's fees is cut \$100,000, and the amount for the payment of pensions is made \$137,000,000, instead of \$137,038,000 appropriated for the current year. The bill contains no new legislation.

A minority report signed by the Democratic members of the house committee on appropriations was filed today on the pension appropriation bill. The minority views oppose "legislation order No. 73," providing for the payment of pensions to old soldiers who have reached the age of 62 years. In order, the report states, has resulted in a demand from the commissioner of pensions for a deficiency appropriation of \$4,500,000. Under this order the number of claims filed, according to the commissioner's testimony before the committee, number 48,862. Of these 30,000 have been allowed. The commission was unable to estimate the amount the order would cost during the next year.

After the passage of the omnibus claims bill and fixing January 28 for the delivery of addresses in memory of the late Senator Hoar, the senate devoted Monday to the statement of Mr. Morgan spoke for two hours against the bill.

CONDENSED NEWS.

The tangible property of Mrs. Chas. Wick so far rounded up. Receiver Lester says, ought to bring \$100,000, sold.

Edward Halliwell, of Pentwater while eating raw oysters, bit on hard substance, which proved to be pearl worth \$50.

B. J. Williams, Sharon, Pa., broken a 60-day fast undertaken to cure dyspepsia. He says his disease well and he expects to be up

War in the East Has Occupied the Center of the World's Stage During the Twelve Months Just Ended—Progress of Arbitration—Commercial Prosperity of the United States a Gratifying Feature—Railroad Disasters Serious—Enormous Increase in Farm Wealth—Notable Names in the List of Those Numbered With the Dead.

Arbitration Makes Progress.
Though war waged throughout the year the cause of peace was advanced by the adoption of many important international arbitration treaties. The first of these agreements was that between Great Britain and France, signed Oct. 14, 1903. All the others are based upon the same model and are couched in almost the same words. In the course of the year treaties of arbitration were arranged between the United States and

by the promoters. The decision regarding the Northern Securities Company was affirmed by the United States Supreme court in March, putting an end to the particular kind of combination. The union of railroads in regard to rates was the subject of much comment after the president's message to congress was published. Legislation by congress giving the interstate commerce commission power to enforce its rate decisions was strongly urged in many quarters, and the indications are that this ques-

The year 1901 has been one of usual activity and prosperity in our foreign commerce. While the exports fall slightly below those of 1900 and

There is real loss in the passing
such men as Henry M. Stanley, I
cadio Hearne, William Vernon Harco

of miles, 2:39 4-5; four miles, 3:55; seven
of miles, 4:09; six miles, 5:22 4-5; seven
of miles, 6:15 4-5; eight miles, 7:09 1
of nine miles, 8:04.

ate to \$326,000. The vote stood 23

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TIME TABLES.

D., Y., A. A. & J. RY

Taking effect Nov. 28, 1904.

Local car leaves Chelsea for Detroit at 6:39 a.m. and every two hours thereafter until 10:39 p.m.

Special car leaves Chelsea for Detroit at 7:29 a.m. and every two hours thereafter until 9:29 p.m.

Local car leaves Chelsea for Jackson at 7:50 a.m. and every two hours thereafter until 11:50 p.m.

Special car leaves Chelsea for Jackson at 8:59 a.m. and every two hours thereafter until 10:59 p.m.

Special cars carry a Blue Sign by day and a Blue Light by night.

Special cars for the accommodation of private parties may be arranged for at the Manager's Office, Ypsilanti.

Cars run on standard time.

On Sundays cars leave terminals one hour later.

SALINE DIVISION.

Cars leave Ypsilanti daily, except Sunday at 6:15, 8:15, 10:15 a.m., 12:15, 2:15, 4:15, 6:15, 8:15, 11:15 p.m.

Cars leave Ypsilanti Sundays at 6:45, 8:45, 10:45 a.m., 1:45, 3:45, 5:45, 7:45, 9:45 p.m.

A special car will be run from Ypsilanti to Saline at 12:15 midnight, on arrival of theater car from Detroit, for special parties of ten or more, on short notice and without extra charge.

MICHIGAN CENTRAL

"The Niagara Falls Route."

Time table taking effect Nov. 28, 1904.
90th MERIDIAN TIME.

Passenger trains on the Michigan Central Railroad will leave Chelsea station as follows:

GOING EAST.

No. 8—Detroit Night Express... 5:38 A.M.
No. 36—Atlantic Express... 8:20 A.M.
No. 12—Grand Rapids Express... 10:40 A.M.
No. 2—Mail and Express... 3:15 P.M.

GOING WEST.

No. 5—Mail and Express... 8:35 A.M.
No. 21—Det., Chi., & G. R. Lim. 10:20 A.M.
No. 13—Grand Rapids Express... 6:45 P.M.
No. 37—Pacific Express... 10:52 P.M.

Nos. 36 and 37 stop only to let passengers on or off.

W. T. GAUQUE, Agent, Chelsea.
D. W. BRUGGLES, General Passenger and Ticket Agent, Chicago.



AND STEAMSHIP LINES.

TIME TABLE

Taking effect Dec. 4, 1904.

Trains leave Ann Arbor by Central Standard time.

SOUTH. NORTH.

No. 6, 8:06 A.M. No. 1, 9:05 A.M.
No. 2, 11:35 A.M. No. 3, 4:50 P.M.
No. 4, 8:15 P.M. No. 5, 8:37 P.M.

Nos. 1 and 2 through trains daily except Sunday.

No. 5 daily except Sunday between Toledo and Owasco.

No. 1 has a free chair car Toledo to Frankfort.

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THURSDAY, J. NUARY 19, 1905.

Congressman Joseph B. Fordney, of Bay county, is a candidate for United States senator, to succeed General R. A. Alger.

The mayor of Mt. Clemens will hereafter have members of the common council arrested unless they attend the meetings of the council better than they have been doing.

The state legislature has passed a joint resolution that the house and senate support President Roosevelt in his interstate commerce fight and instruct Michigan congressmen to aid him. The senate has not yet acted on the resolution.

A fight is being put up to have Detroit adopt the common sense standard time, instead of having to go by two times, local and standard. There are other places besides Detroit that should adopt standard time in Michigan and one of them is Chelsea.

With John T. Hoffman, Detroit's hoodling coroner and sheriff-elect, convicted of his crime and sentenced to four years in prison, the contest over who shall be the Republican nominee for sheriff to run at the spring election for the office has opened up in earnest and there are three men already in the field.

C. W. Post, the Postum Cereal millionaire of Battle Creek, who presided at a meeting of the People's Institute in co-operation with the Postal Progress League in New York Friday night, said in reference to the deficit in the U. S. postal department that \$40,000,000 was annually thrown away by the government in its transactions with the railroads. He has the papers prepared and will ask the supreme court at Washington for a restraining order to prevent Senator Thomas C. Platt from occupying his seat in the United States senate on the ground that he does not do his duty as a senator in accordance with his oath of office. Senator Platt draws two salaries—one as president of the United States Express Co., the other as senator—the express company's money acts as a bribe on him and holds him in line to keep from the people their rights and delivers them to the express companies and other private interests. The election of United States senators by popular vote is greatly needed.

Spoiled Her Beauty.

Harriet Howard, of 209 West 34th st., New York, at one time had her beauty spoiled with skin trouble. She writes: "I had Salt Rheum or Eczema for years, but nothing would cure it until I used Bucklen's Arnica Salve." A quick and sure healer for cuts, burns and sores. 25c at Glazier & Stimson's drug store.

