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LOOKING FOR LOCATION.

FOR EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTION.

Rev. Fr. Chas. O. Reilly contemplates establishing a School for Boys—May be Built in This Vicinity.

Father Reilly, of Adrian, was in town a few days ago in quest of a desirable location on which to erect a Catholic institution for the education of boys.

"Your school for girls is all right; now where shall I send my boy?" he is often asked.

Father Reilly considers the vicinity between Chelsea and Dexter admirably suited for such a college, being close to markets and not far from depots.

"When I first started our schools for girls at Adrian, many looked upon the venture rather dubiously, claiming it would be impossible to educate and board a girl one year for \$800," he was heard to say. "This, however," he continued, "we have been able to accomplish, and as a result I am being urged to erect a similar institution for our boys."

JOHN PAUL JONES

Ambassador Porter Finds Body of the Founder of the American Navy—Search Has Been Conducted for Five Years.

The remarkable search which Ambassador to France, Gen. Horace Porter has conducted for the last five years, for the remains of John Paul Jones, has been crowned with success by the discovery of the body and its identification by eminent French medical experts as unquestionably that of the famous American admiral.

John Paul Jones, famous as the sea hero of the revolution, was born in Scotland in 1747 and began his life on the sea when a lad of 12 summers. He became captain of his ship in 1768 and for a time engaged in the West Indian trade, settling, however, in Virginia in 1773, taking over the estate of his brother, who died childless and intestate.

Upon the outbreak of the revolution Jones offered his services in behalf of the colonies and was early invited to aid the naval committee of congress. On December 22, 1775, he was commissioned senior first lieutenant of the ship Alfred. After a short cruise he was transferred to the Providence with the rank of captain, went to the West Indies and in forty-seven days captured sixteen prizes and destroyed a number of small vessels, with the fishery at Isle Madame.

In time he assumed command of the Alfred, the Ranger and the Bon Homme Richard. With this last vessel, commanding a squadron of five ships, he engaged in the memorable battle with the British Man-of-war Serapis, carrying forty guns. On the evening of September 23, 1779, Jones lashed the Bon Homme Richard to the Serapis, fought a desperate battle and won, although his own ship later sank, the crew, in the meantime being transferred to the Serapis. This battle made Paul Jones famous.

He died in Paris in July, 1792, and was honored with a public funeral by the National Assembly.

THE ELEVATOR DROPPED.

Dick Wheeler Had a Very Narrow Escape at the Cement Works Last Week—The Necessary Repairs Have Been Made.

An accident which might have ended disastrously occurred at about 5:30 o'clock Wednesday afternoon of last week at the White Portland Cement Co.

The men employed at filling kilns were discharging their duties in the customary way, receiving and unloading the small cars of dry mixture as they were deposited on the various floors by elevator conductor, Dick Wheeler.

"Look out below," Wheeler was heard to shout down the shaft as he leaped from his car to the fifth floor just in time to save his life.

Some portion of the machinery becoming unmanageable, Wheeler felt that his car was not stopping automatically at the top floor in its usual manner. At the same time he heard a terrific ripping of boards along the outside of the elevator shaft, and without a minute's notice the entire south side was torn from its place and with a terrific thud the elevator itself dropped from the 5th floor and turned bottom side up in the alley-way below. That no one was injured is a miracle.

Manager Millen took immediate steps to repair the damage done.

TO THE PUBLIC.

I will thank The Standard for space to make a brief statement and enter an earnest plea. Early in the past autumn the pastors of the churches in Chelsea, together with one layman from each, arranged and became responsible for a course of public lectures and concerts to the extent of six numbers, costing about four hundred dollars.

The course has been filled to the entire satisfaction of all, so far as we know. Indeed, we are certain a more able and satisfactory series of entertainments has not been given any-

where. But from some cause or other the venture was not patronized as largely as we had anticipated it would be, and, as a result, we find ourselves a little less than forty dollars short of expenses.

To meet this deficiency we have asked Rev. Mr. Jones to give us a farewell lecture at the hall on Tuesday evening, April 25, with admission of 15 cents. We believe that our friends and the friends of Bro. Jones will readily avail themselves of this opportunity to relieve the committee of its embarrassment, do honor to the speaker, and hear a first class lecture.

