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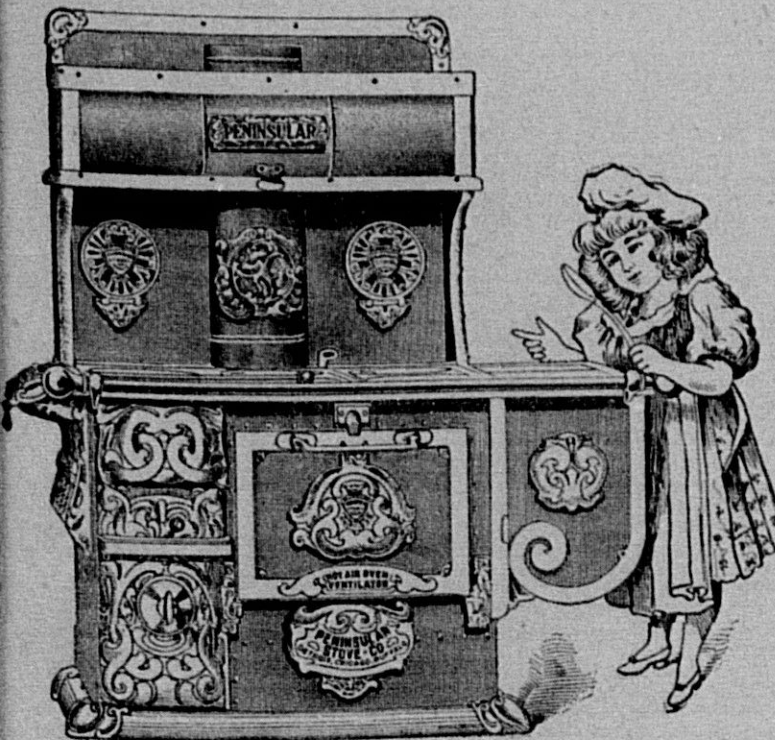
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THE CHARTER ELECTION.

Citizens' Won Out President, Assessor and Two Trustees.

The most ardent supporters of the Citizens' ticket in last Monday's charter election hardly expected that four out of the seven candidates on it would be elected, but when, after a second recount of the ballots for the trustees, it was announced that J. D. Colton and Lewis P. Vogel on the Citizens' ticket had been elected by majorities of 2 and 8 respectively, in addition to John A. Palmer, president, and William Bacon, assessor, they felt that their labors had not been in vain. There were 473 votes cast in all, of which 240 were straight Citizens' tickets and 231 straight Workingmen's tickets. The following was the result with the majorities received by the winning candidates:

PRESIDENT.	
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REV. C. S. JONES RESIGNS

The Pastorate of the Congregational Church Which He Has Held for Over Six Years.

For some weeks past it has been practically known that Chelsea was about to lose one of its very able corps of pastors, and that Rev. Carl Sumner Jones, the popular and efficient minister of the First Congregational church, was about to sever his connection with his congregation. The first intimation of this came when a few Sundays ago Mr. Jones went to St. Louis, Mo., where he preached before the supply committee of the Congregational church of Webster Groves, a suburb of that city. The next intimation was contained in a dispatch which appeared in the Detroit Tribune to the effect that a unanimous call had been extended to him by that church. The final intimation came on Sunday last when Mr. Jones read the following letter of resignation to his congregation at the morning service. Action will be taken on that letter at a meeting of the church and society to be held this evening:

Chelsea, Mich., March 11, 1905.

To the Congregational Church and Society, Chelsea, Mich.

Dear Friends:—Among the most sacred and holy relationships of life, none are stronger than the ties of Christian love and fellowship which bind together the hearts of a church and its pastor. Especially is this true where, through years of happy friendship and association, no discord or friction has arisen to separate or embitter, and the sharing of each others joys and sorrows in the spirit of sympathy and love has only served to make the relationship more blessed and true.

For more than six years it has been our privilege to stand together as friends in hours of joy and to silently weep together in sorrow. Not a request has been made of the church that has not met with a hearty response, and out of the generous love of your hearts have come many testimonials of your tender regard and esteem for the pastor and his family.

To your kindness and love is also due the completion of long hoped for studies. Through two busy years of absence you stood as a fold practically without a shepherd, yet patient with all shortcomings, charitable in word and deed, sympathetic in hours of sickness and affliction, and with constant prayer for the man you had called and chosen as your minister. Whatever success has been achieved has been due to your co-operation and loyalty at all times.

Such a relationship cannot rightfully be broken only for the strongest reasons. Yet, the hour has come, when in my heart I believe it advisable for you that I go away. You must lean upon Jesus Christ. The aim of your service must be by loyalty to Him to extend His kingdom. The motive of your gifts must be your love for Jesus Christ. It seems prudent that I go

because another with new plans and methods may carry forward the work of the church to larger and nobler fruitage.

By your gift you have fitted me for larger service and a call has come to the church of Webster Groves, St. Louis, Mo., a work which promises great usefulness. I am sure that with sorrow of heart we come to the parting of the ways, you to your appointed task and I to mine, because in my heart I believe it the call of Him whom not having seen we yet love and serve. I, therefore, hereby tender my resignation as pastor, to take effect as soon as in the judgment of the church it can be arranged for the best interests of all that the pastorate shall cease.

In Christian love, sincerely your pastor,
CARL SUMNER JONES.

For over six years Mr. Jones has been pastor of the Congregational church, and it is not saying too much for him when we say that he will be greatly missed both by his congregation and the people generally. A genial, whole-souled man and a forceful pulpit speaker, he always has a cheery word for his numerous friends and acquaintances and always has something good to offer them in his sermons.

The writer, although not a member of Mr. Jones' church, has had the privilege of an intimate acquaintance and friendship with him which has lasted during all the period of his residence in Chelsea, and personally we regret to see him leave. But what is Chelsea's loss will surely be Webster Groves' gain. For Mr. Jones is a young man in the prime of life, well equipped for the work he has in hand to do, and with ambition and energy to carry it on. The Herald wishes him Godspeed in his new field of labor and hopes that his success will be fully equal to his warmest anticipations. One thing is certain, from letters we have been privileged to read, he is going among a loyal, warm-hearted lot of people, who are both able and willing to help him in all his plans for their good.

Did Not Want Reciprocity.

The Republican county convention held at Ann Arbor Monday to nominate three candidates for the board of county auditors was a cut and dried affair and did its work in one, two, three order, the Glazier crowd having full control of it.

Col. H. S. Dean's suggestion that the places on the ticket for county auditors be left blank as an act of reciprocity to the Democrats for not nominating a candidate to oppose Judge Kinne, met with no favor from the men who are out after William Bacon's scalp. The nominations, made by acclamation, are Geo. Fischer, of Ann Arbor, Frank Stowell, of Ypsilanti, and John Farrell, of Chelsea.

Broke a Leg.

Henry B. O'Hagen, a Michigan Central brakeman, son of Dr. James O'Hagen, of Detroit, had his right leg broken below the knee Sunday. He was standing on the ladder of a freight car and as the car passed the old Welch Grain & Coal Co. elevator he was pulled from his position on the ladder through being caught against the building and fell to the ground, breaking his leg. Dr. McColligan was called to attend him, in the absence of Dr. G. W. Palmer, the company's physician, who subsequently arrived, and the young man's injuries were attended to. His father arrived in the afternoon to look after him. Mr. O'Hagen is a native of Chelsea, having been born here.

H. I. Stimson, of Parma, died Friday, March 10, aged 87 years. The deceased was the father of Mrs. Geo. P. Glazier and Chas. E. Stimson, and grandfather of F. P. Glazier, Saxe C., Henry I., Glenn C. and Miss Mattie Stimson, all of this place. He had been a resident of Parma for 40 years. He was a staunch Republican, and although he had been stricken with paralysis just before the election last November, insisted on being taken to the polls in a carriage to cast his vote. The funeral was held in Parma Sunday afternoon.

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There are times when the Ohio river
is this country's yellowest streak.

Just think of it! Good, pious Massa-
chusetts has outgrown the state prison
at Charlestown.

George Ade gets \$2,000 a week, and
the dyspepsia thrown in on the side—
the inside, in fact.

The grief of Japan over Russia's in-
ternal troubles is not inconsolable. It
is wholly under control.

The Savannah News wants "clean
paper money." We can clean up all
we can get hold of, as a rule.

A New York woman wants to know
why married life is "dull." Certainly
not for want of "sharp" answers.

Col. Astor lost six \$1,000 bills in a
theater the other evening. Most of us
couldn't be so careless if we tried.

Come rest in this bosom, my own
stricken trust, when the other states
tell you to get up and dust!—New Jer-
sey.

A New York dentist accepted a com-
mission to repair the molars of a
prize bull dog. Notice of funeral here-
after.

Wonder that nobody has yet sug-
gested the advisability of employing
Digger Indians to dig the Panama
canal.

William Dean Howells is 68, but it
would take two or three strong men
to hold him for the chloroforming
process.

The woman who sold one of her
fingers for \$500 had already given her
whole hand away to a man for the
mere asking.

A contemporary alleges that the
giraffe can kick harder than any
other animal. What's the matter with
a defeated candidate?

An eastern paper refers to her as
"old Mrs. Chadwick." She undoubtedly
deserves punishment, but ought it
to be as severe as this?

Authoress of one of the brochures
on "How to Manage Your Own Hus-
band" has had her better half arrested
on the charge of wife beating.

Not a few people will sympathize
with the boy who, when he was asked
what he would like to be when he grew
up to be a man, replied: "A centenar-
ian."

They are naming race horses, cheap
cigars and corn cures after Kuroki.
But we refuse to pity him. He was
warned before he started out to be-
come famous.

A Los Angeles florist has developed
the green carnation at last, but prob-
ably it will never appeal to so large
a percentage of the public as the
green apple does.

Mr. Edison's doctor has ordered
him to quit thinking for the next few
months. Let him butt into the Four
Hundred and he'll give up the per-
nicious habit forever.

The examiners found \$100 in cash in
a Chicago bank which was capitalized
for \$1,000,000. No explanation is of-
fered as to how the officials of the
bank happened to overlook it.

"Bachelors and club men are the
bandits, guerrillas and outcasts of so-
ciety," says Dr. Benjamin Ide Wheel-
er. The doctor seems to be almost as
elephantine a joker as Prof. Osler.

The Santo Domingo revolution is
said to have been suppressed. One
half of the revolutionary army has
fled to the mountains and the other
fellow has secured a job on the police
force.

It appears that when Max Lebaudy
set up in business as emperor of
Africa he hired a post laureate. We
are sorry to have to add that he did it
merely because he could get one
cheap.

Miss Jennie Crocker of San Fran-
cisco has just reached the age of 18
and come into possession of \$5,000,000.
Titled foreigners will please file pho-
tographs of themselves with their ap-
plications.

Search the scriptures! A pious citi-
zen persistently refused to pay his
taxes until the collector referred him
to the concluding portion of the sev-
enteenth chapter of the gospel accord-
ing to St. Matthew. Then he paid
up.

It was a "make-up" man with a
highly developed sense of humor who
placed close to the item touching Mil-
lonaire Arbuckle's 50-cent-a-day hotel
for working people the four-liner in
which John D. Rockefeller declares
that we live too fast and eat too much.
Is the old magpie interested in the
coffee king's scheme?

When the shoe manufacturers, in
convention in New York, announce
that the women of the future will
have bigger feet, they mean, of course,
only that they will wear bigger shoes.

STATE NEWS

LANSING BANK EMPLOYEE WENT WRONG AND THEN COMMITTED SUICIDE.

THE ALASKA MURDERER, HALL,
SUPPOSED TO BE MAINS, FORM-
ERLY OF BATTLE CREEK.

AN OCEANA COUNTY LAD PLAYS
DESPERADO AND ESCAPES
CAPTURE BY OFFICERS.

Shot At the Sheriff.
Ed Demple, aged 21, broke into the
Sand Creek postoffice recently. It is
alleged, and stole \$40 worth of goods
and a quantity of stamps and loose
change. On Monday last a portion of
the goods was found in the homes of
Demple's friends. Tuesday morning
Demple purchased a large quantity of
loaded cartridge shells in Hesperia for
the Winchester he carried, remarking:
"I am going after bigger game than
rabbits."

In the afternoon under Sheriff Al-
len and a posse located Demple in a
hut in the woods northeast of Sand
Creek. When they attempted to enter
he drew his gun on them, threatening
to shoot the first man who stepped in-
side.

"It is revolvers against a Winches-
ter, and I have the Winchester," he
said.

During the parley Demple leaped
through the window and from the
woods fired five shots at the officers,
who replied with one revolver shot.
No damage was done on either side,
and the fugitive then took to the
swamp, which he knows thoroughly
from lifelong acquaintance. The posse
searched for him until today and have
now returned temporarily from the
chase.

Demple has served time in prison
and declares he would sooner die than
be captured.

Suicide Under Suspicion.

Deputy County Treasurer William J.
Hawkins, of Bay City, committed sui-
cide by shooting himself through the
heart at his home some time Wednes-
day morning. Members of the family
did not hear the shot fired, but his
wife found the body on the kitchen
floor when she went downstairs. Haw-
kins was suspected of complicity in
forcing drain orders which were re-
cently presented to the treasurer to be
cashed. Investigation of the matter
has been under way for some days,
but no arrests had been made. Haw-
kins declared his innocence, but told
his physician that he couldn't prove it.
The doctor left him in a highly ner-
vous state, and had warned the family
that there was danger of suicide unless
they succeeded in quieting him.

Hawkins was 59 years old, and
leaves a widow and four children. He
had been employed in the county of-
fices either as deputy clerk or deputy
treasurer for upwards of 15 years.

Two years ago hundreds of dollars
were secured on fictitious paper.
Thomas Lee was dealing in orders
then and a warrant was out for his
arrest, when one morning his dead
body was found in a ditch where he
had been drowned. Meantime Fr.
Rafter had taken up the forged orders
and paid into the treasury, without
any explanation, \$1,200. The matter
was then dropped, and it was not
really believed that Lee was the for-
ger, as he was not a good penman.
The person suspected of being his ac-
complice left the city and has not
been seen since.

To Identify Him.

