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FROM FAR-OFF RUSSIA

Come Enquires to Chelsea Respecting the Peat Fuel Business.

The name of Chelsea has again been spread to a far-off point of the world from us. This time it is through the medium of the National Peat Fuel Co., which has this week received a letter from a gentleman named W. A. Abegg, of Warsaw, Russia, asking the company for estimates on the cost of machinery for the manufacture of peat fuel. He also asks for samples of the peat briquettes, and the running expenses of a plant, etc. Mr. Abegg wants to establish a large peat fuel works in Central Russia to have a capacity of 50,000 tons per year. The company owns and controls all the patents on the machinery they use and manufacture it to order. It is quite a distinction to receive enquiries from a place so far off as Russia regarding it.

The company has just shipped another large carload of peat fuel to Grand Rapids, also a few ton lots to Jackson and Ypsilanti. Two large presses are being built that will weigh 37 tons each, which, when installed, will be capable of turning out large quantities of the finished fuel.

Arrangements are now being made to build large storage sheds for raw and finished peat, also tramway tracks for handling the material. In fact the company is getting ready to do business on a large scale, as it has been demonstrated beyond a doubt that peat fuel is the coming fuel for household use.

Death Came after Long Illness.

Mrs. Marian Klein, wife of Christian Klein, died at the family home on South Main street, Friday morning, Jan. 27, of pneumonia, aged 65 years. Mrs. Klein had been in poor health for seven years. She was taken with the grip at that time and never recovered from its effects, slowly fading away from a strong, healthy woman, to a mere shadow of her former self.

Mrs. Klein's maiden name was Miss Marian Wilkins and she was born in Germany. Twenty-eight years ago she was married to Mr. Klein, and was a loving stepmother to the four young children, who by the death of his first wife were left without maternal care. She had no children of her own. Besides her husband and his family she leaves three brothers and two sisters.

The funeral services were held at the Church of Our Lady of the Sacred Heart Monday morning, Rev. W. P. Conside officiating. A sad feature of the funeral was that both Mr. Klein and his eldest daughter Miss Ida Klein were confined to their beds with illness and could not attend. The remains were placed in the vault and will later be interred in Mt. Olivet cemetery.

A large number of friends of the deceased lady were present at the funeral, among them being Michael, Joseph and Anthony Wilkins, of Bay City, Mrs. Fred Spath and son Adolph Spath, Mrs. John Wines and daughter, Mrs. Frank Spindler, Mrs. John Iewerth, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Kief and daughter Minnie, and John Broll, all of Detroit, and John Beste, of Roseville.

Arrested and Discharged.

Robert Burton, who was in the employ of H. C. Millen, of the cement works, as coachman, was arrested Tuesday afternoon without a warrant and taken to jail in Ann Arbor by Deputy Sheriff Fred Fuller, on a charge of bastardy preferred against him by a young woman in Caro. The arrest was made on a telephone request from the Tuscola county sheriff.

Yesterday habeas corpus proceedings were instituted in the circuit court by Stivers & Kalmbach, on behalf of the prisoner to secure his discharge on account of there being no warrant in the case. As the Tuscola sheriff had not put in an appearance with the warrant Judge Kinne ordered the man released.

RURAL TELEPHONE CO.

Of Waterloo, Made a Good Showing at Its Annual Meeting.

At the annual meeting of the Waterloo Rural Telephone Co., held in Stockbridge Jan. 21, the following officers for the current year were elected:

President—Delancy Cooper.
Vice president—F. E. Ives.
Secretary—L. M. Milner.
Treasurer—T. A. Stephens.
Business Manager—F. E. Ives.
Board of Directors—Thomas Howlett, Orville Jones, Frank Skadan, William Howlett, B. W. Sweet.

The financial report for the year 1904 showed the following figures:

RECEIPTS.	
Balance on hand from 1904	\$ 60
Rent of phones and poles	867 57
Sale of stock	780 00
Tolls collected, subscribers	165 43
Tolls collected, centrals	152 03
Tolls collected, other lines	139 71
Sale of Supplies	40 40
Total	\$2,145 74
DISBURSEMENTS.	
Paid operators	\$ 520 71
Paid messenger service	19 05
Paid other lines	109 50
Paid postage, freight, etc.	7 87
Paid interest	1 88
Paid for telephones	348 00
Paid for supplies	502 20
Paid for labor	518 16
Paid Dansville switchboard	21 25
Paid B. B. Co., term. facilities	15 00
Paid B. B. Co. rent of phones	26 38
Balance on hand	55 74
Total	\$2,145 74
Rents due not collectable	68 21
Accounts due not collectable	15 28
Materials on hand	266 19
Bills unpaid	30 48
Note	100 00

The company now has 213 stockholders, \$10,780 paid up stock, 77 rented phones, 236 miles of wire, 128 miles of poles, 3 switchboards owned and 5 leased. It has toll connection with the Michigan Telephone Co. at Mason, Dansville, Plainfield, Gregory, Chelsea and Stockbridge.

A Good Citizen Gone.

John Frawley, of Dexter village, father of Mrs. Stephen Clark, of this place, died suddenly Saturday morning, Jan. 28, respected and loved by all who knew him, at the advanced age of 82 years.

Mr. Frawley is survived by six children, John H., of Des Moines, Ia., Thomas H., of Jackson, Mrs. Stephen Clark, of Chelsea, Mrs. Robert Geraghty, of Webster, and Miss Margaret Frawley, of Dexter, all of whom were present at the funeral.

The funeral was held from St. Joseph's church, Dexter, Rev. John P. Ryan officiating, who preached a beautiful and touching sermon. It was attended by a large number of relatives and friends of the deceased, who followed the remains to their last resting place beside those of his wife in St. Joseph's cemetery, Dexter.

His Share Dwindled Away.

The following dispatch was published in the Detroit Tribune this morning relating to Wm. W. Durand, who was born and brought up in Chelsea:

Battle Creek, Mich., Feb. 1.—Wm. W. Durand, one of the wholesale grocery firm of Godsmark & Durand, recently was informed that by the death of his uncle at Honolulu, Hawaii, he had become heir to a large estate which he must divide with eight or ten other heirs. Later on he was informed that after settling up various claims there would remain \$6,000. Today he received a check for \$10.49, which he was assured was his share, "after probate costs and legal fees had been deducted."

Attention, Ladies.

I will demonstrate on Saturday, Feb. 4, at Miss Mary Haab's Millinery Store, in Chelsea, Hip-Fit Jersey yoke mercerized Petticoats, also the Hawton Skirt and a line of up-to-date Corsets—a sample line—cheap. Also, sheer cut laid steel Sheffield Shears and Scissors. Orders taken for anything you desire in the latest Dress Skirts, walking length or evening skirt. Let us show you the latest for 1905.
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- 8 bars Queen Anne Soap 25c.
- 12 bars Oak Soap 25c.
- 6 bars Ivory Soap 25c.
- Fairbanks' Gold Dust 18c.
- 6 bars Glycerine Tar Soap 25c.
- 1 gallon extra good Molasses 25c.
- Best 25c Coffee in Chelsea.
- A good Uncolored Japan Tea 25c lb.
- 3 lbs Seeded Raisins, fine ones, 25c.
- Gold Medal Flour 85c a sack.
- 2 packages Mapl-Flake for 25c.
- Strawberry Preserves 10c per jar.
- 3 plugs any Tobacco 25c.
- Large bottles Catsup 10c.
- Quart jars of Honey 35c.
- Pint jars of Honey 20c.
- 10 lbs Schumacher's Rolled Avena 25c.
- 3 1/2 lbs California Prunes 25c.
- Fine Layer Raisins 15c lb.
- Good Mixed Candy 10c lb.
- Good Chocolates 15c lb.
- Stick Candy 10c lb.
- 3 cans good Salmon 25c.
- 3 cans good Peas for 25c.
- 3 cans good Corn for 25c.
- 3-lb cans Shredded Pineapple 2 cans for 25c.

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- Ladies' Knit Mitts,
- Child's Mitts, Child's Hosiery.
- \$1.50 Ladies' Moco Gloves, 88c
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Health That's Lost Is Restored by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

How many women do you know who are perfectly well and strong? We hear every day the same story over and over again. "I do not feel well; I am so tired all the time!"



