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A CHARMING FUNCTION.

The Chelsea Ladies' Research Club Entertained the Bay View Reading Circle.

The members of the Chelsea Ladies' Research Club were the hostesses at a very pleasant function Monday evening when their sisters of the Bay View Reading Circle, in accordance with the biennial custom that has been followed for several years past.

The spacious home of Mrs. J. Bacon on East Middle street had been tendered by that lady to the club for the occasion and it was admirably suited to the purpose. Over 60 ladies in all were present and enjoyed the festivities of one of the nicest evenings of the kind that has ever been held in Chelsea.

The guests were met at the door and assisted in removing their wraps by the Misses Grace Bacon and Beryl McNamara.

After all had assembled a program of vocal and instrumental music and a reading was given, in the course of which Mr. Floyd Ward sang several songs, accompanied by Mrs. G. P. Staffan, Mrs. S. G. Hook, of Detroit, rendered some choice selections of instrumental music and Miss Vinora Beal gave a fine reading.

Just prior to the banquet hour a drawing of pretty little hand painted pictures made in duplicate, designed and executed by Mrs. F. E. Wilcox, took place, and then came the search for partners, each lady being paired off with the one who held the duplicate of her card.

The banquet was served in three courses the guests being divided into two sections, and it was a most tasteful and dainty affair. The dining room was prettily decorated in red and green, the colors of the club, while the table shone and sparkled with glass and silverware and the light from numerous candles and candelabra.

The guests were admirably served at the banquet table by Mrs. H. Spiegelburg and the Misses Mabel and Ethel Bacon, Enid Holmes and Zoe BeGole.

During the time each section was eating the other was engaged in a guessing contest of the pictures of 18 members of the Research Club in their childhood days. Mrs. G. W. Palmer carried off the prize awarded in this contest, guessing 16 out of the 18 pictures, and Mrs. P. M. McKay was given the consolation prize.

Before the ladies separated they all formed a circle and clasping hands in good old fashioned Scotch style sang "Auld Lang Syne Syne," and thus wound up a charming evening's entertainment.

Lafayette Grange Social.

Lafayette Grange will hold a Grange social in the basement of the Lima Center M. E. church, Wednesday, April 19, commencing at 10 a. m. The lecture hour will be one of the features of the social, and will be held from 2 to 3 in the afternoon. It will be opened with roll call and answered by quotations. Subjects for discussion: For the ladies—"That improvements for doing house work do not keep pace with improvements on the farm;" for the gentlemen—"How deep shall we plow to get the best results from a corn crop, also the planting and caring for the same." Dinner 10 cents, served at noon. Invitation extended to all.

The Late Mrs. McDonnell.

Mrs. Johanna McDonnell, who lived for many years in Grass Lake, died Monday, April 10, at the home of her daughter Mrs. Wallace in Ovid. The remains were taken to the home of her daughter Mrs. Dakin in Grass Lake yesterday. This morning they were brought here and the funeral services were held at the Church of Our Lady of the Sacred Heart, Rev. W. P. Considine officiating. The remains were interred in Mt. Olivet cemetery beside those of her husband. Mrs. McDonnell was a sister of Mrs. John Daley, of Cavanaugh Lake.

SOLID RURAL DELIVERY.

Plans Completed and It Will Be Installed About June 1.

The plans for the installation of solid rural mail delivery in Washtenaw county have been completed by Inspector Robards and it is expected that all the farmers in the county will reap the benefit of a daily mail service after June 1.

The service will consist of 46 routes emanating from railway post offices in different parts of the county and furnishing a population of 5,000 people with daily mail privileges. All of the routes have been so arranged that every farmer in the county will be able to take a daily paper if he desires and receive it the same day that it is published.

The installation of the service could only be accomplished by rearranging all of the rural routes in the county. As few alterations as possible have been made, but in every instance of a change, it was done because absolutely unavoidable.

The Herald is credibly informed that two new routes will be started out of the Chelsea office, necessitating the employment of two new carriers and their substitutes.

Without an exception these routes had to be partially changed, and made to harmonize with one another, so that all of the people could be accorded the privilege which the service offers. They are of uniform length, each carrier traveling 25 miles each day, and serving as nearly as possible an equal number of patrons.

Washtenaw is the tenth county in Michigan to be supplied with a solid service and it is the second county in this representative district, Jackson being the first.

The completion of the solid service will give the farming communities of the county the advantage of one of the most highly prized privileges that could be brought to them. The feature of the new acquisition is that every farmer in Washtenaw county is now placed on a plane of equality with his neighbor.

AN AUTOMOBILE LINE

To Be Run From Chelsea to Mason in About Two Weeks from Now.

Chelsea is to be connected with Mason by a line of automobile busses which will make one round trip daily at first and oftener if the enterprise should prove to be a profitable one.

L. L. Gorton, of Waterloo, and his associates have formed a joint stock company, with a capital stock of \$10,000, for the purpose of operating the line which covers a distance of 40 miles. The proposed route is from Chelsea by way of Cavanaugh Lake, Stockbridge and Dansville to Mason. The run will be made in four hours, carrying twelve passengers and express.

The conveyances to be used are the Oldsmobile passenger cars, of 30-horse power, and a capacity of 16 miles an hour, although the average speed will be 10 miles an hour. The cars will run on a regular schedule time like street cars, and make stops all along the way to take on or let off passengers. The first car will be put on in about two weeks.

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A saline solution may bring the dead to life, but has no effect on those politically dead.

King Edward is no longer able to set the pace, but he has a store of interesting recollections.

If, as Mark Twain contends, clothes are royalty, it is easy to see why some women are queens.

When lovely woman wields the hammer, she sometimes hits the nail on the head—the thumb nail.

Andrew Carnegie now says he has no intention of dying poor. Has the needle's eye lost its terrors?

There may be 73,000 germs in a dollar bill, but we prefer to count the bills and estimate the germs.

If a man can't get enough trouble to suit him any other way, he can always try to raise a vegetable garden.

It would be a decided relief to find some man cleaning up \$1.80 in a stock deal instead of making \$1,000,000.

A California professor has found an Ichthyosaurus. Why didn't he get on the water wagon as it was driven by?

A Baltimore scientist has discovered that Adam had thirteen ribs. No wonder he was willing to part with one.

It's a mighty poor sort of man who hasn't a cure for grip; but under some circumstances it is well to encourage poverty.

As soon as the jury learned that Cassie was to write a book it hesitated no longer and fixed the sentence at ten years.

At last the real yellow peril has been discovered. An English doctor has found that the grip germ comes from China.

The Philadelphia Ledger says that fame awaits the man who will give us a national song. What's the matter with Hiawatha?

Cassie Chadwick says that the loan sharks made all the trouble. In the words of the transatlantic melodrama, "Alone they done it!"

In New York a mother and her daughter have hypnotized each other speechless. That beats all records in mutual admiration societies.

Mr. Carnegie says wealth is not so much after all. However, it may be easier for a man in Carnegie's position to take this philosophical view.

A recently invented machine, it is said, will turn out 10,000,000 matches a day; but nobody will ever be able to find a match when he wants it, all the same.

The human heart is said to beat 92,100 times a day. Hard to believe that there's any such activity in the immediate vicinity of Russell Sage's ossification.

A Pennsylvania city council will from now on open its meetings with prayer. It will no doubt continue to open the town treasury in the old-fashioned way.

If the existing portraits and statues of Mother Eve may be regarded as even approximately accurate the poor woman's waist must have been frightfully out of fashion.

Four cents was recently added to the United States conscience fund. One cent more, and the aforesaid sum would doubtless have gone to swell some brewer's bankroll.

The Duke of Manchester was lost for ten days in Mexico. A strange feature of the case was that people thought seriously of forming searching parties for the purpose of going out and finding him.

Prof. Samuel Williston says the earth 3,000,000 years hence will be given over entirely to birds. Hence the anti-Audobon milliners are seen to be only taking their revenge for extinction beforehand.

One of the medical papers has a long article on the subject, "How Colds Are Caught," but it doesn't fill the long-felt want. It's easy enough to catch colds. What people want to know is how to get rid of them.

It is a remarkable fact that when children are born on railway trains it is almost invariably a case of twins. Let the scientists turn their attention from the spots on the sun, for awhile, and explain this more important mystery to us.

The New Jersey justice of the peace who lately ruled that a woman's tongue is a concealed weapon, within the meaning of the law, was promptly overruled by a higher court. Of course! The mean thing! He ought to be ashamed!

STATE NEWS

THE PRIMARY ELECTION FACTIONS MUST NOW LINE UP AND SHOW UP.

JUSTICE BLAIR'S ARGUMENT ON THE RAILROAD TAXATION ISSUE.

CHARLES H. SMITH, PINGREE'S OLD PARTNER, WHO DISAPPEARED, IS DEAD.

This week a square line up on the matter of primary elections will be made in the legislature, as the Ivory-Double bill will take the center of the stage on Wednesday, at which time it becomes the special order of business. The issue will be sharply drawn between those who are in favor of passing no bill that goes beyond the pledges in the Republican platform, and those who have been contending all session for a bill providing for the direct nomination of governor and lieutenant-governor. The latter faction will be led by Chairman Stone, of the house elections committee; Turner, of Muskegon; Stockdale, of Allegan, and Ellis, of Kent, who have all felt the pulse of the people and insist in giving them what they demand. There is sure to be the greatest battle of the session on this bill. Mr. Turner and Judge Stockdale have raised serious questions as to its constitutionality, and claim that the referendum feature is a delegation of legislative functions to the people. The members of the committee who voted to report it to the house are depending upon Rep. Kelley, of Berrien, to defend the bill drawn by the chairman and secretary of the Republican state-central committee.

Justice Blair's Address.

Justice Charles A. Blair, of the state supreme court, closed the first week of the hearing on the railway tax case with the most eloquent address yet given. In the course of his talk he treated lightly the claims of unconstitutionality presented by the railway attorneys. He ridiculed their repeated references to the California cases determined in the federal circuit court of that state. He asked why they had not gone to the supreme court of the United States for precedent. Not once, he said, but time after time, the highest tribunal of the United States has decided conclusively that railway properties are in a class by themselves and separate from other general properties.

The United States supreme court has placed the railways in a class by themselves for purposes of taxation and had found that the state might, without violating the constitution of the United States, place a tax upon railway property, at a rate higher than the tax assessed against the property holders.

The speaker asked the court if the state of Michigan was obliged to come into this case and establish again grounds for decisions such as have already been handed down by the higher tribunals of the country. He said he can see no necessity for such a showing.

Justice Blair had just begun on the question of the allowance of credits and deduction of debts when court adjourned.

After Fifteen Years.

Charles H. Smith, who, with the late Gov. H. S. Pingree, founded the boot and shoe manufacturing firm of Pingree & Smith, is dead in New York. Monday evening, fifteen years almost to a day since his mysterious disappearance, his body was on the way to Detroit for burial. His disappearance was one of the most mysterious events in the history of the city. At a minute's notice Mr. Smith, then one of the leading manufacturers of Detroit, disappeared as completely as if the earth had swallowed him up, and none of the family ever set eyes on him again. The first glimpse they will have had of him since 1890 will be when his body is here for burial. Mr. Smith was declared legally dead by Judge of Probate Durfee 14 years ago, although it was known at the time by some persons that he was alive. Most of the time Smith's partners knew of his whereabouts and cared for him. Gov. Pingree in his lifetime attended to this himself, and at Mr. Pingree's death John B. Howarth assumed the charge, and up till the last hour he cared for Mr. Smith, the man who started him on the road to wealth and high standing in the community.

The Miners' Strike.

The strike fever in the copper district spreads daily and 2,500 men are now idle at various mines. All work is now suspended at the Kearsarge, Wolverine, Old Franklin, South Kearsarge and Franklin Junior mines. At the Franklin mine the strikers were so ugly that attempts to put others at work caused several fights in spite of the presence of sheriff's deputies. At the Wolverine mine, where the men went back a few days ago on assurance that their demands would be considered, they have again quit work with no prospect of settlement now until Supt. Smith returns from California.

The Dynamite Victims.

In a black cloth-covered box of about a half bushel capacity were placed bits of flesh and broken bones, unrecognizable as having been parts of a human body, but representing all that remained of the three workmen, Geo. Godfrey, George Uhlbricht and Moses James, blown to atoms by the explosion Monday at the Ajax dynamite plant near Bay City. The box was interred in the cemetery and a simple slab with the names of the men and date of death was placed to mark the grave.

BRIEF STATE NEWS

E. K. Warren has donated over 100 acres of land for free parks in five townships of Berrien county. The land borders on Lake Michigan.

Andrew Carnegie has presented Hope College, Holland, with \$20,000. He asks the college to add \$20,000 in addition to his sum to the endowment fund.

The Southern Michigan Trust Co. has authorized the contract for 1,000,000 baskets to be used in harvesting this year's crop of grapes by the members of the association.

Battle Creek board of education is looking for splinters above 35 for positions in the city schools, because young and attractive teachers are soon picked off by the arrows of Cupid.

Agnes Heab, a pretty and popular 16-year-old girl, died in St. Joseph after several weeks' illness from typhoid fever, during which time she refused medicine, being a Dowdite.

The outlook is good for a large crop of peaches, pears and plums this season, it being stated that the buds are in a condition to withstand any frost that may come at this time of the year.

Oliver White, of Jonesville, while administering medicine to a sick dog, was bitten in the hand, which may prove serious. As soon as the dog swallowed the medicine it frothed at the mouth and fell dead.

Through an alleged faulty diagnosis by physicians, John Sewald, aged 23, died in Grand Rapids from hemorrhagic smallpox, without quarantine being established and with no restrictions made upon visitors.

Ina Keene, aged 25 years, was severely burned at the home of her sister, five miles northeast of Lapeer Monday. Her hair was burned off, her body badly scorched and she has probably lost her eyesight.

Henry Crook, 65 years old, is dead at a Menominee hospital as the result of a fall down a flight of stairs in a hotel at Powers. The old man was retiring when he slipped and fell the entire length of the stairs.

Six hundred miners at the Wolverine mine struck Monday, demanding an increase in pay of ten per cent. They were out only half an hour, when they were induced to go back to work, pending a settlement of their demand.

The pardon board has denied clemency to Clarence E. Miller, sent from Kalamazoo to Ionia for attempted murder, and William Westbrook and Charles Van Zandt, sent from Oakland to Marquette for attempt to kill.