E. E. CASTER,
In behalf of the committee.

BEAN GROWER'S.

Held Meeting in Ann Arbor Saturday—Report Beans Nearly All Sold—Added New Names to Membership Roll.

The meeting of the Washtenaw County Bean Grower's association held at Ann Arbor last Saturday, was not well attended but those present showed considerable interest.

Those of the directors who were present reported that the beans in their townships had nearly all been sold, and that the large potato grower's were feeding their surplus to their stock.

Twenty-two names were added to the membership roll of the association. Directors were appointed for the townships where there were vacancies. The annual meeting will be held in August.

ITALIANS AT CEMENT PLANT.

A gang of twenty-five Italians, many of whom are unable to speak a single word of the English language, arrived last week at the White Portland Cement Co. and will take the places of the Dexter men on the night force.

It was indeed an interesting spectacle as they alighted from "The Mail" at Four Mile Lake with their many pieces of ancient baggage, containing all of the necessary furniture, draperies, and bric-a-brac for the complete furnishing of their new home.

The Michigan Central railroad has furnished two old freight cars, and these have been placed in the woods near the edge of the lake for the accommodation of the men. One car will be used as a dining hall and the first consignment of provisions from Detroit consisted of fifteen boxes of macaroni and two grain bags full of rye bread.

The men are all good, strong, husky fellows and are willing to work seven days per week. They are in charge of an Italian foreman, who acts as interpreter.

DUTY OF THE GRANGE.

The granges throughout the United States should take a deeper interest in the common schools than they do in most sections, not only in relation to matters within the school building, but without, i. e., making the grounds inviting and attractive, keeping the buildings in good condition, setting out shade trees and doing many such things as will make the school a pleasant and attractive place for children. Every subordinate grange in a rural community should have a committee to visit the school in its district and keep in touch with the work of the school. This committee should make reports occasionally to the subordinate grange in order that it may be helpful, if it can, to the school.

There is entirely too much carelessness manifested in regard to the appearance of country school buildings and grounds. These should be the most beautiful places in the community—places so charming that children will be attracted by them. As it is, in most cases they are absolutely repulsive. No trees, no flowers, no grass. Nothing but a plain, cheap building, with the plainest surroundings. To improve them is a work worthy the best efforts of the grange.

JURORS FOR MAY.

The following is the list of jurors drawn for the May term of court: Ann Arbor—August DeFries, H. Fred Buss, Michael F. Williams, Lawrence O'Toole, Murray L. White, Edward B. Gibson, John Wisner.
Ann Arbor Town—Lewis Lutz.
Augusta—Wm. Collin.
Bridgewater—Albert Paul.
Dexter—Edward Dolan.
Freedom—Chas. Messner.
Lima—W. Holzapfel.
Lodi—Henry Goltz.
Lyndon—Edward Shanahan.
Manchester—Matthias Wurster.
Northfield—John W. Coyle, Henry Jung.

Pittsfield—Wm. Cody.
Salem—Walter Rorabacher.
Saline—Matthew Seeger.
Scioto—Christ. Heusel.
Sharon—John H. Delker.
Superior—Edward Gotts.
Sylvan—John Messner.
Webster—John Schultz.
York—Edward Bixby.
Ypsilanti Town—Wm. Boutell.
Ypsilanti—C. Wilcoxson, Milo Gage.

A strength tonic that brings rich, red blood. Makes you strong, healthy and active. That's what Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will do. 25 cents, tea or tablets. The Bank Drug Store.

LIST OF STOCKHOLDERS

IN THE LOCAL BANKS.

Names and the Number of Shares Owned By Those Who Are Interested in the Banks of Chelsea.