More than likely you speak the same words yourself, and no doubt you feel far from well. The cause may be easily traced to some derangement of the female organs which manifests itself in depression of spirits, reluctance to go anywhere or do anything, headache, bearing-down pains, flatulency, nervousness, sleeplessness, leucorrhoea.

These symptoms are but warnings that there is danger ahead, and unless remedied a life of suffering or a serious operation is the inevitable result.

The never-failing remedy for all these symptoms is Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Miss Kate McDonald, of Woodbridge, N. J., writes:

"Dear Mrs. Pinkham:

"I think that a woman naturally dislikes to make her troubles known to the public, but restored health has meant so much to me that I cannot help from telling mine for the sake of other suffering women.

"For a long time I suffered untold agony with a uterine trouble and irregularities, which made me a physical wreck, and no one thought I would recover, but Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has entirely cured me, and made me well and strong, and I feel it my duty to tell other suffering women what a splendid medicine it is."

If you are ill, don't hesitate to get a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound at once, and write to Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass., for special advice—it is free and always helpful.

Physicians Couldn't Wed.

There once was a time when doctors were doomed to celibacy. It was at the conclusion of the medieval period when medicine was in the hands of the monks. In France, the British Medical Journal recalls, the habit of celibacy persisted long after the practice of medicine had passed into lay hands.

For two or three centuries the doctors protested, but in vain. The matter was finally laid before the pope, and towards the end of the fifteenth century the vow was abolished.

MR. HAYDEN'S VIEWS

GIVES HIS OPINION OF THE BEST TREATMENT FOR PARALYSIS.

Declares That Dr. Williams' Pink Pills Restored the Use of His Limbs When All Other Remedies Failed.

The preliminary symptoms of paralysis are: trembling of the hands; sudden loss of power in arms or legs, frequently affecting one whole side of the body; staggering; partial or entire inability to use the fingers; distortion of the features, sometimes an uncontrollable quivering of the chin; severe pains; difficulty in speech. Frequently the first warning is a vague feeling of headache, vertigo and muscular weakness.

In a recent interview Mr. W. J. L. Hayden said: "I truly think that Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are a great medicine for they cured me when physicians and other remedies had failed to give me the slightest relief. Too close attention to business brought on an attack of nervousness which finally developed into paralysis. There were times when it was impossible for me to move my hands or to get up from a chair. At other times I had partial control of my limbs, but I was afraid to go far from the house for fear I might suddenly become helpless and have to be carried home.

"While I was in this miserable condition, I was stricken with malarial fever and confined to bed for four months. I had the best physicians, but while they relieved my fever, their treatment did not entirely drive the malaria from my system, and they did not help my paralysis in the least.

"It was well nigh despairing when a friend persuaded me to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. When I had finished one box I could see results that encouraged me. My condition kept steadily improving, and when I had taken seven boxes I was cured of paralysis and the malaria was completely driven out of my system. For two years now I have enjoyed the best of health and have attended to business without any interruption."

Mr. Hayden's home is at No. 253 West 39th street, New York. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have cured many similar cases of paralysis, also locomotor ataxia. They are sold by all druggists. A treatment so simple, inexpensive and successful should be tried by every sufferer from partial paralysis in any of its stages.

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THE MILL 1746

the brakeman puts on the brakes the train leaves the tracks.

"There was a while last summer when we hadn't had a rainstorm for over three weeks, and the road could not run. The rails go so smooth that the wheels wouldn't stick to 'em at all. So they had to sprinkle water on the rails all the way over and let 'em rust up for a couple of days before they could get back on to schedule.

"There are four trains on the time table and one on the road. They call them the 'Nantucket and Siasconset Limited,' the 'Overland Flyer,' the 'Sea View Special' and the 'Fast Mail.' I

Winter on the Coast

(Special Correspondence.)

Nantucket in winter. The Pacific club at the foot of Main street has its regular members seated in the same old chairs that they have used for years. The stove gives out a glow that sets at naught the howling wind as it creeps up from the harbor and then with a fierce rush goes tearing past the club windows and up the street.

The boat from Woods Hole has been in for over an hour. The mail is sorted at the postoffice. The papers are all ready for distribution. A half-hour later the papers are read and laid aside and conversation resumed.

"Say, Joe," remarks Bro. Easton, "how about that time you went into the horse racing business down South?"

"You mean down in Montevideo?" asks Joe.

"Yes."



INTERIOR OF THE JAIL

"I never went into business," answered Joe, "I just bet a little on Allen's horse, that's all. Allen was a sort of trader down that way, and they used to be pretty smart on horse racing. So the day of the race we went over to the track and Allen says to me, 'Cap'n Joe, I think my horse is a sure winner.'"

"I didn't know anything about horses. I looked at Allen's horse, and he seemed as trim and taut as any of them, so I put down four ounces on him. There was another horse that everybody seemed to think much of. Horse was called Carraco, and he was a likely looking craft, but I thought Allen knew his business.

"Well, they started the horses and Allen's horse had the port side. This gave him advantage, Allen said. It was a very pretty race until they tackled and started for the turn home. I could then see that Carraco was leading. The driver of Allen's horse let out all the canvas he could, but the horse couldn't answer his tiller as well as he ought to, and Carraco beat him."

"How bad did he beat him, Joe?"

"Oh, I should say about half a ship's length. I know I didn't get back my four ounces, and I haven't bet anything on horses since."

Laughing at Their Railroad.

In winter the Nantucket Central railroad doesn't run. And the old captains and members of the Pacific club who have no entertainments on hand get their little amusement laughing at the railroad. Capt. Killen is the winter agent of the railroad. He is the sole sponsor for what the railroad management intends to do in summer. His ideas for next summer are crystallizing rapidly.

"This railroad is a great institution," says Capt. Killen. "It is not so old as many of our other institutions, but it looks to be the deans of them all. It was originally intended to carry people from here to 'Sconset, but about all it ever does is start with them and make the people walk after the engine breaks down. Every time

mellow and sweet in tone as it was when it left the foundry in Lisbon nearly a century ago.

Three times has the old town been swept by flames. In 1836 there was a great fire. In '38 the town lost about \$300,000 in a single day. In 1846 the town was nearly wiped out of existence by flames in a fierce fire which lasted two days.

Jail the Leading Institution.

From the tower on a fair day a person can see the jail without a spy-glass. The jail is one of Nantucket's leading institutions. Bro. Parker has held the keys for the past fifteen years. He is a very rigid disciplinarian.

"I never let a prisoner get away if I can help it," he says. "Of course when I go sailing and I'm gone till late at night I can't keep my eye on 'em as well as I might. Very few prisoners escape, even when I'm not here. One fellow did get away about two years ago, but he wasn't much account so we let him stay away. He can't get off the island, anyhow. I met him the other day and told him if he ever came up to the jail again I'd have him arrested."

"No, we don't have many prisoners here. About two a year I should judge. I could tell exactly by looking at the records."

"It is quite a care on a man to be a keeper of a jail. It is easy enough to keep the jail all right, but to keep the people in it is the hard part. A long while ago a man robbed the bank and he was sentenced to five years in the jail. He used to come over to the jail every night regular and go to bed. He was a Union prisoner. Well, he was pardoned at the end of three years by the president, and he refused to accept the pardon. You see, if he left the jail he would have to buy his own groceries, instead of having 'em charged up like he had been doing.

"I tell all the prisoners I have that if they treat me right I'll treat them right, and I always get along with 'em pretty well."

Gaoler Parker has a merry little twinkle in his starboard eye when he talks about the jail.

never knew why they called it the fast mail till I asked the conductor and he said that the mail bag was nailed fast to the floor of the baggage car and stayed fast all right.

"They never have many accidents on the road. Last summer they ran from 'Sconset right into the Nantucket depot without getting off the track. That was the only accident last year.

"I am not a stockholder nor a season ticket holder in the road, but I am very proud of the Nantucket Central system, as it is one of the few roads in the country that is owned by whale oil instead of Standard Oil."

Thus they while away the hours, these old men of the sea—in merry banter, in philosophy, and in the recollections of more active days. They dream again of their youth, when Nantucket was the leading whaling port of the world; when Capt. Grant made the record voyage of a cargo valued at \$187,000; when money flowed like surf against the breakwater.

Town Crier on His Rounds.

Then the dream is interrupted. A loud voice is heard at the door. A hand is laid on the knob and a head is thrust into the room. Hull, the town crier, is on his rounds.