George A. Leiphart, of Munising, made a queer consignment recently to the Pacific Coast Forest, Fish and Game association in San Francisco, consisting of six porcupines. The animals were wanted for exhibition purposes.

A 3-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Pluff, of Menominee, left alone in the house, was fatally burned while playing in the range fire with a stick. The little one's clothing was burned from its body and she lived but a short time.

William Maloney, of Port Huron, a Grand Trunk brakeman, was fatally injured while his train was switching at Duffield. He tripped over a stop block and fell in front of the train, which passed over his thigh and one side of his body.

George W. Badgley, of Clayton, who died recently, cut off four of his children with \$5 each because they endeavored to have a guardian appointed for him. His estate of \$2,500 he left to five remaining children, and the circuit court has sustained the will.

Anthony Shustas was struck and instantly killed by a Michigan Central train crossing Beach street, Jackson, Monday. He was with two companions, who did not notice his absence until after the train had passed, when they turned around to find his mangled remains.

Mrs. A. Hartzhorn, the woman from Holland, who has become a public charge on Kalamazoo county, because she refuses to work, gives as her reason that a lawyer refused to collect \$150 for her from John Zoumrijder, a young man whose passage she paid to this country.

St. Joseph is to lose its prestige as a Gretna Green, a recent Indiana law providing that any marriage contracted out of the state will be declared null and void, on the return of the couple to the state. Hundreds of couples from Indiana have been married in this place.

More serious results than was anticipated may come from the stabbing affair incident on the "hair cutting" campaign between the freshmen and the sophomores of the U. of M. It has been disclosed that the two students stabbed by the as yet unknown freshman are H. H. Corson, of Birmingham.

The American Society of Equity, a farmers' organization, has 25,000 members in Michigan and will soon include 90 per cent. of the farmers, according to the statement of George W. Wans, state organizer. It is really a farmers' trust, and the price of wheat next year will be held at not less than \$1 per bushel.

Charles Davidson, of Rockland, who received a charge of shot in his side while taking a gun from a boat a year ago last fall, has just undergone a critical operation in the hope of saving his life. An examination with the X-ray showed that the ribs had been splintered by the shot and were decaying, the flesh tissues adjacent being in a putrid condition. One rib was removed entirely and part of another taken out.

The State Board of Health went over the matter of reducing the clerical force, made necessary by the reduction of the appropriation under the new law, and in doing this took into consideration the various lines of work that are being conducted to find which could best be dispensed with. On this basis the following clerks were notified that their services will not be needed after April 15: L. B. McEwing, Mrs. Edna Clelland and Miss McCallum, of Ingham; Eva Gibbs, of Ottawa; George F. Day, of Ingham.

It is wrong to bet if you don't better yourself.

A SEA FIGHT

JAP AND RUSSIAN FLEETS ARE NEAR AT HAND AND READY.

ROJESTVENSKY'S FLEET IS IN THE CHINA SEA, WHERE TOGO WATCHES.

THE FORMIDABLE LINE UP OF THE TWO FLEETS SHOWS WHAT'S COMING.

A rumor emanating from Hong Kong Monday states that two sections of the rival fleets clashed near Singapore in the morning and that Togo lost five ships.

Advices from Singapore on the 8th were that the Japanese and Russian fleets were coming together and were only a short distance apart, the Russian position being clearly evident by the dense black smoke from the ships all of which use soft coal. It was thought that Saigon was the objective point, and that Togo's fleet would not try to intercept Rojestyevsky's, but would engage them at some point further north. Great consternation prevailed in Singapore lest an engagement should jeopardize the safety of vessels thereabouts. The Russian vessels were running four abreast and at only about eight knots an hour when sighted. The forty-seven ships bore evidence of the effects of their long sea voyage and at the water line showed sea weed a foot long. The squadron was led by a large cruiser, followed by three converted former Hamburg-American line vessels. Then came the cruisers, colliers, battleships, etc. The colliers were mostly in the center of the fleet. The decks of the war ships were coal laden, while the colliers and the former Hamburg-American liners were light of draft. The vessels passed seven miles out. The fleet did not stop to receive dispatches or to consult with the consul. Subsequently the consul visited Vice Admiral Rojestyevsky's ship, talking to him from a launch. He did not board the vessel, but was cheered heartily on leaving the side of the ship. The consul gave to the fleet the first news of the fall of Mukden.

Following is the composition of the Russian Second Pacific squadron, commanded by Vice-Admiral Rojestyevsky, as far as known:

Battleships—Kuznetsov (Rojestyevsky's flagship), Sissoi Veliky (Vojtkersky's flagship), Alexander III, Oslabya, Orel, Borodino, Navarin. Cruisers—Admiral Nakhimoff, Aurora, Svetlana, Oleg, Dmitri Donskoi, Jemtechuk, Almaz, Izumrud.

Torpedo destroyers—Blestachy, Bedovi, Bravi and five others. Volunteer fleet—Kleff, Voronej, Vladimiroff, Tamboff, Yaroslav.

Transports—Kametchatka, Korea, Gortschakoff, Anadyr, Malaya, Jupiter and several others—colliers.

Following is the list of vessels probably comprising the Japanese squadron, commanded by Vice-Admiral Togo:

Battleships—Mikasa (flagship of Vice-Admiral Togo), Fuji, Asahi, Shikishima.

Battleship, second-class—Chinyen. Armored cruisers—Asama, Chiyoda, Iwate, Nishin, Aduma, Idsumo, Kasuga, Tokywa, Yakuma.

At the rate the Russian squadron steamed from Madagascar, which averaged eight knots an hour, the greatest naval battle since Nelson's victory at Trafalgar should occur in about 10 days. The admiralty realize that Rojestyevsky faces great odds owing to the immense superiority of the Japanese in cruisers and torpedo boats, and reliance in his success is based upon seven battleships with which he can oppose Togo's four. It is thought unlikely that the Vladivostok squadron will attempt a junction with the Baltic fleet, though it is quite possible it may make a diversion, undeterred by the fate of the Rossia at the time of the egress of the Port Arthur fleet last August.

English naval experts think that Togo has intentionally allowed Rojestyevsky to pass through the straits of Malacca unmolested, fearing that if a naval battle occurred there the narrowness of the straits would interfere with the maneuvers of the Japanese squadron and give too great an opportunity for some accident to occur which might change the result of the battle. It is thought that Togo plans to wait until Rojestyevsky emerges from the Durian straits and rounds Rintang island (directly southeast of the point of the Malay peninsula) into the China sea, and then duplicate the plan of the naval battle of Santiago, during the Spanish-American war, keeping the Russian fleet pressed against the east coast of the Malay peninsula, as Admiral Schley kept Admiral Cervera close to the Cuban coast in that conflict.

The two Kansas cities were "dry" towns Sunday, the closing law being rigidly enforced. Heretofore when one town was "dry" its citizens could usually wet their whistles by crossing the river into the other city.

Mormons are starting a vigorous proselyting campaign in all western states, sending 7,000 missionaries into the field.

The Portland, Oregon, grand jury has resumed operations and will, it is said, now go after some California lumber companies.

Thirty-five thousand eight hundred dollars has been awarded by a Lima, O. jury to Joseph Hicks, a fireman, who had both arms burned off by a live wire of the Lima Light Co.

Vice-President Fairbanks has been designated by President Roosevelt to preside at a reception at the White House during his absence in the west. Some think there is political significance behind the move, but others consider it merely the result of an amiable impulse.

THE LEGISLATURE.

Rep. Lord, of Detroit, has introduced a bill proposing an amendment to the general corporation act, which looks like a good anti-trust measure. It prevents corporations outside the state from securing stock in Michigan corporations, and forbids Michigan corporations from transferring their stock to outside corporations. To regulate corporations which already hold stock in Michigan companies, the bill provides that any corporation holding shares in any other corporation, when not authorized so to do by the statutes of Michigan, shall not be entitled to vote such stock at any meeting of stockholders of the corporation issuing such stock.

The Hudson local option liquor bill is probably too moribund to be galvanized into life unless it comes up in amended form. Further consideration has been postponed till April 18.

Senator Fyfe has introduced his joint resolution proposing a constitutional amendment to provide a specific tax on all credits.

The memorial services in honor of the late ex-Gov. Luce, will be held in representative hall April 25. Senator Burrows, Congressman Washington Gardner and Milo D. Campbell will deliver addresses.

Benton, of Northville, introduced the petition of the state association of supervisors asking for the abolition of the present tax commission and the curtailing of its powers over local assessing-officers should another commission be created.

To instruct Senators Alger and Burrows to vote for the removal of Reed Smoot from the United States senate is the purport of a resolution introduced in the house by Elchhorn, of St. Clair. The resolution also asks congress to enact such remedial legislation as will wipe out "polygamy and polygamist living and political control by the Mormon hierarchy" in Utah and other states.

The bill to exempt mortgages and credits does not stand much chance of passing the house. It is feared the political consequences would be the defeat of the party in 1906 in the lower peninsula. Second, the bill is regarded as almost certain of veto by Gov. Warner.

As it is at present, the farmer voter in the southern counties will never be able to see that the legislature did right, if it passes a bill exempting \$50,000,000 of invested money from taxation of any kind. The taxes thus lost through exemption will be assessed on other property holders, and that will not make them amenable. The removal of \$2,500,000 from the tax rolls in Oakland county, where the governor lives, will raise taxes from \$10 per \$1,000 to \$11. And they who would be forced to pay this would vote accordingly. The declaration is made on all sides that the passage of the bill would mean a slaughtered Republican party, and this with the governor's attitude seems to seal the fate of the bill.

Gov. Warner, who is interested in the Farmington bank, a private concern, is urging the legislature to pass a bill to bring all such concerns under the state bank examining law. The governor believes in equal protection of all depositors of money, whether the money is in a state or a private bank. He thinks every reliable private bank in Michigan will welcome the bill, which will be drafted by Banking Commissioner Moore. There are 300 private banks in Michigan.

The Elchhorn joint resolution to submit to the people an amendment to the constitution fixing the salaries of members of the legislature, which failed to pass Tuesday night, was taken from the table Wednesday afternoon and passed with but one dissenting vote, that of Rep. Canfield, of Alpena.

Rep. Waters's amendment to make the salary \$500 a year instead of \$600 was adopted.

Correspondence concerning the proposal to exempt mortgages and other credits from taxation is pouring in and a lively scrap is likely over the matter. Under the present law, as it is applied, the man who mortgages his farm pays tax on both the value of the farm and the mortgage also, as well as the interest on the money. Now what the law aimed at first was the taxation of the money invested in mortgages. It was never proposed to tax one man twice, but the supreme court has held that these two taxes can be paid by one man. At present the tax on the mortgage can be dodged by any one who lives out of the state. Residents of Michigan, who loan their money directly, must pay tax on it, or require the borrower to do so, while outsiders escape this burden. So some Michigan people have their money loaned as from out-of-state relatives. Also, much of the mortgage loans of Michigan are collecting into great pools outside the state. They can lend at 5 per cent, and a Michigan man who tries to invest in mortgages must compete with that. The tax commission and the auditor general's office oppose the bill. These departments' work would be lessened by it. Clerks would be cut off.

There is a definite plan forming for adjourning by May 15 or earlier. By motion of Rep. Ward, of Shiawassee, all appropriation bills will hereafter be placed at the head of the general order. None have yet been reported by Mr. Ward's committee on ways and means, but when they are, they will be disposed of promptly.

Rep. Charles Van Keuren, of Livingston, now comes to the front with a primary bill for Livingston county alone. The bill is modeled on the Chicago and Cook county bill.

Tacoma, Wash., Republicans elected seven members and the Democrats one member of the city council in Tuesday's election, but a majority of the new members will affiliate with the present Democratic administration.

The house passed the Ming anti-cigarette bill. The passage of the bill was assured some days ago, and plans are laying in the senate. The Ming is a determinate sentence bill, and his anti-hazing bill, also passed.

LATE NEWS

MADRID SCENE OF A CALAMITY BY WHICH 400 WERE KILLED.

SPEECHES AND HURRAHS ARE OVER AND PRESIDENT'S HUNT BEGUN.

THE OREGON LAND FRAUDS INVESTIGATION LEADS TO MANY INDICTMENTS.

Four Hundred Killed.

Four hundred persons were killed or injured Saturday by the collapse of a new water reservoir in course of construction in Madrid, Spain. The catastrophe caused a profound sensation throughout the city. All work was suspended and the people flocked to the scene. A workman who was injured says the collapse was so sudden and complete that it was impossible to tell what happened. The men at work on the reservoir, however, anticipated trouble, as a fortnight ago three arches collapsed and cracks developed in four others. King Alfonso was shooting at Carabanchel when he heard of the disaster and immediately repaired to the scene. His arrival was the signal for ovations from the crowds. The king was deeply moved and insisted upon personally supervising the relief measures.

The structure which collapsed was a huge quadrilateral one, 350 by 150 metres, built on arches. The disaster was due to the weakness of the supporting pillars. As fast as bodies were recovered they were taken immediately to the cemetery in order to prevent disturbances.

In the Wilds.

The president's tour of reception with accompanying speeches, ended at Frederick, Okla., on Saturday, and the party broke up. A special train was paid for by President Roosevelt and the party that continued the trip with him was composed of a few Rough Riders, guides, hunters and specially invited guests. Sunday he was separated from civilization and in camp with his comrades in the chase at Panther Springs on the Red river, 100 miles east of Frederick. Great preparations have been made for the hunt, which continues for five days. Mr. Roosevelt was in happy frame of mind when he left Frederick. He looked forward with keen pleasure to the outdoor life which he will lead for the next few days.

Fifteen Indicted.

The federal grand jury, sitting at Portland, on Saturday indicted 15 well-known men of Oregon and Washington on charges of conspiracy to defraud the government of a portion of its public lands. Among the indicted are State Senator R. A. Booth, manager of the Booth-Kelly Lumber Company, his brother, Henry J. Booth, receiver of the Roseburg land office; Francis D. Alley, of Roseburg, abstractor; R. and Edward R. Downs, Seattle lumbermen; Rev. Stephen W. Turmel, a Roseburg minister; Edward Shuler, brother-in-law to the Booths; Willard N. Jones, a Portland timberman; Thaddeus S. Potter, former clerk in the law office of F. P. May; H. F. Sissler, of Seattle; Daniel Clark, Clarence Zachary, Col. D. C. Barnard and Charles A. Watson, of Forest Wheeler county.