Robert Ball, supposed to be Charles
R. Mains, ex-attorney of Battle Creek,
with a notorious career in Michigan
and California, has been held without
bail for his appearance before the fed-
eral grand jury April 24 at Ketchikan,
Alaska. Mains, or Ball, is charged
with the murder of his former business
associate, William Deppie, on Fox Is-
land, southeastern Alaska, last January.
Photographs of C. R. Mains, sent from
Battle Creek, are almost positively
identified as being Ball, but it is prac-
tically certain that Battle Creek will
send some one to Alaska to identify
the man.

Disgrace and Death.

George A. Hasty, the bookkeeper for
the Lansing State Savings bank who
committed suicide Friday evening by
blowing off the top of his head with
a gun, did so because he was \$2,300
short in his accounts. He was treasur-
er of the Masonic Temple association
and had pocketed some of the funds.
Plans were on foot for a settlement
of the shortage and the retirement of
Hasty when the deficiency was discov-
ered this week, but he preferred death
to facing the disgrace.

A Mysterious Death.

The mysterious death of William
Shubael Goodspeed, aged 18, who fell
upon the street in Flint Wednesday
night and died three hours after being
taken home unconscious, is still mys-
tifying the physicians who conducted
the post-mortem. The heart, lungs,
brain and stomach were found in good
condition, except the lungs, which
showed a slight discolor. Some of the
symptoms led one of the doctors to
believe that he died from morphine
poisoning. At the time that Good-
speed fell and was assisted up by a
passerby, he was smoking a cigar,
which, he informed those who went to
his rescue, had made him drowsy sick.
A portion of the brains, lungs and
stomach were sent to Ann Arbor for
analysis.

St. Joseph citizens are indignant at
the board of works, because the city
has been in darkness for several
weeks.

Old Andrew Thompson, the Monta-
gne hermit who was found a few
weeks ago in a starving condition in
his old hut, with \$750 in his possession,
is dead.

STATE NEWS CONDENSED.

Maj. C. A. Vernon's inspection of 40
companies of state militia will be fol-
lowed by four companies being mustered
out of the service.

Dennis Smith, who escaped from the
Marshall jail Tuesday night by dig-
ging a hole through the brick wall, was
recaptured north of Bellevue,
where he was hiding with relatives.

Miss Ada Clark, of St. Joseph, has
become insane through brooding over
being arrested for shoplifting. A year
ago Miss Clark created a sensation by
eloping with a street carnival com-
pany.

Little Mary Vigue, of Porterville,
was crushed to death under a tree that
was left partially cut. Leaving the
tree in its dangerous position was the
careless act of a cousin of the little
girl.

While making a flying switch at
Traverse City, Charles Deyo, a Pere
Marquette brakeman, fell under the
train and had both arms taken off, one
at the wrist and the other above the
elbow.

George Scotts, a wealthy farmer of
Moreland, Muskegon county, and Mrs.
Pelton, of Owasco, who were brother
and sister, died within two hours of
each other. Neither knew that the
other was ill.

Thomas Paine, the aged farmer sent
to Jackson last fall to serve a life sen-
tence for the murder of his young
wife, is said to be dying of dropsy. His
two children have been taken to Jack-
son to see him.

Mrs. Abbie W. Smith, aged 94 years,
is dead at her home in Kalkaska. She
and her husband celebrated their gold-
en wedding in 1882, and she lived to
see one of her daughters celebrate her
golden wedding.

Edward McNeese, aged 14, of Water-
vliet, tried to bore a hole in thick ice
in a keg, using the stock of a loaded
shotgun as a hammer. The entire
charge passed through the body, tear-
ing the left side away.

A great revival is sweeping over La-
peer, and scores of persons are prom-
ising to lead a better life. One of the
incidents was the reuniting of a way-
ward wife and her husband, whose
case was in the divorce court.

Elmer Hardy, who shot his wife in
Marion one month ago because she
refused to live with him, pleaded guilty
and was sentenced to not more than
six and not less than four years at
Jackson prison. Mrs. Hardy is recov-
ering.

Helpless from paralysis, except in
one arm and hand, seated in a low
rocking chair, Jacob Pratt, of Three
Rivers, has started for Eureka, Cal.,
to make his home with his daughter.
It is doubtful if he reaches his destina-
tion alive.

The report of Assistant Adjutant-
General Wyckoff, of the Michigan de-
partment, G. A. R., for the last six
months of the past year, shows that
234 members died. The net decrease
in membership was 683. The member-
ship was 12,282.

The monthly crop report of the sec-
retary of state shows February to have
been over five degrees colder than the
normal. Wheat was well covered, how-
ever, and of 700 correspondents, only
57 reported that any considerable dam-
age had been done.

A farmer living near Lake View
captured a silver gray fox and has pre-
pared the skin for market. The silver
fox fur is the most valuable of all
furs on account of its rarity, and this
is said to be a magnificent specimen,
with tail fully two feet long.

The law and order league of Escan-
aba has laid out an extensive pro-
gram of activities to be used as a fac-
tor in the coming spring election. The
league has sent letters to the school-
keepers of the city calling their atten-
tion to the laws governing the liquor
traffic.

Within the last six months 234 of
the veterans of the civil war have
died, and enough more have dropped
out of the G. A. R. organization on
account of physical inability to at-
tempt to deplete the membership by 633
in Michigan. The total membership is
now 12,282.

Mrs. Mary Tebbutt, daughter of
John Corn, one of the old Menominee
Indians, lay down in front of the stove
to take a nap. The intense heat of the
stove ignited her clothing and she
woke to find herself a mass of flames.
She lingered in agony for several
hours, but finally died.

Seward E. Smith, of Richfield, will
bring back from Bloomington, N. C.,
the body of his son Bert, who commit-
ted suicide there last Friday. The
young man was 30 years old, and had
received four wounds while serving in
the Fourth United States infantry in
the Spanish-American war.

A party of Centerville villagers
were discussing the reported theory
of Prof. Osler that man over 60 should
be chloroformed. "I never felt better
in my life, even if I am 72 years old,"
said Wm. H. Smith. A few hours later,
while splitting wood, he sank to the
ground, dead of heart failure.

The trouble in the St. Joseph high
school still continues, and the 78 ex-
pelled students threaten to haze Prin-
cipal Max R. Hodgson. He has been
receiving letters threatening a "hair
cut" and other disagreeable things.
The board of education has enlisted
the services of the police department.

Attired in his inauguration frock
coat, Gov. Warner joined other pas-
sengers in fighting fire on a bridge on
the Pere Marquette railroad near
Howell. The engineer had run the
train across the bridge before stop-
ping. The river was frozen and the
fire was extinguished with difficulty.

The Moore Co., of Port Huron, and
W. A. Boland, of Jackson, have not
reached a compromise over the con-
struction of the new electric road be-
tween Jackson and Lansing, both
claiming the right to build the road
and both are making surveys and get-
ting material on the ground. The fight
may result in the building of two
roads.

Judge Wheeler, of the United States
circuit court in New York, has decided
that the government will have to re-
fund \$5,000,000 to the American Refin-
ing Sugar Co. (the sugar trust) for du-
ties paid on raw sugars imported from
Cuba.

WAR NEWS

THE REMNANTS OF KU- PATKIN'S ARMY MAY BE WIPED OUT.

THE LOSS OF TWO HUNDRED THOU-
SAND MEN ON BOTH SIDES
IS CLAIMED.

GYAMA, THE GREAT FIGHTER, KU-
ROPATKIN, THE MASTERLY,
ON RETREAT.

Field Marshal Oyama, reporting
Sunday, says:

"Prisoners, spoils and the enemy's
estimated casualties against our
forces in the Shakkie direction follow,
but the prisoners, guns and spoils are
increasing momentarily. The prisoners
number over 40,000, including Gen.
Nakhimoff. The killed and wounded
are estimated at 90,000. The enemy's
dead left on the field number 26,500.
The spoils include two flags, about 60
guns, 60,000 rifles, 150 ammunition
wagons, 1,000 carts, 200,000 shells,
25,000,000 rounds of small arms ammu-
nition, 75,000 bushels of cereals, 275,
000 bushels of fodder, 45 miles of light
railway outfit, 2,000 horses, 23 carloads
of goods, 1,000 carloads of clothing and
accoutrements, 1,000,000 rations of
bread, 70,000 tons of fuel and 60,000 of
hay, besides tools, tents, blankets, tele-
graph wires and poles, beds, stoves
and numerous other property."

"No report from the Singking direction
has been received."

Gen. Kuropatkin, in a dispatch to
the czar, dated shortly before midnight
Saturday, says:

"From February 28 to March 11, in-
clusive, 1,190 officers and 46,331 men
are missing from roll call."

A dispatch from Gen. Kuropatkin
dated March 11 says:

"The enemy is receiving considerable
reinforcements. Examination of the
wounded and prisoners shows Gen.
Nogi had almost entirely fresh forces.
The Japanese are a ways able to keep
their forces up to full fighting strength
because of the ease with which they
are able to transport troops from Ja-
pan."

The Retreat Described.

Kuropatkin's dispatches to St. Pe-
tersburg say:

"The retreat of the army was very
dangerous and especially trying for
those corps which were some distance
from the Mandarin road. Our troops
were very brave."

"The Japanese penetrated far into
the mountains in the direction of Ta-
wan. They threatened our troops but
thanks to extraordinary efforts our
armies are out of danger."

"The enemy cannonaded the route of
our retreat from the east and west.
The eastern Mandarin road was bom-
arded at two points near Tawan and
the Pa river."

"The reason the Japanese advanced
so easily from the south is that the
Hun river, which covered our position
at Mukden, was frozen over."

"Gen. Zerpitsky is wounded but re-
mains at the front."

The losses at the defeat at Mukden
are moderately placed at 200,000 men
on both sides.

A Most Bitter Defeat.

For many miles all the approaches
to Tie Pass are covered with troops,
artillery and baggage transports press-
ing northward and twenty-five miles
away the strong rear guard of troops,
which is personally commanded by
Gen. Kuropatkin, is retiring slowly,
doggedly disputing with the pursuing
enemy every foot of ground in order
to cover the retreat of the remainder of
the army.

The losses in this defeat, which is
the most bitter yet experienced by the
Russian army, by a moderate computa-
tion is not less than 200,000 men
on both sides.

The Russians, in addition, sacrificed
enormous quantities of munitions and
stores, the greater part of which were
set on fire before leaving Mukden.

A Brilliant Campaign.

Field Marshal Oyama's brilliant cam-
paign against Fushan and Mukden, at
once the greatest and the bloodiest in
modern warfare, which engaged a round
million of men in twelve days of con-
tinuous fighting, ending in the total
defeat of the Russian forces and their
dissemination into widely scattered
bands, that are still fighting desperat-
ly against complete annihilation as they
retreat in disorder into the Man-
churian wilds, is regarded as stamping
the Japanese commander as the pre-
mier military genius of the age.

Kuropatkin's Skill.

The retreat from Liao Yang has been
considered the most masterly ever ex-
ecuted, but it is far overshadowed by
this latest feat of the Russian general,
who has taken personal command of
the troops. After fighting for nearly
three weeks, losing in killed, wounded
and missing, probably a third of his
army, or nearly 100,000 men and a
fourth of his artillery, Kuropatkin
gathered together what was left north
of Mukden and took them towards Tie
Pass through a rain of shrapnel which
was thrown on them from both right
and left. This he seems to have been
able to accomplish by resorting to the
same tactics which saved his army at
Liao Yang.

Nevada is now the haven of gam-
blers, all that is required being a li-
cense, as the law forbidding ground
floor dens has been repealed.

A destructive prairie fire has swept
over the vicinity of Ellendale, N. D.
Hundreds of cattle, thousands of tons
of hay and many farm houses were
destroyed.

Robert Kidney, an aged miser living
near Port Byron, N. Y., was murdered
in his lonely cabin. The assassin over-
looked \$1,800 in gold and several hun-
dred dollars in bills.

Believing it was unoccupied, settlers
on the Rosebud Indian agency lands in
South Dakota, put the log cabin of
Hans Olsen on bonfires in the night
and hauled it several miles across the
prairies. Olsen and family looked out
of the door in the morning. The house-

THE STATE LEGISLATURE.

An appropriation of \$7,500 for the
Pioneer and Historical society is asked
for in a bill introduced by Senator
Glasgow.

Senator Doherty has introduced a
bill which provides for the levying of
a tax of 3 per cent on every policy is-
sued by an incorporated life insur-
ance company.

Among the measures passed by the
senate is one submitting to the people
an amendment to the constitution per-
mitting the state to appropriate money
for the improvement of roads.

So little has been done in Monday
night sessions of the legislature this
year that some members believe they
may as well be cut off. Representative
Lovell, of Berrien county, has in-
troduced a concurrent resolution that
hereafter the legislature shall begin
its weekly arduous Tuesday morning at
9 o'clock, instead of Monday evening.

Warden Fuller, of the Ionia reforma-
tory, proposes that the number of pris-
oners in state institutions be kept at
a lower point, and that superinten-
dents be made ex-officio members of
the pardon board. He points out that:
"Under the old law the courts fre-
quently imposed a sentence of six
months for burglary, and if the pris-
oner made good time he was released
at the end of five months. The courts
must now impose a maximum sentence
of fifteen years, and the prisoner must
serve that unless sooner released by
pardon or parole."

"These changed conditions will fill
the prisons of Michigan beyond their
present capacity inside of two years,
unless releases by parole or otherwise
shall be greatly increased, and the tax-
payers will be called upon to contrib-
ute half a million dollars for a new
prison."

Senator Rumer, however, thinks
lighter sentences would save filling up
the prisons to overflowing. One para-
graph of his bill reads: "Every sen-
tence of any person hereafter convict-
ed of a crime, except of a person sen-
tenced for life, or a child under 15
years of age, shall be left to the dis-
cretion of the court as hereinafter pro-
vided. The term of any prisoner so
convicted and sentenced shall not ex-
ceed the maximum term provided by
law for the crime for which the pris-
oner was convicted and sentenced, but
may be for a shorter term, as the court
may direct, and no prisoner shall be
discharged until after he shall have
served at least one-half of the term
provided by law for the crime for
which he was convicted."