Hull is generally conceded to be the busiest man in Nantucket. Hull admits it. As a lineal descendant of Commodore Hull he feels that activity is his right of inheritance. So he keeps busy. In addition to being town crier, he is special police, master in chancery, sealer of fish scales, member of the No. 4 volunteers, a G. A. R. man in good standing, third assistant wharfinger, manager of the opera house, fence viewer, cornetist in the band, sign painter and ringer of the town bell.

And all for the same price of admission.

Hull's duties as bell ringer consist of being in the old tower at 7 in the morning, at noon, and at 9 in the evening. After the clock strikes the hour on the sweet-toned bell Hull takes the rope and proclaims to Nantucket the rising, dining and retiring hour by many strokes on the bell, which is as



A WOMAN'S MISERY.

Mrs. John LaRue, of 115 Paterson avenue, Paterson, N. J., says: "I was troubled for about nine years, and what I suffered no one will ever know. I used about every known remedy that is said to be good for kidney complaint, but without deriving permanent relief. Often when

alone in the house the backache has been so bad that it brought tears to my eyes. The pain at times was so intense that I was compelled to give up my household duties and lie down. There were headaches, dizziness and blood rushing to my head to cause bleeding at the nose. The first box of Doan's Kidney Pills benefited me so much that I continued the treatment. The stinging pain in the small of my back, the rushes of blood to the head and other symptoms disappeared."

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One of the most beautiful women in America defies the ravages of time by simply keeping her blood purified with Dr. Caldwell's (laxative) Syrup Pepsin. It will do the same for you. If taken at the least sign of bowel, liver or stomach trouble, it will prevent all kinds of sickness, keep your circulation clear, and your skin and complexion as fresh and pure as in childhood. Sold by all druggists at 50c and \$1.00. Money back if it fails.

STAMPS PUT TO NOVEL USE.

Brilliant Wall Decoration Evolved by Patient Monks.

The monks at the Hospital of St. Jean de Dieu, at Ghent, have in their leisure moments decorated the walls with gorgeous landscapes, glowing with color and full of life, formed entirely by means of the postage stamps of all the nations of the world. Palaces, forests, streams and mountains are represented, butterflies flit about in the air, birds of beautiful plumage perch on branches, snakes and lizards glide about, and innumerable animals find places here and there. The pictures are most artistic, in the style of Chinese landscape gardening, and already between nine and ten millions of stamps have been used.

Wealth and Longevity.

The late Prof. Owen thrashed out the question of wealth and longevity thoroughly. It was his conclusion that if it be true that the dietary of the rich is opposed to health, the absence of worry, of anxiety over the living of themselves and their families, the absence of severe toil, and the like, more than compensate for any digestive troubles they may incur. Probably most rich people eat too much and their dietary is too stimulating, but this is less dangerous to life than is frequent hunger with overwork, anxiety and exposure. A happy medium, of course, is the suggestion of common sense and experience.

A Tarpon Tows a Hoghead.

Times and places there are where the tarpon have been so numerous and so free in their antics as to be a pest to the small fishermen, who in a certain bay once harpooned a lordly fish, lashed him to a keg and pointed him to the open sea. Drawing the floating barrel he went splashing terror to his kindred—an aquatic scarecrow. And as the militant hoghead, ferried by a leaping twelve-stone fish, went marching down the bay, all tarpon, great and small, took warning that they must keep their performances within the bounds of decency.—Country Life in America.

Confetti in Paris.

It is estimated that the Parisians alone spend \$120,000 on confetti every year. The total weight of confetti sold in Paris in a year has been estimated at more than a thousand tons.

Only True Reform.

To reform a world, to reform a nation, no wise man will undertake; and all but foolish men know that the only solid, though a far slower, reform, is what each begins on and perfects himself.—Carlyle.

COL. BECKWITH SAYS:

"I Take Pleasure in Commending Pe-ru-na For Coughs and Colds."



COL. PAUL E. BECKWITH.

Colonel Paul E. Beckwith, Lt. Col., retired, 1st Reg. Minute Men, in a letter from 1503 Vermont avenue, N. W., Washington, D. C., writes: "From the unqualified endorsement of many of my friends, I take pleasure in commending your remedies for coughs and colds."—Paul E. Beckwith.

IN FIELD OR BARRACKS PE-RU-NA IS EFFICACIOUS.

The constant exposure to the elements experienced in an out-door life is not so apt to cause coughs and colds as sedentary habits.

Those who are brought face to face with the weather every day in active life are much less liable to catarrhal diseases than those who are housed up in ill ventilated rooms. And yet both of these classes are more or less subject to catarrh and catarrhal diseases.

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The soldier as well as the civilian finds it frequently necessary to use Peruna on account of coughs and colds.

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TIME TABLES.

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

Taking effect Nov. 28, 1904.

Local car leaves Chelsea for Detroit at 6:29 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 to 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, 10:15 p. m.

Cars leave Ypsilanti Sundays at 6:45, 8:45, 9:45, 11:45 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. 96—Atlantic Express... 8:30 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. 18—Grand Rapids Express... 6:45 P. M.
No. 57—Pacific Express... 10:52 P. M.

Nos. 80 and 37 stop only to let passengers on or off.

W. T. GAUQUE, Agent, Chelsea.
O. W. RUGGLES, 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.

No. 6, 8:05 A. M.
No. 2, 11:25 A. M.
No. 4, 8:15 P. M.

NORTH.

No. 1, 9:05 A. M.
No. 3, 4:50 P. M.
No. 5, 8:37 P. M.

Nos. 1 and 2 through trains daily except Sunday.

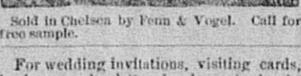
No. 5 daily except Sunday between Toledo and Owasco.

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THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 2, 1905.

Governor Warner has declined to sign a bill changing the names of two young women. In his veto message he called attention to the fact that the legislature of 1897 passed a law requiring changes of names to be made through the probate court and in no other way.

Prairie Creek Grange, of Ionia county, wants the legislature to pass a bill creating a board to examine and license farm laborers. That would be just about as sensible a board to have as those for licensing barbers and horse shoers, neither one of which is of any more use than a second tail to a cat.

Twenty-five members of the house and senate at Lansing who are farmers have formed the Legislative Farmers Club. The objects of the organization are the discussion of matters to come before the legislature which directly interest the farmers of the state and social affairs. No person is eligible as a member unless he is a farmer.

Senator "Johnny" Baird, of Saginaw, has introduced a bill in the state senate providing for the examination and licensing of butchers. Now, where in the name of common sense is all this tomfoolery of special examining and licensing boards going to end. First, it was the barbers and horseshoers, now it is the butchers and farm laborers, soon it will be the cooks and laundresses, the hod carriers and sewer diggers. There seems to be no limit to which this fussy interference with the everyday affairs of the people is not to be carried, except the limit of impertinence and absurdity, and that has already been reached.

The Chicago Daily Review is the only Chicago city you can get for one dollar a year, 75c for six months, 50c for three months. All important news, a daily magazine feature, complete market report. Send a dollar to Daily Review, Cocoa-Cola Building, Chicago, Ill.

Impressions of Florida.

In a letter to the editor of the Ann Arbor Times A. J. Sawyer, sr., who is now on a visit to Florida in company with Dr. R. S. Armstrong, gives his impressions of the country as follows:

We left Ann Arbor at 8:06 a. m., Monday. The snow left us at Chattanooga and the ice at Atlanta; the house fly met us at Jacksonville and the mosquito at Tampa. Atlanta, Jacksonville and Tampa have the whirl and hum of a northern city. The rest are simply looking on, and are so industriously waiting that they have not the time to paint their houses or places of business. Florida is a wonderful state. Its chief product is the northern tourist, and its chief industry dodging labor.

The style of architecture for residences will not be found elsewhere. In most of their rural homes they have no windows, but they make it up by placing two front doors in the back side of the house. I presume this only applies, however, to the negro houses. The negro village has no equal on earth. Imagine from one to five hundred rudely constructed houses of various sizes and shapes suddenly lifted from their foundation by a flood and thrown into a confused mass and left by the subsiding water in some incongruous body, and you have a negro village.

But Florida has very many points of interest. Her inhabitants are a noble, generous-hearted people, and win your confidence and esteem by their frank and open manner. I am delighted with the climate and the people.