Rockefeller's Gift.

During a discussion as to the advisability of accepting the Rockefeller \$100,000 gift to the Congregational missions it transpired that all but \$5,000 of the money had been used. F. M. Wiggin, treasurer of the American board, said: "The decision of the general committee is final. Notice of Rockefeller's gift was received February 19 and accepted by the committee and a vote of thanks was sent to Rockefeller. Immediately after on February 21, appropriations were made and it is not likely that the report will be rejected. The report was laid over until April 11, but out of deference to the protesting clergymen it is generally admitted that the gift will be accepted at the meeting."

S. C. Dodd, chief Standard Oil attorney, taking up the cudgel for John D. Rockefeller, aims a long statement at the critics of his \$100,000 gift missions, and especially at Rev. William Gladstone. He says: "If the charges made are true, 'if false, doubly vile. No one has ever proved John D. Rockefeller's mission were made dishonestly.'"

Held By the Ear.

Sid A. Erwin, member of the state pharmaceutical board, and one of the best known druggists of Battle Creek, hanged by his ear Wednesday night in front of his store in a most peculiar manner. Erwin slipped as he came out of the store and bumped against a wire nail which went through his ear. This buttoned his ear to the wall, where he hung, suffering excruciating pain, until Will Cady, neighboring jeweler, could remove the nail from the building with pliers. Dr. Conroy then unbuttoned Erwin's ear. He is in no danger unless blood poisoning sets in.

Gov. Vardaman is quoted as saying negroes will never again be allowed to vote in Mississippi.

Israel Zangwill, speaking in London, said the Jews never had a better friend than Theodore Roosevelt.

Nora Gaines, Co. radio Springs, now earns her living by driving hack.

Complete returns received at the headquarters give the total Russian losses in killed, wounded and prisoners at the battle of Mukden 107,000.

A Kansas has complained under new Kansas anti-discrimination law that the Pullman Company charges excessive rates on its cars, and an investigation will be made.

Trouble Hunting

When you goes a-huntin' trouble
Take yoh bawls on yoh knee,
An' perhaps yoh'll find dat trouble
In a-sleepin' quietly.
When you goes a-huntin' trouble
Learn to sing a little song,
An' yoh'll fin' de trouble marchin'
Purty peaceable along.
When you goes a-huntin' trouble
Tain' no use o' gittin' mad,
'Case it gwinter grow an' scratchi you
In a way dat's mighty bad.
You mus' keep yoh wits about you
While you exercise yoh will,
You kin nearly always tame it,
But it's mighty hard to kill.
—Washington Star.

WHITTINGTON

BY SHANNON BEECH

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Nobody knew so well the inscrutable mainsprings that set in order the beauty, the wit, the sprightliness, the hopes and achievements of the fair members of Gold Handle Street—no body knew these things so well as Whittington Whittington, and knowing well the capabilities of this select sphere of the social world, he enjoyed its environments and assumed control of its destinies, preserved in his task by an intimate knowledge of its many matrimonial pitfalls.

To be young and to be fair, in the catechism of Gold Handle Street, was to be in love with Whittington Whittington. To be in love with Whittington Whittington was generally known to be, with Whittington Whittington's own consent, curable; it was an event against which there seemed no desire to become immune. Like a spell of the measles it was serious enough while it lasted; it was considered inevitable, and finally mended only when ended.

Whittington Whittington was believed never to fall in love in return. To have fallen in love would have put him beyond the leadership of Gold Handle Street society, and beyond the gentle remembrance of many and many a Gold Handle Street graduate whose romantic reminiscence he continued to be long after they had passed to wider stages of action.

At last, however, he it known, uncertain fate decreed that Whittington Whittington should labor in the shadow of impending matrimony, for he was at last profoundly loved by a maiden that knew not to palter, indeed her age was ten years or more beyond the class of callow maidens to whom Whittington Whittington had so long made love professionally. It was the second attack, for in fact Rosina Crosby had fallen under the customary charm of Whittington Whittington ten years before, and he had counted that the incident, in the usual diplomatic sequence, was closed, indeed he had always been led to believe that Rosina herself treated it as a closed incident, and was only, alas, undeceived in the ripening stages of his association, within the confines of his opening buds, Annette Van Tank.

The unprecedented vigor with which Rosina Crosby, now no longer young, and for that reason the more dangerous, pressed her rejuvenated claims was something never heard of before in Gold Handle Street society, and was the more perplexing to Whittington Whittington as her's was a display of tactics wholly out of line with his entire experience. Love had perished in every other instance with Whittington Whittington simply by the statute of limitations, it just run along until it was outlawed, indeed he considered that Rosina Crosby had followed safely in the footsteps of all Gold Handle Street, and that between him and her there existed nothing more tangible than a pleasing aroma of other days. In fact Whittington

him; she wined him; she monopolized his precious time and absorbed entirely his valuable attention.

Something must be done or he was lost! Thoughts of Annette—of love for Annette, that flew through his mind, merely served to aggravate his distraction. Could he save himself for Annette? Could he save himself at all? Could he. If he could at all it should be for Annette. It was worth while to be saved for Annette; for himself it would not be worth the supreme effort. In the case of resolutions as admirable as Whittington Whittington's it is a pity that anything should ever prevent their consummation.



Annette.

tion, but when we take into consideration that these resolutions were made in the absence of Rosina we can see how easily they might, as of course they did, "go awry and lose the name of action."

Would Whittington boat. So would Rosina! Would Whittington drive? So would Rosina! Would Whittington rest? So would Rosina! And so on to the end of the chapter. Finally would Whittington Whittington please Rosina enough to become her guest at supper with Professor Van Tank and his daughter, Annette? Behold, here was a green spot! Yes, he would dine, gladly, under these conditions.

Whittington Whittington on the day he dined found the conditions as stipulated, but with an unmistakable air of marriageable thing about. Was Rosina about to execute some unexpected masterstroke? Was innuendo to be used? Was he, Whittington Whittington, willy-nilly, to be announced? Was Annette thereafter to count him among the lost? Alas for his tongue that claved to the roof of his mouth! In the midst of those perturbations Professor Van Tank arose from the table and asked permission to make known a condition of affairs the most delicate and happy that could fall to the human lot. In the private gathering around him he wished to call on all to drink to the happiness of two people who had consulted the calendar of love, and found the stars propitious; he wished to call on those present to drink to the happy event, known to all present but one (whereupon Whittington Whittington looked despairingly at Annette); "known," the speaker continued, "to Rosina, Annette, and—and—and to myself, of course, and now announced first and specially to our dear friend, Whittington Whittington. I refer to the early prospects of marriage between—a long pause, amounting to suspense—Rosina Crosby, whose guests we are, and—and—and other long pause, still more excruciating—and the speaker, your servant Alcibiades Van Tank!"

"Our health!"

Whittington Whittington, passing from death to life, arose with Annette, and with the most intense look of gratification possible to the human countenance, exclaimed exuberantly, as he lifted his cup:

"Delightful! Delightful! Professor, your health! Your health!"

Rosina arose and looked the sphinx on all except on Professor Van Tank; to Professor Alcibiades Van Tank she was sweetness itself.

Whittington Whittington at once turned an awkward eye on Annette, who was never lovelier; his spirits could not be subdued, and he promptly made an important resolution with reference to any further delay; he then resumed his seat, murmuring:

"Ah! Delightful! Delightful!"

Eight Cases, Seven Deaths.

Secretary Shumway, of the state board of health, has received a report of the outbreak of cerebro-spinal meningitis in Star township, Antrim county, where there were eight cases with seven deaths. The disease there has been termed spotted fever, such as has been spreading death in New York city. Dr. Shumway will urge restrictive measures on the part of all health officers. The outbreak occurred in the Clynner camp of the Antrim Lumber Co. of Marquette, located at Alba, on the G. R. & I. railroad. The first case was that of Nellie McGarey, who was first taken down about the first of February, and was diagnosed as congestion of the brain. The disease gradually spread in the McGarey family and from this to others. Health Officer John H. Zeigler, of Alba, in reporting the deaths, says that these people live in poorly constructed houses and have suffered from the severe weather of the winter. Secretary Shumway will insist that all cases in the future be isolated and quarantined.

White Star Line.

The White Star line has opened the season of navigation to the Flats, Harson's Island, Algonac, Marine City, St. Clair and Port Huron with the steel steamer Owana. The steamers of this line are perfect in all their appointments and passengers' comfort is one of the special features. The trip over this route is a very delightful one. Freight is handled rapidly and received for St. Clair river points, also from all points in the thumb district of the Pere Marquette railway.

Although the Band Science bill is dead, letters protesting against it are still flooding the desk of the representatives daily. Mr. Band would forget the bill, which he allowed to lapse, if it were not for these letters.

Mrs. Sarah Jane Dearing, Bangor, Me., is only 30 years old, mother of a daughter aged 16, who is the mother of a new girl baby, making Sarah Jane a grandmother.

THE MARKETS.

Detroit.—The principal sales of the week in this market were made on Tuesday and Wednesday. Trade in the cattle yards was active on the 6th, all grades being 25c higher; bulls 10c to 15c higher; and common cattle of all kinds strong at last week's prices, quite a number bringing \$5 per hundred and over. Milch cows and springers were also some higher; the best grades offering bringing \$15. A few good ones could have been sold for \$50 had they been on the market. Veal calves were plentiful and the quality none too good, and at the close they were selling about 50c lower than they did a week ago. Best grades, \$5.50 to \$6; others, \$3.50 to \$5. Hogs: Market active; good stock selling \$15.50 to \$16; others, \$14.50 to \$15.50. Range of prices: Light to good butchers, \$5.40 to \$5.55; pigs, \$5.25 to \$5.30; light Yorkers, \$5.40 to \$5.45; roughs, \$5.10 to \$5.25; one-third off. Sheep: A light run made prices 25c better than last week; best lambs, \$7.75 to \$8; fair to good lambs, \$7 to \$7.50; light to common lambs, \$6.50 to \$7; heavy lambs, \$5.50 to \$6.50; fair to choice mixed, \$4.50 to \$5.50; native lambs, \$4.50 to \$5.50.

Chicago.—Good to prime steers, \$6.75; poor to medium, \$4.50 to \$5.75; stockers and feeders, \$2.50 to \$3.50; cows, \$2.50 to \$3.50; heifers, \$2.50 to \$3.50; canners, \$1.50 to \$2.50; mixed and butchers, \$4.50 to \$5.50; good to choice heavy, \$5.50 to \$6.50; rough heavy, \$3.50 to \$4.50; light, \$3.50 to \$4.50; bulk of sales, \$4.50 to \$5.50. Sheep: Good to choice wethers, \$5.75 to \$6.75; fair to choice mixed, \$4.50 to \$5.50; native lambs, \$4.50 to \$5.50.

East Buffalo.—Good butcher cattle are selling about as high as the extra good ones, in proportion to what it costs to make them, but the time for the steers to begin to come in is near at hand, and they are liable to have some effect on the present high prices. Best export steers, \$2.50 to \$3.50; best shipping steers, \$2.50 to \$3.50; calves, \$2.50 to \$3.50; mixed and butchers, \$4.50 to \$5.50; good to choice heavy, \$5.50 to \$6.50; rough heavy, \$3.50 to \$4.50; light, \$3.50 to \$4.50; bulk of sales, \$4.50 to \$5.50. Sheep: Good to choice wethers, \$5.75 to \$6.75; fair to choice mixed, \$4.50 to \$5.50; native lambs, \$4.50 to \$5.50.

Grain, Etc.
Chicago.—Cash No. 2 spring wheat, \$1.10 to \$1.15; No. 3, \$1.05 to \$1.10; No. 2 red, \$1.15 to \$1.20; No. 3 red, \$1.10 to \$1.15; No. 2 white, \$1.10 to \$1.15; No. 3 white, \$1.05 to \$1.10; No. 2 rye, \$1.05 to \$1.10; No. 3 rye, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 2 barley, \$1.05 to \$1.10; No. 3 barley, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 2 clover, \$1.05 to \$1.10; No. 3 clover, \$1.00 to \$1.05; No. 2 alfalfa, \$1.05 to \$1.10; No. 3 alfalfa, \$1.00 to \$1.05.

Detroit.—Wheat—No. 2 red, spot, 1 car at \$1.15; closing nominal at \$1.05; No. 3 red, spot, 1 car at \$1.05; closing nominal at \$1.05; No. 2 white, spot, 1 car at \$1.10; closing nominal at \$1.05; No. 3 white, spot, 1 car at \$1.05; closing nominal at \$1.05; No. 2 rye, spot, 1 car at \$1.05; closing nominal at \$1.05; No. 3 rye, spot, 1 car at \$1.00; closing nominal at \$1.00; No. 2 barley, spot, 1 car at \$1.05; closing nominal at \$1.05; No. 3 barley, spot, 1 car at \$1.00; closing nominal at \$1.00; No. 2 clover, spot, 1 car at \$1.05; closing nominal at \$1.05; No. 3 clover, spot, 1 car at \$1.00; closing nominal at \$1.00; No. 2 alfalfa, spot, 1 car at \$1.05; closing nominal at \$1.05; No. 3 alfalfa, spot, 1 car at \$1.00; closing nominal at \$1.00.

AMUSEMENTS IN DETROIT.

Week Ending April 15.

DETROIT OPERA HOUSE.—"Parisian."

LYCEUM THEATRE.—James H. Hearn's "Shore Acres." Mat. Wed. and Sat. Eve. 10c, 25c, 50c, 75c.

LAPATTE THEATRE.—The Byron Douglas Comed. "The Artist's Model" and "The Only Son."

WHITNEY THEATRE.—"The Fatal Wedding" 10c, 15c, 25c, 50c, 75c.

TEMPLE THEATRE AND WONDERLAND.—Afternoon 5:15 to 5:30; Evening 8:15 to 8:30.

AVENUE THEATRE.—Vaudeville.—Afternoon 1:15 to 1:30; Evening 8:15 to 8:30.

Two women met at the bier of Richard Walsh, a well-to-do Chicagoan, and learned that he had been maintaining two homes and deceiving them for months.

The house in which President Roosevelt was born, No. 25 East Twentieth street, New York, is to be purchased by the Roosevelt Home club and permanently maintained.

The entire family of David Barringer, of Bellefontaine, O., consisting of the father, wife and son, died last week of cerebro-spinal meningitis. A number of other cases are reported in Bellefontaine.