The senate has passed Senator Lin-
ley's bill which provides for the dis-
play of the United States flag on
school buildings.

Representative Holmes endeavored
to kill in committee of the whole the
Bosley bill, providing a bounty of two
cents a head on English sparrows. Ac-
tion was deferred.

A bill to prevent the cutting of rates
by corporations aiming to eliminate
competition will be introduced in the
house by Representative Bosley, of
Calhoun. Mr. Bosley has received
from Kansas a copy of the bill passed
by the legislature of that state and
directed particularly against the
Standard Oil Co.

The form of holding a session was
perfunctorily gone through on Monday
night, less than a half hour comprising
the time.

The proposition to sell the old state
building at the corner of Washington
avenue and Allegan street has been
moved in a resolution by Representa-
tive Lovell. It empowers the board
of auditors to make the sale and turn
the money into the state treasury.

Speaker Master will not be present
this week, owing to the Kalamazoo
campaign and speaker pro tem Wheel-
an will wield the gavel.

Tie Pass Invested.

That the Japanese army has invest-
ed Tie Pass seems sure, and if so
Kuropatkin would have no alternative
except surrender. The rushing onset
of the Japs is shown by the fact that
Nogi's army made a forced march of
25 miles daily, and, acting in conjunc-
tion with Gen. Oku's army, surround-
ed 80,000 Russians in the direction of
Tie Pass and cut off their supplies.

The hurrying Japanese armies passed
a division of Russians without giving
it any attention until the enveloping
movement was completed, when they
crushingly attacked the Russians on
all sides. The railroad between Tie
Pass and Mukden has been cut by the
Japanese. The retreat of the Russian
center seems more like a rout than a
retreat by a well handled army. The
continuous battle is already the blood-
iest of the war. Upon the ground
that Gen. Oku alone gained 11,800
Russian dead. The reports from the
armies are expected to triple this fig-
ure. It is estimated that the Japan-
ese have lost 50,000, making the joint
slaughter far exceed 100,000 men.

Maple Rapids Bank Robbery.

The robbers who blew the safe in
the Maple Rapids bank Tuesday night,
securing \$30, and causing the destruc-
tion, on account of the terrific charge
of explosives used, of the plate glass
window of a building opposite, stole
a horse and buggy to get out of town
with. When in the vicinity of Lings-
burg they abandoned the rig, after un-
hitching the horse from the buggy.
The tracks in the snow would indi-
cate that the robbers were two in
number, and two unknown men were
seen going across the fields about 8
o'clock Wednesday morning. A re-
ward of \$150 has been offered for their
capture.

President Hyde, of Bowdoin, address-
ing students, said: "God is changing
his mind all the time about the world,
because the world is a changing
world."

Gen. Von Meyer, American ambas-
sador at St. Petersburg, has leased the
famous Kleimichei palace formerly
occupied by Prince Plo, the Spanish
ambassador.

The Connecticut supreme court has
sustained the decision of the superior
court against W. J. Bryan, who tried
to get \$50,000 from the "Y. S. S."
net estate on the strength of a sealed
letter in the will.

LATE NEWS

A WEALTHY BANKER CO- VICTED LEADER OF A FIREBUG BAND.

THE PRESIDENT IS SATISFIED
THAT THE NAVY IS NOW
LARGE ENOUGH.

CASSIE CHADWICK IS FOUND
GUILTY ON SEVEN OF THE
COUNTS.

Our Navy Will Do.

A difference of opinion exists
between the president and general
of the navy concerning the number
warships and cruisers necessary
to maintain the dignity and power of
United States. Admiral Dewey,
Rear Admirals Clark, Converse, C.
Sperry, Swinburne, Swift, Scher-
er and Wainwright, who constitute
general board of the navy, are on
ord as advocating a much larger
establishment than the president
now approving. The president has
recently expressed his opinion that
forty armored vessels, which will
be the size of our navy when the
ships and cruisers ordered are
completed, are ample to meet any
emergency that may arise. He thinks
navy should be kept up to date,
that vessels should be replaced
from time to time as they deteriorate
or become outclassed.

Cassie Is Convicted.

Cassie L. Chadwick, tried in
land, was on Saturday evening found
guilty of conspiring to wreck a nat-
ional bank, the jury convicting her
of the seven counts left in the indict-
ment. She will soon become an inmate
of the Ohio penitentiary, where she
years ago for forgery under the name
of Madame Le Vere. Her attorney
will endeavor to obtain a new trial.
Under the law she can be fined
each count, not more than \$10,000,
imprisoned more than two years
each count, or she may be fined
maximum of \$10,000 and also im-
prisoned for two years on each
count. When taken back to jail she wept
piously and after some minutes re-
fused to talk to the press. Her husband
has not been present at any time during
the trial, and his wife has manifested but
little interest in it.

Never Without Help and Hope

I never had a rock so bare,
Unblest by the dune-brightened soil,
But some small flower half hidden there,
Exhaled the fragrant breath of God.

I never knew a day so drear,
But on its bosom sky was hung
Some shadow of a rainbow clear,
From vanished joy in faraway flung.

I never sat where silence kept
My soul from loving friends afar,
But angel wings the ether swept
Between me and the evening star.

And never, in the keenest pain,
When night looks down on anguish wild,
Can "O my Father," rise in vain
From the lone spirit of his child.

—Julia Noyes.



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"I do hope the cars won't run off the track," said Betty Sylvester, as she put the finishing touches to her sister's costume, and then stood back and studied the effect critically. "It's an audacious flying in the face of Providence, to go switching off behind one of them engines that ain't like nothing human nor divine. But here's your Aunt Beulah, down sick in bed and writing to us, and the land knows I can't go with all the farm and cows and cooking, and three hired men here; and they do say she's got a splendid house with carpets and bath rooms and all, and we're the only kin. There, I think that will do. Yes, it's a shame we've never been to see her, and she being there twenty years, and the last five all by herself. But it's a hundred miles, and it stands to reason we couldn't go in a wagon, and I won't be switched across the land by one of them snorting railroad things that hasn't been in the neighborhood scarcely a year, and folks still jumping just to hear them. Yes, that will do," and stepping forward quickly she dabbed a little kiss upon her sister's ear. "Now good-bye. Be sure and write soon's you get there, and don't be set up with the fine things in Aunt Beulah's house. I do hope nothing will happen. But young folks like to travel round and see things. You'll likely have a real good time, and it's a shame Aunt Beulah at death's door and I never been to see her. But there; I must run back or the sweet pickle will plumb spoil on the stove. You look real pretty, Dorcas." And with this involuntary compliment, Betty Sylvester hurried toward the kitchen, leaving Dorcas blushing and frightened at the prospect of her first journey on the cars.

For a number of years Dorcas had had a suit. At first he had confined his attention to stolen glances across the fields and across the church, and on rare occasions when his manhood had asserted itself, to elaborate toilet and a half hour's leaning against the Sylvester front fence, admiring Dorcas' posies and talking crops. Later he had braved the front gate, generally with a straw in his mouth, and sat on the steps for an hour in the gloaming, talking with Betty, but looking at Dorcas. In cold evenings and during the winter the hour had been passed in the cosy sitting room, playing checkers and popping corn. Not a word of love had been spoken, but it was understood in the house and in the whole neighborhood, that John Baldwin was waiting on Dorcas Sylvester and that some time in the future, as they should determine, the two good old country families and the two well-to-do farms would be united—provided, of course, John Baldwin's diffidence ever allowed him to get that far.

As she ran lightly down the steps to the farm wagon, Dorcas gave one quick, shy glance up the slope to where the big Baldwin house stood, half hidden by its towering cypresses. Yes, there was John's buggy standing in the road before the house, and his

early start; but before half the distance had been traversed, they heard the sharp whirr of John's approaching buggy wheels. As he flashed by, he was bending over in ostentatious search of something under the seat, but he gave her a bashful side glance which plainly said, "Don't be uneasy, Dorcas. I'll see things go right."

By the time he straightened up he was disappearing round a bend in the road. But the glance had sent a soft color to her face, which lingered there through the long, rough ride, until finally she was aroused by a

"Jerusalem! where there, Charlie?"

They were at the junction of two roads; one led up to the station a quarter of a mile away, the other went on to the village two or three times that distance. Jethro was looking at her with dismay on his face.

"What is it?" she asked.

"Why—why—do you reckon you could walk to the depot?" persuasive.

"Tain't but a step. You see," apologetically, as he noted the surprise on her face, "Ben Pokey's wagon's just turning the corner down yonder, and if he gets in town ahead of me, he'll tell me, and I'll get in ahead of him. I sell my stuff; and if I sell my stuff, like Miss Betty counts on, why, she ain't going to fuss at me much, see? Of course, I'm here to take you to the depot, and will now if you say the word; but it's bound to put me in behind Ben. And it ain't but a step."

"Oh, I will walk, Jethro," laughed Dorcas; and placing a hand upon the end of the seat she sprang lightly to the ground. "And you needn't tell Betty, either."

It was a very dainty figure that went up the road to the station; and though she did not know it, the rich, soft goods taken from the old chest in the garret had again come round into fashion.

A whistle sounded in the distance, and Dorcas uttered a low cry of dismay. The train was approaching, and she had thought there was plenty of time. Could she make it by running? she wondered? But a swift glance toward the station checked the impulse even as she sprang forward. The station was still an eighth of a mile away, and she could see several carriages driving up to it, and people standing on the platform. What a spectacle it would be for them to see a woman racing with the train; besides, she could not hope to reach it in time. Jethro—

There was the swift approach of carriage wheels, a pair of splendid bays stopped beside her, and she looked up into the reassuring face of a young drummer, who was selling mowing machines in the neighborhood. Before she was aware of his intention, he had sprung to the ground and lifted her into the carriage and they were whirling away with a long, circling cloud of dust trailing behind.

"Don't you worry, young lady," the

drummer shouted cheerily. "I'll get you there all right."

What John Baldwin's feelings were as he stood on the platform watching, none but himself ever knew. He saw Jethro stop and Dorcas get out, then heard the train whistle and saw her start to run, and realized that his place was down there on the dusty road by her side instead of with the curious people at the station. When the drummer stopped and took her in, the young farmer's face grew hard and set, with a firmness his life had never known before.

He was beside the carriage when it stopped, and helped her out, and quietly and authoritatively, with all the spectators looking on, he drew her arm within his own.

"Come, Dorcas," he said, "we must hurry to catch the train. I'll get the tickets. Yes," in answer to her wondering expression, "I'm going right on with you to where your Aunt lives—sit in the same seat, too, to keep off drummers and things. And I shall stay around to come back with you when the visit is over. Come."

SCARES AWAY THE RATS.

How Ingenious Woman Insures Safety in the Morning.

An Augusta hotel is more or less infested with rats, and naturally the rats have a love for the department where the food is prepared. The help is largely feminine, and while none of them has any fellow feeling for the rodents, there is one who stands in mortal fear of them.

She, with the others, occupies rooms on the floor above, and one of the hardest hours of the day is when she gets up in the morning and makes her way to the kitchen. She had rather meet old Nick himself than a rat, and she also feels that she is liable, on going downstairs, to meet one on every step. Therefore, in order to prevent anything of the kind, she has provided a means of averting it that is simple, yet effective.

On her trunk, within reach of the bed, she keeps ten or twelve tin lard pail covers and when in the morning she has donned her raiment she carefully opens the door of her room and, taking a cover, lets it go down the stairs. The rattle of the tin on the stairs gives her courage, and with the other covers in her hand she starts down the stairs. When she has descended two or three stairs she feels go another cover and makes another advance. This goes on until she has reached the foot of the stairs, when, after opening the kitchen door very carefully, she throws the remaining covers across the floor or up against the range.

By this time she has convinced herself that not a rat is left in the kitchen, and with a sigh of relief she begins her day's work.—Kennebec Journal.

A Slight Misunderstanding.

To the hostelry department of an up-town store went a woman leading by the hand a dark-skinned, black-haired little boy. To the salesgirl she said: "I want a pair of stockings for my little boy. Six is the size, I think. At any rate it is the number that goes with a number ten shoe."

"Five and one-half is the size," said the girl. "What color?"

"Black, I think. I like thread."

"Feet white or black?" asked the salesgirl.

The woman looked dazed, then angry. "You impertinent hussy!" she gasped. "Of course my boy's feet are white. I'll report you to the management and withdraw my custom from the store."

The girl cried, the floor walker bustled up and it took half an hour to make satisfactory explanations.—New York Press.

Had Sold Both Ends of the Bolt.

A Columbus shopkeeper tells this somewhat amusing story, giving the incident as an actual happening.

"I was making some purchases," she said, "in a downtown store, and was directed by the floor walker to the muslin counter. A young man was in charge, and I noticed at first that he was slightly affected by liquor. After sorting over a number of bolts on the shelf, he finally threw down what I wanted. He looked at the cloth for a minute, meanwhile fumbling for the end. Finally, he said, disgustedly, 'Dick must have sold both ends of this; yes, I'm sure he did,' and with that he pushed his shears across the piece, and from the end thus made he sold me the quantity I wished."—Columbus Dispatch.

Gorman Hard to Caricature.

Everybody who is familiar with the features of Senator Gorman is aware that cartoonists invariably fail to get any characteristic phase in the Maryland statesman's face which they can exaggerate successfully. A cartoonist of some note tried for an hour one evening when sitting opposite Senator Gorman at dinner to "catch" him, but was unsuccessful, although he thought that one drawing was fairly good. He called Senator Gorman's attention to the trouble he was having. "Well," said the senator, "every one of the prominent cartoonists has said the same thing. Nast and Gilliam have told me I ought to do something to change my appearance so that I could be successfully caricatured."

Strength in Storm.

I follow the path of the lightning, and I say that hope is vain.

But the birds are down from their storm-struck nest, and the birds they build again.

I follow the path of the waters, the ravages of floods and deluge.

But the floods subside, and the flowers are able, and bloom for the homes of men.

And the world is never hopeless on storm-swept sea and sod—

Its faith in a love undying—its beautiful dream of God!

—Frank L. Stanton, in Atlanta Constitution.