Fiendish Suffering

is often caused by sores, ulcers and cancers that eat away your skin. Wm. Bendell, of Flat Rock, Mich., says: "I have used Bucklen's Arnica Salve for ulcers, sores and cancers. It is the best healing dressing I ever found." Soothes and heals cuts, burns and scalds. 25c at Glazier & Stimson's drug store; guaranteed.

MORE LOCAL.

Successful revival meetings were held at the German M. E. church, Francisco, by Rev. H. Lenx last week.

An old-fashioned lyceum will be held at the North Lake Grange hall next Saturday evening, Feb. 4, to which everyone is invited. Admission free.

Arrangements have been made by the Michigan Central and Pennsylvania railroads to run a special solid train to Washington to convey members of various political clubs, organized bodies and their friends, who will attend the inauguration ceremonies on March 4.

The stockholders of the D. Y. A. A. & J. electric line held their annual meeting at Dearborn Monday. No figures are given but President J. D. Hawks says the past year has been the most prosperous one in the history of the road. The officers elected were: President, J. D. Hawks; vice president and treasurer, S. F. Angus; secretary, A. L. C. Henry.

When Joseph Lowery died in Manchester a short time ago it was given out that he died of measles and a public funeral was held. Now the deceased man's wife, his youngest daughter and Mrs. Arthur Lowery are ill with smallpox and there are eight cases of the disease in the town. By order of President Fred M. Freeman the schools have been closed.

Simon Winslow died at his home in Lima, Tuesday, Jan. 31, of Bright's disease, aged 61 years, 4 months and 18 days. He was born on the farm where he died and it had been his lifelong home. His wife and two children survive him. The funeral service will be held at the house this afternoon at 1 o'clock and will be conducted by Rev. C. S. Jones. Interment will be made in Oak Grove cemetery.

Traveling library No. 56 has just been received at the public school library. It is composed of 50 choice volumes by some of the best authors of scientific works and fiction. In like manner with the 1,200 books that are in that library these books can be drawn out and read free of charge by persons resident in the school district, subject to the rules and regulations governing the library. A complete list of the books will be published in the Herald next week.

"The Minister's Son," played at the opera house Friday evening by local talent, under the direction of Fred Godding, for the benefit of the Cardinals, was exceedingly well patronized. The players all took their parts in good style and the audience was highly amused and entertained by their efforts. The specialties between the acts by Floyd Ward and Fred Godding were well rendered and well received. The net proceeds were \$23, of which the club gets 50 per cent.

Two large steel tanks 12 feet in diameter and 14 feet high were transported through Chelsea yesterday on sleighs on their way to Detroit and attracted considerable attention. They were made by the John Crowley Boiler Co., of Jackson, for the American Radiator Co., of Detroit, weighed several thousand pounds each and are capable of withstanding a steam pressure of 150 pounds to the square inch. The tanks could not be transported to Detroit by the railroad on account of their dimensions, hence had to be taken by the old-fashioned plan of horses and sleighs.

The I. C. Schools have several very successful students in Chelsea. If you will inspect their window display at Fenn & Vogel's this week you will see the practicality of this school.

Lima.

Mrs. Fannie Ward is still confined to the house.

Mrs. Mary Freer and Mrs. Etta Stocking were in Ann Arbor on business Tuesday.

The Lima and Scio Farmers' Club will meet at Ed. Dancer's next Thursday, Feb. 9.

The box social at J. Hinderer's last Friday night was well attended. About \$15 was cleared.

Miss C. McGill, of Detroit, spent Saturday night and Sunday with her sister Mrs. Claude Guerin.

Personal.

Harry F. Abbott, of Jackson, was in town Tuesday.

Roy Havens, wife and child, are visiting relatives in Lansing.

Will Purkiss, of Homer, was the guest of friends in this place Sunday.

Mrs. John Welsh was the guest of Mrs. Wm. Kennedy, of Ann Arbor, Sunday.

Lewis Kilmer went to Mt. Clemens Saturday to take bath treatment for rheumatism.

Prof. E. I. Bosworth, D. D., of Oberlin, Ohio, was the guest of Rev. C. S. Jones Monday.

Julius V. Klein arrived home Sunday afternoon, called here by the death of his stepmother Mrs. C. Klein.

Mrs. Jabez Bacon left for Evansville, Wis., yesterday to visit her son-in-law Henry Schneider and see her infant grandchildren.

Miss Mary A. VanTyne was in attendance at the Washtenaw County Teachers' Association meeting held in Ann Arbor Saturday.

Miss Clara Wester and Miss Emma Weekless, of Detroit, are visiting the former's sister Mrs. Wm. Fox, of Lyndon, this week.

Miss Lola Updike, who has been employed in the Chelsea house for some time past, returned to her home in Grass Lake Sunday.

Miss Libbie Dewep attended the meeting of the Washtenaw County Teachers' and Patrons' Association at Ann Arbor last Saturday.

Mrs. John R. Gates went to Mt. Clemens again Friday to take the mineral baths for her rheumatism which is troubling her very greatly.

Public is Aroused.

The public is aroused to a knowledge of the curative merits of that great medical tonic, Electric Bitters, for sick stomach, liver and kidneys. Mary H. Walters, of 546 St. Clair avenue, Columbus, O., writes: "For several months I was given up to die. I had fever and ague, my nerves were wrecked; I could not sleep, and my stomach was so weak from useless doctor's drugs that I could not eat. Soon after beginning to take Electric Bitters I obtained relief and in a short time I was entirely cured." Guaranteed at Glazier & Stimson's drug store; price 50c.

School Report.

Report of school in District No. 11, Lyndon, for the month ending Jan. 22. The following have an average standing of 95: John Smith, Rolland McKune, Irene and Gertrude Clark; 90—George and Hattie Stofer, Cecelia, Raymond and Herbert McKune, Helia, Noble and Guy Barton, Gladys, Heen, Margaret and Lawrence Shanahan; 85—Harry Stofer, Hattie Stofer, Irene Clark and Cecelia and Rolland McKune did not misspell a word in written spelling during the month, Noble Barton and Gertrude Clark missing but one. John Smith, Gladys, Heen and Margaret Shanahan, Cecelia and Rolland McKune, Noble and Helia Barton were neither absent nor tardy during the month.

MARGARET YOUNG, Teacher.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, ss. LUCAS COUNTY.

FRANK J. CHENEY makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. CHENEY & CO., doing business in the city of Toledo, county and state aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of CATARRH that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886. A. W. GLEASON, Notary Public.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials. Address F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by druggists, 75c. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Prof. Uriah W. Lawton, one of Michigan's prominent educators, died in Jackson Monday, Jan. 30, aged 72 years. He was a native of Rhode Island, who graduated from Brown University in the class of 1856 with such men as Richard Olney, of Massachusetts, Senator Hill, of Colorado, Gen. Ewing, and other other names of national prominence. He came to Michigan after his graduation and was superintendent of schools at Dexter for one year, then followed five years at Tecumseh and five at Ann Arbor in a like capacity after which he removed to Jackson which city has been his home since that time. He was head of the schools of that city for 17 years.

Photographs.

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"I had stricture for eleven years. It finally brought on Bright's Disease of the Kidneys. I had an uncomfortable shooting pain in the groin and feeling as though something was in the urethra. My back was weak and I could scarcely stoop over. Urine was full of sediment. Had a desire to urinate frequently. Family doctors, so-called specialists, patent medicines, electric belts, all failed. I was discouraged. I had spent hundreds of dollars in vain. Finally I consulted Dr. Kennedy & Kergan as the last resort. I had heard a great deal about them and concluded from the fact that they had been established over 25 years that they understood their business. I was delighted with the results. In one week I felt better and in a few weeks was entirely cured. Have gained sixteen pounds in weight." G. E. WRIGHT, Lansing.

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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 63
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 60
Gold coin	11,387 50
Silver coin	1,288 05
Nicksels and cents	201 77
Checks, cash items, internal revenue account	66,072 6
Total	\$464,411 76
LIABILITIES	
Capital stock paid in	\$ 40,000 00
Surplus	10,500 00
Undivided profits, net	2,608 52
Dividends unpaid	\$ 486 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	\$464,411 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.

(H. S. HOLMES, GEO. A. BEGOLE, EDW. VOGLER, Directors.

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

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE 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 00
Bonds, mortgages and securities	306,988 00
Premiums paid on bonds	140 00
Overdrafts	617 00
Banking house	30,000 00
Furniture and fixtures	9,800 00
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
Nicksels and cents	357 57
Checks, cash items, internal revenue account	65,756 00
Total	\$802,555 00
LIABILITIES	
Capital stock paid in	\$ 60,000 00
Surplus fund	35,000 00
Undivided profits, net	6,007 00
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	\$802,555 00

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.