FRESH AIR FOR CONSUMPTIVES

Most Effective Weapon Available for Conflict With Dreaded "White Plague"

The following abstracts from an article by J. E. Stubbett, M. D., in the Medical Record, should receive wide and careful attention. No doubt if these ideas could be carried out, the "white plague" would be robbed of much of its terror.

In ancient times it was highly improper to expose a tuberculous patient, especially one beyond the first stage, to a breath of fresh air except on the mildest days in summer, while the night air was dreaded and avoided as the plague. Then the more observant and thoughtful men noticed that those who lived more in the open air did not die as quickly as the hot-house patients, and they began to urge an outdoor life and moderate exercise as a prophylactic as well as a cure for those in the early stages of consumption. Those in the more advanced stages were allowed fresh air only when it was at summer temperature, but even this was better than being kept indoors in warm, ill-ventilated rooms the whole year.

There are several plans by which the victim of tuberculosis may continuously breathe pure, fresh air by night as well as by day. Sleeping out in the open air is not harmful to a large majority of tuberculous people.

Miller, of Brockton, Mass., reports the cases of five patients whom he recommended to sleep out of doors at night. They were allowed no roof over their heads except in rainy weather. They wore soft felt hats and cotton nightshirts, sleeping under ordinary bedclothes in beds arranged on the roofs of their houses. Improvement was noted in two weeks. Coughs disappeared, temperatures became normal, respirations were easier and weight increased rapidly. No attention was paid to dampness and drafts, and heavy dews were regarded as inconvenient simply because of the necessity of drying the bedclothes.

Sleeping in a small room with an open window does not appear to be nearly so beneficial to the patient as when the nights are passed on a veranda or in a tent where there is a free circulation of air on all sides. If a patient were fortunate enough to have a large room with a southern exposure and containing one or two open fireplaces, in addition to large windows on three sides, which might be opened at night, he might derive approximately the benefit incident to tent life.

McGraham, of South Carolina, prefers the circular to the army tent, and thinks it better to place it on a platform two feet from the ground, and to do without carpets and draperies. Draperies are not necessary, but rugs add greatly to the comfort and convenience of those in ill health, and their use can be made perfectly safe by exposing them to the sunlight for a few hours daily.

Special Hospitals for Consumptives.

A hundred years ago the city of Naples, Italy, erected a large hospital for consumptives, and required the isolation of all persons suffering from this disease. It is only recently, however, that the authorities of modern cities have become awakened to the importance of this sanitary measure. Recently a number of cities have taken steps for the establishment of hospitals especially for the treatment of cases of consumption by the so-called "open-air method." Excellent results are reported from this method of treatment.

The German government has a large central committee numbering more than thirteen hundred persons, organized for the purpose of erecting hospitals for the treatment of tuberculosis. This committee has under its supervision seventy-four such hospitals, and last year treated over thirty thousand patients, of whom eighty per cent were returned to their homes practically cured after remaining in the hospitals on an average of a little less than three months.

An Extra Good Appetite.

A good appetite is a symptom of good health. An extra good appetite is sometimes a symptom of constitutional disturbance somewhere. A sample letter sent to the "Questions and Answers" column of a prominent health journal was something like this:

"I am troubled with pimples, not to a great extent, but still very annoying. They appear principally on the forehead, but occasionally on other places. I often feel languid, and tire easily, and cannot gain flesh, although I have an extra good appetite. Still I am not sick, and have not been in bed for a day in my life. Age, nineteen years. Will you kindly advise me what you think would remove these pimples?"

There is little doubt but that the "extra good appetite" alluded to affords the key to the situation. The digestive organs have more than they can take care of, and consequently do not properly take care of anything furnished. There will be frequent headaches, skin disorders and alternate constipation and diarrhea with such persons. Pimples are a natural result of such depraved blood conditions.

With many people the habit of hearty eating is continued when the warm spring days come. Food which was appropriate when the thermometer was at zero is continued in the same quality and quantity when the thermometer rises to ninety degrees in the sun, and averages above sixty all day and night. The person who loses his appetite under such a condi-

tion is on safe ground. The person with an extra good appetite will have to exercise self-control or be placed on the retired list to learn wisdom by experience.

Cigarettes.

Tobacco injures men and kills children. The Chicago school board has been having a medical examination of certain pupils before allowing them to take part in certain athletic sports. Boys and girls were subjected to the same examination. Not one girl was found unable to pass, while a large number of the boys, in almost every case smokers, were found to be in a physical condition which made violent exercise of any kind very dangerous. Twenty-one out of a hundred were found unfit, and all but three suffered from some form of heart trouble. Almost without exception the unfit ones were cigarette smokers.

How to Earn Sound Sleep.

All doctors are not so careful of the welfare of their patients as they might be. Here is a story of one who went to the limit. He is the proprietor of a famous health resort not far from ——. When he receives a patient for treatment he says:

"Now, I want it understood that unless you do exactly as I say, there is no use of your staying."

This rule sometimes requires him to be very harsh, but he never hesitates. He acts on the theory that he can better afford to offend a single patient and lose him than to have that patient go back home and tell his friends Dr. So-and-So had done him no good, relates the Washington Star.

Not long ago a well-known clergyman went to this resort for treatment. The doctor looked him over upon his arrival and said:

"While you are here you must take long walks every day."

"But I can't take walks," replied the parson. "I haven't done any walking for years. My heart won't stand it."

They argued the question quite warmly. As the clergyman and doctor were good friends, the latter was more lenient than usual. However, he bided his time. The next afternoon the physician said to the clergyman:

"It's a nice day. I would like you to go horseback riding with me."

Riding they went. When they were about eight miles from the sanitarium the physician said: "Oh, doctor, won't you get me that flower by the roadside? I don't like to leave this horse."

As soon as the clergyman was on the ground the doctor galloped off with both horses, and the clergyman was compelled to walk back to the sanitarium. Upon his arrival he was very angry, and was for packing up and leaving at once. There was no train that night, so he was forced to stay a few hours longer. The next morning he came down radiant and good natured.

"Doctor," said he, "I was pretty sore at you last night, but I forgive everything. I have had the first good sleep I have enjoyed in months. Hereafter I'll obey your order implicitly."

TIMELY VEGETARIAN RECIPES.

Cream of Celery Soup—Ingredients: Celery tops, 1 quart cream or rich milk.

Method—Put tops in saucepan, cover with water, simmer one hour. Drain, return water to pan, add milk and stalks, simmer one-half hour longer, season to taste, remove celery, thicken to consistency of cream. Serve hot.

Chili Sauce—Ingredients: One quart strained tomato, 4 tablespoons minced celery, 3 tablespoons minced onion, sugar.

Method—Put all together in saucepan, let come to boil, set on back of range and simmer two hours. A small piece of lemon peel and a cup of chopped tart apples will greatly improve the flavor. Cook till apples are done, remove lemon peel, cool, serve.

Candied Sweet Potatoes—Boil potatoes till tender, remove jackets, arrange in oiled baking pan, sprinkle with powdered sugar, brown in slow oven.

Sweet Potato Cutlets—Pare potatoes, cover with boiling water, boil twenty minutes, drain off half the water, and cook till soft. They should be almost dry when done. Mash or put through ricer. Form in shape of chops, sprinkle with powdered sugar, and brown in medium oven. Serve with sugar peas.

Porkless Baked Beans—Wash beans, place in heavy pot and boil five minutes. Salt to taste. Bake twenty-four hours in slow oven, keeping barely covered with water. When done, the beans should be of a uniform dark brown. Longer cooking will improve.

Potatoes Lyonnaise—Chop cold boiled or baked potatoes. Season with salt while chopping. Stir in onions and parsley minced. If too stiff, thin with nut cream to consistency desired. Turn into oiled baking pan, smooth, brush with cream, brown. Serve in squares.

Turnips Stewed in Cream—Pare young turnips, cut in dice. Simmer till nearly done. Drain off nearly all the water. Add enough cream to barely cover. Salt to taste. Simmer till tender (don't boil). Thicken slightly. Serve.

WAYS THAT BRING BAD LUCK.

Waste Is Not Generosity, Nor Is Thrift Stinginess.

There is an old superstition that it is bad luck to burn a piece of bread. The origin of this is obvious, says the Saturday Evening Post, though probably few indeed of those who religiously adhere to the superstition have paused to think that it dates from those times when families were part of the regular order of life.

Famine no longer troubles the imagination of men; but the broad truth under the foolish superstition remains. Burning bread isn't any more likely to bring bad luck than wasting it in another way. But wasting anything in any way is extreme provocation to what we call "bad luck." If the grown people who habitually waste do not suffer for it their children surely will—for they will follow the example set them, and rare indeed is it that a family can survive the faults of two successive wasteful generations.

Waste is not generosity; thrift is not stinginess. There are millions of Americans, especially among the poor and the not-too-well-off, who seem to think so. A thorough investigation would place at the head of the list of causes of poverty: "Wastefulness inherited from wasteful parents."

WANTED THE CAT WATCHED.

Solitude Under the Circumstances Not Unreasonable.

The late Father Scully of Cambridge, Mass., told the following story at a temperance lecture in Medford:

There was a man in Cambridge who was a confirmed drunkard, and whose friends had tried hard to reform him. Father Scully met him one day, and thought he would try a new way of reform. He told the man if he did not stop drinking he would turn into a rat. This had a great effect. The unfortunate commenced to brood over it. He started for home, and sat for hours, thinking that he was going to turn into a rat. Finally he called his wife and said: "Mary, if ever you see me turning into a rat, for God's sake keep your eye on the cat."

An Indication.

He's goin' to be a genius, that long-legged boy of ours. He's goin' ahead an' develop some wonderful mental power. We used to be rich an' discouraged by notin' his indolence. But now we know that he moves so slow because of his thoughts' immensity. I've seen him sit at the hours passed by beneath an orchard limb. The same as ol' Isaac Newton did when the apple fell on him. But the thing that proves that he's talented, an' proves it good an' strong, is this one significant circumstance, he's lettin' his hair grow long.

I can't see what his line will be. Perhaps he will stump the state. An' wave his hair as an orator, decidin' a nation's fate. Or maybe he'll turn to music an' soothe us with gentle joy. He could beat the world on a Jew's-harp when he was a little boy. Perhaps he'll be a painter, or a poet whose tuneful mood will wake our souls to appreciate some succulent breakfast food. But whether it's speeches or pictures or the starchy paths of song, we know he has started for something. 'Cause he's lettin' his hair grow long. —Washington Star.

Quaint Horn Dance.

Among the quaint old customs and ceremonies still kept alive in country districts there is only one "horn dance," and that is to be found at Abbots Bromley, in Staffordshire. Every year at the village wake the dance is still carried out. The origin of the horn dance is lost in the mists of history, but it has been traced back as far as the eleventh century. Until the seventeenth century it was practiced at Christmas, on New Year's day and on Twelfth day. In the time of Henry VIII. the dance was performed in front of the church every Sunday, and a collection for the poor taken up from the spectators.

Little Lesson in Living.

We all take life too seriously, of course, but to some it is a mountain of duties that must never be lost sight of. "Some day I am going to remain in bed and rest to my heart's content," said a tired woman one day, as she went over the list of things that she thought must be done. That was five years ago, and recently she was asked if she had found "some day," and she confessed that she had not. She never will, for she will never be able to dig through the mountain she was foolish enough to build up years ago. She has forgotten how to live. That is the trouble with many of us.

The Trials of Being Young.

"Age has its compensations," remarked the woman whose luncheon had disagreed with her, says the Philadelphia Record. "I never feel so thankful to be grown up as when I see a woman grab her offspring amidships and with it stuck through her arm like a sack of meal, proceed to cross the snowy or muddy street. Not content with this, she plumps the child down on the opposite corner with an irritable 'Come on.' And she never so much as looks to see if the poor little thing has survived the squeeze."

Blue Sapphires of Value.

A Moorish itinerant gem dealer of Ceylon recently secured an enormous blue sapphire, which in crude form resembles in size and equals in avoirdupois an ordinary two-pound weight block. The stone is at present in its rough state and is estimated to be worth 3,000 rupees (about \$990); when cut and polished a stone of about 150 carats is expected from it. There have been sapphires of 100 to 120 carats handled by jewelers, the value of which ranges from 4,000 rupees (\$1,320) to 5,000 rupees (\$1,650).



Whittington Whittington.

Whittington had been further led to suppose that Rosina had not only forgotten her early flame, but that she had found eternal solace in the manifold gallantries of Professor Van Tank, whose wife had died young and left to his care their only daughter, the truly beautiful, Annette Van Tank.

Whittington Whittington could not, however, forget his value as a matrimonial catch, and trembled for his fate at the hands of Rosina Crosby. Nothing like it had ever happened before. Rosina took charge; she dined

Your Life Current.

The power that gives you life and motion is the nerve force, or nerve fluid, located in the nerve cells of the brain, and sent out through the nerves to the various organs.

If you are tired, nervous, irritable, cannot sleep; have headache, feel stuffy, dull and melancholy, or have neuralgia, rheumatism, backache, periodical pains, indigestion, dyspepsia, stomach trouble, or the kidneys and liver are inactive, your life-current is weak.

Power-producing fuel is needed; something to increase nerve energy—strengthen the nerves.

Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine is the fuel you need. It feeds the nerves, produces nerve force, and restores vitality.

"When I began taking Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine and Anti-Pain Pills I was confined to my bed. I had severe nervous spells, the result of two years illness with malaria. I gradually grew so weak that I was unable to sit up. The spells would commence with cold chills, and I would become weak and almost helpless. My circulation was poor. I had doctor after doctor, but grew weaker and weaker. The Nervine seemed to strengthen me right away and my circulation was better. I have taken in all seven bottles of the Nervine, and I am entirely well."

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TIME TABLES.

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Taking effect Nov. 28, 1904.

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

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

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

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

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

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

Cars run on Standard time.

On Sundays cars leave terminals one hour later.

SALINE DIVISION.

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

Cars leave Ypsilanti Sundays at 6:45, 8:15, 9:45, 11:45 a.m.; 1:45, 3:45, 5:45, 7:45, 9:45 p.m.

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

MICHIGAN CENTRAL

"The Niagara Falls Route."

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

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

GOING EAST.

No. 8—Detroit Night Express... 5:38 A.M.
No. 26—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. Lm. 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. GLAQUE, 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, 8:06 A.M.
No. 2, 11:35 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. 3 daily except Sunday between Toledo and Owasco.