Crusade on Tuberculosis

The Henry Phipps Institute of Philadelphia, which has been established by the generous gift of a wealthy resident of that city, is doing a great work on behalf of persons suffering from pulmonary tuberculosis or consumption. The physicians employed by this institution have compiled some excellent rules to be observed by persons suffering from this disease, the careful following of which will prevent the extension of the disease to others, and will greatly aid the sufferers to recover.

Don't spit on the sidewalk, on the street, nor into any place where you cannot destroy the germs which you spit up.

Do not swallow any spit which comes up from your lungs or which comes out of the back part of your throat.

Spit into a spit cup when it is possible to do so.

Always use a spit cup with a handle to it so that you can hold it close to your mouth.

When you use a china or earthenware spit cup always keep it in water in it and scald out the spit cup once or twice a day with boiling water.

When you use a tin spit cup with a paper spit cup inside burn the paper cup at least once a day and scald the tin cup with boiling water.

Never use a handkerchief or a rag or any material other than paper to spit in or to wipe your mouth with.

When you cannot spit into a spit cup, spit it into a paper napkin.

Always use a paper napkin to wipe your mouth with, after spitting, and be careful not to soil your hands.

Always carry a cheap paper bag in your pocket or extra to put paper napkins in which you have used.

When you have used a paper napkin, either to spit in or to wipe your mouth with, fold it up carefully and put it away in the paper bag.

Every evening, before going to bed, burn your paper bag together with the napkins which you have deposited in it.

If you have a mustache or beard shave it off or crop it close.

Always wash your lips and hands before eating or drinking, and rinse out your mouth.

If you have a running sore take up the matter which is given off with absorbent cotton and burn it.

Avoid handshaking and kissing. These customs are dangerous to you as well as to others. They may give others consumption; they may bring you colds and influenza which will greatly aggravate your disease and may prevent your recovery.

Do not cough if you can help it. You can control your cough to a great extent by will power. When you cough severely hold a paper napkin to your mouth so as not to throw out spit while coughing.

Sit out of doors all you can. If you have no other place to sit than the pavement sit on the pavement in front of your house.

Don't take any exercise when you have a high fever.

Always sleep with your windows open, no difference what the weather may be.

Avoid fatigue. One single exhaustion may change the course of your disease from a favorable one to an unfavorable one.

Go to bed early. If you are working, lie down when you have a few moments to spare.

Don't take any medicine unless it has been prescribed by your physician. Medicine may do you harm as well as good.

Don't use alcoholic stimulants of any kind.

Don't eat pastry or dainties. They do not nourish you and they may upset your stomach.

Take your milk and raw eggs whether you feel like it or not.

Keep up your courage. Make a brave fight for your life. Do what you are told to do as though your recovery depended upon the carrying out of every little detail.

Always keep in mind that consumption can be cured in many cases and that it can be prevented in all cases.

If your own disease is too far advanced for you to recover, console yourself with the idea that you can keep those who are near and dear to you from getting it.

Nerve Poisoning Through Indigestion.

Prof. Bouchard, the eminent French scientist, has shown that the decomposition of food which often takes place in the stomach and intestines in indigestion gives rise to powerful poisons. When absorbed into the body, these produce effects entirely similar to those produced by strychnine, opium, alcohol, and other poisonous drugs. If food is retained in the stomach beyond the normal time, either because of its indigestibility, the taking of too large a quantity of it, or a crippled state of the stomach, these changes are certain to take place.

This fact explains a very large share of the distressing symptoms which afflict the chronic dyspeptic. The giddiness, the tingling sensations, the confusion of thought, and even partial insensibility, which are not infrequently observed a few hours after meals in chronic dyspeptics, are due to this cause. Here is the explanation of the irascibility, the despondency, the pessimism, the indecision, and various other forms of mental perversion and even moral depravity, which are not infrequently associated with certain forms of indigestion. The to-

tal depravity which we often hear talked about, is, half the time, nothing more nor less than total indigestion.

A Convincing Test.

In the Far East the Japanese have won victories which have astonished the world. They show themselves to be more enduring, more resistant to the effects of wounds, keener witted, sharper in tactics, and quicker in execution than their Russian antagonists. The Jap is content with a simple diet of rice, peas, or beans, which is quickly digested and converted into brain and brawn, while the Russian must have his meat and his vodka.

The same dietary, the same simplicity and naturalness in habits of life, which give toughness of fiber and endurance and immunity against infection, afford equal advantages in fighting the battle of life in any direction. The brain worker who wants to keep his mental vision clear and desires power to pursue his subject with unceasing energy, must keep his blood clean by a pure, simple, natural diet. The lawyer, the clergyman, the business man, the teacher, the investigator, the inventor, will find the same advantages in living in harmony with natural principles as does the plucky Japanese soldier, who is, for the first time, testing his metal by a great contest with an army of civilized men.

Alcohol vs. Long Life.

It is very easy to prove that the influence of alcohol, as of every other poison, is to shorten life. Dr. Willard Parker of New York, shows from statistics that for every ten temperate persons who die between the ages of twenty-one and thirty, fifty-one intemperate persons die. Thus it appears that the mortality of liquor users is five hundred per cent greater than that of temperate persons. These figures are based on the tables used by life insurance companies.

Notwithstanding the constant protest of both moderate and immoderate drinkers, that alcohol does not harm them, that it is a necessary stimulant, a preventive of fevers, colds, consumption, etc., and the assertion of certain chemists that it is a conservative agent, preventing waste, and so prolonging life, the distinguished English actuary, Mr. Nelson, has shown from statistical data which cannot be gainsaid, that while the temperate man has at twenty years of age an average chance of living forty-four and one-fifth years, the drinking man has a prospect of only fifteen and one-half years of life. At thirty years of age the temperate man may expect thirty-six and one-half years more of life, while the drunkard will be pretty certain to die in less than fourteen years.

On the other hand, the Rechabite societies in England show statistics clearly indicating that total abstinence is in the highest degree conducive to longevity.

Effects of Alcohol Upon Digestion.

Prof. Kochharoff of St. Petersburg, has experimented upon five healthy persons, aged from twenty-one to twenty-four years, with reference to the effects of alcohol upon digestion. Ten minutes before each meal, each person was given about three ounces of alcoholic liquor, containing from five to fifty per cent of alcohol, which is about the proportion found in ordinary liquors. The following results were obtained:

"Under the influence of alcohol the quantity of hydrochloric acid, as well as the digestive power of the gastric juice, is diminished. This enfeebling of the digestion is especially marked in persons unaccustomed to the use of alcohol."

Dr. Figg of Edinburgh made the following experiments to test the influence of alcohol upon digestion: He fed two dogs equal quantities of roast mutton. He then administered to one dog, by passing a tube into the stomach, one and one-fourth ounces of alcohol. After five hours both dogs were killed and examined. The one which had taken no alcohol was found to have digested the meat entirely, whereas digestion had scarcely begun in the animal to which alcohol had been administered.

RECIPES.

Savory Soup.—Cook half a pint of small navy or soup beans in three pints of water for two hours, adding boiling water as needed. In a separate kettle place two small parsnips, scraped and sliced, one good sized onion cut fine, two stalks of celery and half a can of tomatoes. Cover well with boiling water and cook until the vegetables are very tender; then add the beans and press all through a fine colander or soup-strainer. Return to the stove, simmer a moment, and just before serving, stir in slowly a cupful of hot cream or rich milk. A can of sweet corn may be substituted for the beans. As it takes less time, and may be put in with the other vegetables, it is sometimes preferred by the housewife who is her own cook.

Nut Cheese.—Take one cup of raw peanut butter, one-half cup of corn starch, one cup of tomato juice, and one tablespoonful of salt. Dissolve the raw butter and cornstarch in the tomato juice; add salt and beat for five minutes. Pour into a granite bowl and cover and steam for four or five hours. Dry off in the oven, and when cool, slip from the bowl.

RUSSIANS IN ST. PETERSBURG ARE APPALLED BY GREAT DISASTER AT MUKDEN.

The magnitude of the catastrophe in Manchuria is now apparent to all. Where the curtain has been slightly lifted the picture of the awful retreat makes the flesh creep, recalling the scenes depicted in Tolstoy's "War and Peace," or Zola's "Le Debut." The war office admits that the remnants of the army are still in danger.

Field Marshal Oyama holds a magnificent strategic position. Japanese flanking columns are in touch above Tie Pass and there may be a Sedan there. No adequate estimate of the losses has been furnished, but with the units captured on the left unaccounted for, the killed or wounded already total 45,000. The war office does not even know accurately what units were captured.

Gen. Linkevitch's army, although scattered and confused, got off with the few losses. Gen. Kaurbars was the heaviest loser, leaving 28,000 prisoners in the hands of the Japanese. Kaurbars himself, with the command of his army, had a narrow escape.

Tearing Up the Treaty.

So many amendments were offered to the Santo Domingo treaty in the committee on foreign relations Wednesday that it will hardly be recognized as the original document when it is again presented to the senate. Whole sentences have been reversed and new articles added. All the amendments are subject to material revision. It was predicted that when the treaty comes before the senate the work of the committee will have to be done all over. The treaty is expected to be in shape for a report tomorrow.

In the senate Mr. Bacon presented his remedied resolution, which now directs the committee to examine and report to the senate whether it is competent under the constitution of the United States for any agreement, convention or protocol, not made by and with the advice and consent of the senate, but solely through the executive branch of the government, to be made with a foreign government to bind such governments and to constitute a constitutional agreement under which the United States shall be authorized and empowered to take possession of the custom houses of such foreign government and administer them.

Joseph Berno, once a respected resident of Napoleon, O., accompanied by his paramour, has been on trial in Jackson for stealing \$300 from a Klamazoo man. He was sentenced to from two and one-half to five years in Jackson, while the woman, who was his accomplice, was given from one to five years in Detroit house of correction.

THE MARKETS.

Detroit.—Cattle market steady at last week's prices, the best price paid being \$1.75 per cwt. Milch cows, best grades, \$3.75 to \$4.25; others, \$2.50 to \$3.00. The bulk of sales of veals ranged from \$5.00 to \$5.75. Hogs—light to good butchers, \$5.50 to \$5.75; pigs, \$4.50 to \$5.00. 1 floor, \$4.50; roughs, \$4.25 to \$4.50; stags one-third off.

Sheep.—Best lambs, \$7.00; fair to good lambs, \$6.50; light to medium lambs, \$6.00; fair to good butchers sheep, \$5.25 to \$5.50; culls and common, \$3.50 to \$4.00.

Chicago.—Good to prime steers, \$5.15 to \$5.50; poor to medium, \$4.50 to \$5.00; steers and feeders, \$4.50 to \$5.00; cows, \$3.50 to \$4.00; calves, \$4.00 to \$4.50; bulls, \$3.50 to \$4.00; calves, \$4.00 to \$4.50; hogs, \$4.50 to \$5.00; roughs, \$4.00 to \$4.50; stags one-third off.

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East Buffalo.—Best export steers, \$5.00 to \$5.50; best 1,200 lb. shipping steers, \$4.50 to \$5.00; best 1,400 lb. shipping steers, \$4.00 to \$4.50; best fat cows, \$3.50 to \$4.00; fair to good, \$3.00 to \$3.50; trimmers, \$1.50 to \$2.00; best fat heifers, \$4.00 to \$4.50; medium culls, \$3.50 to \$4.00; best feeders, \$3.00 to \$3.50; best yearling steers, \$3.50 to \$4.00; common steers, \$3.00 to \$3.50; export butchers, \$4.00 to \$4.50; hogs, \$4.50 to \$5.00; roughs, \$4.00 to \$4.50; stags one-third off.

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Grain, Etc.

Detroit.—Cash wheat: No. 2, red, \$1.15; No. 3, red, \$1.12; No. 1 white, \$1.18.

Corn.—No. 3 mixed, 60¢; No. 3 yellow, 2 ears at 50¢, 1 ear at 51¢; 1 ear at 51¢ per bu. No. 2 white, 3 ears at 51¢; No. 1 white, 1 ear at 51¢; 1 ear at 51¢ per bu.

Beans.—No. 2 spot, nominal at 80¢ bu. Beans—March, \$1.77; May, \$1.75; July, \$1.73; No. 1 spot, \$1.75; No. 2 spot, \$1.73; No. 3 spot, \$1.71; 1 ear at \$1.22 per bu.

Clover seed.—Prime spot, 200 bags at \$7.75.

Chicago.—Cash wheat: No. 2 spring, \$1.10 to \$1.15; No. 3, \$1.05 to \$1.10; No. 2 red, \$1.13 to \$1.17; Corn: No. 2, 46¢; No. 3 yellow, 45¢; Oats: No. 2, 23¢; No. 3 white, 22¢; No. 3 white, 21¢; 6¢; No. 2, 78¢ to 79¢; Barley: Good feeding, 36¢ to 37¢; fair to choice malting, 41¢ to 42¢.

Hay.—No. 1 northwestern, \$1.35; Timothy seed—Prime, \$2.05; Clover—Contract grade, \$12.85.

AMUSEMENTS IN DETROIT.

Wheat.—Mar. 12, 11 and 15, 12 and 15, 11 and 15 from Indiana.

LYCERUM THEATRE.—"Hudson's New Superba."—at 8:00 and 10:00. 10¢, 15¢, 25¢, 50¢, 75¢, 1.00.

LAUREL THEATRE.—"The Boy on the Beach."—at 8:00 and 10:00. 10¢, 15¢, 25¢, 50¢, 75¢, 1.00.

WHEAT THEATRE.—"The Boy on the Beach."—at 8:00 and 10:00. 10¢, 15¢, 25¢, 50¢, 75¢, 1.00.

Sick Headache

When your head aches, there is a storm in the nervous system, centering in the brain.

This irritation produces pain in the head, and the turbulent nerve current sent to the stomach causes nausea, vomiting.

This is sick headache, and is dangerous, as frequent and prolonged attacks weaken the brain, resulting in loss of memory, inflammation, epilepsy, fits, dizziness, etc.

Allay this stormy, irritated, aching condition by taking Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills.

They stop the pain by soothing, strengthening and relieving the tension upon the nerves—not by paralyzing them, as do most headache remedies.

Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills do not contain opium, morphine, chloral, cocaine or similar drugs.