THEO. E. WOOD, Cashier.

Until February 10th.

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Cloaks or Suits . . .

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1 size 38 Near Seal Fur \$30.00 Coat, now \$15.00.

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Of Local Interest.

Mrs. Henrietta Stocking, of Lima, has been appointed administratrix of the estate of her deceased father Lewis Freer.

George B. Greening, of Detroit, has been appointed administrator of the estate of his mother the late Mrs. Mary Greening.

Hourly cars are now run on the D. Y. A. A. & J. in Ann Arbor from the west end of Huron street to the east end of Packard street.

The Democratic county convention to elect delegates to the state and judicial convention will be held in Ann Arbor Tuesday, Feb. 21.

An attractive window display is being made at Penn & Vogel's drug store for one week by the I. C. Schools, which everybody should see.

The ladies of the Congregational church will give a supper in the church dining room next Wednesday evening, Feb. 8. Supper from 5 o'clock until all are served.

The many friends of B. B. Turnbull are pleased to learn of his rapid recovery from his recent illness. He now sits up several hours each day and hopes to be able to resume his business duties again soon.

The subject of Rev. E. E. Caster's sermon at the Methodist church next Sunday morning, Feb. 5, will be "Continued being." In the evening Rev. H. W. Hicks will lecture on "Theology, its province and perversion."

The entertainment given at the Woodman hall Saturday evening by Joseph M. Golden under the auspices of the L. C. B. A. was largely attended, the hall being packed to its fullest capacity. The entertainment was a good one and was generally enjoyed by all who heard it.

Thomas Taylor, for many years the well known tyler of the Masonic lodges of Ann Arbor, died there Saturday night of rheumatism of the heart, aged 72 years. Mr. Taylor was particularly well known to the Masons of this section on account of the unique manner in which he performed a part that fell to him in the course of his lodge duties.

About 25 members of St. Mary's Literary Club met at the homes of Mrs. Geo. Hindelang and Mrs. C. Hummel on Tuesday evening, Jan. 31, for a social gathering. Progressive polo constituted the amusement of the evening, the ace prize being won by Mrs. J. E. McKune. Light refreshments were served. The guests departed at a late hour after having spent a very pleasant evening.

The social given by Olive Chapter, O. E. S., at the Masonic hall last evening was well attended by Masons and their families, although the very cold weather and the attraction at the opera house kept a good many away. A program of songs by Floyd Ward and T. S. Hughes and readings by Mrs. M. Boyd and R. B. Waltrous was rendered, after which refreshments were served. The balance of the evening was spent in games and visiting. A very pleasant time was the result to everybody.

Mrs. Mary Barrus Broderick, for a great many years a resident of Chelsea, died in Jackson, Wednesday, Jan. 25, of a complication of diseases from which she had suffered for a long time, aged 74 years and 5 months. Her three sons Hiram Barrus, of Jackson, Giles Barrus, of Philadelphia, and Dr. Frank Broderick, of New York City, survive her. The remains were brought to Chelsea Saturday and were interred in Oak Grove cemetery, Rev. Thos. Holmes conducting the funeral services.

Julius V. Klein is at present considering the acceptance of a handsome proposition made to him by the firm of Frederick S. Stearns & Co., of Detroit, by whom he is employed as a commercial traveler. The proposition is a trip around the world in the interest of the firm, the itinerary of which would take in Australia, New Zealand, India, Ceylon, Cape Colony in Africa, England, France and Germany. The trip would take three years. It is a handsome acknowledgment of Mr. Klein's ability as a salesman and of his good service to the great drug firm.

The Grass Lake Masons are going to make some extensive improvements to the interior of their hall.

Rev. E. E. Caster conducted quarterly meeting services at the North Waterloo M. E. church Sunday afternoon.

United States Daily: The exhibit of a \$4,000 Welch motor car in New York has brought many orders to the Pontiac factory.

A one day farmers' institute is to be held at Grass Lake Friday, Feb. 10, with three sessions, morning, afternoon and evening.

P. H. Kelly, superintendent of public instruction, proposes to have the school census taken prior to June 1 instead of in August.

A ruling of the U. S. postal department is to the effect that the owners of mail boxes on rural routes have absolutely no control over them.

Rev. C. S. Jones will deliver the address at the annual banquet of the C. E. society of the Battle Creek Presbyterian church tomorrow evening.

Mr. Jacob Schneider and Miss Louisa Loeffler were married at the home of her mother Mrs. Anna Loeffler in Freedom this afternoon at 2 o'clock.

T. E. Wood, Rev. C. S. Jones, Jabez and Wm. Bacon and G. W. Maroney attended the meeting of Washenaw Chapter, R. A. M., at Ann Arbor Monday evening.

The Washtenaw County Round-up of Farmers' Institutes will be held in Salem, Feb. 15 and 16. An especially good program has been prepared. Everybody invited. Meals served by ladies of the church.

Jackson is to have a new daily paper the middle of this month when the Jackson Daily News will make its appearance. The capital stock of the new company will be \$50,000. The Industrial News owned by P.W. and J. G. Henley is to be merged into the new concern.

At the meeting of the Women's Relief Corps Friday afternoon, the newly elected officers for the current year were installed, Mrs. Mary Van-Tyne acting as installing officer. At 5 o'clock a dainty tea was served to the ladies and their husbands, which was greatly enjoyed by all. The tables were very prettily decorated.

The Patrons' Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Wayne and Washtenaw counties has filed its first annual report. The company was organized Jan. 1, 1904, and now has 121 members with net risks of \$445,133. The total cash receipts have been \$3,402.49 and the expenditures \$3,400.32. The company has had two losses aggregating \$2,245.19.

The Metropolitan Theatre Co is playing a week's engagement of popular plays at the opera house this week. They have been greeted with crowded houses every night so far. The bill tonight is "Arkansas Folks," a play that is new in Chelsea. Frank Tucker, an old favorite here, is the leading man of the company.

At the election of officers for the First Infantry, M. N. G., held Thursday to fill the vacancy caused by the promotion of Col. Harrah to be brigadier general, Lieut.-Col. John P. Kirk, of Ypsilanti, was elected colonel; Maj. Ross Granger, of Ann Arbor, lieutenant-colonel; Capt. J. S. Bersey, of Detroit, and Capt. Harry B. Britton, of Ypsilanti, majors.

The Republican county convention to elect 21 delegates to the state convention, to be held at Grand Rapids, Tuesday, Feb. 14, and to elect 21 delegates to the judicial convention (yet to be called) to nominate a candidate for circuit judge of the 22nd judicial district, and to transact such other business as may properly come before the convention, will be held at the court house, Ann Arbor, Monday, Feb. 13.

A Touching Story

Is the saving from death of the baby girl of Geo. A. Eyer, Cumberland, Md. He writes: "At the age of 11 months our lit- tle girl was in declining health with serious throat trouble, and two physicians gave her up. We were almost in despair when we resolved to try Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds. The first bottle gave relief, after taking four bottles she was cured and is now in perfect health." Never fails to re- lieve and cure a cough or cold. At Glazier & Stinson's drug store; 50c and \$1.00 guaranteed. Trial bottle free.

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Highest market price paid for Hides and Pelts.

Result of Boycott.

The only place in the United States that guarantees freedom from strikes, lockouts and labor warfare is Battle Creek, Mich.

The story? The work people, merchants, lawyers, doctors and other citizens became aroused and indignant at the efforts of the labor unions throughout the country to destroy the business of one of our largest industries—the Postum Cereal Co., Ltd., and at the open threats in the official union papers that the entire power of the National and State Federations of Labor was being brought to bear to "punish" the industries of Battle Creek, and particularly the Postum Co.

This sprung from the refusal of C. W. Post to obey the "orders" of the unions to take the Postum advertising away from various papers that refused to purchase labor of the labor trust—the unions.

Mr. Post was ordered to join the unions in their conspiracy to "ruin" and "put out of business" these publishers who had worked faithfully for him for years and helped build up his business. They had done no wrong, but had found it inconvenient and against their best judgment to buy labor of the labor trust. It seems a rule of the unions to conspire to ruin anyone who does not purchase from them upon their own terms.