Briefly Told Hard Luck Story.

The teacher of a primary grade in one of the public schools in the Eighteenth ward was made the confidant by a young pupil of the following hard luck story. The little chap is noted for a slowness of speech, which is offset, however, by a directness of statement that goes straight to the marrow of any subject. He said: "Mist J-o-n-e-s, pop wuz l-e-a-d-i-n' a horse l-a-s-t night, an' he dropped d-e-a-d."

"That's too bad, Johnnie. I—"

"Yes, m-am, an' he 'ad j-u-s' paid six-ty-ni-ne dollars fer 'im," interrupted and concluded the youngster.—Philadelphia Telegraph.

Heating Power of Coal.

The heating power of coal is measured by the amount of carbon contained in a ton or a pound. Anthracite coal is found in many countries, but it is only in the United States and in England that the article is high grade—92 per cent or better. Even our coal differs widely in its constitutional elements. One kind holds more ash than another. Still another variety holds more clinkers, in spite of repeated burnings. The best coal leaves no clinkers and makes very little ash.

Offers Gift to Dutch People.

Henri Willem Mesdag, the Holland painter, has decided to offer his world-famous collection of paintings to the Dutch people. The collection is valued at several million florins.

MORE LOCAL.

Chris. Schneider is now meat cutter at J. G. Adrien's meat market.

Grass Lake had one case of small-pox and it cost the village just \$11.06.

Born, Monday, Jan. 16, to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. R. Lehman, a 10 pound daughter.

The Michigan Central is harvesting its annual crop of ice at Shanghai pit near Ypsilanti.

Hay is scarce in the vicinity of Grass Lake and is being shipped in from the north at a cost to the consumer of about \$10.50.

A large quantity of excellent ice has been harvested and housed during the past two weeks by F. Staffon & Son, Adam Eppler, John Parker and others.

A. J. Sawyer, of Ann Arbor, and R. S. Armstrong left for Florida Monday to enjoy a rest from the vigorous climate of Michigan at this season of the year.

The D. Y. A. A. & J. have made a change in the running of the first morning special car going west. It has been made a local car running on the same time as the special car did.

Bill Peek, formerly of the Linden Leader, is about to start in the printing business for himself again in his old town of Fowlerville. So says the Linden Leader. Success to you, Bill.

The farmers in the legislature are after the automobile drivers, and want a law passed regulating the use of the vehicles on public highways. Representative Holmes, of Gratiot county, is the father of the bill.

The D. Y. A. A. & J. electric road has appealed the Sweetland case to the circuit court. Two head of cattle belonging to Frank H. Sweetland were killed by a car last July and the owner was given a judgment for \$90 in Justice Wood's court the other day.

Claude A. Porter, of Adrian, is the name of the young man who stood first in the examination for a cadetship at the United States training school at Annapolis held in Ann Arbor last Saturday. He is an orphan and has worked his way to the front by his own efforts.

A D. Y. A. A. & J. electric car jumped the track on Ten Eyck street, Jackson, Wednesday of last week and ran into the yard of a nearby house, almost up the big parlor window. No damage was done. Snow and ice accumulated on the rails was the cause of the trouble.

The Lake Shore Railroad Co. has issued an order to its employees that any attempt on the part of a creditor to attach an employee's wages will be sufficient cause for the discharge of the employee. All employees having assignments of salaries now outstanding will have until February 1 to clear them up.

Representative A. J. Waters' bill in the legislature regarding the taxation of mortgages is to this effect. If a piece of property is worth \$4,000 and there is a mortgage on it of \$3,000, to prevent double taxation the amount of the mortgage shall be deducted from the value of the land, making the taxes in the above case assessable on \$1,000 valuation.

Joseph M. Golden, the dramatic and humorous impersonator, will give one of his clever entertainments under the auspices of the L. C. B. A., at the Woodman hall, Saturday evening of next week, Jan. 28. Mr. Golden believes that the vast majority of people prefer to witness the bright and cheerful side of life, rather than the dreary and disagreeable, consequently his popular programs always contain character sketches, stories and other selections that never fail to amuse and instruct.

A. R. Welch, of Pontiac, formerly of this place, took one of the hand-somest automobiles to the great show which opened in New York Monday, that has ever been built. It was a Welch touring car. The wood-work of the machine was of solid mahogany, the works were all enclosed in plate glass so that every part was visible, and the cushions were upholstered in real morocco leather. The machine is valued at \$6,000. From New York it will be taken to Chicago. Mr. Welch's company now has orders for 65 of the cars.

A mortgage for \$60,000,000 from the Pere Marquette railroad to the Central Trust company, of New York, was filed in the register of deeds office Tuesday. The mortgage fills 48 printed pages, all of which will have to be copied in the records.

Judge Kinne has issued an order sustaining the will and codicil of Simon Weber, deceased, of this place. In the probate court the codicil was disallowed. The decision was the result of an amicable compromise between the sons and daughters of the deceased. The codicil which was the cause of the contest gave a house and lot in Chelsea to the sons, whereas the will provided that it should go to the daughters.

Deafness Cannot Be Cured

by local applications as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous services.

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REPORT OF THE CONDITION

OF THE

Kempf Commercial & Savings Bank

AT CHELSEA, MICH.

At the close of business, Jan. 11, 1905, as called for by the Commissioner of the Banking Department.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts..... \$ 56,311 78
Bonds, mortgages and securities..... 318,395 77
Premiums paid on bonds..... 928 62
Overdrafts..... 541 08
Banking house..... 7,000 00
Furniture and fixtures..... 1,500 00
Due from other banks and bankers..... 15,300 00
Items in transit..... 97 00
U. S. bonds..... \$ 5,500 00
Due from banks in reserve cities..... 33,376 35
U. S. and National bank currency..... 14,319 00
Gold coin..... 11,387 50
Silver coin..... 1,288 05
Nickels and cents..... 201 77
Checks, cash items, internal revenue account..... 264 84
Total..... \$466,411 76

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in..... \$ 40,000 00
Surplus..... 10,500 00
Undivided profits, net..... 2,608 92
Dividends unpaid..... \$ 436 00
Commercial deposits..... 32,471 94
Certificates of deposit..... 25,144 28
Cashier's checks..... 100 00
Savings deposits..... 327,384 95
Savings certificates..... 27,765 97
Total..... \$466,411 76

State of Michigan, County of Washtenaw, ss.

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

J. A. PALMER, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16th day of Jan., 1905.

H. D. WITHERELL, Notary Public.

My commission expires March 26, 1907.

Correct—Attest: H. S. HOLMES, GEO. A. BEGOLE, Edw. Vogel, Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION

OF

The Chelsea Savings Bank,

AT CHELSEA, MICH.

At the close of business, Jan. 11, 1905, as called for by the Commissioner of the Banking Department.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts..... \$184,456 28
Bonds, mortgages and securities..... 306,988 94
Premiums paid on bonds..... 140 00
Overdrafts..... 617 13
Banking house..... 30,000 00
Furniture and fixtures..... 9,833 09
Other real estate..... 4,000 00
U. S. bonds..... \$ 2,000 00
Due from banks in reserve cities..... 37,815 25
Exchanges for clearing house..... 5,744 83
U. S. and National bank currency..... 7,730 00
Gold coin..... 11,010 00
Silver coin..... 1,099 25
Nickels and cents..... 357 57
Checks, cash items, internal revenue account..... 763 41
Total..... \$602,555 75

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in..... \$ 60,000 00
Surplus fund..... 35,000 00
Undivided profits, net..... 6,007 33
Dividends unpaid..... \$ 314 00
Commercial deposits..... 71,170 09
Certificates of deposit..... 44,703 57
Savings deposits..... 238,359 88
Savings certificates..... 147,000 88
Total..... \$602,555 75

State of Michigan, County of Washtenaw, ss.