"Sick headache is hereditary in my family. My father suffered a great deal, and for many years I have had spells that were so severe that I was unable to attend to my business affairs for a day or so at a time. During a very severe attack of headache, I took Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills and they relieved me almost immediately. Since then I take them when I feel the spell coming on and it stops it at once."

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Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills are sold by your druggist, who will guarantee that the first package will benefit. If it fails he will return your money. 25 cents, 50 cents. Never sold in bulk. Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind.

TIME TABLES.

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Taking effect Nov. 28, 1904.

Local car leaves Chelsea for Detroit at 6:30 a. m. and every two hours thereafter until 10:30 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, 10:15 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. GADQUE, 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, 8:00 A. M.
No. 2, 11:30 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.

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

J. J. KIRBY, G. P. A.



H. S. Holmes, pres. C. H. Kempf, vice pres.
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No. 261.

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THURSDAY, MARCH 16, 1905.

It is understood that as a result of Major C. A. Vernou's inspection of the state troops, four companies of them will be mustered out of service. Well, there'll be 36 of the ornaments left then.

Once more the absurd sparrow bounty can be foisted on the people if the boards of supervisors vote to have it so. A bill has been passed by the house providing for a bounty of 2 cents a head on the little birds.

Perry F. Powers, of Cadillac, ex-auditor general of this state, would like to be collector of internal revenue at Grand Rapids. Strange, how this itching for office bothers a man after he has once held one. Even newspaper men seem to get afflicted with it. Like Powers for instance.

Representative Ming's bill providing for the whipping of wife beaters was turned down in the house by a vote of 45 to 38. Even the representative from the second district of Washtenaw turned his tiny flow of "waters" upon it to help drown it out. 'Tis true, and pity 'tis, 'tis true.

Senator Linsley's bill passed by the senate, which provides for withholding primary school money from any school district that neglects to display the national flag upon its schoolhouse is of doubtful wisdom, although it did pass the house by a large majority. It is supposedly in the interest of creating a patriotic feeling among pupils and others. But, a voluntary and spontaneous patriotic feeling is a totally different article from an enforced show of patriotism evoked by a desire to bring a certain proportion of dollars and cents into the treasury of a school district. Added to all of which it is considerable of a question whether the bill is a legal one.

Fourteen pounds of sugar for a dollar is a standing reproach to the wisdom of our statesmen in framing the revenue laws of the country, when, with common sense legislation on the sugar question, every citizen of the country could just as well as not have 26 pounds. With vast stretches of sugar producing country and 13,000,000 heathen who can do little else save raise cane, why not make it possible for the common people of this country to benefit in a small way from the benevolent and humanitarian schemes of the government and "bust" one of the biggest and meanest trusts in the whole country at the same time. "Twenty-six pounds of sugar for a dollar" would make a good slogan for some political party in the near future. Yes, that's true enough. But the people do not seem to be ready at present to do much else than dig down in their jeans and dole out the cash for the bloated trust magnates to still further increase the piles of gold in their already overloaded coffers. And the politicians never will, their palms are too well greased to allow of them sticking to such a proposition.

Mandolin and Guitar

Taught by G. A. Webb, of Ann Arbor, Friday of each week. Inquire of Warren Boyd, Chelsea, if interested.

Are You Engaged?

Engaged people should remember that after marriage many quarrels can be avoided by keeping their digestion in good condition with Electric Bitters. S. A. Brown, of Bennettsville, S. C., says: "For years my wife suffered intensely from dyspepsia, complicated with a torpid liver, until she lost her strength and vigor, and became a mere wreck of her former self. Then she tried Electric Bitters, which helped her at once and finally made her entirely well. She is now strong and healthy." The Bank Drug Store sells and guarantees them at 50c a bottle.

If you cannot eat, sleep or work, feel mean, cross and ugly, take Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea this month. A tonic for the sick. There is no remedy equal to it. 35 cents, tea or tablets. Bank Drug Store.

"Ben Hur" Again to Be in Detroit.

The Klaw & Erlanger Co. have in their time, made many notable productions and thereby earned for themselves an enviable reputation. The most ambitious effort of their career is "Ben Hur," which scored a brilliant success in Detroit last season and which is booked for another engagement at the Detroit Opera House the week of March 27 with a matinee on Wednesday and Saturday.

The scenic equipment to be used in the staging this season is that which created a furore in London three years ago, when "Ben Hur" was introduced to the English public at the Drury Lane Theatre. These effects were a part of the World's Fair run of "Ben Hur" at the Olympic Theatre, St. Louis, this past summer and are now being used at the big Auditorium Theatre, Chicago.

No play produced within the four walls of a theatre has scored successes equalling this impressive and fascinating romance. Although dealing with the most delicate subject in the history of the stage, its freedom from anything that might grate upon the nerves of the most religiously sensitive, has earned the endorsement of the best people in every community.

The advance sale of seats for the Detroit engagement opens Thursday morning, March 23, at 9 o'clock. Manager Whitney, of the Detroit Opera House, announces that all out-of-town orders, if accompanied by cash or money order, will be filled as soon as the regular box office sale opens. This is for the accommodation of suburban patrons, as reduced rates are announced on all railroads and a large attendance is expected from miles around.

Attacked by a Mob

and beaten, in a labor riot, until covered with sores, a Chicago street car conductor applied Bucklen's Arnica Salve and was soon sound and well. "I use it in my family," writes G. J. Welch, of Tekonsha, Mich., "and find it perfect." Simply great for cuts and burns. Only 25 cents at the Bank Drug Store.

Eighth Grade Spelling Contest.

A spelling contest took place in the eighth grade room of the Chelsea school Friday afternoon between three girls representing the eighth grade of the Grass Lake school and three representing the same grade of the home school. The Grass Lake representatives were the Misses Irene Lantis, Ethel Hoopel and Vila Ames. The Chelsea girls were the Misses Clara Koch, Winifred Bacon and Ethel Wright. There were 250 words in the contest list and the Grass Lakers won out, Miss Vila Ames spelling down her Chelsea opponents on the word "confederate." It is said by those present that on the whole the Grass Lake girls misspelled even more words than the Chelsea girls did, but so long as one of them stood up the contest was not ended and our girls were finally spelled down.

If taken this month, keeps you well all summer. It makes the little ones eat, sleep and grow. A spring tonic for the whole family. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. 35 cents, tea or tablets. Bank Drug Store.

Washtenaw Pomona Grange Meeting.

At the meeting of the Washtenaw County Pomona Grange held Tuesday in Maccabee hall, Ann Arbor, 113 people were in attendance, some of whom were from Chelsea and vicinity. The morning session and up to 3 o'clock p. m. was devoted to special work and the conferring of the fifth degree on 13 candidates. The visiting deputy, Miss Belle Gunnison, of Lansing, talked on "Young people in connection with grange work." Miss Gunnison has been visiting all the granges in the county and reports the work throughout as being very successful. Miss Jennie Buell, of Ann Arbor, gave an excellent paper at the afternoon session.

Catarrh Cannot Be Cured.

With LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they can not reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a blood or constitutional disease, and in order to cure it you must take internal remedies. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Cure is not a quick medicine. It was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years and is a regular prescription. It is composed of the best tonics known, combined with the best blood purifiers, acting directly on the mucous surfaces. The perfect combination of the two ingredients is what produces such wonderful results in curing catarrh. Send for testimonials free. Address F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by druggists, 75c. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

MORE LOCAL.

Never waste time arguing with a bumble bee. He is no gentleman, anyhow.

The people of this country spend annually for "patent medicines" about \$80,000,000. Of this the producers get \$59,611,335.

The house of legislature has passed the bill making May 25 and Sept. 30 Memorial days, when people generally will be encouraged to improve cemeteries.

A Harrisburg widow fell heir to \$75,000 and the shock to her system was so great that she died. We don't believe such a little jar as that would bother us that way.

The Detroit Evening News tells of a Marshall man who in a game of poker lost \$55 on his hand of four aces, his opponent holding a royal flush. There must have been five aces in that deck, sure.

It is astonishing how a boy can skate or slide down a hill for hours at a time without feeling the cold, when the very mention of a snow shovel will cause his teeth to chatter like a tick-tack on a window pane.

This year will see 53 Sundays and Easter Sunday comes almost as late as it possibly can, April 23. The latest date it can come is April 25. This occurred in 1886, but will not occur during the whole twentieth century.

A man in a neighboring town who secured a wife through a matrimonial agency, is trying to secure a divorce. Another instance of finding that mail order bargains are not just as represented and that a much better grade of the same article could have been obtained at home.

Many a merchant who would not take a price for his customers outright, persists in giving them away to his competitors, merely to gratify his mania for cheapness—save advertising expense. It's easier to lose a customer than to make one. Brains and printers' ink will make your business grow.

Jackson Patriot: The interests of the Grass Lake Cement Co. have passed into the hands of new men. The change took place a few days ago, and the hope is general in that village that the partially developed works will be pushed forward to completion and the manufacture of cement begun.

A new school census bill is to be introduced at Lansing. The bill to be presented in the legislature will provide for two radical changes. The census will be taken in May, when all pupils are in attendance, and the boards will report direct to Lansing. This last arrangement will give more time to take the census.

A correspondent to one of our exchanges tells of an ingenious arrangement he saw at a cross roads corner recently. It was five mail boxes attached to an old wagon wheel fixed on a post set in the ground in such a way that the mail carrier could turn the wheel so as to bring all the boxes within reach without getting out of his vehicle.

On Tuesday, March 21, the Detroit Daily Journal will begin the publication in its columns of "Granstark," one of the most charming stories of the day. The principal characters are a strenuous, handsome young American and the princess of a quaint principality in Europe. "Granstark" was written by George Barr McCutcheon, which is a sufficient guarantee that it is full of stirring incidents.

It will bring rich, red blood, firm flesh and muscle. That is what Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will do. Taken this month, keeps you well all summer. 35 cents, tea or tablets. Bank Drug Store.

School Report.

Report of school in District No. 10, Lyndon, for the month ending Feb. 20, 1905. The following have an average of 97 per cent: Ralph Collings; 95, Howard Marshall, Roy, Veva and Lewis Hadley, Esther and Louis Heatley; 92, Fred Marshall, Pearl Hadley, Robert Heatley, Stella Collings, Eddie and Harold Sullivan; 90, Ray and Ralph Hadley, Graham Birch, Ethelbert Heatley, Fred Hudson; 87, Willie Birch.

Louis and Ethelbert Heatley have not been absent or tardy during the month, Ralph Collings being tardy but once.

GENEVEVE YOUNG, Teacher.

The Cough Habit

is more dangerous to your life than the drink, cocaine or morphine habits, for it soon ends in Consumption, Pneumonia and Death. Save yourself from these awful results of Coughs and Colds, by taking

DR. KING'S NEW DISCOVERY FOR CONSUMPTION, COUGHS AND COLDS

"Sitting by My Wife's Bed"

writes F. G. Huntley, of Oakland, Ind., "I read about Dr. King's New Discovery. She had got a frightful chronic cough, which three doctors failed to relieve. After taking two bottles she was perfectly cured, and today she is well and strong."

Price, 50c and \$1.00 One Dose Gives Relief

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STRICTURE AND KIDNEY DISEASE CURED.

"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.

ESTABLISHED 25 YEARS.

CURES GUARANTEED OR NO PAY.

HAS YOUR BLOOD BEEN DISEASED?

BLOOD POISONS are the most prevalent and most serious diseases. They sap the very life blood of the victim and unless entirely eradicated from the system will cause serious complications. Beware of Mercury. It only suppresses the symptoms—our NEW METHOD positively cures all blood diseases forever.

YOUNG OR MIDDLE-AGED MEN.—Impudent acts or later excesses have broken down your system. You feel the symptoms: stealing over you. Mentally, physically and sexually you are not the man you used to be or should be.

READER: Are you a victim? Have you lost hope? Are you intending to marry? Has your blood been diseased? Have you any weaknesses? Our New Method Treatment will cure you. What it has done for others it will do for you. CONSULTATION FREE. No matter who has treated you, write for an honest opinion Free of Charge. Charges reasonable. BOOKS FREE—"The Golden Monitor" (illustrated), on Diseases of Men. Soiled Stock on "Diseases of Women." Free

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New Dry Goods and
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Our buyers have just returned from market and you never saw a better assortment of goods shown in Chelsea.

NEW SILKS.

We have the sale for Chelsea of the celebrated Windham Dress and Lining Silks. These Silks positively will give good wear and satisfaction. Our Lansing store has sold these Silks for several seasons and they find that often the same Windham Silk Drop Skirt is used in the second dress skirt. There **NEVER** is any complaint on these Silks. The best store in each city in the state sells these Silks. We have them in Colors and Blacks in Taffetas and Peau de Cygne.

NEW CLOTHING.

We now have the Chelsea agency for the well known

Hart, Shaffner & Marx Clothing.

We shall put on sale this coming week a full assortment of these clothes, retailing at

\$15.00 to \$25.00 for Suits, Top Coats and
Rain Coats.

These are regular tailor made clothes.

H. S. Holmes Mercantile Co.

Bacon Co-Operative Co.

SPRING IS COMING

AND YOU WILL NEED

Alabastine, Paints, Floor Stains.

We have a full stock of all shades and colors. Also,

Gasoline Stoves and Ovens, Steel Ranges.

Carpet Sweepers.

And if you need Furniture of any kind we can supply you.

Headquarters for Farming Tools.

BACON CO-OPERATIVE CO., Opposite Post Office.

Try our "Excels" Coffee 19c a pound.

DIGGING for DOLLARS

Is what everybody is doing.

Our competitors offer you a few things for nearly nothing. It stands to reason that they must make up on other goods. You will find our prices on Fancy Groceries are within the reach of all. We handle nothing but the best in everything.

Our line of Canned Goods.

Is the top notch sort—the kind that's always good—the kind you know before opening will be perfect in every way.

For the Lenten Season

We have an elegant line of Salt and Smoked Fish, Holland Herring in kegs, etc., etc.

Our line of Cheese is complete—Swiss, Limburger, Full Cream, Canada Cream in packages. Look over our line and get our prices. Yours for the best goods at reasonable prices.

KANTLEHNER BROS.