An ink-maker or paper-maker who failed to sell ink or paper would have the same reason to order Post to help ruin these publishers. So the peddler in the street might stone you if you refused to buy his apples; the cabman to run over you if you refused to ride with him; the grocer order the manufacturer to discharge certain people because they did not patronize him, and so on to the ridiculous and villainous limit of all this boycott nonsense, in trying to force people to buy what they do not want.

If a man has labor to sell let him sell it at the best price he can get just as he would sell wheat, but he has no right to even intimate that he will obstruct the business, or attempt its ruin because the owner will not purchase of him.

The unions have become so tyrannous and arrogant with their despotism that a common citizen who has some time to spare and innocently thinks he has a right to put a little paint on his own house finds he must have that paint taken off and put on again by "the union" or all sorts of other things happen to him, his employer is ordered to discharge him, his grocer is boycotted if he furnishes him supplies, his family followed and insulted and his life made more miserable than that of a black slave before the war. If he drives a nail to repair the house or barn the carpenters "union" hounds him. He takes a pipe wrench to stop a leaking pipe and the plumbers "union" does things to him. He cannot put a little mortar in a loose brick on his chimney or the bricklayers, plasterers or hod carriers "union" is up in arms, and if he carelessly eats a loaf of bread that has no "union" label on it the bakers "union" proceeds to make life miserable for him.

So the white slave is tied hand and foot, unable to lift a hand to better himself or do the useful things, without first obtaining permission from some haughty, ignorant and abusive tyrant of some labor union.

It would all seem rather like a comic opera if it did not rob people of their freedom; that kind of work will not be permitted long in America.

Some smooth managers have built up the labor trust in the last few years, to bring themselves money and power and by managing workmen, have succeeded in making it possible for them to lay down the law in some cities and force workmen and citizens to "obey" implicitly, stripping them right and left of their liberties.

They have used boycotting, picketing, assaults, dynamiting of property and murder to enforce their orders and rule the people. They have gone far enough to order the President to remove certain citizens from office because the "unions" weren't pleased.

That means they propose to make the law of the unions replace the law of this government and the union leaders dominate even the chief Executive.

This is a government of and for the people and no organization or trust shall displace it. But the unions try it every now and then, led by desperate men as shown in their defiance of law and support of lawbreakers.

The "union" record of assaults, crippling of men and even women and children, destruction of property and murder of American citizens during the past two years is perhaps ten times the volume of crime and abuse perpetrated by slave owners during any two years previous to the civil war. We are in a horrible period of lethargy, which permits us to stand idly by while our American citizens are abused, crippled and murdered in dozens and hundreds by an organization or trust, having for its purpose,

thrusting what it has to sell (labor) upon us whether or no.

Suppose an American in a foreign city should be chased by a mob, caught and beaten unconscious, then his mouth pried open and carbolic acid poured down his throat, then his ribs kicked in and his face well stamped with iron nailed shoes, murdered because he tried to earn bread for his children. By the Eternal, sir, a fleet of American men of war would assemble there, clear for action and blow something off the face of the earth, if reparation were not made for the blood of one of our citizens.

And what answer do we make to the appeals of the hundreds of widows and orphans of those Americans murdered by labor unions? How do we try to protect the thousands of intelligent citizens who, with reason, prefer not to join any labor union and be subject to the tyranny of the heavily paid rulers of the labor trusts?

Upon a firm refusal by Mr. Post to join this criminal conspiracy a general boycott was ordered on Grape-Nuts and Postum all over the country, which set the good red blood of our ancestors in motion, bringing forth the reply that has now passed into history: "We refuse to join any conspiracy of organized labor to ruin publishers, nor will we discharge any of our trusted employes upon the orders of any labor union. If they can make their boycott effective and sink our ship, we will go down with the captain on the bridge and in command."

This set the writers in labor papers crazy and they redoubled their abuse. Finally one of their official organs came out with a large double column in denunciation of Battle Creek, calling it "a running sore on the face of Michigan," because it would not become "organized" and pay in dues to their labor leaders. The usual coarse, villainous epithets common to labor union writers were indulged in.

The result was to weld public sentiment in Battle Creek for protection. A citizens' association was started, and mass meetings held. Good citizens who happened to be members of local unions, in some cases quit the unions entirely for there is small need of them there.

The working people of Battle Creek are of the highest order of American mechanics. The majority are not union members, for practically all of the manufacturers have for years declined to employ union men because of disturbances about eleven years ago, and the union men now in the city are among the best citizens.

No city in the state of Michigan pays as high average wages as Battle Creek, no city of its size is as prosperous, and no city has so large a proportion of the best grade of mechanics who own their own homes.

So the work people massed together with the other citizens of the organization of the Citizens' Ass'n with the following preamble and constitution:

Whereas, From 1891 to 1894 the strikes instigated by labor unions in Battle Creek resulted in the destruction of property and loss of large sums of money in wages that would have been expended here; and,

Whereas, These acts caused serious damage to the city and in a market way delayed its progress at that time; and,

Whereas, Since the year 1894 the citizens have been enabled, by public sentiment, to prevent the recurrence of strikes and labor union disturbances which have been prevalent elsewhere; and,

Whereas, The employers of this city have steadfastly refused to place the management of their business under the control of labor unions, but have maintained the highest standard of wages paid under like conditions anywhere in the United States, and hereby unanimously declared their intent to continue such policy; and the employes of this city, a large percentage of whom own homes and have families reared and educated under conditions of peace and the well-earned prosperity of steady employment, have steadfastly maintained their right as free American citizens to work without the dictation and tyranny of labor union leaders, the bitter experience of the past offering sufficient reason for a determined stand for freedom; and,

Whereas, The attitude of the citizens on this subject has been the means of preserving peaceful conditions and continuous prosperity, in marked contrast to the conditions existing in other cities suffering from the dictation of trades unionism; it is therefore

Resolved, That the continuance of peace and prosperity in Battle Creek can be maintained, and the destructive work of outside interference avoided under the combined effort and action of all our people, by the formation of a Citizens' Association.

CONSTITUTION.

Article 1.—Name.

Article 2.—Objects.

First.—To insure, so far as possible,

a permanent condition of peace, prosperity and steady employment to the people of Battle Creek.

Second.—To energetically assist in maintaining law and order at all times and under all conditions.

Third.—To protect its members in their rights to manage their property and to dispose of their labor in a legal, lawful manner without restraint or interference.

Fourth.—To insure and permanently maintain fair, just treatment, one with another, in all the relations of life.

Fifth.—To preserve the existing right of any capable person to obtain employment and sell his labor, without being obliged to join any particular church, secret society, labor union or any other organization, and to support all such persons in their efforts to resist compulsory methods on the part of any organized body whatsoever.

Sixth.—To promote among employes a spirit of fairness, friendship and desire for the best interests of their employes, and to promote among workmen the spirit of industry, thrift, faithfulness to their employers and good citizenship.

Seventh.—To so amalgamate the public sentiment of all of the best citizens of Battle Creek, that a guarantee can be given to the world of a continuance of peaceful conditions, and that under such guarantee and protection manufacturers and capitalists can be induced to locate their business enterprises in Battle Creek.

Then follows articles relating to membership, officers, duties, etc., etc., etc.

This constitution has been signed by the great majority of representative citizens, including our workpeople.

A number of manufacturers from other cities, where they have been suffering all sorts of indignities, inconvenience and losses from the general hell of labor union strikes, picketing, assaults and other interference, proposed to move, providing they could be guaranteed protection.

The subject grew in importance until it has reached a place where absolute protection can be guaranteed by the citizens of Battle Creek on the following broad and evenly balanced terms which guarantees to the workman and to the manufacturer fairness, justice, steady work and regularity of output.

The newcoming manufacturer agrees to maintain the standard rate of wage paid elsewhere for like service, under similar conditions, the rate to be determined from time to time from well authenticated reports from competing cities. The tabulated wage reports issued by the Government Department of Commerce and Labor can also be used to show the standard rate, and it is expected later on that this government bureau will furnish weekly reports of the labor market from different centers, so that the workman when he is ready to sell his labor and the employer when he is ready to buy, may each have reliable information as to the market or ruling price.

The newcoming manufacturer also agrees to maintain the sanitary and hygienic conditions provided for by the state laws and to refrain from any lockouts to reduce wages below the standard, reserving to himself the right to discharge any employe for cause.