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

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16th day of Jan., 1905.

PAUL G. SCHAELE, Notary Public.

My commission expires January 18, 1908.

Correct—Attest: W. J. KNAPP, W. P. SCHENK, H. I. STIMSON, Directors.

If you want the news, told truthfully and without sensational embellishment, take the Chelsea Herald.

ANNUAL STATEMENT

For the year ending December 31, A. D. 1904, of the condition and affairs of the

Northwestern Washtenaw Farmers Mutual Fire Insurance Co.

Located at Chelsea, Washtenaw County, organized under the laws of the State of Michigan, and doing business in the County of Washtenaw in said State.

JOHN CLARK, President. GEO. T. ENGLISH, Secretary.
P. O. Address of President, Chelsea. P. O. Address of Secretary, Chelsea.

MEMBERSHIPS.

1 Number of members, December 31, of previous year..... 317
2 Number of members added during the present year..... 15
3 Total..... 332
4 Deduct number of members withdrawn during the year, and policies canceled by reason of sale or otherwise..... 38
5 Number of members now belonging to company 294

RISKS.

1 Amount of property at risk Dec. 31, of previous year..... \$527,136 00
2 Amount of risks added during the present year..... 30,996 00
3 Total..... 558,132 00
4 Deduct risks canceled, withdrawn or terminated..... 55,575 00
5 Net amount now at risk by company..... \$502,557 00

RESOURCES.

4 Cash on hand..... \$ 34 18
5 Assessments of past year uncollected..... 15 91
6 Assessments of prior years uncollected (carried inside) \$ 13 54
7 Nature and amount of all other resources, fees in hands of directors..... 22 57
8 Total available resources..... \$ 72 66

LIABILITIES.

1 For losses due and payable..... \$ 304 10
2 For losses not matured..... 10 00
5 Total liabilities..... \$ 314 10

RECEIPTS.

3 Cash collected on assessments levied during the year..... \$ 999 36
4 Cash collected on assessments levied in prior years..... 3 21
5 Cash from membership or policy fees..... 19 92
6 Cash from increased or decreased insurance..... 2 14
9 Total cash receipts..... \$ 1,024 63
10 Add cash balance at close preceding year..... 5 32
11 Total receipts..... \$ 1,029 95

DISBURSEMENTS.

1 Losses actually paid during the year (of which \$865.83 occurred in prior year)..... \$ 865 83
2 Salaries and fees paid to officers and directors (Schedule A)..... 73 50
3 Assessments charged off as uncollectable (carried inside) \$ 14 40
6 Cash paid on loans, overdraft, principal \$12.32, interest \$21.82..... 34 14
7 All other disbursements (Schedule B)..... 22 30
8 Total expenses actually paid during the year..... \$ 995 77

SCHEDULE A.

Name of Officer or Director to whom paid.
John Clark, president..... \$ 3 00
Geo. T. English, secretary..... 50 00
Chas. Rogers, director..... 5 25
C. D. Johnson, director..... 6 00
L. Easton, director..... 5 25
W. B. Collins, director..... 4 00

Total Schedule A..... \$73 50

SCHEDULE B.

Items of "All Other Expenses."
Postage..... \$ 5 80
Printing..... 9 75
Incidentals..... 6 75
Total Schedule B..... \$22 30

MISCELLANEOUS QUESTIONS.

1 How many assessments have been made during the year? Ans. One.
2 What is the amount of all the assessments made during the year? Ans. \$1,019.88.
3 What is the rate per cent of such assessments on the property insured? .002 per cent.
5 What amount was reassessed for assessments that were not paid? Ans. None.
6 What amount of losses or expenses are allowed to accumulate before an assessment is levied? Ans. Not stated.
7 Does the company, in making an assessment, provide therein for any surplus fund over the actual losses accrued? Yes. If so, how much? Ans. About \$200.00.
8 What is the aggregate valuation of real property insured by the company? Ans. \$502,567.00.
9 What proportion of damage or actual loss sustained on real property does the company pay? Ans. Two-thirds.
10 What is the aggregate valuation of personal property insured by the company? Ans. Not separated from real.
11 What proportion of damage or actual loss sustained on personal property does the company pay? Ans. Two-thirds.
12 Are all risks examined before written? Yes. By whom? Directors.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, ss.
County of Washtenaw.

John Clark, President, and Geo. T. English, Secretary of said Company, do, and each for himself doth depose and say, that they have read the foregoing statement, and know the contents thereof, and they have good reason to believe, and do believe said statement to be true.

JOHN CLARK, President.
GEO. T. ENGLISH, Secretary.
Sworn and subscribed to before me, at Chelsea, in said State and County, this seventh day of January, A. D. 1905.

HERBERT D. WITHERELL,
Notary Public Washtenaw County, Michigan.

My commission expires March 26, 1907.

STATISTICS OF LOSS.

July —. Damage to team and wagon, lightning..... \$ 10 00 Not adjusted.
Dec. 6. Personal, household goods, defective blue..... 456 16 Not matured.



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- 1 Child's Thimble
- 1 card Tiger Black Darning Cotton
- 1 Woman's Aluminum Thimble
- 3 papers Invisible Hairpins
- 1 bunch India Twilled Tape, all widths
- 5 very best Darning Needles
- 1 Woman's Gold Beauty Pin
- 1 piece Yellow Sewing Wax
- 1 good Lead Pencil with Eraser
- 3 papers good Wire Hairpins
- 1 box Jet Mourning Pins
- 1 Bone Crochet Hook

2c.

- 1 5c Curling Iron
- 1 dozen any size 2 hole Pearl Buttons
- 1 card good patent Hooks and Eyes
- 1 Honeycomb Bib
- 1 card good Nickel Safety Pins
- 1 Hairpin Cabinet
- 1 Darning Egg with Handle
- 1 60 inch Sateen Tape Measure
- 1 good small Curling Iron
- 1 dozen Jet Head Long Hairpins
- 1 Fringed Turkish Washcloth
- 1 spool best Coats' Blk Darn'g Cotton
- 1 Woman's Hemstitched Hd'f
- 1 dozen Men's Bone Collar Buttons
- 1 Woman's good Nickel Thimble
- 1 piece Chinese Ironing Wax
- 6 dozen Agate Buttons
- 1 5c box Flavored Wood Toothpicks
- 1 large box Shoe Blacking
- 1 fine Rubber Comb
- 1 White Lace Curtain Loop

3c.

- 1 large Turkish Washcloth
- 1 Woman's Fancy Bordered Hemstitched Handkerchief
- 1 piece Featherstitched Braid
- 1 Honeycomb Bib, lace edge
- 1 paper genuine English Pins
- 1 dozen Shell Hairpins
- 1 Man's Red Handkerchief
- 1 Scrub Brush
- 1 box Scotch Plaid Hairpins
- 1 Curling Iron
- 1 Tracing Wheel
- 1 Emery Bag
- 1 Man's Hemstitched Handkerchief

- 1 White Curtain Loop
- 1 Mending Tissue
- 1 dozen fine Pearl Buttons
- 1 Embroidery Hoop
- 1 cake "Savon Violet" Soap

4c.