Best market price for Butter and Eggs. We will not be undersold.

Advertise in the Herald.

Of Local Interest.

Tomorrow, March 17, is St. Patrick's day.

Miss Esther Schenk will sing a solo at the evening service at the Congregational church next Sunday.

Freeman Bros. have had a very neat new sign bearing the firm name placed over the front of their store this week.

Rev. E. E. Caster vouches for a good sermon by Rev. H. W. Hicks next Sunday evening at the Methodist church.

Miss Kathryn Hooker will open millinery parlors in the Staffan block, over Fenn & Vogel's drug store, about April 1.

The Western Washtenaw Union Farmers' Club will meet with Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Mapes, at their home on Jefferson street, Friday, March 17.

Rural carrier examinations will be held at the court house, Ann Arbor, Saturday, March 18. Twenty-two applicants have been notified to appear.

The annual free seat offering of the Methodist church will be held next Wednesday evening, March 22. Chicken pie supper from 5 o'clock until all are served. Everybody is invited.

Earl Blowers, of Freedom, has entered suit in the circuit court against John Martin, of the same town, for \$5,000 damages, alleging false arrest on a charge of assault made against him by Martin.

Rox C. Jones, of the Herald force, was called to Homer Friday by the fatal illness of his mother. Mrs. Jones died Sunday morning and the funeral services were held at her late home Tuesday afternoon.

Rev. G. W. Gordon was in Ann Arbor Monday and took his nephew Edward Gordon, of Temperance, Monroe county, to the University hospital, where the lad will undergo a serious surgical operation.

The marriage of Dr. Samuel Schultz, of Coldwater, to Miss Anne L. Bacon, is announced to take place at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. Bacon, on East Middle street, next Saturday, March 18, at high noon.

George W. Human, of Ann Arbor, sued Ed. L. Eastman, of Lima, for \$29 he claimed was due him for wages. A jury in Justice Doty's court at Ann Arbor awarded Human \$19.40, which was perfectly satisfactory to both parties.

Theodore Buchler, of Lyndon, had the misfortune to cut a bad gash in his right foot, just back of the big toe, with an axe Saturday. Dr. McColgan dressed the wound. Mr. Buchler is not able to do much at present except limp around.

J. D. Ryan, of the old board of county auditors, positively refuses to make the run for the office. He says "There was some honor connected with the office when it came as an appointment from the supervisors, but I'll not go through a campaign to be an auditor for \$175 a year."

Mrs. Alice Sumner died at the home of her son Edward Sumner in Sylvan, Friday morning, March 10, aged 82 years. The funeral services were held at the Church of Our Lady of the Sacred Heart Monday morning, Rev. W. P. Considine officiating. She is survived by one son. She was a sister-in-law of W. B. and John Sumner.

The defendant in the circuit court case of Harmon S. Holmes vs. Michael J. Lehman has filed his answer to the plaintiff's bill. The suit was brought to recover payment on promissory note, the amount of which is substantially \$2,000. The defendant claims that the note is offset by sums of money loaned the plaintiff at different times, totaling the value of the note and \$700 besides.

C. H. Kempf has filed a petition with the county clerk asking to be relieved as trustee of the property belonging to Franklin D. Cummings and Joanna Cummings, his wife, and the children and heirs, John S. Cummings, Kate Kempf, Orrin Cummings and Nettie Shaffer. Mr. Kempf was made trustee in 1885. The children have now all attained their majority and an accounting having been rendered by the trustee, he seeks to be relieved of further participation in the management of the property.

In some sections of Michigan potatoes are selling at from 5 to 12 cents per bushel.

Now you can get ready for the annual township election which will occur two weeks from next Monday, April 3.

Rev. C. L. Davenport, from Mandalay, Burma, will speak at the Baptist church this (Thursday) evening. Everybody invited.

Albert Wood, the burglar arrested here, and who is serving a 30 days sentence in the county jail, is wanted in Owosso on a charge of forgery.

Merritt Boyd has had the windows of his hotel lettered in a very neat manner this week. The words "Boyd House" are done in gold leaf.

Phillip Blum, ex-county clerk, and George W. Sample, circuit court commissioner, have formed a law partnership with offices in Ann Arbor.

Next Tuesday evening, March 21, is the date of the last number in the People's Popular Course. Balmer's Kaffir Boy Choir will be the attraction.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Alexander, who were married in Stockbridge March 8, will go to housekeeping on her father's (Allen Skidmore) farm in Lyndon.

Rev. P. M. McKay will preach on the ninth commandment, "Thou shalt not bear false witness," at the Baptist church next Sunday evening, March 19.

A. J. Bradley, chief clerk in the Detroit office of the railway mail service, has been appointed assistant superintendent, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of George A. Gilbert.

Fifty-four candidates took the spring examination for teachers at Ann Arbor Thursday and Friday last. Forty wrote for third grade certificates, eight for second, two for first, and four to have papers sent to other counties.

Manager J. P. Clark, of the consolidated interests of the D. Y. A. A. & J. and the Jackson Traction Co., has confirmed the statement that the new road between Jackson and Lansing will be built this summer by the consolidated interests.

Lathan Miller and family moved their household goods to Union City this week where he and his two sons Frank and Dwight Miller have bought out a drug and grocery business. Mr. and Mrs. Miller have been residents of Chelsea for over 21 years.

Mrs. John Cain, of North Waterloo, died Tuesday morning, March 14, after a two weeks' illness, leaving her husband, four children and her mother to mourn her loss. The funeral services were held at her late home this morning and were conducted by Rev. G. W. Gordon.

Each rural route throughout the United States costs \$22, or in other words each one lacks that much of being self-sustaining at the average number of 100 families. Therefore, Uncle Sam spends nearly a quarter for each family during the year, and yet they say that rural delivery is an expensive luxury for the farmer.

The management of the course of entertainments that have been given here this winter finds itself about \$80 in the hole, through the lack of sufficient patronage. An effort is being made to sell enough single admission tickets, at 25 cents each, to the Kaffir Boy Choir entertainment next Tuesday evening, to make up the deficiency.

The publisher of the Herald would be much pleased if correspondents would send in reports from their neighborhoods every week and mail them so as to reach Chelsea not later than Tuesday afternoon, as it takes time to put their communications in type. Give a good full report of the local news, as this is a most interesting feature of your home paper.

Like Finding Money.

Finding health is like finding money—so think those who are sick. When you have a cough, cold, sore throat or chest irritation, better act promptly like W. C. Barber, of Sandy Level, Va. He says: "I had a terrible chest trouble, caused by smoke and coal dust on my lungs; but, after finding no relief in other remedies, I was cured by Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds." Greatest sale of any cough or lung medicine in the world. At the Bank Drug Store, 50c and \$1.00; guaranteed; trial bottle free.

What One Woman Tells Another

About this store is our best advertising. Every time we fill an order we make a friend whose influence extends to a neighbor, and thus our business grows. Pick something from this list and let us show you how well we can serve you.

Flour.

If you want to be sure of good bread, use Roller King or Jackson Gem 85c and 75c a sack.

Tea.

The best is the cheapest, and our best kind is that kind. Try a sample, or buy a pound, 50c. Good Japan Tea 25c a pound.

The most popular Coffee in town. Every body's Coffee is our Standard Brand Mocha and Java at 25c a pound. Other kinds at 15c, 20c, 30c and 38c a pound.

WE ARE SELLING

White Fish, pails,	25c	3 cans Tomatoes	25c
Mackerel, one pound,	15c	2 cans Pine Apple	25c
White Fish, one pound,	10c	Finest Oranges, 15c, 20c, 30c, 40c doz	
Herring, per box,	15c	Crisp Lettuce, one pound,	20c
3 cans Corn	25c	Parsnips, per peck,	15c
3 cans Peas	25c	Turnips, per peck,	15c

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YOUR AIM IS RIGHT

when you choose the

Tip-Top : Buckwheat : Flour.

There is none better.

Prices reduced from 3c. a pound to 2½c. Give us a trial.

Merchant Milling Co.



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We offer a complete stock of Furniture, nearly all new and up-to-date. A special line of Sideboards at reduced prices.

We have a full stock of Mixed Paints and Stains for inside work, also Kalsomine and Brushes.

Woven Wire Fence at bottom prices.

W. J. KNAPP

Choices Cuts for Roasts

Are to be found at all times at the
Central Meat Market.

We keep nothing but the best meats that can be bought, and you will always get well served at the right prices if you deal with us.

Fresh and Smoked Meats, Lard and Sausage.

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Watches and Jewelry.

Elgin, Waltham, Hamilton, Hampden and other Watches

in all makes of Gold Filled and other cases.

New Rings, Chains, Charms and Locketts.

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Utmost Attention

should be given to matters that will result to your advantage. Don't overlook the fact that the tailor-made suit is far superior to the ready-made suit, and it is the "cheapest in the end." Our

TAILORING

is high-class, and the garments we make are perfect "gems" in style, fit, material and wear. If you've not already placed your order for a new fall suit, do so now.

See our fine line of Imported and Domestic Suitings and Top Coatings. They are the proper things for the season.

We want to add you to our list of patrons for we know you will be interested in our store and methods.

J. J. RAFTREY & SON

Workers of Men's Clothing.

Subscribe for the Herald Now.

ALL SICK WOMEN SHOULD READ MRS. FOX'S LETTER

In All Parts of the United States Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Has Effectuated Similar Cures.

Many wonderful cures of female ills are continually coming to light which have been brought about by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and



Mrs. Fannie D. Fox

through the advice of Mrs. Pinkham, of Lynn, Mass., which is given to sick women absolutely free of charge.

Mrs. Pinkham has for many years made a study of the ills of her sex; she has consulted with and advised thousands of suffering women, who to-day owe not only their health but even life to her helpful advice.

Mrs. Fannie D. Fox, of 7 Chestnut Street, Bradford, Pa., writes:

"I suffered for a long time with womb trouble, and finally was told by a physician that I had a tumor on the womb. I did not want to submit to an operation, so wrote you for advice. I received your letter and did as you told me, and to-day I am completely cured. My doctor says the tumor has disappeared, and I am once more a well woman. I believe Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is the best medicine in the world for women."

The testimonials which we are constantly publishing from grateful women establish beyond a doubt the power of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to conquer female diseases.

Women suffering from any form of female weakness are invited to promptly communicate with Mrs. Pinkham at Lynn, Mass. She asks nothing in return for her advice. It is absolutely free, and to thousands of women has proved to be more precious than gold.

Alabastine Your Walls

Are you satisfied with the appearance of your walls? Do they come up to your ideas. Are you putting on coat after coat of sticky, dirty wall paper, making a sandwich with sour paste between?

Alabastine is clean, hygienic and wholesome and more than that, it is beautiful. The most artistic effects can be produced with Alabastine. The Alabastine Co. will furnish, without expense to you, color schemes and harmonies for your rooms. If you are building or remodeling, simply ask for color schemes, giving size, use and direction of light of rooms.

Buy your ALABASTINE in original packages. Any decorator can apply it, or you can put it on yourself. Simply brush it on. It is permanent, durable, wall finish. Outwears two walls done any other way.

The best dealers sell it. If yours doesn't, send us your name and we will see that you are supplied.

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It Cures Colds, Coughs, Sore Throat, Croup, Influenza, Whooping Cough, Bronchitis and Asthma. A certain cure for Consumption in first stages, and a sure relief in advanced stages. Use at once. You will see the excellent effect after taking the first dose. Sold by dealers everywhere. Large bottles 25 cents and 50 cents.



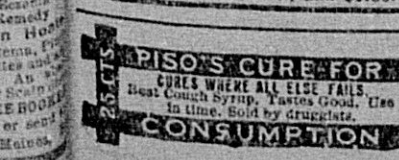
The fattest landlady in Philadelphia says: "Celery King is said to be good for thin folks, but it is good for fat people too. It has cured me of biliousness, and I feel like a youngster." All druggists sell it.

Shiloh's Consumption Cure

The Lung Tonic

It will cure them quickly and strengthen their lungs. It is pleasant to take.

Prices, 25c., 50c., and \$1.00.



HAD BETTER KEPT THE FEE.

Mayor's Generous Deed the Cause of a Lot of Trouble.

A young couple who desired to surround their nuptials with additional glamor were married in the mayor's office a few days ago. After the mayor had pronounced the benediction the happy groom passed over a brand-new five-dollar note as a fee. His honor gracefully transferred the note to the bride with the suggestion that it be applied to the start in housekeeping. The couple departed in such a blissful mood that the mayor was all smiles as he resumed his duties. Yesterday the bride called wearing a gloomy air. "What's the trouble?" asked the mayor, who remembered her. "I wish you had taken that \$5. Before we were out of the city hall my husband wanted it back. I wouldn't give it to him, and we fought over it until now we're separated. If anybody else comes along to be married and offers you money, take it. Maybe it will save trouble afterward."—Philadelphia Record.

STARTING RUNS ON BANKS.

Small Incidents Serve to Alarm Depositors—Ruse of Bank of England.

A queer run on the savings bank in the Ghetto district of New York city has recalled others of the same sort. Here is one: A good many years ago in London an old woman fell in front of a bank and broke her leg. A crowd gathered and the report got about that there was a run on the bank. In a very brief space there really was one. A disastrous run on the Bank of England in the time of the Pretender in the eighteenth century was prevented by an ingenious delay. When Prince Charles was marching on London depositors were in a frantic hurry to draw out all they had in the Bank of England. Every call was met, but in sixpences and shillings. So long did these coins take to count and so prodigious were the loads of bullion which had to be carried that public confidence was restored, and news of the retreat of the highlanders coming to town, the situation was saved.

Song.

You that have seen how the world and its glory
Change and grow old like the love of a friend;
You that have come to the end of the story,
You that were tired ere you came to the end;
You that are weary of laughter and sorrow,
Pain and pleasure, labor and sin,
Sick of the midnight and dreading the morrow,
Ah, come in; come in.

You that are bearing the load of the ages,
You that have loved overmuch and too late;
You that confute all the saws of the sages,
You that served only because you must wait,
Knowing your work was a wasted endeavor,
You that have lost and yet triumphed therein,
Add loss to your losses and triumph forever,
Ah, come in; come in.