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

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THURSDAY, APRIL 13, 1905.

The legislature has passed the Ming bill abolishing the trading stamp fake.

Detroit gave a majority for standard time in the election April 3, and the council formally adopted it at its meeting the other night.

Tecumseh News: It seems to be a crime in Detroit to be an honest working man. One man had his jaw broken and another's life was saved by his wife with a revolver from the attacks of a lot of union strikers. The greatest evil that threatens American institutions and honest labor is the labor unions and the way they are managed today.

For making a secret contract with a firm by which he secured a rake-off on a class souvenir a freshman law student at the University of Michigan was expelled for "grafting." Served him right, and it is a great pity something could not be done to the firm that tempted him to do the "grafting," and thus take a step forward in that dishonesty in business which is such a curse these days.

Three million song birds are killed each year for the purpose of adorning women's hats with their plumage. None of them can be used in Missouri as the legislature there has passed a law against the wearing of them or the sale of even feathers from anything but the ostrich, duck, turkey and chicken. That law should become a national instead of a state law. The main portion of the trouble that comes to farmers from insect pests is caused by the scarcity of birds which are the natural enemies of the bugs and other insects.

The Republican machine politicians at Lansing were beaten in the house of legislature yesterday when the Ivory-Double primary bill (the administration measure) was turned down and the Dickinson measure which provides for a direct primary vote on governor and lieutenant-governor was substituted and carried. The Ivory-Double bill did not provide for the direct nomination of the above officers. It had the O. K. mark of the governor's office, the state central committee, and all the "gang." When the vote to substitute the Dickinson bill was taken it stood 53 yeas and 42 nays. It is pleasing to Washtenaw county men to know that both their representatives, Beal and Waters, voted for the Dickinson bill.

Full of Tragic Meaning

are these lines from J. H. Simmons, of Casey, Ia. Think what might have resulted from his terrible cough if he had not taken the medicine about which he writes: "I had a fearful cough that disturbed my night's rest. I tried everything, but nothing would relieve it until I took Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds, which completely cured me." Instantly relieves and permanently cures all throat and lung diseases; prevents grip and pneumonia. At Bank Drug Store; guaranteed, 50c and \$1; trial bottles free.

Modern Woodmen County Convention.
At the county convention of the Modern Woodmen held in Ann Arbor Wednesday of last week and which was attended by delegates from Chelsea, Dexter, Manchester, Ypsilanti, Milan and Saline, T. H. Corbett, of Ann Arbor, Wm. Coates, of Ypsilanti, and D. A. Donaldson, of Manchester, were elected delegates to the state convention to be held at Battle Creek May 3. Routine business was transacted and resolutions adopted. It was decided to hold the next convention, two years hence, in Ann Arbor. The delegates from Chelsea were Rollo Beckwith, Ernest Weber, M. Schwikerath and Harry Keusch.

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BOARD OF CANVASSERS.

Their Official Figures of the Spring Election.

The official report of the board of county canvassers shows that the Republican state ticket had a plurality of over 400 in the county, and that Judge Moore's majority was 685. The following is the vote on justice of the supreme court:

Joseph B. Moore, rep.....4404
Vernon H. Smith, dem.....3719
Walter S. Westerman, pro.....171
John H. Johnston, socialist.....24
Anthony Lowett, socialist-labor.....19

E. D. Kinne, for circuit judge, received 4,555 votes, but there were other favorite sons who received votes as well as him. Noah W. Cheever had 1, Bradley M. Thompson 8, John L. Duffy 1, Frank Joslin 1, Ezra B. Norris 2.

For member of the county board of auditors the following are the official figures:

For two-year term—
George H. Fischer.....4131—124
Jeremiah D. Ryan.....4007

For four-year term—
Frank Stowell.....4110—108
James E. McGregor.....4017
John Farrell.....4089
William Bacon.....4134—95

Chelsea Legion, No. 312, N. P. L.
All members are requested to attend the meeting Tuesday evening, April 18. Installation of officers. Mr. W. A. Vanderhoef will be here to do the work.

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He Appreciated Free Delivery.

A rural carrier in Saginaw county is said to have received the following: "Friend Fred, as you run the free delivery by my house, I would like you to bring me on your next trip a barrel of salt, two sacks of flour, also a ton of coal and three spools of wire, then throw on a set of whiffletrees and an even under the seat. When you come by Marion Walker's get two of his largest chicken coops and bring them along; then I can have my turkeys caught so you can take them to town. I wouldn't detain you but a minute. And I have eight loads of wood to get to town. Had I better get it alongside the road or will you go in to the woods after it? I think this free delivery is a great thing for the rural people."

Auction Sale.

John P. Foster will sell at public auction at his home on South Main street, Chelsea, Saturday, April 15, at 2 p. m., local time, 8 good milk cows, two buggies, two sets of single harness, a steel winch for raising and moving buildings, and other articles. A. W. Dwelle is the auctioneer.

Unadilla.

Grace Hudler, of Roots, is visiting relatives here.

Born, to J. D. Watson and wife, Monday, April 10, a son.

Tom Gibney and sisters are moving to Detroit this week.

Emmett Page was a guest of relatives in Detroit last week.

Bert Hartsuff, wife and family visited his parents here Sunday.

Silas Hemmingway and wife visited at William Pyper's one day last week.

Miss Allie Holmes and children, of West Stockbridge, were the guests of her parents S. G. Palmer and wife last week and Ally visited there Sunday.

Feel tired, no appetite, cannot sleep, eat or work? That's spring tiredness and will disappear at once if you take Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea this month. 35c, tea or tablets, at Bank Drug Store.

Meaning of Japan.

The word Japan comes from the Portuguese pronunciation of the Japanese characters "ni-hon," meaning the land of the rising sun.

Short Name for Village.

There is at least one place in the world the name of which has no vowels in it. That place is the village of Ws, near Paris.

Deluded Viennese.

The treasure hunting craze has invaded Vienna, and thousands of Viennese are now digging all over the place.

Christian Churches in Japan.

There are nearly five hundred Christian churches in Japan and over one thousand missionaries.

Average American Family.

The average family in the United States has four and seven-tenths persons.

Waterloo.

Wedding bells will ring here in the near future.

A band of gypsies stayed in the village several days last week.

The Aid Society met with Mrs. Clarence Rowe yesterday, April 12.

Mrs. Geo. A. Runciman spent a few days last week with relatives in Rives.

Henry Evers and family moved last week to a farm west of Stockbridge.

Ellsworth Perkins and family moved last week to the Sayers farm near Munith.

Will and Lizzie Breitenbach have gone to Elkhart, Ill., to visit their sisters, Marie and Eppie.

Arthur Waltz and Ella Monroe, of this place, spent Sunday with Ernest Rowe and family.

The Waterloo band gave a pie social at Henry Lehman's Tuesday evening which was well attended.

A Young People's Union has been organized by the young people of the the North Waterloo U. B. church.

The U. B. Sunday school will give an Easter entertainment at the church, Sunday evening, April 23.

The Misses Agnes and Maggie Walsh, of Dexter, spent Tuesday and Wednesday at William Cassidy's.

Mrs. Wm. Ellsworth and little daughter, of Jackson, spent a few days last week at John Breitenbach's.

James Bush and family spent last Thursday in Stockbridge with his brother Dave, who is very low with cancer of the stomach.

Sylvan Center.

Geo. Ward, of Chelsea, spent Sunday with his parents here.

Mrs. Edna Fisk is spending this week with Mrs. Geo. Wasser.

David Blaich is taking treatment at the hospital at Ann Arbor.

Burleigh Whitaker, wife and daughter visited at J. Walz's last Sunday.

Chas. Boyd, of St. Johns, spent Sunday with his grandmother Mrs. H. C. Boyd.

Mrs. Wm. Dancer, of Chelsea, spent last week with her sister Mrs. Jacob Dancer.

Mrs. Faber and Miss Lola Hoenberger, of Chelsea, visited Charles West and wife Sunday.

Mrs. Chris Forner, jr., and children, of Lima, visited her parents J. Knoll and wife Sunday.

Southwest Sylvan.

Miss Myrta Weber spent Sunday with relatives near Grass Lake.

Miss Lizzie Heschelwerdt entertained company from Chelsea Sunday.

John Fletcher, of Belleville, spent last week with friends and relatives here.

Mrs. Peter Liebeck entertained company from Bunker Hill last week.

The people in this vicinity are expecting to have their telephones in operation soon.

D. Heim and Elmer Loomis spent Sunday with Michael Icheldinger and family, of Lima.

Marsh Barker and his daughter-in-law and two children, of Chicago, are visiting relatives and friends here.

North Lake.

Miss Mary Deering is working for Mrs. F. A. Glenn.

Union social at the Grange hall tomorrow night (Friday).

Sam Schultz and wife spent Sunday with Mrs. T. W. Allyn.

Miss Amy Whalian is spending a few days with her parents here.

W. E. Collings and wife spent Tuesday and Wednesday with White Oak friends.

Some of the farmers west of the lake were in Unadilla last Friday helping Mr. Laverock repair his mill dam.

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Big line of Silk Redingotes and Coats at \$6.00, \$7.50, \$10.00, \$12.50, \$15.00, \$17.50 and \$25.00.

Special Skirt Sale.

We have just received 50 Women's Skirts from a manufacturer at a bargain. They are worth \$6.00 to \$7.50, we have priced them choice for \$5.00.
These are all in the very latest styles in Plaited or Plaited Flounce effects.
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Special 36-in. Black Taffeta, worth \$1.25 for \$1.00.
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Smoked Herring.....15 cents per lb, 2 for 25 cents
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Of Local Interest.

A week from next Sunday is Easter day.

Miss Katie Wing, of Scio, is visiting D. N. Rogers and wife for a week.

C. C. Helling and wife, of Jackson, spent Sunday with Mrs. Joseph Schatz.

W. E. Tuomey and wife, of Ann Arbor, were guests of C. E. Whitaker and wife Sunday.

Mrs. Kittie Gilbert, wife of Erasmus N. Gilbert, deceased, has been granted a widow's pension.

Mrs. Ida King and daughter, of Grass Lake, spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. W. S. Hamilton.

William Corey, the 11 year old son of Daniel Corey, who has been very ill with apendicitis is much better now.

Tommy McNamara left here Tuesday afternoon with a string of horses bound for Detroit where he will dispose of them.

A. G. Hindelang sold his fine driving horse to Mr. Vanderlip, of Ann Arbor, Monday, receiving a good round price for it.

The life, casualty, assessment and fraternal insurance companies doing business in Michigan collected nearly \$10,000,000 from their policy holders in 1904.

C. E. Whitaker has sold three of his thoroughbred Black Top rams to Dr. J. B. Bradley, state auditor general, for his large stock farm just out of Eaton Rapids.

A gaily decorated electric car filled with employees of the Detroit, Toledo & South Shore electric line, passed through Chelsea Tuesday morning en route to Jackson.

Marshal Brooks proposes to rigidly enforce the ordinance against riding bicycles on the sidewalk. If he does he will have the sincere thanks of a great many people.

Next Sunday being Palm Sunday the blessing and distribution of the palms will take place at the Church of Our Lady of the Sacred Heart before the high mass at 10:30 a. m.

Rev. W. R. Northrop, a well known resident of Chelsea for many years, died at the Sanitarium in St. Louis, Mo., Wednesday, April 5. The remains were interred in Ft. Wayne, Ind.

John Bruestle and family have moved to Chelsea from Sharon and are living in the Klump house on South Main street. Mr. Bruestle will work for W. P. Schenk on his onion farm.

Miss Katherine Gorman's many friends and customers will hear with regret that she is no longer in the employ of W. P. Schenk & Co. Her home on West Summit street is offered for sale.

The Michigan Central will soon receive 50 new freight cars a day until a grand total of 1,500 new cars have been delivered. The company will also add 10 new locomotives to its equipment.

Farmers are getting busy these fine days. Many have been plowing and getting in their oats. In the village some have got their early garden stuff such as lettuce, radishes and onions planted.

The Ming anti-cigarette bill bids fair to become a law. It completely annihilates the manufacture and general business in coffin nails in Michigan. Even giving them away is made a misdemeanor.

Governor Warner has issued a formal statement in favor of the bill that places private banks under state supervision. The governor says that the 300 private banks in the rural districts of the state are doing good work, but that their depositors should be given the same security as those of other banks.

The Bay City Tribune recently had a write-up of all the physicians in that city in its Sunday issue. Among those who came in for a kindly mention was Dr. Mary A. W. Williams, sister of Chas. E. Whitaker, of this place. Dr. Williams is a native of Lima township, and graduated from the medical department of the U. of M. in 1891, after having been 19 years married to Dr. Walter W. Williams. Mrs. Williams' specialty is diseases of women and children and in their treatment she has had great success.

Theodore Stanger, of Ann Arbor, was in Chelsea on business Monday.

R. D. Walker was in Scio Sunday afternoon calling on G. A. Peters and family.

Born, Tuesday, April 11, to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sager, of Sylvan, a daughter.

B. B. Turnbull was in Lansing and Howell several days this week on business.

Mesdames A. McColgan and T. W. Mingay spent Tuesday afternoon in Ann Arbor.

Michael J. Howe has sold his house on South Main street to Elmer Weinburg.

Read the Herald want ads; you may find something among them that will be of interest to you.

The state fair will be held in Detroit Sept. 11-15 inclusive and the new grounds are being put into shape for the event.

The Misses Zita and Ruth Foster, of Grass Lake, visited their grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Frank Staffan Saturday and Sunday.

John Schieferstein has purchased two of C. Klein's lots on South Main street and expects to build a house on them in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Watson, of Unadilla, are rejoicing over the advent into their family circle of a son and heir, who was born Monday, April 10.

The attendance of students at the U. of M. for 1904-5, according to the statistics of Prof. Strauss, compiler of the U. of M. catalogue, is 4,136, a gain of 179 over last year.

Schuyler P. Foster, the new township clerk, has his office in room 3 Kempf Bank building, upstairs. Anyone having business with him can find him there or have it attended to at all times.

The removal of the ruins of the Ann Arbor high school was completed April 5, two weeks ahead of the time called for by the contract. John Wisner, the contractor for the job, is a hustler at anything he undertakes in the moving line.

Mrs. Fred M. Freeman, of Manchester, died Thursday, April 6, of spinal meningitis, after a brief illness. The funeral services held Monday were attended by L. T. Freeman and wife and Chauncey Freeman, of this place. Mr. Freeman has many friends in Chelsea who will sincerely sympathize with him in his loss.