- 1 cake Fairbanks' Fairy Soap
- 1 Woman's Pure Linen Hemstitched Handkerchief
- 1 large Nickel 10c Curling Iron
- 1 Man's Turkey Red Handkerchief
- 1 box "Blue Seal" Vaseline
- 1 box Talcum Powder
- 6 yards good Finishing Braid
- 1 dozen 5 inch Kid Curlers
- 1 fine Rubber Comb
- 1 7 inch Rubber Dressing Comb
- 6 Shell Hairpins
- 1 Man's Hemstitched White Hd'f
- 1 Man's Navy Blue Handkerchief
- 1 Asbestos Iron Holder
- 1 "Aer Cel" Turkish Washcloth
- 1 cube of Jet Pins
- 1 German Silver Thimble, size 8 to 11
- 1 pair Boy's Suspenders
- 1 Brass Extension Rod
- 1 dozen good Pearl Buttons, all sizes
- 1 500 yard spool Basting Cotton
- 1 set of 4 Gold Collar Buttons
- 1 cabinet Hairpins, 115 to box

8c.

- 1 large 15c Huck Towel
- 1 Man's Large Turkey Red Hd'f
- 1 10c Curling Iron
- 1 19c Wood Trim'd Oak Curt'n Pole
- 1 Metal Back Horn Comb
- 1 15c White Celluloid Comb
- 1 skein Shetland Floss, all colors
- 1 large cube of 100 Jet Pins
- 1 Jewel Curling Iron
- 1 Spring Darning Ball
- 1 cake "Savon De Paris" 10c Soap
- 1 10c cake "La Parisienne" Soap
- 1 pair Boy's Suspenders
- 1 card 15c Fancy Pearl Shirt Buttons
- 1 good Chamois Skin
- 1 6 yard piece Finishing Braid, white and colors
- 1 Silk Curtain Loop
- 1 15c Tooth Brush, 12 styles
- 1 dozen Shell Hairpins
- 1 card of 6 Japanese Shell Hairpins
- 1 Shell or Amber Side Comb
- 12 F'cy Head Lace Pins, on velvet pad
- 1 cake Buttermilk Soap
- 1 Woman's Embroidered 12c Hd'f
- 1 Best Silk Collar Foundation
- 1 cabinet Hairpins, 200 to box
- 1 dozen good Ball Pearl Buttons
- 1 4 inch 15c Tomato Pin Cushion

Of Local Interest.

The spring convention of the Democratic party is to be held in Battle Creek Feb. 28.

The Western Washtenaw Farmers' Club meets with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Everett in Sharon tomorrow.

The seventh annual convention of the League of Michigan Municipalities will be held at Ionia Jan. 31 and Feb. 1.

Mrs. Dennis B. Hayes, of Detroit, formerly Miss Agnes McKane, is steadily improving in health at the present time.

John W. Haarer, of Ann Arbor, has been appointed assistant inspector-general of the M. N. G. with the rank of major.

The subject for Rev. P. M. McKay's sermon at the Baptist church next Sunday evening will be "The second commandment."

Michael Staffan has gone into the business of saw filing for the rest of the winter with headquarters at W. J. Knapp's hardware store.

The slander case of Mrs. May Bennett vs. Mrs. Anna Adrien was heard in the circuit court Tuesday and the jury returned a verdict of no cause of action.

And still another fraternal insurance company has cropped up in Michigan. This time it's in Battle Creek and it is to be known as the Order of American Nobility.

The D. Y. A. & J. has had car No. 19 painted a rich seal brown and has it making trips on the road to see how the weather will affect the wearing quality of the paint.

Friends of the Herald who have legal business with the judge of probate will confer a favor upon us by requesting the judge to send the advertisements to the Herald for publication.

By the promotion of Col. C. W. Harrah, of Detroit, to be brigadier-general of the state troops, Lieut. Col. John P. Kirk, of Ypsilanti, becomes colonel commanding the First Regiment.

The Michigan Telephone Co. has for some weeks past been giving its patrons in the country weather reports by phone each morning. The district manager, T. J. Keech, of Ann Arbor, says the farmers greatly appreciate the accommodation.

Freight engine No. 589 ran off the sidetrack into the ditch on the southwest side of North Main street crossing Friday morning. A broken rail was the cause of the trouble. It took the wrecking crew several hours to get the mammoth engine back on the track again.

Benjamin Judson, who was born in Sylvan in 1839, died at Kincaid, Kansas, Jan. 3, aged 66 years. His remains were interred in Stockbridge, which had been his home from the time he was 5 years old until he went to live with his adopted son in Kansas in October, 1903.

Next Sunday, Jan. 22, the Young People's Society of St. Paul's church will celebrate the third anniversary of its organization. At the morning service the pastor Rev. A. Schoen will preach. In the evening at 7 o'clock Rev. W. Howe, of Battle Creek, will tell them about what he saw and heard during his recent trip to Europe.

O. C. Burkhart is putting up a large and well arranged building on Washington street, in the rear of his residence, which will be used by Freeman & Burkhart as a sale stable for general purpose horses. They are already at work selecting their horses in the northern counties of lower Michigan for this season's business and will have a carload of young, sound general purpose horses on sale here about Feb. 1.

M. J. Noyes has received notice that he has been awarded the highest mark of distinction from the Louisiana Purchase Exposition on his exhibition of Black Top Delaine wool, made in connection with the Michigan exhibit at the fair. The award is in the shape of official award ribbons and a declaration of successful exhibition. Mr. Noyes exhibited nearly 30 different specimens of wool and the award is not only an honor to him, but to Washtenaw county and Michigan as well.

B. B. Turnbull is so seriously ill as to be confined to his bed.

The district school at Jerusalem is closed on account of one of the scholars having the smallpox.

Governor Warner has had 500 applications for notary public commissions in the 18 days he has been in office.

The class of '05 Chelsea high school had a very pleasant time at their social at Woodman hall last Friday evening.

Jay Wood has a situation in Detroit as janitor of F. P. Glazier's terrace on Jefferson avenue, and left here to go to his new job Wednesday.

The donation supper for Rev. C. S. Jones and family at the Congregational church Tuesday evening was largely attended. The net amount of the proceeds was \$163.80.

There are 1,500 entries in the Washtenaw Poultry and Pet Stock Association's exhibition which is being held at Ann Arbor yesterday, today and tomorrow, Jan. 18-20.

The Masonic grand lodge of Michigan meets in Detroit next Tuesday and Wednesday. H. Lighthall, master of Olive Lodge, No. 156, F. & A. M., is the delegate from that lodge.

Roland B. Waltrons will be at A. VanTyne's barn in Chelsea next Saturday, Jan. 21, with a carload of serviceable work horses and will open a sale stable there for the disposal of them.

Fred Wyman, of Dexter, who is at work here in the interest of the Loyal Guard fraternal insurance order, is meeting with good success in his canvass and has already secured a good list of names.

The Young People's Society of St. Paul's church will hold its annual meeting at the church schoolhouse this evening at 7:30 o'clock. Reports will be read and the officers for the current year elected.

Three people from this neighborhood are officers in the Washtenaw county grange for 1905. Geo. T. English, of Sylvan, is steward, Mrs. C. D. Johnson, of North Lake, Ceres, and Mrs. H. A. Spafard, of Manchester, Flora.

A Grand Rapids editor resigned his position and went back to Chicago, because he could not rent a flat for his wife and large family of children to live in, on account of the unfriendly attitude of landlords to having children in their buildings.