—Blackwood's Magazine.

Otto of Roses.

Otto or attar of roses is the fragrant, volatile, essential oil extracted from the petals of roses and is obtained by distilling the flowers with water. Essential oils are so-called on account of their possessing in a concentrated form the odor characteristic of the plant or vegetable substances from which they are obtained—being as it were the essence of the plant. Although roses are found growing wild in nearly every part of the world, it is only in France, Turkey and India that they are cultivated for their perfume. The Turkish oil is the one commonly found in the market. Otto of roses is the basis of all genuine rose perfume and is very expensive.

During the Day and Night.

It has been seriously asserted by many people that we are naturally lighter after a meal, and they have even gone the length of explaining this by the amount of gas that is developed from the food. Average observations, however, show that we lose three pounds six ounces between night and morning; that we gain one pound twelve ounces by breakfast; that we again lose about fourteen ounces before lunch; that lunch puts on an average of about one pound; that we again lose during the afternoon an average of ten ounces, but that an ordinary dinner to healthy persons adds two pounds two ounces to their weight.

Sunshine.

The latest fad of the very rich is sunshine, obtained at any cost and almost at will. Verandas are glassed in to form sun parlors, and rooms to which the sun comes in the natural course of events are furnished accordingly. Then there is no anxiety over the fading of carpets and hangings. A room seen recently contained rugs warranted to resist the influence of the sun, ecrú curtains and rattan furniture, whose cushions were covered with Java cotton, in bright colors, that are indestructible. It was very pretty and cheery and had the sun a good part of the day in its early hours.

Urn Buried for 2,000 Years.

In the neighborhood of Bournemouth, England, recently, during the construction of a new road the excavators cut into a mound, which is indicated upon the map as an ancient burial ground, and a large sun-baked clay urn was unearthed. It was in a remarkable state of preservation and was intact. The roots of the heather had forced their way into the interior of the receptacle and into the ashes and dust it contained. The urn was estimated to be 2,000 years old.

COMMISSIONER GARFIELD'S REPORT ON BEEF INDUSTRY.

The report of Commissioner Garfield on the beef industry has at last been published. It must be somewhat of a surprise to those who have been indulging in wholesale adverse criticism upon the methods of the Chicago packers, as it discloses facts and figures which clearly show that the great food producers have been innocent of the serious offenses with which they have been charged. They have been for a long time accused by newspapers all over the country of extortionate prices demanded, and obtained, of depression of values of cattle at the various stockyards where their business is conducted, of enormous profits wholly disproportionate to the capital employed, and, in general, of so carrying on their business that the public, under an organized system of spoliation, were being robbed for their exclusive benefit.

We find now, however, that not a single one of these charges has been sustained but, on the contrary, that rigid and searching investigation, officially made, has resulted in complete acquittal.

Instead of extortion it is shown that no industry can be found where so narrow a margin of profit prevails—the actual records and original entries, to which the commissioner had free access, showing that the highest net profit any of the packers made on their sales of beef was two and three-tenths per cent in 1902 and in one instance that the profit realized in 1904 was one and eight-tenths per cent.

The variations in the market prices for cattle are exhaustively treated and no evidence of any kind was discovered, or even hinted at, tending to show that values of cattle are in the slightest degree improperly affected or controlled by packers at any of the chief centers of the industry.

On the whole, the report completely dissipates the prevalent idea that great fortunes are being amassed by illegal and improper methods employed by western packers, showing that notwithstanding the high prices for beef prevailing in 1902 the business was less remunerative than in years characterized by normal values, both for cattle and product. He says "that the year 1902, instead of being one of exorbitant profits, as has been commonly supposed, was less profitable than usual. In fact, during the months when the prices of beef were the highest, some, at least, of the leading packers were losing money on every head of cattle slaughtered. It was not possible to advance the prices of beef in full proportion to the great advance in the prices of cattle at that time."

After all that has been written reflecting upon the great business interest engaged in the marketing and distribution of the product of one of the greatest of our national industries, it is gratifying to all fair minded people that the prejudiced attacks upon it have failed of verification; and the great western packers may be congratulated for having passed through such a searching and thorough official investigation unscathed. The results of this investigation, based as it is upon exhaustive data, officially obtained and verified by United States government experts, must be accepted without hesitation, as the investigation was made under circumstances that guaranteed complete accuracy with a possible disposition indeed, to arrive at entirely different results.

Old-Fashioned Cold Cure.

An old-fashioned cure for a cold is to wrap a silk handkerchief over the head, after having soaked the feet in the customary mustard water.

FOR CONSIDERATION BY THE THOUGHTFUL.

A Tribute to Weather Conditions in Western Canada.

During the early portion of February of this year, the middle and Western States suffered severely with the intense cold and winter's storms. Trains were delayed, cattle suffered, and there was much general hardship. While this was the case, throughout Western Canada, now attracting so much attention, the weather was perfect.

One correspondent writes, "We are enjoying most beautiful weather, the gentlemen are going to church without top coats, while the ladies require no heavier outer clothing than that afforded by light jackets. In contrast with this it is interesting to read in a St. Paul paper of 12th February the following, in double head lines, and large bold-faced type:

"WARM WAVE NEAR ARCTIC ZONE."

"CALGARY MUCH WARMER THAN ST. PAUL."

"Balm Breezes are Blowing in Northwestern Canada While People are Freezing to Death in Texas and Other Southern States."

WARM IN CANADA; FREEZING IN TEXAS.

St. Paul 24
Omaha 16
St. Joseph 10
Fort Worth, Tex. Zero
Burlington 7
Moorhead 10
Duluth 6
Hayre, Mont. 18
Williston, N. D. 18
Miles City, Mont. 2
Medicine Hat, Can. Zero
Calgary, Can. 24
Edmonton, Can. 20
Leadville, Colo. 32

During the month of January of this year the number of settlers who went to Canada was greater than any previous January. The movement northward is increasing wonderfully.

The vacant lands of Western Canada are rapidly filling with an excellent class of people. The Government Agents located at different points in the States, whose duty it is to direct settlers, are busier than ever. They have arranged for special excursions during the months of March and April, and will be pleased to give interesting details any desired information.

NINE A MYSTICAL NUMBER.

Many Superstitions Connected With Three Times Three.

Nine is a mystical number. A cat is said to have nine lives; there are nine crowns in heraldry; possession is "nine points of the law," and the whip for punishing evildoers has nine tails, the superstition being that a flogging by a trinity of trinites would be sacred and more efficacious. In order to see the fairies, mortals are directed to put nine grains of wheat on a four-leaf clover. The hydra had nine heads, and leases are frequently granted for 99 or 999 years. Milton, in "Paradise Lost," says: "The gates of hell are threefold—three folds adamant, three folds iron and three folds adamant rock. They have nine folds, nine plates and nine linings. When the angels were cast out of heaven nine days they fell."

The nine of diamonds was considered the curse of Scotland, and to see nine maples in the land of cakes is considered as bad as to see the devil's nine and set.

Castor Oil for mummies. M. Berthelot, secretary of the Louvre museum, believes that he has discovered the secret of the agent used in embalming in ancient Egypt. After a laborious examination of the sarcophagi of the fifth and sixth dynasties, which date back as far as 2500 B. C., M. Berthelot has come to the decision that the oil employed was simply castor oil, such as is still used in Egypt, which has undergone some oxidation, but retained during the long period its preservative qualities.—London "Telegraph."

Overcrowded.

It is a pretty dangerous thing to allow your system to get overcrowded with undigested foods—poisons, bile poisons, bowel poisons. Get rid of them by taking Dr. Caldwell's (Laxative) Syrup Pepsin, and you will right away, feel such a wonderful change for the better, that you will never let yourself get into that condition again. Safe and pleasant relief and cure, for headache, constipation, biliousness, etc. Try it. Sold by all druggists at 50c and \$1.00. Money back if it fails.

Borrow in haste and repay at leisure.

Wanted—Representative in every community. Money-making home business. Any one can do it. Find out what it is. Send address M. A. Donohue & Co., Chicago.

The boy who is afraid to strike back will never make the man brave enough to turn the other cheek.

If You Are Sick, Doctor!

When the medicinal properties of Saw Palmetto Berries were discovered, the question of the permanent cure of Stomach, Liver, Kidneys and Bladder troubles was settled. Vernal Palmettona (Palmetto Berry Wine) is recommended by thousands of former sufferers. It relieves the inflammation and cures the disease. Don't suffer from Dyspepsia, constipation, backache, headache, Vernal Palmettona will cure you. Write for free trial bottle to Vernal Remedy Co., Le Roy, N. Y. Sold by druggists.

Some men are like matches, there is nothing in their heads until you strike them.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup. For children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, always cures wind colic. 25c. a bottle.

Men occasionally carry high-handed methods into small transactions.

FITS permanently cured. No fits or nervousness after first day's use of Dr. Kline's Great Kidney and Bladder Remedy. \$2.00 trial bottle and location. DR. H. C. KLINE, Ltd., 231 Arch Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

A man likes to feel that his ways are free from selfish motives.

A GUARANTEED CURE FOR PILES. Piles, Hemorrhoids, Bleeding, Itching, Pain, Stricture, etc. Druggists will refund money if KIDNEY CUREMENT fails to cure you in 5 to 14 days. 50c.

Some women show a wonderful patience under cutting sarcasm.

I do not believe Kline's Cure for Croup, whooping cough and colds—A H. P. ROYAL, Trinity Springs, Ind., Feb. 15, 1902.

After a woman says "there's no use talking," she keeps right on.

"Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy is credited to his life, but better than any other that I ever had, 'regardless of price.'"

Some men are meek only when they face a superior force.

THE BEST WATERPROOF CLOTHING IN THE WORLD BEARS THIS TRADE MARK TOWER'S FISH BRAND TAKE NO SUBSTITUTES ON SALE EVERYWHERE CATALOGUES FREE SHOWING FULL LINE OF GARMENTS AND HATS A. J. TOWER CO. BOSTON, MASS., U.S.A. TOWER CANADIAN CO., LTD., TORONTO, CANADA.

10,000 Plants for 16c. More garden and farm plants than any other house. There is reason for this. We have over 1000 acres for the production of our warranted seeds. In order to induce you to try them, we will make you the following unprecedented offer: For 16 Cents Postpaid 10,000 Fine July Tomatoes, 2000 Black Cherry, 2000 Blue Star Lettuce, 2000 Spotted Bell, 1000 Early Brimstone Radishes, 1000 Early Brimstone Turnips. Above seven packages contain seed sufficient to grow 1000 plants. For mailing, enclose 16c. in stamps, together with our 4c. catalogue, telling all about plants. Send to: JOHN A. SALZER SEED CO., W. A. L. CROSBY, Wis.



MISS FLORENCE KENAH.

Miss Florence E. Kenah, 434 Maria street, Ottawa, Ont., writes: "A few months ago I caught a severe cold, which settled on my lungs and remained there so persistently that I became alarmed. I took medicine without benefit, until my digestive organs became upset, and my head and back began to ache severely and frequently."

"I was advised to try Peruna, and although I had little faith I felt so sick that I was ready to try anything. It brought me blessed relief at once, and I felt that I had the right medicine at last. Within three weeks I was completely restored and have enjoyed perfect health since."

"I now have the greatest faith in Peruna."

The cold wind and rain, slush and mud of winter are especially conducive to catarrhal derangements. Few women escape.

Upon the first symptoms of catching cold Peruna should be taken. It fortifies the system against colds and catarrh.

Peruna for Colds and Catarrh. The following interesting letter gives one young woman's experience with Peruna.

Miss Rose Gerbing, a popular society woman of Crown Point, Ind., writes: "Recently I took a long drive in the country, and being too thinly clad I caught a bad cold which settled on my lungs, and which I could not seem to shake off. I had heard a great deal of Peruna for colds and catarrh, and I bought a bottle to try. I am pleased to tell you that it brought speedy relief. It only took about two bottles, and I consider this money well spent."

"You have a firm friend in me, and I not only advise its use to my friends, but have purchased several bottles to give to those without the means to buy, and have noticed without exception that it has brought about a speedy cure wherever it has been used."—Rose Gerbing.

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Two Cancers Removed.

Chronic Diseases of Lungs Cured in Six Months by a Prominent Jackson Physician After Seven Other Physicians Failed to Give Relief.

R. F. D. No. 6.
Jackson, Mich., Jan. 17, 1905.
My wife was very sick with throat, lung, stomach and heart trouble for five years. She could not speak above a whisper for many months and she expectorated quart of matter every day. Everything she ate disagreed with her, and her throat and stomach were a regular running sore for months. She was very weak and terribly emaciated. We tried several of Jackson's and other cities' reputable physicians, but none of them gave her relief. I had about lost all hope of her ever recovering, when I took her to Dr. Wilkinson, 25 Dwight Building, Jackson, Mich., last March, when she began to improve at once. He had her comfortably in a few weeks, and in six months he had cured her completely. It has been three months now since she took any medicine, and she has gained forty pounds in weight and is strong and hearty. She eats everything she wants, and no exposure affects her. In this case, at least, Dr. Wilkinson has cured one that several other doctors pronounced incurable.

CHARLES A. NORTON.

CANCER CURED.

R. F. D. No. 4.
Grass Lake, Mich., Feb. 28, 1905.
I had two cancers on my face—one on chin and one on left cheek—for five months. The one on my chin was as large as a silver dollar. I failed to get relief elsewhere so I called on Dr. Wilkinson, of Jackson, Mich., Dec. 21, 1904. He removed two large cancers, and today the wounds are completely healed up for the first, and the indications are now that I am completely cured.

GEORGE MAIN.

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Because the liver is neglected people suffer with constipation, biliousness, headaches and fevers. 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.

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FOR SALE—One second hand Jackson lumber wagon in good shape, and price right. Inquire of Homer H. Boyd, Sylvan Center.

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

FARM FOR SALE—The William C. Given 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. Stridh, 792 Washington Arcade, Detroit, Mich. 141f

FARM TO RENT—One mile south of Lima Center, now occupied by Fred Erick 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.

VILLAGE LOT, 4x8 rods, on Madison street, for sale. Enquire at the Herald Office.

Neighborhood Notes.