The Eastern Star ladies of Dexter have joined hands most heartily with the Masonic lodge in the proposition to build a new temple. They have appointed general executive, finance and soliciting, entertainment and invitation committees to co-operate with the Masons in holding a bazaar some time in June. These committees are composed entirely of ladies and you can bet your last dollar they will do their full share of the work.

The official crop report dated April 1 shows that wheat came through the winter in excellent condition, with little or no damage from thawing and freezing. Rye also promises well and the condition of the meadows is good. The reports on fruit is also good, although it is too early to tell what the outcome may be. The buds became so well developed in March that it is thought they will withstand any frost that may come. If the weather continues favorable there will be a large crop of all kinds of fruit.

Grass Lake News: A teacher in the Chelsea high school while talking to her little pupils one day about prayer, asked them how many of them were in the habit of praying, and many of them said that they prayed upon retiring, using the familiar verse, "Now I lay me down to sleep, etc." Then the teacher asked how many prayed in the morning, and one little fellow said his papa did, and when she asked him what his papa said, he quickly replied, "O Lord, I wish I didn't have to get up and go to work today." Fact.

New Cure for Cancer.

All surface cancers are now known to be curable, by Bucklen's Arnica Salve. Jas. Walters, of Duffield, Va., writes: "I had a cancer on my lip for years that seemed incurable, until Bucklen's Arnica Salve healed it, and it is now perfectly well." Guaranteed cure for cuts and burns. 25c at Bank Drug Store.

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Mistress Rosemary Allyn

By MILLICENT E. MANN

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CHAPTER XIX—Continued.

"I do not know," she said, and shook her head. "I am sorry if Martin annoys you, sir; he is restless today—I cannot quiet him," she added. "Poor devil!" I ejaculated, as holding my head tightly between my hands I was able to follow what he was reciting.

"Oh, God! Oh, God!"—How weary, stale and unprofitable—"Get thee to a nunnery"—"Alas, poor Yorick"—"He poisons him in the garden." "Poor devil!" I repeated; "a mad Hamlet truly."

Turning to Alice I said courteously: "I see in some way unaccountable to me I have intruded upon your hospitality—I am waiting to know why?"

"I will tell you if you promise to talk no more, only listen," she added. I assured her of my willingness to listen, and she began:

"It is now going on the fifth day since Martin and I found you all unconscious—dead, I thought—but I will begin at the beginning. You see, Martin and I were coming into London—I know, sir, it is risky—but I did so long to see the town before I left it never to return, for you must know we are on our way to Bristol to sail for America. I thought I could easily stay hidden here for a few days."

"You mean to say that you will burden yourself with a deaf person in a new land?" I found myself asking.

"What else can I do, sir?" she queried; "I could not leave him here alone—he has no one else in the world save me—it would be cruel to leave him alone."

"Nothing else," I replied, not willing to spoil her fine charity.

"We had not come into London yet, when a fog closed in upon us—such a fog as London had not seen in many a day," she said. "We were

had been struck upon the head and rendered unconscious. Before the miscreants had attempted the dastardly deed, however, they had made sure of the identity of their victim, for I remembered a light being swung before my face, and an unknown voice crying, "It is he." Who had struck the blow? What was the object? I had been searched—I saw from the wall where my clothes hung some of the pockets still lay turned out. For what? Not money, Alice was positive, for there was plenty in the pockets which had been left in their original position. For the paper given me by my father? I had told no one but the King of that. I bade Alice bring me my coat when I recollected that I had given the locket with the note still intact within it to Rosemary. For the other paper, perhaps? Well, I chuckled with satisfaction, if it was a paper they were after, they got not what they wished.

"I thank you, Alice," I said; "but for you and Martin I might be by now food for the worms. Again I thank you, for I honestly believe that I owe my life to you."

"Oh, sir," she cried, tears starting to her eyes—they seemed ever ready to flow upon the instant—"I am not worthy to take it. Did I not steal from you—and you so good to poor Martin and me?"

"That is past and done, my girl," I said. "And as it happened you did no harm," I grasped her hand. "From now on I am your friend," I added.

While speaking, for Alice, seeing that it made me more excited not to talk, had let me have my way, we had paid slight heed to Martin, who still spouted Shakespeare, now Hamlet, now another.

Suddenly he came toward us; he strode with the stage glide of the villain. As he neared us he pointed to

"Perhaps," he acknowledged; "but I kept my hat slouched over my face, and I put me on a wig, and long coat; you see it alters me somewhat?"

I smiled—a babe could have seen through the trick. But no doubt my enemy, he who had been instrumental in my hurt, thinking me dead, did not care to molest him.

"At last, desperate, I asked the services of both Lady Felton and Mistress Gwyn—they could ferret out and pitted the hen against it. 'And I was about at my end, when—it is hardly an hour ago—I received a whispered word, 'Back alley, foot of Chune Street.' Although I was after her like a flash—it was a woman—she escaped me; hid herself among the wings or stage gim-cracks, where I came near to being lost. As soon as I found my way out I lost no time in coming here."

"It must have been Mag," Alice put in.

"Who is Mag?" questioned Gil.

"The woman who rents these rooms and lets us stay here with her," she replied rather tartly.

"That settles it," said he. "Did I not say that all the mischief was concocted by the petticoat army?"

"You did indeed," I could not help smiling at his manner. "But they also perform good services, witness what Alice did—and would you have been any the wiser as to my whereabouts if Mag had not informed you?"

"What did Alice do?" he quickly asked.

"She dragged me here from where she found me on Bow Street, and has since cared for me," I said. "If it had not been for her, instead of finding a quick man, you would have found a corpse, if anyone at all."

"Em!" he muttered. "I care not—they serve best where best paid. I must get you hence—I will send for Torrance and a stretcher. Who knows but it may be a trap?"

"Beast!" ejaculated Alice. "Know, sir, that Mag would do no one a mean trick," she added to me.

I reassured her with a smile.

The madman, Martin, whom she had taken care of as a mother her sick child, came out of his corner at her raised voice, and laid his hand timidly on her arm.

"Pretty Alice Lyndon—pretty Alice Lyndon," he murmured, "I know where violets grow the color of your eyes—roses, too, and fennel, and here's rue for you. Why do you cry? I will get you some." And he started for the door.

"No, no," she said, "Alice is not crying—you must stay with Alice." The madman hesitated and looked longingly at the door.

"Alice will cry, indeed, if you leave her," she said. Thereat he came back, and went into his corner, from whence the crooning began again.

Gil watched the couple with shamed eyes, but he was not satisfied and muttered:

"I think it best to go and call Torrance. I kept Pat and him with me, sir, for they could go into places that I dared not venture for fear of recognition. I will be back with a stretcher in a wink."

He would have gone, but I called him back.

"It is early yet, Gil, be in no haste," I entreated.

"My lord, I have much to tell you," he pleaded.

"Tell it here and now," I commanded.

He gave a sigh of resignation.

"Do you know where the locket is that you wore pinned upon your coat the night you left me?" he queried.

"Yes," I replied. Had I not given it myself to Rosemary?

"Where is it?" he demanded.

"It appears to me, Gil, that you are busy yourself about something which does not concern you. My God!" I started up only to fall back again. "How many days have I lain here?"

"Five days, sir," replied Alice and Gil in the same breath.

(To be continued.)

WEAR GEMS OF PHAROHS.

London Society Women Proud of Jewels From the Pyramids.

Happy the woman of to-day, who owns some gem worn by a princess of Egypt when the world was younger; joyous is she who adorns herself with any ornament taken from a mummy, for such jewels bring the best luck, women firmly believe at the moment, and they all yearn to wear them.

Mrs. Clarence Mackay of New York possesses a weird carnelian necklace that decked a daughter of the Pharaohs and Mrs. St. John Broderick rejoices over some quaint, priceless jewels that shone by the Nile. Many fashionables are wearing a little pendant or charm made of New Zealand jade, the Pounamu stone, which always bestows good fortune.

Sarah Bernhardt's favorite mascot is a necklace of gold nuggets which the admiring miners of California presented to her. An English actress, Miss Irene Van Brugh, pins her faith to a girde of splendid turquoises.

In Lent.

Henry M. Flagler, at a dinner party at Palm Beach, said, apropos of Lent: "A clergyman told me one day in Lent how the Sunday before, he had preached from the text, 'All flesh is grass.'"

"The next day he met a parishioner of his, a lowly laboring man to whom fasting was anything but congenial. This man said to the clergyman with a smile:

"I much enjoyed, sir, yesterday, yer sermon about all flesh bein' grass, and I wish to know whether, in this Lenten season, I couldn't be after havin' a small piece of pork by way of a salad?"



The Hen and the Mortgage.

I want to tell the Farmers' Review how we have been getting along with our mortgage. In a word we have pitted the hen against it. The mortgage used to be a great burden on our minds. Father and mother used to lie awake nights thinking about it and wishing it could be paid off, as we were always getting behind with the interest. One day my older brother was in town and the banker that holds the mortgage said: "Why don't you set the hens to paying the interest and make them do it? Then you wouldn't have to worry about the mortgage. I don't want my money. I only want the interest on it, and to know that my investment is secure. Put the hens to work."

My brother came home and told the rest of us about it, and we determined that the hens would have to pay the interest, which was \$120 per year, 6 per cent on \$2,000. Then we went to studying the matter of productive hens and found that we didn't know what our hens were doing or how little they were doing. We determined that we would keep not less than 200 Leghorn hens and we bought an incubator to help us get the 200.

I took us about a year to get rid of the old mongrel flock and get 200 Leghorns. That was about five years ago. Since that time we have not felt the weight of the mortgage. The 200 Brown Leghorns turn out enough eggs every year to pay the interest and they yield a good deal of revenue besides. The male birds are shipped as broilers to New York when a few weeks old. It may seem strange to some that we should use the Brown Leghorns for broilers, but the market there seems to think a good deal of that kind of a broiler.

The feed for these hens does not cost a great deal. First and last the farm produces a great deal of the food that would go to waste without the Leghorns, especially at threshing time. The amount of green grass consumed by them is a big factor in their support. We have also found that 200 hens are not many hens. As we see them walking about the farm we are almost sure sometimes that half of them have died or been stolen, but when we come to count them all are found to be there.

I feel quite sure that on most of our farms the flock of hens is too small by half.—Phoebe Caldwell, Butler Co., O., in Farmers' Review.

Adjustable Poultry Houses.

Adjustable poultry houses are coming into vogue in many places, but it will be a long time before many of them are found on our farms. Such a house is a very good thing to have in a village where the resident is a tenant and does not wish to build something that will belong to the owner of the place. The same is true of the renter on the farm. In some of our states there is a law that every building erected that is in permanent contact with the soil belongs to the owner of the soil even though it may have been constructed by the tenant. But a house such as we have indicated is not in contact with the soil in the sense in which an ordinary building is in contact with it, where a cellar is dug or where posts are set into the earth. The poultry house that can be taken down and moved about is, therefore, an advantage to the tenant farmer.

A Venerable Goose.

A Kansas man sends the following interesting goose story to the Kansas Farmer: "I have a goose that was hatched out in April, 1852. Eggs were placed under a hen and three goslings hatched. When grown they proved to be two geese and a gander. Treated as pets by the old lady who had them in charge, they were always very tame, and she was never quite ready to part with them, so they were permitted to live on until their age unfitted them for market. And besides, as the years went by, we began to venerate them, and the younger members of the family politely doffed their hats when in their presence. Thirteen years ago the gander died, and five years later one of the geese. The survivor is yet hale and hearty, eyesight as good as ever, and in every way appears just as nimble and sprightly as her younger associates."

No Over-Supply of Eggs.

The supplying of eggs is an industry that we may be assured will never grow less than it is at the present time. Farmers and professional men have been increasing their flocks and fowls and yet the price of eggs has been going up from year to year. The cold storage houses used to carry some stock till late winter, but it is reported now that they are sold out every winter before the season is half gone. Let us push the production of eggs.

Records of Egg Production.

Records of egg production are generally incomplete. We have not yet got down to the point of keeping a strict account with each hen of a large flock. On the farm this is more so than anywhere else. The farm work always interferes with any such pastime even if the farmer has a liking for it. But it is a mistake for our poultry raisers to be entirely ignorant of the individual capacities of the fowls that constitute their flocks.

HAD OVERLOOKED A FORTUNE.

Gold Close at Hand Not Suspected by Treasure Seekers.

The man with whom the writer bunked—a sober, industrious young fellow—engaged in working a lease with several partners. They sank a shaft 150 feet in depth and "drifted" from the bottom in their search for gold, until not a penny was left in their treasury.

They had discovered absolutely nothing. The lease was abandoned and all were obliged to go to work for wages. Day after day they had flung their coats across a monster dorsal fin of dark, volcanic rock, outjutting from the hill near by, and given it never a thought.

The ledge of rock was fabulously rich. The leasers who followed them went at the ledge of hopeless looking porphyry on top of the ground and found it fairly shot full of gold. They channeled it out, as men might channel for a ditch, and removed over fifty sacks of ore worth \$400 a sack.—Harper's Magazine.

Why the "State of Maine."

A really curious question has been raised by the Boston Herald. Why, it asks, does a Maine man always speak of his part of the country as "the State of Maine," instead of calling it simply "Maine," as a New Yorker would say "New York," or a Nebraskan "Nebraska"? As an adequate answer to the inquiry it says: "Maine was not one of the original states, but up to 1820 was a part of Massachusetts. It was then known as the district of Maine. In 1820 Maine achieved her independence and became a separate state of the Union. In their consequent elation the people of the new state began to speak of the state of Maine, as distinguished from the old district of Maine, and the expression passed into current speech."

Bee Farming in Australia.

Bee farming has become a popular and profitable occupation in many parts of the Australian continent. The first "hive" bees were brought to Australia in 1822. At the present time there are over 250,000 hives in Australia, and the production of honey varies from 10,000,000 to 15,000,000 pounds annually.

THOUGHT SHE WOULD DIE.

Mrs. S. W. Marine of Colorado Springs Began to Fear the Worst—Doan's Kidney Pills Saved Her.