CHELSEA SAVINGS BANK.
The following is a list of the stockholders of Chelsea Savings Bank and the number of shares owned by them:
Frank P. Glazier, 334, Chelsea.
Wm. J. Knapp, 12, Chelsea.
Frank E. Ives, 10, Stockbridge.
Homer G. Ives, 10, Chelsea.
Mary D. Ives, 11, Unadilla.
Geo. W. Palmer, 10, Chelsea.
Victor D. Hindelang, 14, Albion.
Frederick Wedemeyer, 11, Chelsea.
Henry I. Stimson, 10, Chelsea.
Adam Epler, 10, Chelsea.
Wm. P. Schenk, 10, Chelsea.
John W. Schenk, 10, Chelsea.
Michael Schenk, 10, Chelsea.
Almira G. Hill, 20, Chelsea.
Edwin Koebbe, 10, Freedom.
Anna E. Sears, 10, Chelsea.
Henrietta M. Glazier, 10, Chelsea.
Jennie D. Parker, 10, Chelsea.
Josephine Watts, 10, Mason.
Theo. E. Wood, 6, Chelsea.
Frank Greening, 5, Austin, Ill.
Albert C. Watson, 5, Unadilla.
Emmanuel Schenk, 5, Freedom.
Bernard Huehl, 5, Chelsea.
Henry Luick, 5, Lima.
Vera G. Glazier, 5, Chelsea.
Harold P. Glazier, 4, Chelsea.
Simon Hirth, 2, Chelsea.
DeLaney Cooper, 2, Lyndon.
Margaret Hindelang, 3, Chelsea.
Margaret Murray, 3, Dexter.
Orson Beeman, 2, Lyndon.
Geo. W. Beeman, 1, Lyndon.
Saxe C. Stimson, 1, Chelsea.
John Clark, 1, Lyndon.
Howard Everett, 1, Sharon.
John F. Waltrous, 1, Lima.
John Kalmhaech, 1, Chelsea.
Francis Beeman, 1, Chelsea.
W. E. Wessels estate, 1, Lyndon.
Lynn L. Gorton, 1, Waterloo.
Jas. N. Runciman, 1, Chelsea.
Edward S. Spaulding, 1, Chelsea.
Frederick Roedel, 1, Chelsea.
Chas. F. Hathaway, 1, Chelsea.
Lewis Eschelboeh, 1, Lima.
John Kelly, 1, Chelsea.
Joanna Kelly, 1, Chelsea.
Total, 600 shares.

KEMP COMMERCIAL & SAVINGS BANK.
The following is a list of those who are stockholders in the Kempt Commercial & Savings Bank.

Reuben Kempf, 27, Ann Arbor.
Chas. H. Kempf, 100, Chelsea.
H. S. Holmes, 100, Chelsea.
R. S. Armstrong, 35, Sylvan.
C. Klein, 20, Chelsea.
Geo. A. BeGole, 10, Chelsea.
J. A. Palmer, 9, Chelsea.
Jacob Hepper, 5, Chelsea.
John Row, 6, Sylvan.
Jay Everett, 10, Chelsea.
Howard Everett, 5, Sharon.
Hannah E. Miller, 5, Union City.
Edward Vogel, 25, Chelsea.
W. W. Gifford, 9, Detroit.
Thos. Morse, 5, Lima.
Frederick Trinkle, 4, Freedom.
Otto D. Luick, 10, Lima.
J. H. Kingsley, 4, Manchester.
David E. Beach, 5, Lima.

EARLY HISTORY.

Rev. Johannes Strieter one of the Early German Settlers in Washtenaw County Writes Autobiography.

There has just appeared from the press in Cleveland, Ohio, an autobiography by Johannes Strieter, one of the early immigrants to this county. It contains one of the best accounts ever published dealing with the early conditions of Washtenaw at the time when the old German pioneers settled here. Rev. Strieter is "pastor emeritus" now and lives with his children in different sections of the country, staying however, most of the time with his daughter, Mrs. H. List, of West Bay City, Mich. (in Frankentrost). He refuses the aid to which he would be regularly entitled from the synodical conference, and publishes this account of his early life with the idea of providing for himself a small independent income from the general public. About a year ago he visited Fridrich Seeger, our oldest inhabitant, renewing old ties of friendship and acquaintance—Scioto Union Record.