Fred Welch, of Grass Lake, recently caught a mink that measured 32 inches in length.

The Grass Lake creamery is doing a large business nowadays. Nearly 1,300 pounds of butter are made every other day.

John Detling, of Freedom, was instantly killed March 6 by being struck across the neck by the limb of a tree he was felling.

The Dexter Savings Bank has moved into the handsome and commodious new home which has just been completed for it.

Three Ann Arbor young men enlisted for service in the U. S. navy last week. Out of 12 applicants to the recruiting officers they were the only ones accepted.

At a recent farm stock auction sale in Bridgewater over \$3,000 worth of personal property was disposed of, among which were 17 head of horses. Four hundred people attended the sale.

William Rehfsuss, the well-known stock buyer of Ann Arbor, has purchased the Burg farm in Bridgewater for \$3,100. There are 180 acres in the farm and the timber on it is said to be worth \$1,800.

John W. Herring has been elected president of the Manchester Union Savings Bank to fill the vacancy caused by the death of B. G. English. Arnold H. Kuhl and John Wuerthner were elected vice presidents.

Mrs. Abbie Warner Smith, a pioneer of this county, having attended school in Ann Arbor when it was only a little hamlet of log houses, died at the home of her granddaughter in Rugg township, Kalkaska county, March 9, aged 93 years and 5 months.

The Ann Arbor Railroad Company is conducting a series of experiments with a gasoline locomotive at Toledo. If the engine is a success it will be used to run a dummy train between Ann Arbor and Zukey Lake, to take care of the summer passenger traffic between those places.

F. L. Olmstead, jr., of Brookline, Mass., an expert in landscape beautifying, will visit Ypsilanti next June, and will go up the valley of the Huron river to the lake region above Dexter to look over the possibilities of what can be done towards improving the banks and beautifying the landscape.

The Young People's Mission of the Ypsilanti Presbyterian church has decided to disband and unite with the other church missionary societies. It is the oldest Young People's Missionary Society in the synod of Michigan, having been 34 years in existence, during which time it raised over \$5,000 for missions.

The plans for the new high school building at Ann Arbor, which have been accepted by the school board, are very complete in their details. The building will accommodate 1000 pupils, will have an auditorium that will seat 1,000 people, and a gymnasium 60x100 feet in size. The Carnegie library building will be connected with it and will cost \$30,000. The cost of the high school building proper, outside of the library, will be \$200,000.

B. St. James' dry goods store in Ann Arbor was damaged \$9,000 by water and smoke Saturday morning. The store building was not much damaged by the fire, which originated in the basement among a brand new stock of spring goods, which was utterly ruined. It was the first fire that has occurred in the block of stores on the west side of Main street, between Huron and Washington streets, in 59 years. A remarkable record.

John Van Fleet, a Dexter ne'er-do-well, attempted a criminal assault on his 13 years old cousin Bernice Van Fleet on Wednesday evening of last week. The dastardly crime was attempted on the street near Rev. J. P. Ryan's residence. The little girl's frantic cries brought the priest and his big dog to the rescue and the scoundrel was arrested. Van Fleet has done time at Ionia for larceny, and was released from Governor's Island a few months ago, where he was serving a sentence for desertion from the army.

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Personal.

V. D. Hindelang and wife, of Albion, spent Monday here.

Mrs. Margaret Hindelang, of Ypsilanti, spent Sunday with relatives here.

C. M. Davis and wife visited their son H. I. Davis and family in Ann Arbor Friday.

J. L. Hindelang, of Albion, spent Sunday with his parents L. H. Hindelang and wife.

Miss Virginia Crafts, of Grass Lake, was the guest of relatives here Saturday and Sunday.

Leo H. Hindelang left Sunday for Albion, where he has taken a position with the Gale Mfg. Co.

Under Sheriff Cuth Warner, of Ann Arbor, was in Chelsea yesterday on official business.

H. S. Holmes and wife were Detroit visitors Thursday and were the guests of W. W. Gifford and wife.

Charles E. Hoffman, of Ann Arbor, was in Chelsea Tuesday afternoon shaking hands with old friends. Mesdames Thos. Fletcher, G. T. English and C. D. Johnson attended the meeting of Washtenaw Pomona Grange in Ann Arbor Tuesday.

W. E. Snyder was in Howell Saturday and Sunday, where his wife has been for the past three weeks caring for her mother, who is very low in health.

Emil H. Arnold, Optical Specialist, with Wm. Arnold, the jeweler, Ann Arbor, understands eyes and eye glasses. His business is to fit the one to the other. His knowledge of the eye and his practical experience in the fitting of glasses is at your service. His methods are thorough, scientific and painstaking, his results positive.

Sylvan Center.

H. H. Boyd and wife are on the sick list.

Darwin Boyd, of Clio, is the guest of his mother Mrs. H. C. Boyd.

Fred Mensing, wife and son Ray, spent Sunday with Jacob Kern and family.

Perry Case and wife, of Ogden, spent last week with John Wortley and family.

Clifford Wortley and sisters went to Lake Odessa Tuesday to attend the wedding of a relative.

Mrs. Ella Webster, of Detroit, was the guest of her mother Mrs. N. Dancer a part of last week.

The Annual Meeting

Of Maple Grove Cemetery Company of the township of Sylvan, county of Washtenaw, state of Michigan, for the election of officers and transaction of such other business as may come before it will be held at the Sylvan Center M. E. church, Monday, March 20, 1905, at 2 o'clock p. m.

SAMUEL F. GUTHRIE, Secretary.

Southwest Sylvan.

John Scouten is entertaining company from Manchester.

P. Smith and wife spent Friday with D. Heim and family.

John Walz and wife spent Sunday with James Beckwith and family.

Mrs. B. McNaney, of Sharon, spent the first of the week with Mrs. D. Heim.

Perry Case and wife, of Oklahoma, are spending some time with John Wortley and family.

The relatives of Fred Schanfele, of Manchester, were informed of his death Tuesday. Mr. Schanfele was formerly a resident of this neighborhood.

Photographs.

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

Dogs as Beasts of Burden.

Rev. Jacob Kurtz recently caused a sensation in Pennsylvania by driving from Chambersburg to York, fifty-three miles in a small cart, which was drawn by two large dogs. The dogs did not seem to mind it, and the parson evidently enjoyed it. He made almost as good time as he could have made with a horse.

Woman and Her Conscience.

When a plugged dime is passed on a woman she argues with her conscience that it would be a sin to attempt to pass it, but puts it in her purse, knowing that some day it will be pushed along when she is not thinking about it.—Atchison Globe.

A Possible Catastrophe.

"My dear!" said a frightened husband in the middle of the night, shaking his wife, "where did you put that bottle of strychnine?" "On the shelf next to the peppermint." "Oh, Lord!" he groaned, "I've swallowed it!" "Well, for goodness sake," whispered his wife, "keep quiet or you'll wake the baby."

North Lake.

Harry Reade is working for his brother in Webster.

Mrs. H. Hudson, who has been quite ill, is improving.

Anna Fitzsimmons is now in the employ of Mrs. E. Doodv.

Mrs. M. A. Heatley is suffering from an attack of the grip.

Mrs. Geo. Gregg's mother is seriously ill at their home in Lyndon.

Floyd Hinkley and wife attended the Gardner-Webb wedding yesterday.

Robins have been seen here and we hope warm weather is not far distant.

Mrs. Foster Watts, of South Bend, Ind., is visiting relatives and friends here.

Ernest Rowe and wife called on Harrison Hadley and family one day last week.

Fred Marshall and Alex. Gilbert helped Wm. Hudson with his wood last week.

There was quite a large attendance at church Sunday evening considering the bad roads.

E. J. Cooke and wife returned home last week from a visit with Mrs. Cooke's parents in Albion.

Some farmers in this vicinity have been looking up their help for summer and report men very scarce.

Some of the roads have been opened in their natural courses but are still in a bad condition for travel.

Mrs. Ed. Daniels is able to be around the house again much to the pleasure of the family and friends.

Geo. Marshall is moving his household goods to the Chas. E. Whitaker farm in Lima, which he has rented.

Harrison Hadley has moved his household goods and farm implements to the old Hadley homestead, which he has recently purchased.

Unadilla.

Miss Katie Hudler, of Munith, is working for Mrs. H. G. Porter.

Geo. E. Marshall is moving his family south of Chelsea this week.

Miss Jennie Andrus, of Pontiac, is visiting her parents L. M. Harris and wife.

Fred and Howard Marshall visited friends in Stockbridge and White Oak Saturday and Sunday.

The Unadilla Farmers' Club will meet at the home of Bird Gregory and wife next Saturday, March 18.

The people of Unadilla and vicinity were shocked Sunday morning to hear of the sudden death of Mrs. Agnes Marshall, which occurred somewhere about 4 o'clock a. m. She went to sleep in her usual health never to wake in this life. Her spirit has gone to God who gave it. Aunt Agnes, as she was commonly called, was a native of Scotland. She was born in Glasgow in 1831 and came to America with her parents in 1832 and settled at Tarryville, Conn., where they remained four years, when they came to Unadilla, and in 1849 they moved to Stockbridge. In the year 1855 she was united in marriage to Alex. Reid, with whom she lived until his death, which occurred in 1871. In 1874 she was married to W. S. Bird and moved to Unadilla village, where in 1878 Mr. Bird died. In 1881 she was married to John Marshall, who is left to mourn the loss of a true and loving companion. When a young girl she gave her heart to God and his service. At the age of 14 she united with the Presbyterian church at Unadilla and has been a faithful member ever since, always ready to give of her means for the support of the gospel and lend a helping hand to the poor and needy. For 30 years she has taught a class in the Sunday school, and all who have been members of her class feel that they have been made better men and women by her christian teaching and noble example. This class she only gave up teaching three weeks before her death. The funeral services were held Tuesday, Rev. Benjamin Jones conducting them. The remains were interred in Williamsville cemetery.

Got Off Cheap.

He may well think he has got off cheap who, after contracting constipation or indigestion, is still able to perfectly restore his health. Nothing will do this but Dr. King's New Life Pills. A quick, pleasant and certain cure for headache, constipation, etc., 25c at the Bank Drug Store guaranteed.

Registration Notice.

To the Electors of the Township of Sylvan, County of Washtenaw, State of Michigan:

Notice is hereby given, that a meeting of the board of registration of the township above named, will be held at the town hall in village of Chelsea, within said township, on Saturday, April 1, A. D. 1905, for the purpose of registering the names of all such persons who shall be possessed of the necessary qualifications of electors, and who may apply for that purpose, and that said board of registration will be in session on the day and at the place aforesaid from 9 o'clock in the forenoon until 5 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose aforesaid.

Dated this 14th day of March, A. D. 1905.

By order of the township board of registration.

JOHN B. COLE,
Clerk of said Township.

Election Notice.

To the Electors of the Township of Sylvan, County of Washtenaw, State of Michigan:

You are hereby notified that at the general election to be held in this state on Monday, the third day of April next, the following officers are to be voted for in Washtenaw county:

One justice of the supreme court, two regents of the University of Michigan, one member of the state board of education (to fill vacancy) and one circuit judge for the twenty-second judicial circuit, comprising the county of Washtenaw.

There will also be elected a board of auditors for the county of Washtenaw, consisting of three members.

Notice is also hereby given, that the next ensuing election for said township will be held at the town hall in village of Chelsea, in said township, on Monday, April 3, A. D. 1905, at which election the following officers are to be chosen, viz:

One supervisor, one clerk, one treasurer, one highway commissioner, two justices of the peace, full term, one school inspector, full term, one member board of review, four constables.

The polls of said election will be open at 7 o'clock a. m., and will remain open until 5 o'clock p. m., of said day of election.

Dated this 14th day of March, A. D. 1905.

By order of the Board of Election Inspectors of said Township.

JOHN B. COLE,
Clerk of said Township.

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Probate Order.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw, ss.: At a session of the Probate Court for said County of Washtenaw, held at the Probate Office in the City of Ann Arbor, on the 8th day of March, in the year one thousand nine hundred and five.

Present, Emory E. Leland, Judge of Probate, in the matter of the Estate of John W. Schultz, deceased.

John W. Schultz, administrator of said estate, having filed in this court his final account praying that the same may be heard and allowed.

It is ordered that the 7th day of next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, of Probate Office, be appointed for the hearing of said petition.

And it is further ordered, that a copy of order be published three successive weeks prior to said time of hearing, in the CHICAGO HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county of Washtenaw.

EMORY E. LELAND,
Judge of Probate.

[A true copy.]
H. WIT NEWKIRK, Register.

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Henry Jung, executor of said estate, having filed in this court his final account, praying that the same may be heard and allowed.

It is ordered that the 25th day of next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, of Probate Office, be appointed for the hearing of said petition.

And it is further ordered, that a copy of order be published three successive weeks prior to said time of hearing, in the CHICAGO HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county of Washtenaw.

EMORY E. LELAND,
Judge of Probate.

[A true copy.]
H. WIT NEWKIRK, Register.

Probate Order.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw, ss.: At a session of the Probate Court for said County of Washtenaw, held at the Probate Office in the City of Ann Arbor, on the 8th day of February, in the year one thousand nine hundred and five.

Present, Emory E. Leland, Judge of Probate, in the matter of the Estate of Anna M. Wood, deceased.

Herman M. Woods, administrator of said estate, having filed in this court his final account, praying that the same may be heard and allowed.

It is ordered that the 21st day of next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, of Probate Office, be appointed for the hearing of said petition.

And it is further ordered, that a copy of order be published three successive weeks prior to said time of hearing, in the CHICAGO HERALD, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county of Washtenaw.

EMORY E. LELAND,
Judge of Probate.

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H. WIT NEWKIRK, Probate Register.

Commissioners' Notice.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw, ss.: The undersigned having been appointed by the Probate Court for said County of Washtenaw, to receive, examine and allow all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of Michael McGuire, late of said county deceased, hereby give notice to all persons claiming against the estate of said deceased, that they will meet at the office of James S. Gorman, in the village of Chelsea, in said county, on the 25th day of next, at 10 o'clock a. m., of each of said days, to examine and adjust said claims.

Dated February 21st, 1905.

EDWARD STAPISH,
ALBERT CONLAN,
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