Frank B. Gilbert, of Ann Arbor, has been appointed speaker's messenger in the house of representatives at Lansing. Thos. C. Howard, of Milan, has the appointment of assistant janitor. Isaac G. Reynolds, of Ann Arbor, is appointed elevator conductor.

The many friends in this vicinity of Mr. and Mrs. Dennis B. Hayes, of Detroit, sympathize with them in their present affliction in the death of their little baby daughter, Agnes, who died Saturday night last shortly after its birth. The remains of the little one were brought to Chelsea and interred in St. Mary's cemetery, Sylvan, on Monday. Services were conducted by Rev. W. P. Considine.

"The Minister's Son," a 4-act pastoral drama, will be given in Chelsea Friday evening, Jan. 27, under the auspices of the Cardinals, the local baseball club which is the successor to the Junior Stars. The cast of characters will be composed of local talent under the personal direction of Fred Godding, a young comedian who makes a business of staging amateur productions. The play itself is one that pleases everyone, as it touches both the pathos and comedy of life in such a clean way that no one can help feeling the sentiment of the play. There will be specialties introduced between the acts. The cast of characters will be given next week.

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New Santa Clara Prunes	3 cans 25c
Standard Evergreen Corn	3 cans 25c
Pink Salmon	3 cans 25c
Best Ground Pepper	1 pound 20c
Calumet Baking Powder	1 pound 19c
Seeded Raisins	1 pound 8c

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Ham, per pound,	16c

BEEF.

Boiling Beef, per pound,	5c up
Roasts, per pound,	7c up
Steaks, per pound,	9c up

CHICKENS.

Fowls, per pound,	11c
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"Did you call in a physician?"

"I doctored steadily for over a year; then one doctor said: 'You have taken medicine strong enough to kill almost anything.' Still, it did not kill me nor the rheumatism."

"How, then, did you get rid of it?"

"At different times I had read in various publications about Dr. Williams' wonderful Pink Pills for Pale People, and I finally decided to try them. I took them steadily for four months in accordance with the directions. By that time I was completely cured."

"Have you been free from it ever since?"

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A curious plan for catching fish is used on the River Columbia. A number of wheels are set up in the middle of the stream, which as they turn round catch up the fish and cast them into troughs by the river banks. As much as five tons weight of fish a day has thus been taken.

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CHAPTER VII.—Continued.

I pilled him again and again with the liquor, till his hands dropped from the dice box. To make a long story short, while I drank him under the table Gil did the same to his fellows, an easy task for him. At home among heavy drinkers, he was known as the "white drinker."

We now looked openly at one another. The men were snoring like a lot of pigs.

"What now?" he asked.

I pointed to the two miserable beings on the settle in the chimney corner—the man oblivious to everything—the woman with a ruminating brow.

I called to Jock, mine host. He came hurrying into the room.

"Yes, sir," he said. "Your coat, sir." This he put down on the settle and was slipping out again when I laid detaining hands on him. "I'll be back in a moment, sir," he added, "as soon as they are gone."

"Gone—who?" I gasped.

"Hush, sir, for God's sake," he said in a whisper. "Their ladyships. They are traveling incognito."

"Incognito?" I repeated. "who?"

"Hush, sir, not so loud," he begged. "Do you want to ruin me?"

He would have jerked away from me, but I held him fast by the shoulder.

"Who are their ladyships?" I asked him now, and this time I was not to be trifled with.

"I thought you knew," he murmured. "Lady Felton, and—" here he let his voice sink into an awe-struck whisper, "Miss Nell Gwyn."

"Lady Felton and Miss Nell Gwyn?" I ejaculated. "And does the magenta colored coach belong to them?"

"Yes, yes, sir," he answered. "They are here; in God's name let me go."

His excitement was amusing. With a sudden jerk he pulled loose and

will with a partiality devoid of all reasoning. What in the devil did Torraine mean by saying that he saw a magenta-colored coach leave Castle Drouit?"

"Color blind," I replied flippantly. "Could there be two magenta-colored coaches?" he mused.

"Possibly," I returned, "but hardly two leaving Castle Drouit."

I dismissed the subject with a wave of the hand, and turned my attention to the woman and the prisoner, while Gil bestowed his upon the constable and his men.

I saw a purpose forming in the woman's movements.

"There is no need of haste, my good woman," I said. "If Gil can conjure up that other magenta-colored coach and four it is at your disposal. I flung my little joke at his head. 'Otherwise you'll have to go as you came, on one of the constable's horses.'"

At this she demurred, so I bought an old nag from Jock Swan. At first the woman acted dazed, but when she began to realize that we were making plans for their escape, she said with a dignity out of keeping with her bedraggled condition:

"I will tell you the man's history as I know it, truly as the God above hears me, sir." She wiped a tear from her eyes. "His name is Martin Toms. He came from Lyme. His family were Covenanters, but they are dead, God rest their souls, these many days. They were perhaps implicated with the others—I'm not saying they were not—'tis a pity one may not worship as one likes under God's bright sky, without being hectorated to death, driven to do fanatic deeds; but Martin was not with them at the time, and had not been for years. When a youth he had joined a troop of play actors who were passing through the town, and with them came up to London. His people cast him off, rigid in their convictions; he was as dead to

"But why should the constable bother him?" I asked. "I think instead something should be done to relieve you—your husband put away in an asylum."

"In Bedlam! My God! No!" she cried. "Have you ever seen those poor creatures huddled together like beasts, manacled and chained to the floor, shrieking and wringing their hands? Never while I live. Why the constable hounds us is because of the grudge he thinks he owes me. When I was 'pretty Alice Lyndon' I knew the man—he wished himself my lover—he, his voice vibrated with scorn, 'to think I would be dishonest for such as he.'"

"I see," I said. "Is there any place where you can go and stay in hiding for a time?"

"Yes, sir," she answered. "I have an aunt living in Shief, two shires from here; she will take us in. 'Tis a place where even the constable and his men care not to come oftener than necessary; the men are a rough lot, and will protect a kin to the death."

The mare being ready we placed the ill-sorted pair upon her broad back, protecting them as well as we could from the rain. The woman bowed her head and sobbed convulsed her form. Jock Swan and I watched the old horse amble out of sight. Gil was elsewhere employed. Pity and indignation stirred me; pity for the poor woman's plight, indignation at the constable's persecution.

I was undecided what to do with the constable—he certainly merited some punishment. I found that Gil had settled the question for me. He came out of the inn carrying on his back one of the fellows bound with ropes.

"What are you doing with them, Gil?" I asked.

"You'll find them down the road a bit, wallowing in the mud, trussed for all the world like fowls ready for market," he answered with a grim look. "I think they will hesitate before persecuting a poor woman again," he added.

"Good enough," I laughed. "But may not our host, good Jock Swan, suffer from the constable's anger?"

"The fat one will take to his bed, I'm thinking, and perhaps it will teach him that he's too old to be running after women, the beast!" he said. "As for Jock he's no innocent; he will be able to make them think that he had naught to do with their plight. After they have sobered up a bit, which will not be long I take it in this rain, he can release them with a fitting tale of our being highwaymen, and anything else that comes to his lips."

Jock having an equal confidence in his ability to convince the men of his innocence, satisfied me that he was glad of this opportunity to pay off old scores. Some of that rascality which had fallen from the man's indecent tongue was not to be overlooked by Jock.

Our horses saddled, we bade him good-bye, and went on our way satisfied that we were leaving them in such judicial hands, and that he was capable of playing his part to our liking.