A Daredevil Ride.
Often ends in a bad accident. To heal accidental injuries, use Bucklen's Arnica Salve. "A deep wound in my foot from an accident," writes Theodore Schreute, of Columbus, O., "caused me great pain. Physicians were helpless, but Bucklen's Arnica Salve quickly healed it." Soothes and heals burns like magic, 25c at the Bank Drug Store.

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

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We are making an extensive showing of NEW SPRING DRESS GOODS consisting of Fancy Suitings, Mohairs in all shades, and the Newest Novelties in Street and House Fabrics at money saving prices.

SHIRT WAIST PATTERNS.

We have in stock a very fine line of Fancy White Goods for Waists in all of the new weaves.

NEW DRESS NOVELTIES.

We are showing a magnificent line of Grecian Voiles and Jacquard Voiles in all of the fashionable colors introduced for this season.

NEW GINGHAMS.

We are offering for the spring trade the finest line of Gingham, ever shown in Chelsea.

NEW TABLE LINENS.

Our spring offerings of Table Linens in bleached, half bleached and unbleached goods, with napkins to match, are the best ever purchased for the Chelsea trade and the prices are within the reach of all who contemplate buying new table linen.

NEW LACE CURTAINS.

Our spring showing of Lace Curtains contains all of the newest designs out and the prices range from \$1.00 to \$7.50 per pair.

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W. P. SCHENK & COMPANY

Good Things for Easter.

Right Goods,

Rightly Represented,

Rightly Priced;

All point to one moral; buy here.

TEMPTING INDUCEMENTS:

Oranges Sweet and juicy doz. 25c	Olives Mellow and rich qt. 40c
Lemons Sound and perfect doz. 20c	Salad Dressings One dash and there you have it, dainty dish from common food, bottle 19c
Peaches From California fine flavor can 20c	Coffee Pure and fragrant, flavor right, pound 25c
Pine Apples Tender and juicy each 25c	Lettuce Crisp and fresh pound 20c
Butter The best is our kind pound 23c	Candy Chocolates very fine pound 20c
Cheese Full cream, soft and rich, pound 17c	Pickles Sound and crisp doz. 5c

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We have just received and placed on sale over 2500 rolls of the very latest designs and styles from one of the best wall paper firms in the world. We are selling these new papers at very low prices; low enough to attract buyers to this store. We don't ask you to buy any old out of style goods, we've burned them up. Our stock is fresh, clean and full of bright new things sure to please you. We have some particularly hand-some papers for two-third and drop ceiling work, also panel work. New and original ideas are the proper thing this season; no set rule or particular style, but your own ideas properly carried out is what will please you best.

FOR SOMETHING NEW

come to the BANK DRUG STORE. New goods for all lines are arriving every day.

New brushes, new rubber goods, new leather goods, new perfumes and toilet articles, new stationery and school supplies.

New Watches, Clocks, and Jewelry.

New Silverware, both sterling and plated, new China dinner ware and fancy crockery.

WE ARE SELLING:

Roasted rio coffee, one pound.....13c
Best tea dust, one pound.....10c
Chocolat6 cream candy, one pound.....15c
Fresh roasted peanuts, one pound.....10c
Three plugs of tobacco, any kind, for.....25c

For new things come to the

BANK DRUG STORE.

L. T. FREEMAN

PAINFUL PERIODS

Suggestions How to Find Relief from Such Suffering.



There is no woman entirely free from menstrual suffering, it does not seem to be the plan of nature that women should suffer so severely. Menstruation is a severe strain on a woman's body. If it is painful or irregular something is wrong which should be right or it will lead to a serious degeneration of the whole female organization.

More than fifty thousand women have testified in grateful letters to Mrs. Pinkham that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound overcomes painful and irregular menstruation.

This provides a safe and sure way of escape from distressing and dangerous diseases and ailments.

The following letters tell so convincingly what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound will do for women, they cannot fail to bring hope to thousands of sufferers.