The Citizens' Association on its part agrees to furnish, in such numbers as it is possible to obtain, first-class workmen who will contract to sell their labor at the standard price for such period as may be fixed upon, agreeing not to strike, picket, assault other workmen, destroy property, or do any of the criminal acts common to labor unionism. Each workman reserving to himself the right to quit work for cause, and the Citizens' Association further pledges its members to use its associated power to enforce the contracts between employer and employe, and to act en masse to uphold the law at all times.

The new industries locating in Battle Creek will not start under any sort of labor union domination whatsoever, but will make individual contracts with each employe, those contracts being fair and equitable and guaranteed on both sides.

Thus from the abuses of labor unions and their insane efforts to ruin everyone who does not "obey" has evolved this plan which replaces the old conditions of injustice, lockouts, strikes, violence, loss of money and property, and general industrial warfare, and inaugurates an era of perfect balance and fairness between employer and employe, a steady continuance of industry and consequent prosperity. The entire community pledged by public sentiment and private act to restore to each man his ancient right to "peace, freedom and the pursuit of happiness."

Other cities will be driven to protect their workpeople, merchants and citizens as well as their industries from the blight of strikes, violence and the losses brought on by labor unionism

run amuck, by adopting the "Battle Creek plan," but this city offers industrial peace now, with cheap coal and good water, first-class railroad facilities and the best grade of fair, capable and peaceable mechanics known.

Details given upon inquiry of the "Secy. of the Citizens' Ass'n."

Identification.

The public should remember that there are a few labor unions conducted on peaceful lines and in proportion as they are worthy, they have won esteem, for we, as a people, are strongly in sympathy with any right act that has for its purpose better conditions for wage workers. But we do not forget that we seek the good of all and not those alone who belong to some organization, whereas even the law-abiding unions show undeniable evidences of tyranny and oppression when they are strong enough, while many of the unions harbor and encourage criminals in their efforts to force a roke of slavery upon the American people. As a public speaker lately said: "The arrogance of the English King that roused the fiery eloquence of Otis, that inspired the immortal declaration of Jefferson, that left Warren dying on the slopes of Bunker Hill, was not more outrageous than the conditions that a closed shop would force upon the community. These men burst into rebellion when the king did but touch their pockets. Imagine if you can their indignant protest had he sought to prohibit or restrict their occupation or determine the conditions under which they should earn their livelihood," and to assault, beat and murder them, blow up their houses and poison their food if they did not submit.

The public should also remember that good, true American citizens can be found in the unions and that they deprecate the criminal acts of their fellow members, but they are often in bad company.

Self only hurts sore spots. So, the honest, law-abiding union man is not hurt when the criminals are denounced, but when you hear a union man "holier" because the facts are made public, he has branded himself as either one of the lawbreakers or a sympathizer, and therefore with the mind of the lawbreaker, and likely to become one when opportunity offers. That is one reason employers decline to hire such men.

A short time ago inquiry came from the union forces to know if Mr. Post would "keep still" if they would call off the boycott on Postum and Grape-Nuts.

This is the reply: "The labor trust has seen fit to try to ruin our business because we would not join its criminal conspiracy. We are plain American citizens and differ from the labor union plan in that we do not force people to strike, picket, boycott, assault, blow up property or commit murder.

We do not pay thugs \$20 to break in the ribs of any man who tries to support his family nor \$30 for an eye knocked out.

We try to show our plain, honest regard for steady and independent workmen by paying the highest wages in the state.

We have a steady, unvarying respect for the law-abiding, peaceable union man and a most earnest desire to see him gain power enough to purge the unions of their criminal practices, that have brought down upon them the righteous denunciation of a long-suffering and outraged public, but we will not fawn, cringe, bend the knee, wear the hated collar of white slavery, the union label, nor prostitute our American citizenship under "orders" of any labor trust.

You offer to remove the restriction on our business and with "union" gold choke the throat and still the voice raised in stern denunciation of the despotism which tramples beneath an iron-shot heel the freedom of our brothers.

You would gag us with a silver bar and muffle the appeal to the American people to harken to the cries for bread of the little children whose faithful fathers were beaten to death while striving to earn food for them.

Your boycott may perhaps succeed in throwing our people out of work and driving us from business, but you cannot wrench from us that priceless jewel our fathers fought for and which every true son guards with his life. Therefore, speaking for our workpeople and ourselves, the infamous offer is declined."

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TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS.

The most interesting type of masculinity after all—the winter man.

Benjamin C. Dean, a heavy owner of timber and mineral lands in Michigan, is dead in Boston.

The Swedish riksdag was opened in the new parliament house for the first time. King Oscar reappointed the presidents and vice-presidents of both chambers.

Samuel H. Piles, of Seattle, Wash., was elected United States senator by the legislature at Olympia, on the 13th joint ballot. Charles Sweeney, the millionaire miner from Spokane, withdrew.

Celia and Cassie Olive, spinners aged 80 and 75 respectively, were burned to death at their home near Fultonham, O., through the clothing of the eldest lighting from an open fireplace. The younger lost her life in attempting to smother the flames.

Sitting upright in a sleigh, wherein he had started to drive from Winstan, Conn., to his home in Walcot, the body of Jacob Sukoski, aged 35, was found under a ten-foot snowdrift, which concealed horse, sleigh and driver. The horse was still alive.

Mrs. O'Neill, widow of Dr. J. O'Neill, contract surgeon killed by Ladrones in San Francisco de Malabon, January 24, and who was trying to escape with her husband, confirms the report that when he was shot, he exclaimed: "I have been shot by my own men."

Charles Tuxhorn, aged 40, a farmer who resided near McPherson, Kan., smothered his sons, aged 6 and 10 years, burned his house and barn and shot and killed himself. He had been arrested for mistreating his wife and children and was to have appeared in court the following day.

President C. T. Beckwith, of the defunct Citizens' National bank, of Oberlin, O., is reported to be in a very serious condition. Beckwith had been ill with heart trouble ever since the close of the bank, and has gradually grown weaker. It is believed by his physician that he will not live to be tried on the charges against him in the United States district court.

THE MARKETS.

Detroit.—Extra dry-fed steers and heifers, \$4 25@4 75; steers and heifers, 1,000 to 1,500, \$4 15; steers and heifers, 800 to 1,000, \$3 25@3 75; choice fat cows, \$3 60@5 00; good fat cows, \$2 50@3 00; common cows, \$1 75@2 25; canners, \$1 25@1 75; heavy bulls, \$3 00@3 50; fair to good hogs, \$2 50@3 00; 2 75; stock bulls, \$1 75@2 25; choice feeding steers, \$3 00 to 1,000, \$3 00@3 75; fair feeding steers, \$2 50 to 1,000, \$2 50@3 00; choice stockers, \$3 00 to 700, \$2 50@3 00; fair stockers, \$1 75@2 50; milkers, large, young, medium age, \$3 00@4 50; common milkers, \$2 00@3 00; milking cows, \$1 40@1 60; good grades, active, common about steady at above quotations.

Veal calves.—Market steady at last week's prices, best grades, \$7 50@8 00; others, \$4 00@6 00.

Sheep and lambs.—Market for lambs steady; sheep, \$5 00@5 25; higher, best lambs, \$4 00@4 25; fair to good lambs, \$3 75@4 00; light to common lambs, \$3 00@3 25; fair to good butcher sheep, \$2 00@2 25; culls and common, \$1 50@2 00.

Hogs.—Market active, pigs, 50c and heavier, \$4 00@4 25; fair to good lambs, \$4 00@4 25; light to common lambs, \$3 00@3 25; fair to good butcher sheep, \$2 00@2 25; culls and common, \$1 50@2 00.

Chicago.—Good prime steers, \$5 50@6 00; poor to medium, \$3 50@4 50; stockers and feeders, \$2 25@4 10; cows, \$1 25@2 25; heifers, \$2 00@3 00; canners, \$1 25@2 25; bulls, \$2 00@3 00; calves, \$2 75@4 00.

Hogs.—Mixed and choice heavy, \$4 00@5 00; rough heavy, \$4 75@4 75; light, \$4 75@4 85; bulk of sales, \$2 75@4 90.

Sheep and lambs.—Sheep steady to weak; lambs weak to lower; good to choice mixed, \$4 00@5 50; fair to choice mixed, \$4 00@4 80; native lambs, \$5 00@7 00.