We cautioned him above all things to put the constable and his men off the track of the escaped prisoner.

And Gil added this: "Send them after us, if they're able to travel; we'll take care of them."

We decided to ride steadily throughout the night, as the horses were fresh and we desirous of reaching London; also hopeful of overtaking the coach containing the redheaded maid of Mistress Rosemary Allyn. There was a branch where the two roads, the river and the main road merged into one, and over this she must pass to reach London.

We rode along at a jog trot for a time, being sparing of our horses, when presently the weather changed. The sun peeped out now and again from behind fleecy clouds like a pretty woman coqueting.

(To be continued.)

Mrs. Chadwick's Diplomacy.

In talking of Mrs. Chadwick's influence over men the other day in the Federal building, Marshal Henkel laughingly declared himself a captive. "A newspaper photographer," he said, brought me a photograph he took of her and me as I was taking her from the hotel. I showed her the photograph.

"What a handsome couple we make," says she. Wouldn't that flatter you, says she. After that I just had to be nice to her."

Another thing that influenced the officials here in giving Mrs. Chadwick great consideration was her tenderness for her son, Emil Hoover. Whenever the boy approached her she would brighten up and say:

"There comes my dearest," and she would talk to him as if he were a baby.—New York Sun.

Got the Dime.

A man who was shy on cleanliness, but long on confidence, shuffled into the East Twenty-second street station late the other night and got a strangle hold on the brass rail in front of the sergeant.

"Say, sarge, give us the price of a drink, will you?" he pleaded. "I'm so dry that if I don't irrigate soon I'll shrivel up and blow away."

"You've got me wrong," replied the surprised sergeant. "Haven't taken in enough money to-night to pay expenses. Skiddoo now before I send you down stairs."

"If you want to pinch me for a worthy attempt to get a drink, all right, but I'll stay here till I either get the dime or the collar."

He got the dime.—New York Sun.

Occasionally we see a man who looks as if he had tried to preserve his dignity in alcohol.

ANDREW JACKSON'S BIG ESTATE.

How He Gained 50,000 Acres as Fees in Law Cases He Tried.

There are two ways of reaching the Hermitage from Nashville—either by carriage the entire distance, or by train to the little station called Hermitage, thence by conveyance or foot the remaining three miles. In either case, says a writer in Four-Track News, the way leads among the rugged hills of "sunny Tennessee," through native forests which we may easily imagine look just as they did in the latter part of the eighteenth century, when Andrew Jackson, a young man who had just completed a brief and very unsystematic course of "reading law," placed all his worldly goods and himself on the back of his one horse and turned his face from the Carolinas to the then wilderness of eastern Tennessee to make his fortune.

The land records of 1794-7 show that it was during those years that Jackson laid the foundation for the large estate he afterward owned. He was the only lawyer in that region in the early days—days when money was scarce and land was cheap and a lawyer's fee for conducting a case of no very great importance might easily be a "640," a square mile of land. In a few years he was the owner of over 50,000 acres, which he acquired while cheap and held till it advanced in value, when he sold part of it to enable him to cultivate and improve the remainder.

CAUSE AND CURE OF RHEUMATISM.

Shown by numerous cures made by Dodd's Kidney Pills. They cure the Kidneys and the Rheumatism cures itself.—Remarkable case of Maggie E. Deckert.

Eagle River, Wis., Jan. 16.—(Special.)—That rheumatism is caused by disordered kidneys is proved by the cures Dodd's Kidney Pills are making in every state in the Union. They cure the Kidneys and the Rheumatism cures itself. A cure that has caused deep interest in this neighborhood is that of Maggie E. Deckert. In speaking of it she says:

"I had kidney trouble and rheumatism and was so lame I could not walk. I could not sleep for I ached all over. I was in a terrible state and firmly believe that if I had not used Dodd's Kidney Pills I would be dead. I took nine boxes of them and they have done me more good than all the other medicines I ever took. Now my aches are all gone, I can eat and sleep and I am feeling good. I want all the world to know that Dodd's Kidney Pills cured me."

Polite to the End.

One of the most famous criminals the old Tombs has held in many years has just been placed in his cell. The delinquent in this case has always been friendly with the newspaper men, and when he was arrested several of the reporters who had known him hastened to the Tombs, confident of obtaining an interview. He refused to be seen, and his message to them, which is a tradition of the Tombs, was eminently characteristic: "Tell them," he said to the warden, "that I am not in."

Makes Him Tired.

"A man who tells me how his wife wants me to cut his hair makes me tired," said the barber, after the customer had departed. "I want a man to tell me how he wants his hair cut, not his impressions of his wife's views." "It can't be helped," replied his companion. "Once when I went to a house to cut a man's hair he called his wife into the room to tell me how to do it."

Energy of Radium.

The quantity of energy put forth by radium is very large. Expressed as heat, it is sufficient to raise its weight of water to boiling point in an hour. Expressed as power, the energy of a saltspoonful would lift 500 tons a mile high—power 30,000 to 1,000,000 times as great as that developed by the most powerful chemical energy hitherto known.

MIGHT HAVE SAVED IT

A Lot of Trouble from Too Much Starchy Food.

A little boy of eight years whose parents did not feed him on the right kind of food, was always nervous and suffered from a weak condition of the stomach and bowels. Finally he was taken down with appendicitis and after the operation the doctor, knowing that his intestinal digestion was very weak, put him on Grape-Nuts twice a day.

He rapidly recovered and about two months thereafter, his father states, "He has grown to be strong, muscular, and sleeps soundly, weighs 62 pounds, and his whole system is in a fine condition of health." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

It is plain that if he had been put on Grape-Nuts at an earlier period in his life, and kept from the use of foods that he could not digest, he never would have had appendicitis. That disease is caused by undigested food decaying in the stomach and bowels, causing irritation and making for the growth of all kinds of microbes, getting up a diseased condition which is the active cause of appendicitis, and this is more marked with people who do not properly digest white bread.

Grape-Nuts is made of the selected parts of wheat and barley and by the peculiar processes of the cooking at the factory, all of the starch is turned into sugar ready for immediate digestion and the more perfect nourishment of all parts of the body, particularly the brain and nerve centers.

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LASTING RELIEF.

J. W. Walls, Superintendent of Streets of Lebanon, Ky., says:

"My nightly rest was broken, owing to irregularities of the kidneys. I suffered intensely from severe pains in the small of my back and through the kidneys and was annoyed by painful passages of abnormal secretions. Doctors failed to relieve me. I began taking Doan's Kidney Pills and I experienced quick and lasting relief. Doan's Kidney Pills will prove a blessing to all sufferers from kidney disorders who will give them a fair trial."

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ALL CROPS GOOD IN WESTERN CANADA.

"Potatoes the Finest I Ever Saw."

Owing to the great amount of interest that is being taken in Western Canada, it is well to be informed of some of the facts that are bringing about the great emigration from portions of the United States.

The Canadian government has authorized agents at different points, and the facts related in the following may be corroborated on application. At the same time they will be able to quote you rates, and give you certificates entitling you to low rates on the different lines of railway. The following letter copied from the North Bend (Neb.) Eagle is an unsolicited testimonial, and the experience of Mr. Auten is that of hundreds of other Americans who have made Canada their home during the past seven or eight years:

"I presume some may be interested to know how we have progressed this year in the Canadian Northwest. We have no complaint to offer. We have had a good year, crops were good and we have had a delightful season. I threshed from my place 8,550 bushels of grain. My oats made 65 bushels per acre and weighed 42½ pounds per bushel. My wheat made 31½ bushels per acre and is No. 1 quality. My barley made about 50 bushels of good quality. My crop is a fair average of the crops in the Edmonton district."