Mrs. Sarah Marine, of 428 St. Urahn street, Colorado Springs, Colo., President of the Glen Eyrie Club, writes:

"I suffered for three years with severe backache. The doctors told me my kidneys were affected and prescribed medicine for me, but I found that it was only a waste of time and money to take them, and began to fear that I would never get well. A friend advised me to try Doan's Kidney Pills. Within a week after I began using them I was so much better that I decided to keep up the treatment, and when I had used a little over two boxes I was entirely well. I have now enjoyed the best of health for more than four months, and words can but poorly express my gratitude."

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The opinion a man has of himself isn't always of value to the rest of the world.

Catholics to Play Ball Sunday.

New York dispatch: The Catholic churches of Brooklyn are to have a Sunday Baseball league. Ten clubs have joined and each of the Catholic pastors is seeking to have his church represented.

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"Did you have a physician?"

"Yes, I took medicine from a dozen different doctors, but without getting any benefit whatever."

"How did you get on the track of cure?"

"A book about Dr. Williams' Pink Pills was thrown in our doorway one day. My husband picked it up and read it through carefully. He was so impressed by the statements of those who had been cured by that remedy that he immediately bought three boxes of the pills and insisted on my taking them."

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WHO OWNS THE RAILROADS?

H. T. Newcomb of the District of Columbia Bar, has compiled statistics showing that 5,174,718 depositors in savings banks of six eastern states are directly interested in the joint ownership of \$442,354,086 of steam railroad securities, that insurance companies doing business in Massachusetts hold \$845,889,038 of steam railroad stocks and bonds and 74 educational institutions depend on \$47,468,327 invested in similar securities for a portion of their income. Other fiduciary institutions own enough railroad securities to bring such holding up to more than a billion and a half dollars, about one-sixth of the entire capital invested in railroad property. These investments represent the savings of the masses, there being twenty million holders of life insurance policies in the country, as many more of fire insurance policies, and an even greater number of depositors in banking and trust institutions, where investments are largely in railroad securities.

SHAKESPEARE UP TO DATE.

"Twelfth Night" Shipwreck Changed Into a Railway Wreck.

The people of India are inveterate theater-goers—that is, in the large towns, where they have theaters—and devoted to Shakespeare, whose plays they pad and adapt to suit popular taste, precisely as a Broadway manager would make over a Sanscrit play if he were going to produce it here.

Viola and Sebastian are introduced, not by means of a shipwreck, as per Shakespeare, but through the medium of a railroad smashup. The great central Bombay station is first shown, the trains made up with first, second, intermediate and third-class carriages. Viola and Sebastian are seen to hurry down the platform carrying their dress suit cases and to settle themselves in one of the second-class cars. A later scene shows their train crossing a lofty railroad bridge. The bridge breaks in two, letting them down into the ravine below, and from the wreck the two are saved by different wrecking parties, who carry them in opposite directions unknown to each other.

Thus is Shakespeare brought up to date in India.—New York Tribune.

In the Spring.

Lowndes, Mo., April 10th.—Mrs. H. C. Harty of this place, says:—

"For years I was in very bad health. Every spring I would get so low that I was unable to do my own work. I seemed to be worse in the spring than any other time of the year. I was very weak and miserable and had much pain in my back and head. I saw Dodd's Kidney Pills advertised last spring and began treatment of them and they have certainly done me more good than anything I have ever used."

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Washing Blankets.

Have ready three tubs of moderately warm water; for the first water make a strong suds by using plenty of Ivory Soap. In this put a pair of blankets and stir with the clothes stick until clean; then rinse through the other two waters, putting a little soap in each. Wring by hand and stretch carefully on the line. ELEANOR R. PARKER.

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PUSH, DON'T KNOCK.

Upon the door I saw a sign; I cried, "A motto! And it's mine!" A wiser thing I never saw— No Median or Persian law— Should be more rigidly enforced: Than this, from verbiage divorced; Its logic's firm as any rock— "Push—don't knock."

But what a guide for life was that— Strong, philosophical and pat; How safe a chart for you and me While cruising o'er life's restless sea; Push, always push, with goal in view; Don't knock—avoid the hammer crew; This rule will save you many a shock: "Push—don't knock."

When on that door I see the sign, I say, "Great motto, you are mine!" No stronger sermon ever fell From human lips; no sage could tell The heedful youth more nearly how To point always his vessel's prow; There are no wiser words in stock: "Push—don't knock."

—Baltimore American.

When Wits Won

A True Story of the Great Western Blizzard

The little clock on the mantel had chimed the hour of four, when Beth Day became suddenly aware of a strange, distant roar, which grew momentarily louder. She passed into the kitchen and opened the outer door. All day the skies had been threatening, with sullen, gray-colored clouds banked in the west, in an angry, somber-looking mass. The wind had risen—it was rising more and more; it moaned around the corners of the house, blending with that distant muffled roar, the source of which Beth could not understand.

As she stood in the kitchen doorway, braving the keen air, her brother Jack came flying up the south drive. His head was bent, his warm cap powdered thick with snow flakes. As he reached the door he drew one arm around his sister's waist, pulled her into the kitchen, and slammed the door, setting his back against it. At that very moment the force of the storm broke upon them. The house shook in the blast; the air was dense with whirling snow. Through the windows the terrified eyes of the children saw nothing except one swirling blur of white. The door was wrenched back by the terrific wind; all Jack's young strength could hardly close it again and turn the key in the shaking lock and slip the bolt.

"A close shave, Beth," he said, his voice a trifle unsteady. "I ran every step of the way from school—a good half mile—and just made it. Where would I have been if the storm had struck five minutes sooner? Look, Beth, look! There is nothing—nothing but drifting snow in all the world outside. Everything is swallowed up. Not even the well-curb is to be seen."

Beth wrung her hands in sudden, acute distress.

"Uncle Will went to town to pay off the mortgage," she said wildly. "He rode Black Joe. He has been gone two hours. Oh, Jack, what if he started home again in the teeth of the storm? That lonely stretch of road across the prairie! He will be lost!" Tears of affliction stopped further speech. Jack's bright young face clouded with anxiety. He was only 14, but he felt all a man's responsibility resting on his slight shoulders as he peered forth into the storm.

"Did he have to go?"

"Oh, yes! It was the last day of grace, and the money for the corn was paid into the bank yesterday afternoon. The farm is safe now, safe for you and me, if anything happens to him, Uncle Will said as he rode away."

Tears stood in her eyes and her voice choked with sobs. She was only sixteen. For the last year she and her orphan brother had learned to love their big, bluff, bachelor Uncle Will who had offered them a home on his Nebraska farm. Beth was the housekeeper and her uncle's confidant in business matters.

"Oh, what is to be done, Jack?" she cried again. "How can Uncle Will—how could anybody—reach us in this storm? He will lose his bearings completely. He might wander round and round within a few feet of the door and never find it," sobbed the girl.

"A horse surely ought to find his way home," said Jack, anxiously, as he again took his station at the south window of the kitchen. "Black Joe is old, but he is smart. If Uncle Will gives him his own way he ought to find the stable. Beth, is there a rope about the house—a long one? I might try to get as far as the stable and see if they are there, and throw down some feed for the stock. The poor cattle will never get home. They will suffer tonight, I'm afraid."

"There is the clothesline," said his sister. "But I fear it's too short. We can try it after supper. You must have some hot coffee if you are going out into the storm. I am afraid you cannot stand on your feet against this wind."

But when the supper had been eaten they got the clothesline and lengthened it with stout strips of denim from some old overalls. Jack tied one end around his waist, and taking a lighted lantern, went bravely forth into the storm.

The great barn and the stock sheds stood south of the house, nearly a quarter of a mile. Jack had to fight the wind all the way. He groped his way along the side of the fence, and then by means of a line of small cedars, until he reached the gate of the corral. Not an inch of the way was visible, for it had grown rapidly dark, and the snow was falling so thick and

fast that the air was like one moving, muffled, terrible snow bank. He stumbled into huge drifts, fell and rose, only to fall again and yet again, while the wind stung his face, nipped his ears, and seemed to fill his eyes, even beneath the protecting lids which he kept closed. Blindly the slight, boyish figure fought its way through the fearful storm.

It seemed to Beth that she waited hours, kneeling on the floor close to the kitchen door, the end of the rope in her hand. Again and again she opened the door, only to be met by the wild storm of wind and snow. When Jack finally staggered against the door, having made the return trip with much greater facility, by fastening his end of the rope to the gate of the corral, the relief was so great that the overwrought nerves of the girl gave way, and she fainted. A dash of cold water brought her to.

Jack had reached the barn in safety, but found no trace of Black Joe and his rider. But he had a plan which he eagerly proceeded to unfold.

"There's a small straw stack at the east end of the corral," he said. "It has a rack built around it to keep the stock from scattering it, you remember, and the rack is of green willow saplings nailed firm. If you can help me make line enough to reach that stack—I shall have to grope and grovel like a mole to do it—I will try to set it afire. If Uncle Will and Joe are anywhere close they will see it and make for it."

"But the storm—the snow!" objected Beth, aghast at the daring project. "You could not light it, brother; it would not burn if you did. It must be one mass of snow by this time."

"It can be done," insisted her brother, stoutly. "Anyway, it's worth trying, and it's the only hope. See, Beth, I will take this little covered tin pail, half fill it with ashes, and then put in some live coals from the stove. I will take a bottle of coal oil in my pocket. We must hurry! No time to lose."

This time two stout sheets were torn up for a line, which Jack coiled around his waist. He tied the end of his first cable to a post by the door and taking the bucket of coals plunged forth once more.

Another slow half hour went by. Beth watched the south kitchen window for the first gleam of Jack's beacon fire. Despair clutched at her heart as the moments crept along. Had she lost brother as well as uncle? Half frantic with suspense, her wild eyes stared hopelessly forth at the white blur of the storm. At length her patience was rewarded. A slow glow grew in the southeast, deepened, mounted and fought with the spirit of the storm. Plainly visible from the window, a mass of dull red through the sifting snow, it held its own against the warring elements. And, shortly afterward, the kitchen door was thrown wide once more and two snow covered figures instead of one tumbled within. Uncle Will had got safe home at last!

His story was that he had left town just before the storm broke and had traversed perhaps half the distance when he lost his bearings. For nearly three hours he and his horse had wandered about in a circle, how wide he could not tell. Half frozen with cold and all but exhausted with the buffeting of wind and snow, he had, as a forlorn hope, given his horse free rein. Suddenly a dull light appeared, scarce a rod distant. He turned toward it, fearing the house might be on fire, and discovered his nephew and the burning stack.

"I had a time getting that stack to burn," said the boy. "It was a mass of snow, of course, just like a huge drift. I managed to scrape some off the side opposite the wind and burrowed a hole in the straw. I did it by feeling, for I couldn't see a wink. The lantern was no good. Then I uncorked the oil, poured it into the hole, and dropped the fire in on it. It blazed in my face before I could dodge, but I was snow clad and it didn't hurt. In a moment the whole thing was on fire and the wind was scattering it so I was afraid the barn would go, but I guess there was too much snow for that. I'd have felt foolish if the barn had burned," said Jack.

"Oh, barns!" cried Beth, scornfully. "Who cares for barns! I'd burn a dozen barns for lanterns to guide Uncle Will home." She had helped him off with his overcoat and opened the oven door of the kitchen stove for him to warm his half frozen feet. Uncle Will laughed.

"Well, chicken, I suppose you think we could build another, now that the mortgage is paid off. But I'm glad we don't have to, for the father of a promising family of youngsters has a lot of expenses."

"The cows were in the stock pen, Beth, bellowing with cold and fright. I got them all into the barn and threw down some feed. They'll be all right if this storm holds for two days."

It was a happy family that sat down to Beth's hot, savory supper a half hour later. To be safe and warm and together again served to show them how precious they were to one another.—Elsie Robertson in Little Chronicle.

When Bossy Comes Marching Home.

One summer day little John and Mary were having a ride in the country and enjoying the freshness as only city children can. Finally they met a large drove of cattle which were vigorously switching their tails against the flies. Instantly little John, used to parades, exclaimed:

"Wave, Mary! Wave! They're waving to us!"—Little Chronicle.

His Failure. He tried to kiss her on the cheek. But missed it, so they say. The reason? If you want to know, Her lips got in the way.

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A JACKSON MAN

Had Asthma But a Jackson Physician Cured Him Permanently in Four Weeks.

READ HIS TWO STATEMENTS.

R. F. DeNo. 7.

Jackson, Mich., Oct. 8, 1904.

I feel it my duty to others suffering with asthma to state that I commenced treating with Dr. Wilkinson for my asthma last July and I was relieved at once, and in 4 weeks I was entirely free of the disease, and have been ever since. It is certainly gratifying to get cured of this distressing malady, and I thoroughly believe that Dr. Wilkinson, 25 Dwight Bldg., Jackson, Mich., can cure any and every case of asthma if they will obey his instructions, which is not difficult to do.

E. W. BROMLEY.

A Later Statement.

March 27, 1905.

It gives me much pleasure to say at this time that I have not been bothered with asthma at all since I wrote the above, and furthermore I have not taken any asthma medicine whatever since December 1, 1904. Dr. Wilkinson has certainly been successful in handling my case.

E. W. BROMLEY.

ROLL OF HONOR.

Scholarship and Attendance of the Chelsea Public Schools.

The following is the superintendent's monthly report of the Chelsea public schools for the month ending March 24, 1905:

Total number enrolled.	0
Total number enrolled by transfer.	0
Total number enrolled by re-entry.	26
Total number left, all causes.	26
Total number belonging at date.	400
Percentage of attendance.	96.6
No. of non-resident pupils.	33
No. pupils neither absent nor tardy.	235

F. E. Wilcox, Supt.

The following pupils were neither absent nor tardy during the month:

HIGH SCHOOL.	
Mildred Atkinson	Wm. McLaren
Paul Bacon	Edna Miller
Ruth Bartz	K. Riemschneider
Minnie Barge	Velma Richards
Ruth Bacon	Clarence Schauble
John Burkhardt	Albert Stetebach
Mildred Daniels	Hazel Speer
Mabel Dady	Harry Taylor
Leone Gieske	Bertha Turner
J. Heischwerdt	Kent Walworth
F. Heischwerdt	Theodore Weber
Edna Jones	Clarence Weiss
Austin Keenan	Mary Weber
George Keenan	Bertha Wilson
Linda Kalmbach	Helen Will on
Maud Kalmbach	

EDITH E. SHAW, Teacher.