East Buffalo.—Best export steers, \$5 00@5 50; best 1,200 to 1,500-lb. shipping steers, \$4 75@5 25; 900 to 1,000-lb. do, \$3 75@4 25; best fat cows, \$2 50@3 00; fair to good, \$2 00@2 50; canners, \$1 40@1 60; best fat heifers, \$1 50@1 75; medium heifers, \$2 25@2 50; common stock heifers, \$2 50@2 75; best feeding steers, \$3 00 to 1,000-lbs., \$2 50@3 00; common stockers, \$2 25@2 50; export bulls, \$2 50@3 10; little stock bulls, \$2 50@3 10; good fresh cows, \$4 00@5 00; medium to good, \$3 00@4 00; canners, \$1 40@1 60; receipts, 21,000; the market opened 50c lower on yorkers, mixed and mediums and strong and 10c higher on pigs, mixed and heavy, \$1 40@1 60; heavy, \$1 85, with a few selected choice at \$1 90; yorkers, \$4 70@4 75; the market closed steady, with some late arrivals holding over. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 25,000; the market ruled active; best native lambs, \$5 00@7 50; fair to good, \$4 50@7 25; culls and common, \$4 25@7 25; best western lambs, \$3 50@5 50; mixed, \$3 50@5 50; fair to good, \$3 25@5 50; culls and bucks, \$2 50@4 50; yearlings, \$2 50@5 50. Calves—Strong; best, \$3 75@4 25; fair to good, \$3 50@4 25.

Grain, Etc.

Detroit.—Wheat—No. 2 red, May, 10, 000 bu at \$1 20 1/2, 5,000 bu at \$1 20 1/2, 5,000 bu at \$1 21, 12,000 bu at \$1 20 1/2, 5,000 bu at \$1 20 1/2; July, 3,000 bu at \$1 20 1/2, 5,000 bu at \$1 20 1/2, 3,000 bu at \$1 20 1/2 per bu.

Corn.—No. 2 mixed, 46c; No. 3 yellow, 47c; sales were 6 cars, track, at 47c; by sample, 3 car at 47c; whole car track at 46c, 1 car at 45c per bu.

Oats.—No. 3 white, spot, 5 cars at 34c; May, 24c per bu.

Rye.—No. 2 spot, 2 cars at 82c per bu; Beans—Country, \$1 17 nominal; February, 1 car at \$1 57; March, 1 car at \$1 65 per bu.

Chicago.—No. 2 spring wheat, \$1 11 1/2; No. 3, \$1 11 1/2; No. 2 red, \$1 17 1/2; No. 2 corn, 43c; No. 2 yellow, 43c; No. 2 oats, 30c; No. 2 white, 30c; No. 2 rye, 75c; No. 2 barley, 37c; fair to choice making, 43 1/2c.

AMUSEMENTS IN DETROIT.

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HORSE WAS ON THE RANGE.

Pastor's Jaw: Not the Equal of Those of His Equine Friend.

"As I was coming by one of the churches in Bisbee," said Judge Dickson of Nogales, Ariz., "my range finder apprehended the odor of fried cotton-tail, and then I noticed smoke pouring from the church chimney, which led me to believe that a church supper was under way. Being hungry and inclined to benevolence when an opportunity like that to favor the church runs against me, I pushed in the side door, and found that I was right in a kitchen where I supposed the pastor had his study. Standing over a four-hole stove was the Rev. Mr. Banks, smothering cotton-tail in a skillet of hot lard, and he was much warmer than he expects to be hereafter—when he has his salary raised and he isn't compelled to keep house in church."

"How do you like camping out in church?" I asked, taking in the situation. "Better let me share that rabbit with you. Your place to live, ain't it? Where's your horse? Stable him here?"

"No, sir, I don't, I'm sorry to say," answered the parson, "although there's a nice stall for him in the organ, but I can't afford to do it, so I turn him out on the range near by and run chances."

"You'll lose him, sure."

"Well, all right. He's a bad man's horse, anyway, for I can't move my jaws preaching the Lord's word as fast as he can on alfalfa at \$20 a ton."

BETTER THAN STRAIGHT TALK.

Where Circumlocution Saved Servant from Reprimand.

The late Bishop Elder of Cincinnati, was born in Baltimore, and a Baltimorean said of him recently: "From his childhood Bishop Elder had the gift of direct and forcible speech. I once congratulated him on the possession of this gift, praising direct diction and condemning circumlocution, whereupon he said: "Circumlocution, though you condemn it, has its use. It is a fine instrument wherewith to soften harsh, unpleasant facts. There are many cases where circumlocution is valuable."

"For instance, I once had a young man for a servant who was inclined to take too many liberties."

"On a certain evening, for the entertainment of a guest of distinction, I procured a very excellent game pater. All of it was not eaten; quite half, I should say, was left when the servant removed it from the table."

"For luncheon the next day, I thought I would have up the game pater again. I told my man to fetch it. He, with a confused air, said he didn't know where it was. I told him to go, then, and ask the cook."

"He departed and in a little while returned without the pater."

"Well?" said I. "Well? where is the pater, John?"

"His reply was circumlocutionary enough to save him a reprimand."

"Please, sir," he said, "the cook told me to tell you she told me to eat it."

A New Orleans Wine Cellar.

A lady newly arrived in Washington, of great wealth, was at a dinner a few nights ago and amazed everybody by telling the brand and vintage of a rare wine without seeing the bottle or label.

"How can you do it?" she was asked.

"Oh," she replied, "I was born in New Orleans, you know, and was raised there. When I was a slip of a girl my father used to take me down into his great wine cellar under the house and show me the dusty bottles. He taught me all about wines down in those gloomy caves."

After the dinner the hostess said to her husband: "Wasn't it interesting to hear Mrs. So-and-So tell about her father's wine cellars?"

"Great!" replied the brutal husband. "Absolutely great! It was simply fine. You know there isn't a cellar in New Orleans."—Washington Correspondence New York World.

On a Beautiful Day.

O unseen Spirit! now a calm divine Comes forth from thee, rejoicing earth and air! Trees, hills and houses, all distinctly shine, And by great ocean slumbers everywhere.

The mountain ridge against the purple sky Stands clear and strong, with darkened rocks and dells, And cloudless brightness opens wide and high, A blue aerial, where thy presence dwells.

The chime of bells remote, the murmur of the sea, The song of birds in whispering copse and wood, The distant voice of children's thoughtless play, And maiden's song, are all one voice of good.

Amid the leaves' green mass a sunny play Of flash and shadow stirs like inward life; The ship's white sail glides onward far away, Unhaunted by a dream of storm or strife.

—John Sterling.

Indian Chief a Preacher.

Quannah Parker, head of the Comanche tribe and the biggest chief at the Asadarko Indian agency, in his old age has taken preaching. His mother was a white woman who as a child was captured by a band of Comanches on a horse-stealing raid in Texas. After she had become a chief's wife she was rescued by Confederate soldiers and restored to her people, but separation from her husband and child broke her heart and she soon died. Quannah is about 60 years old and has had a good deal of money. Like most of his race, he spent it freely and now has little left.

Drill for Mineral Water.
Drillers are at work at St. Joseph in the hope of striking good mineral water that will make the city another Mt. Clemens.

Oakland County Delivery.
Oakland county will soon have solid rural delivery and the routes will have to be arranged to suit the new conditions.

Elks' Temple at Hancock.
Hancock Elks have decided to spend about \$30,000 for a temple.

Uses 67,900 Visiting Cards.
The Italian minister of public instruction made use of 67,900 visiting cards in his thirty-two months of office.

Minneapolis Lumber Mills.
The lumber output of the mills in the Minneapolis district alone last year was 718,239,481 feet.

New Name for Carriage.
The French have a new name for carriages drawn by horses. They are "hippomobiles."

Falling Tree Kills Young Man.
Frank Dempsey, aged 21, was killed while working in the camp of R. G. Peters Salt and Lumber company, twelve miles west of Cadillac. A falling tree struck him. His body was sent to his home in Midland for burial.

Cement Block Building.
A new storage building is being erected at Leslie by M. P. Compton. It will be one of the finest structures in the place, being made entirely of cement blocks.

Jail Is Crowded.
The Allegan county jail has more prisoners in it at present than at any time during the past two years. The supervisors are considering the construction of a new jail and the present condition of affairs calls for decisive action.

Local Option Is Defeated.
The liquor element at Stanton is celebrating its victory over the local option faction as the result of a recent test case fought between the two sides and in which the former won.

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