"All crops were good here this season. Potatoes the finest I ever saw, and all vegetables adapted to the climate. We have had a very fine fall, but no exception to the rule, as the fall season is, I think, the most pleasant of the year. We have had no snow yet (Nov. 9), and have been plowing and working the land preparing for an early seeding next spring. Last night the mercury dropped lower than any previous night this fall, and this morning there is a crust of frost on the fields sufficient to prevent field work. No doubt many would imagine that Alberta had put on her winter overcoat before this and that the people were wrapped in furs, but it is only a question of time when this country will not be looked upon as an iceberg, but a country fit for the best of mankind to live in."

"We are now assured of a transcontinental railway, which is to be built to the Pacific during the next five years. The Canadian Northern road is graded to within seventy-five miles of Edmonton. It comes from Winnipeg, and will reach us next summer, so with one railroad already at hand, the second to reach us in less than a year, and the third to penetrate our city and open up this country to the west across the Rockies to the coast within five years, we surely have reason to believe that the country is progressing."

"Very respectfully, L. J. AUTEN."

There isn't anything in the world that creates so much surprise and panic as when mother scolds.

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The question of where you will spend the winter often hinges upon "What did you spend last summer?"

Cost of London Fog.

It is estimated that a fog in London entails an expenditure of \$115,000 for a single day's extra lighting.

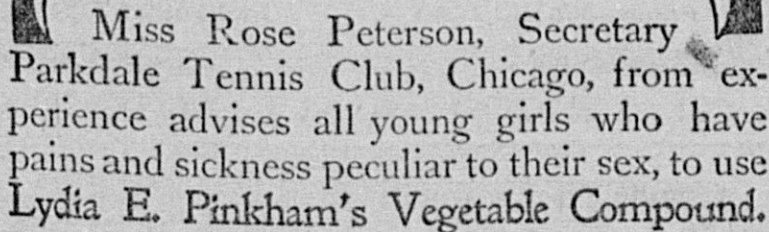
Makes Fortune on Diamond.

The famous diamond, "Star of South Africa," belonged originally to a witch doctor. A farmer named Nieuwerkerk traded a wagon and several oxen for it, and sold it for \$55,000.

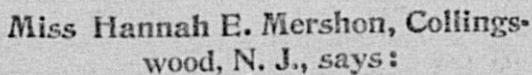
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Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound will cure any woman in the land who suffers from womb troubles, inflammation of the ovaries, kidney troubles, nervous excitability, nervous prostration, and all forms of woman's special ills.

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CONSUMPTION

Referred to Authority.
Congressman Cooper of Texas told about a distinguished army officer who on one occasion offered prayer before a regiment. He summed up the causes and objects of the war—the war with Mexico—and asserted that it was a war of conquest, but annexation only concluding his supplication to the throne of grace with: "I refer you, good Lord, to Polk's message on the subject."

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DR. FRANCIS WILSON

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READ HER TWO STATEMENTS

Was Near Death's Door Four Years with Disease of Stomach, but for has been Entirely Well More than a Year.

Francisco, Mich., Aug. 4, 1903.
Dr. E. L. Wilkinson, 25 Dwight Building, Jackson, Mich.

I wish to thank you for what you have done for me. Before going to your office I was very bad with stomach trouble, I had lost a hundred pounds during the past year. I had terrible spells of suffering with pain in my stomach. The doctors would last several days, and in many of these spells I thought, and my friends thought, I would die. The doctors would attend me, but I had no temporary relief, but they did nothing that would prevent a return of the agony. I called on you about six weeks ago, and I have had no pain whatever since I began treating with you. In that short time I have gained in flesh and I am as strong as any ordinary woman of my age. You certainly know how to cure diseases of the stomach, for several different doctors treated me many months and none of them gave me permanent relief.

Mrs. MARTHA KEELER.

LATER

Francisco, Mich., Dec. 20, 1904.
Dr. Wilkinson.

It has now been over a year since I gave you the above testimonial, and I wish to add a few remarks at this time that are very important, and I hope they may be of some help to others who are afflicted as I was. I have not taken a dose of medicine since a year ago last August, and the condition of my stomach and bowels has been perfect. My health is good. I assure you I appreciate Dr. Wilkinson's body who has stomach trouble will go to you and get permanently cured.

Mrs. MARTHA KEELER

BILIOUSNESS AND CONSTIPATION CURED BY THE DRAUGHT

Because the liver is neglected people suffer with constipation, biliousness, headache and fever. Colds attack the lungs and contagious diseases take hold of the system. It is safe to say that if the liver were always kept in proper working order, illness would be almost unknown.

Thedford's Black-Draught is so successful in curing such sickness because it is without a rival as a liver-regulator. This great family medicine is not a strong and drastic drug, but a mild and healthful laxative that cures constipation and may be taken by a mere child without possible harm.

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Timely treatment with Thedford's Black-Draught removes the dangers which lurk in constipation, liver and kidney troubles, and will positively forestall the inroads of Bright's disease, for which disease in advanced stages there is no cure. Ask your dealer for a 25c. package of Thedford's Black-Draught.

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County Notes.

The taxes in Freedom township have nearly all been paid to the treasurer.

Will Wolfe, of Sharon, will work Mrs. Myra Lee's farm in Francisco the coming year.

Forty acres of timbered farm land in Bridgewater was sold the other day for \$57 an acre.

Gregory is to have a meat market in the near future. K. W. McClellan will be its proprietor.

The Pinekey M. E. church will celebrate its golden jubilee of 50 years' service Jan. 27, 28, 29.

Smallpox is very prevalent in Munith and vicinity. The school in the Moss district, Waterloo, has been closed on account of it.

Clarence H. Field, of Ann Arbor, and Miss Julia Kessler, of Manchester, were married Monday, Jan. 9, at the home of the bride's parents in Manchester.

John Kalmbach, a graduate of the Grass Lake high school, who has been coaching for a Grand Rapids football team, is offered the position of teacher of physical culture in that city at a salary of \$20 a week.

The Livingston Mutual Telephone Co. now has 400 miles of lines, 231 stockholders, 150 rented, 25 private and 4 free phones. Besides many persons are waiting to have phones put in and have lines built.

The Gleasons of Arbor No. 451, Unadilla, recently installed the following officers for 1905: L. W. Ostrander, chief gleamer; Frank May, vice chief; Cora Hartuff, secretary and treasurer; Lou Marshall, chaplain; A. C. Watson, conductor; Harry Stoner, inside guard.

The affairs of the Ann Arbor Agricultural Co., insolvent, were finally closed up Friday, when J. E. Beal, the receiver, was allowed \$2,500 for his 5 1/2 years' work as such. This absorbed all the remaining assets of the company and there are about \$50,000 of unsecured debts left that will not get a cent.

Capt. H. U. Kies, of Manchester, has entered into contract with a Detroit company that owns a large estate in eastern Cuba, to go there and manage the estate. He will take a large amount of blooded stock there and will also purchase stock in Central America to stock the plantation. Later the company will engage largely in fruit raising.

Miss Lydia Holzhauser, of Dexter, sued Dr. E. L. Martin, of Maple Rapids, a former student at the U. of M., for \$10,000 damages for breach of promise. The case was tried in the Clinton county circuit court, and the young woman was given a verdict for \$5,000. John W. Bennett and H. Wirt Newkirk, of Ann Arbor, were her attorneys.