NINTH GRADE.	
Carrie Brunner	Elizabeth Kus-rrer
Ethel Burkhardt	Percy McDaid
Mabel Canfield	Ethel Moran
Marguerite Eder	Edna Rafferty
Leola Forner	Carlton Runciman
Nina Greening	Elma Schenk
Nina Hunter	Lynn Stedman
Julia Kalmbach	Myrtle Wolf

VINORA BEAL, Teacher.

EIGHTH GRADE.	
Bessie Allen	Elsa Maroney
Emma Beeler	Hiram Pierce
Gabriel Gorman	Algermon Palmer
Russell Galtman	Don Roedel
Roy Ives	Adeline Spingale
Max Kelly	Bessie Swartmont
Catherine K. el d	Lucy Sawyer
Celia Mullen	

KITTY PICKETT, Teacher.

SEVENTH GRADE.	
Ralph Gieske	Cora Feldkamp
Elbridge Gordon	Mary Nordman
Wm. Hafner	Ruth Rafferty
Ernest Kuhl	Lena Schwickersath
Paul Martin	V. Schwickersath
Sidney Schenk	May Stiegmaier
Leon Shaver	Gertrude Storms
Cleop Wolff	Phoebe Turnbull
Irene Wolff	Julia Wagner
Dorothy Bacon	Inez Ward
Marguerite Eppler	Nina Belle Wurster

LOU L. WILSON, Teacher.

SIXTH GRADE.	
Edward Easterle	Nada Hoffman
Norbert Foster	Lydia Hauser
Earl Gilbert	Mary Kolb
Lloyd Hoffman	Iva Lehman
John Hummel	E. Riemschneider
H. Riemschneider	Florence Ross
Roy Schieferstein	Hazel Trouten
Penny Emmett	Freda Wagner
Grace Fletcher	Edna Wackenhut
Aznes Gorman	

ANNA KANE, Teacher.

FIFTH GRADE.	
Arthur Avery	Cecilia Kolb
Howard Beckwith	Willie Kolb
Edith B. eler	Richard Kanowski
Russell Emmett	Paul Kuhl
Gladys Fouts	Blanche Miller
Edith Grant	Luella Schusterstein
Olga Hoffman	Esther Schenk
Mabel Hummel	Jennie Walker
Jennie Jones	

ELIZABETH DEPEW, Teacher.

FOURTH GRADE.	
Gertrude Eisenman	Edna Maroney
Iola Faber	Leo McKune
Neta Fuller	Amanda Paul
Blanche Poor	Edward Norman
Verne Poor	W. Riemschneider
Dorothy Glazier	Mary Shaver
Walter Hummel	Lalae Shaver
Herman Jensen	Margaret Vogel
Elsine Jackson	Llewellyn Winans
Henry Kanowski	Theo. Wedemeyer
George Kaercher	Ernest Wagner
Leta Lehman	Leo Weick
Ira Lintner	

MARY A. VAN TYNE, Teacher.

THIRD GRADE.	
Donald Bacon	Oliver Kaercher
Gladys Beckwith	Roland Kalmbach
Coral Combs	Karl Kautschner
Leah Depew	Louise Kuhl
Edith Eder	Paul Maier
Darwin Egloff	Gladys Schenk
Hollis Freeman	Rollo Schmittman
Edna Freymuth	Earle Schumacher
Harry Givogue	M. Schwickersath
Joy Harrison	George Wackenhut
Florence Jones	Frieda Wedemeyer

MRS. FLORENCE HOWLETT, Teacher.

SECOND GRADE.	
Evert Benton	Willis VanRiper
George Corey	Regina Eder
Darwin Downer	Magdalene Elsie
Samuel Emmett	Norma Eisenman
Hazen Fuller	Margorie Heppner
George Gordon	Beatrice Hunter
Clarence Grant	Ella Ruth Hunter
Gregory Howe	Lettie Kaercher
Harold Kaercher	Alice Lehman
Hazen Leach	Blanche Merchant
Leon Mohrlock	Carrie Reule
Joseph Murphy	Vinola Speer
Theodore Paul	Vinola Taylor
Frank Turner	Margaret Weick

FLORENCE CASTER, Teacher.

FIRST GRADE.	
Letha Alber	Gladys Lehman
Louis Burg	Agnes Lehman
Esther Beckwith	Alton Messner
Ruth Gordon	Rachel McKay
Lola Guerin	Phyllis Monroe
Louisa Hauser	Emma Ruele
Elsa Hauser	Eva Schussler
Mary Hummel	Dorothy Schumacher
Ethel Jackson	Verni Whipple
Bluel Kalmbach	Jamy Wolff

MYRTLE M. SHAW, Teacher.

SUB-PRIMARY.	
Clare Fenn	Elba Schatz
Merle Jones	Jonnie Kautschner
Leo Madden	Fourth Grade
John Murphy	Leila Jackson
Rudolph Paul	Frank Glanque
Edith Schanz	Leo Paul
Magdalena Schanz	Marie Wackenhut
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Neighborhood Notes.

A city band with 30 members has been organized in Ypsilanti.

Work has been resumed on the cement plant at Manchester this week.

There is some talk of reorganizing the Dexter band in the near future.

Simon Kress, of Freedom, is getting out the stuff to build a large new barn with.

A new parsonage for the Catholic church at Bunker Hill is to be erected this summer.

Fowlerville has already got a move on for a regular old fashioned Fourth of July celebration.

The ladies of the Grass Lake M. E. church will buy a new piano for the church and Sunday school.

John Scott was instantly killed at Milan April 5 by falling on a revolving circular saw which almost severed his body in twain.

A neighborhood telephone line will be put in operation this spring in North Sharon, including the Irwin, Lemm and Gage district.

Merrick Burch, of Sharon, has been appointed a rural mail carrier on one of the new rural routes that will run out of Manchester May 1.

The Ann Arbor common council has granted a franchise to the Adrian & Ann Arbor Electric Line Co., on condition that the line runs through Saline and that within three years a spur be built to Manchester.

While making the run to learn the route, hoping to become a brakeman, Herbert Forbes, of Stockbridge, aged 17 years, was thrown from the top of a caboose at Pinekey Thursday night and four cars passed over his arms.

While attempting to eject a noisy negro woman from her husband's store, Mrs. Henry Exinger, of Ann Arbor, was struck a heavy blow in the face by the woman and knocked down. Mrs. Exinger was unconscious for some time.

A new German Evangelical church is to be erected in Jackson this season. It will be 60x100 feet in size, built of red pressed brick with Bedford stone trimmings. The gable will be 44 feet high from the ground and the spire 76 feet high.

The Ypsilanti underwear plant at Ann Arbor is being equipped with more machinery so as to enable 25 more hands to be employed, increasing its capacity by one-half. The company has three factories, in Ypsilanti, Ann Arbor and Detroit, and the demand for their goods is so great that they are all taxed to their utmost capacity to supply the demand.

Wm. Bernhart, a printer, is suing the Ann Arbor railroad for \$5,000 damages. On a trip from Toledo to Ann Arbor the railroad car in which he was riding was so crowded that he had to stand up. At Milan he was thrown against the car door by the jerking of the train and the door closed on his hand crushing his fingers, one of them having to be amputated.

The Mollie Bennett estate, which has been in the probate court for so many years, is now finally being settled up. The estate originally amounted to about \$12,000, but litigation and other fees have so depleted it that there is only \$800 left to divide among 21 heirs, and they have expended more than their pro rata out of their own pockets to help carry on the suit.

Dr. W. B. Hinsdale, formerly health officer of Ann Arbor, has been sued by Pliny B. Harding for \$5,000 damages. In February, 1904, Harding was confined in the pest house by Dr. Hinsdale's orders, who diagnosed his case of measles as smallpox, and was placed in close proximity to a smallpox patient. As a result he did contract the disease and became very ill, hence the suit.

Over 1,200 People of This County are sending their friends and relatives to Emil H. Arnold, the Optical Specialist with Wm. Arnold, Ann Arbor, for glasses that fit the eye and fit the face.

Painting and Paper Hanging, Interior Finishing. Leave orders at John Farrell's grocery store. JAS. A. LEACH.

Notice.

The D. Y. A. & J. Ry. limited cars will make flag stops to pick up or let off passengers at Dexter road and Sylvan road. J. L. MILLSPOUGH, Supt. Transportation.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

(OFFICIAL.)

Chelsea, Mich., April 5, 1905.

Board met in regular session. Meeting called to order by the president. Roll called by the clerk.

Present—John A. Palmer, president, and trustees, J. D. Colton, L. P. Vogel, F. H. Sweetland, O. C. Burkhardt, W. J. Knapp and A. Eppler. Absent—None.

It was then decided to hold the regular meetings of the council the first and third Wednesday evenings of each month; same as in the past. No farther business, on motion the board adjourned. W. H. HEISELSCHWERDT, Clerk.

Chelsea, Mich., April 10, 1905.

Board met in regular session. Meeting called to order by the president. Roll called by the clerk.

Present—J. A. Palmer, president, and trustees, J. D. Colton, L. P. Vogel, F. H. Sweetland, O. C. Burkhardt, W. J. Knapp and A. Eppler. Absent—None.

Minutes read and approved. Moved and supported that the following bills be allowed as read by the clerk and orders drawn on the treasurer for their amounts. Carried.

Ed H. Chandler, draying	\$ 3 35
C Steinbach, leather	1 40
Karl E Vogel, making map of the village	15 00
Frank C Teal, supplies	15 60
Keuneth, Anderson & Co., water glasses etc	1 23
Central Electric Co., 4 meters	54 91
Henry R Worthington, repairs for pump	3 11
W G Nagel Electric Co., fixtures	54 84
Standard Oil Co., 1 bbl cyd oil	14 66
Henry L Walker & Co., supplies	13 55
Greenslade Oil Co., boiler compound	21 60
M A Hanna & Co., 1 car coal	31 56
J H Schultz, supplies	52
LeValley Vitae Carbon Brush Co., brushes	7 74
Geo M Jones Co., 1 car coal	34 17
M C R R Co., freight	106 16

Moved by Knapp, seconded by Vogel, that the clerk be instructed to notify the assessor to proceed with making the assessment on all real and personal property in the village of Chelsea. Carried.

Treasurer reports on hand April 10, 1905, \$884.85.

The following appointments were then made: Finance committee—L. P. Vogel, F. H. Sweetland, J. D. Colton.

Street committee—J. D. Colton, O. C. Burkhardt, L. P. Vogel.

Cross and Sidewalk committee—A. Eppler, L. P. Vogel, J. D. Colton.

Ordinance committee—W. J. Knapp, J. D. Colton, L. P. Vogel.

Electric Light and Water committee—J. A. Palmer, J. D. Colton, L. P. Vogel.

Members Board of Review—Jas. Taylor, Geo. A. BeGole.

President pro-tem—J. D. Colton.

Special Assessors—L. T. Freeman, D. H. Wurster, J. S. Cummings.

Moved by Burkhardt, seconded by Vogel that H. Brooks be appointed village marshal at a salary of \$50 per month. Carried.

Health Officer—Dr. S. G. Bush. Village Attorney—B. B. Turnbull. Chief of Fire Department—Howard Brooks.

Moved by Knapp, seconded by Burkhardt, that the above appointments, be, and are hereby confirmed.

Moved and supported that we adjourn. Carried.

W. H. HEISELSCHWERDT, Clerk.

A Recipe From the Forest.

When the Oak leaf is the size of a Squirrel's foot take a stick like a Crow's bill and make holes as big as a Coon's ear and as wide apart as Fox tracks. Then plant your corn, that it may ripen before the Chestnut splits and the Woodchuck begins his winter's sleep.—From Ernest Thompson Seton's "Fable and Woodmyth" in the Century.

Paints Pope's Picture.

Pope Plus X. is having his portrait painted by a French artist, M. Gabriel Ferrier. The picture may be described as a stage portrait, the Pope sitting on the pontifical throne and wearing the tiara. It is said that though the Pope's face is full of benevolence, M. Ferrier in all the lengthy sittings did not once see the Pope smile.

Bound to Be Comfortable.

An author who had been jailed for debt wrote to his wife: "Do me the favor to send me my Shakespeare, my nightgown and slippers, my pipe, my jug and all letters asking for autographs, and containing stamps. I want to be comfortable and at peace with the world."—Atlanta Constitution.

Size of Colombia.

Colombia, exclusive of Panama, is as large as the two states of California and Texas combined. Three high mountain ranges cross the republic from north to south, making high tablelands between where the days the year round are scarcely hotter than those of a temperate zone.

Cosmopolitan Plant.

In the large power plant installed in the Mysore country, in southern India, the timer came from Australia, the insulators from Italy, the hydraulic plant from Switzerland, the penstock pipes from Scotland and the entire electric plant from America.

Doctors Must Learn to Write.

The Austrian minister of the interior has recently called the attention of medical practitioners to the serious evils caused by illegible prescriptions. He insists that every prescription "must be clearly and legibly written in all its parts."

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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 12th day of April, in the year one thousand nine hundred and five.

Present, Emory E. Leland, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the Estate of Elizabeth, Elma and Alice Lenson, minors.

On reading and filing the petition of Henry Jung, guardian of said estate, praying that he may be licensed to sell certain real estate described therein at private sale for the purpose of support of said minors.

It is ordered that the 5th day of May next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, be appointed for the hearing of said petition.

And it is further ordered, that a copy of this order be published three successive weeks previous to said time of hearing, in the Chelsea Herald, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Washtenaw.

EMORY E. LE LAND, Judge of Probate. H. WIRT NEWKIRK, Register.

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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 4th day of April, in the year one thousand nine hundred and five.

Present, Emory E. Leland, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Amos Brewn, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of James Taylor, administrator of said estate, praying that he be licensed to sell certain real estate described therein at private sale for the purpose of paying debts.

It is ordered, that the 28th day of April next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, be appointed for the hearing of said petition.

And it is further ordered, that a copy of this order be published three successive weeks previous to said time of hearing, in the Chelsea Herald, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Washtenaw.

EMORY E. LE LAND, Judge of Probate. H. WIRT 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 28th 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 Amos Brewn, deceased.

On reading and filing the duly verified petition of Mary Hitecock, praying that administration of said estate may be granted to her, and that appraisers and commissioners be appointed.

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

And it is further ordered, that a copy of this order be published three successive weeks previous to said time of hearing, in the Chelsea Herald, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Washtenaw.

EMORY E. LE LAND, Judge of Probate. H. WIRT 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 1st 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 Martin Kune, deceased.