The Pinekey M. E. church was re-opened Sunday, Jan. 8, after being in the hands of the repairers for nearly five months. Wainscoting, painting, papering, platform, pulpit furniture, altar and 161 opera chairs cost \$515.71, besides the work contributed. Presiding Elder Bancroft preached his first sermon in nine months at the service.

Sylvan Center.

Miss Amanda Merker is spending some time in Detroit.

Milo Updike and wife are the guests of Nelson Dancer and wife.

Miss Edith Boyd, of Chelsea, spent Monday with her grandmother Mrs. H. C. Boyd.

Geo. Heselschwerdt was called to Bunker Hill Monday by the illness of his sister Mrs. Chas. List.

Henry Heselschwerdt, wife and daughter, of Chelsea, spent Sunday with Geo. Heselschwerdt and family.

Mrs. Lulu Buchanan and daughter Miss Luella attended the wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Buchanan, of Dexter, Monday.

I'll brave the storms of Chilkoot Pass, I'll cross the plains of frozen glass, I'll leave my wife and cross the sea, Rather than be without Rocky Mountain Tea. Glazier & Stimson.

Personal.

Del Bennett was in Detroit on business Saturday.

Erwin A. Ball, of Hamburg, was in Chelsea Tuesday on business.

Mrs. J. L. Gilbert visited friends in Grass Lake the latter part of last week.

A. E. Johnson and wife went to Stockbridge Tuesday for a few days' visit with friends.

James Taylor and wife left Tuesday for Pensacola, Fla., to visit relatives for two weeks.

Mrs. W. E. Snyder went to Howell Wednesday to see her mother Mrs. Pelton, who is very low.

Mrs. A. R. Welch and daughter Vesta and Miss Giddings, of Pontiac, visited Mrs. J. L. Gilbert and other friends here Sunday.

Photographs.

Seymour Studio, 316 South Main street, Ann Arbor, Mich. 34

Constipation and piles are twins. They kill people inch by inch, sap life away every day. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will positively cure you. No cure, no pay. 35 cents. Tea or Tablets. Glazier & Stimson.

Lyndon.

Quite a good many farmers are now putting up ice.

Bert Young, of Detroit, who has been home for some time, returned to Detroit Tuesday.

Wm. Ivory, of Dexter township, spent a few days the past week visiting Alfred and John Clark.

Jas. Hankard and wife, of near North Lake, and Peter Cavender and wife, of Munith, visited Matt Hankard and wife Thursday.

John Howlett returned to Ann Arbor Monday to attend court as juror. Looks as though the present jury would be kept there all winter.

Miss Mary Tuomey, of Ann Arbor, who spent the holiday vacation with her uncle and aunt Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Gorman and family, returned last Friday to school at Windsor, Ont.

The installation of officers of Eureka Grange took place at the meeting Saturday last. F. M. English, of Manchester, who was a delegate to the State Grange, was expected to do the work but sent word a few days before that he would not be present, so the work was very acceptably done by Mr. and Mrs. George T. English, of Sylvan. The meeting was a large and enthusiastic one. Mr. English addressed the meeting on the reasons why farmers should join the grange and why they should be regular in their attendance at the meetings. The discussion was taken part in by B. W. Sweet, H. S. Barton and some others, and brought out convincing proof that farmers must of necessity organize and that the grange is the ideal farmers' organization.

Sylvan Treasurer's Notice.

I will be at my office over the Kempf Commercial & Savings Bank every day to receive the taxes of the township of Sylvan for the year 1904.

W. F. RIEMENSCHNEIDER, Township Treasurer.

Lima.

Mrs. E. Keyes is recovering from her recent illness.

Mrs. Bertha Stephens, of Chelsea, who has been helping care for her mother Mrs. Keyes, returned home Monday.

J. E. Brooks, of Flint, visited his cousin Mrs. O. B. Guerin Monday and Tuesday.

Mrs. Staebler, of Chelsea, who has been seriously ill with pneumonia at the home of her daughter Mrs. F. Wenk, is a little better at this writing.

The first special car going west in the morning has been taken off and a local car now runs on the time of the special.

The Lima Center school will have a box social at J. Hinderer's Friday night, Jan. 27. The proceeds are to be used to buy library books for the school.

Greatly in Demand.

Nothing is more in demand than a medicine which meets modern requirements for a blood and system cleanser, such as Dr. King's New Life Pills. They are just what you want to cure stomach and liver troubles. Try them at Glazier & Stimson's drug store, 25c. guaranteed.

Subscribe for the Herald \$1 per year.

Schwab Early Showed Ability.

Andrew Carnegie recently told a story on himself. He said some years ago he wanted to cross a mountain in Pennsylvania, and a youngster of rather hardy appearance offered to take him over for 50 cents. Carnegie thought the price too great, and told the boy he would pay him only 25 cents. After a long argument, in which each stuck to his price, the youngster won out, and Mr. Carnegie says he allowed the lad to collect the 50 cents, not because the trip was worth it, but because he had to get on the other side of the mountain. "I predicted that the boy would some day make a fortune," said Mr. Carnegie, "and he has. His name is Charles M. Schwab."—Washington Correspondence New York Sun.

Some Curious Names.

With a stone's throw in a westend neighborhood of Swansea the following surname exist, viz.: Head, Neck, Bod Leg, Short, White, Brown, Gre, Dark, Brewer, Porter, Beer, Day, Knight, Jug, Ewer, Waygood, Goodway, Penny. There is also a firm of coal merchants in the town by the name of Cann & Glass.—London Express.

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of Ague and Malaria can be relieved and cured with Electric Bitters. This is a pure tonic medicine of especial benefit in malaria, for it exerts a true curative influence on the disease, driving it entirely out of the system. It is much to be preferred to quinine, having none of this drug's bad after-effects. E. S. Munday, of Henrietta, Tex., writes: "My brother was very low with malarial fever and jaundice. He took Electric Bitters, which saved his life." At Glazier & Stimson's drug store; price 50c. guaranteed.

PEOPLE'S WANTS.

LOST—Saturday night, Jan. 14, between Shaver's barber shop and the D. Y. A. & J. waiting room, a pocket-book containing a sum of money. Finder please return the same to John Faber. 23

COAL STOVE—Second hand, in good order, for sale. Apply to H. H. Fenn, Chelsea.

FARM FOR SALE OR RENT—In the township of Dexter. Enquire of O. A. Vaughn, Dexter, R. F. D. No. 2.

FARM FOR SALE OR RENT—Located in Dexter township, one mile east of North Lake Church and west of the W. D. Smith farm (as formerly known). Good buildings and well watered. For particulars address John W. Schultz, R. F. D., Dexter, Mich., or F. Schultz, R. F. D., Gregory, Mich. 20tf

FARM FOR SALE—The William C. Green farm of 93 acres, 9 miles northwest of Chelsea, also 3 good cows. \$2,500, one half cash, balance at 5 per cent. Address, S. Strath, 702 Washington Arcade, Detroit, Mich. 14tf

FARM FOR SALE—120 acres in the township of Dexter, in good state of cultivation, 15 acres of timber, good buildings. Apply to John Schaefele, sr., Chelsea, Mich.

FARM TO RENT—One mile south of Lima Center, now occupied by Frederick Gross. Two hundred acres of the best land in the county. Good buildings. Possession April 1, 1905. Will sell on easy terms. H. S. Holmes, Chelsea, Mich.

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