Miss Nellie Holmes of 540 N. Davis Street, Buffalo, N. Y., writes:

Dr. Pinkham:—Your medicine indeed an ideal medicine with me. I suffered misery for years with painful periods, headaches, and bearing-down pains. I consulted two different physicians (failed to get any relief. A friend from East advised me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I did so, and after using it a day before my periods started every ache and pain is gone, and general health is much improved. I feel as all women who suffer to take Lydia Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Mrs. Tillie Hart, of Larimore, N. D., writes:

Dr. Pinkham:—I might have been spared many years of suffering and pain had I only known of the efficacy of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. A woman Best Understands a Woman's Ills.

Black Adventure.

SAVED BY A DOG.

JOHN CASE, a stage driver, on the mail line from Saratoga to Dillon, is the owner of a remarkably bright shepherd dog, which money would not buy, for he helped his master out of a very difficult matter and probably saved the lives of four horses.

Mr. Chase was on the road to Dillon with a four-horse sled-load of mail recently, and reaching a point near what is known as "Snow-slide hill," when all four of his horses got off the road and all four of them got down in the snow. Chase worked for hours, trying to get them on their feet again, but in vain. After most heroic efforts, all four of the horses remained "belly-up." It was growing toward night and the weather was sharp. Chase was desperate. He saw that all of his efforts to get the horses up were in vain.

Joseph Farrell and two or three other men occupied a cabin about a mile back on the road. Having this in mind he turned to the dog, who was an interested, but helpless spectator, and said: "Go down to the cabin and tell those men to come up and help me." He had no thought that the dog would understand, but it seems that the dog did, for he at once started down the trail on a run. Chase has often said that the dog knew all that was said to it, but all his stories of the dog's intelligence were taken with a grain of allowance, his hearers knowing how much Chase valued the canine.

It was not very long, however, before the men, armed with shovels, made their appearance, accompanied by the dog, which seemed to be leading the way. They said the dog had come and scratched at the door, and had shown so much anxiety for the men to follow him, running off up the road, barking and whining, that they felt that its master must be in trouble. So they bundled themselves, procured shovels, and determined to find out, if possible, just what was the matter.

With the help of the men the horses were gotten on to their feet once more. There was hay in the sled, but as it was still on the trail, it was too high for the horses to reach it. So the snow was shoveled away to let it down to a point where the horses could feed with comfort, and the outfit left for the night, Chase and the men returning to the cabin for the night.

The next morning Chase was able to get the team on to the road once more and finished his journey without further mishap. Chase says that money could not buy that dog, and he never makes a trip over that road without the dog along.—Saratoga (Wyo.) Sun.

AN OCEAN MYSTERY.

Of all unexplained happenings none seems so mysterious as do those of the sea, for the waves keep their secrets. Among the many nautical mysteries which have been the subject of seafaring folk that of the Mary Celeste has for thirty years taken the lead. All sorts of explanations have been attempted, and the incidents have been used as the basis of a well-known sea novel, yet no satisfactory solution has been offered.

A writer in the New York Evening Post has recently summed up the facts of the case, and strange ones they are. The Mary Celeste was unlucky from the first. She was launched in 1869. Bad fortune attended her very start in the world, for being built of green timber, she stuck on the ways, and was floated only at great expense. Her voyages were unprofitable, and after a few years her captain, discouraged by continual loss, took his life.

On December 4, 1873, the Mary Celeste, bound for Genoa, was found by the British vessel Dei Gratia about midway between the Azores and Lisbon, adrift and abandoned. She was running under sail, her long-boat was gone, and the chronometer and ship's papers were missing. It was evident she had been deserted in haste. By the log-book it was judged she had been cruising without a crew for eight or nine days.

The vessel was searched carefully, but the mystery only deepened. A naked, dark-stained outlass which was found on the cabin floor for a time caused a suspicion of mutiny, but a later examination showed the stains to be only rust. There were no traces of strife. On the cabin table lay cloth, needle, scissors and thimble—evidences of a woman's suddenly interrupted sewing. The pumps were dry, the cargo intact, and nothing wrong with the spars or rigging.

The brig was taken to Gibraltar and investigations begun. There was an attempt to prove that the captain intended to lose his ship on one of the reefs of the Azores, but the case fell through. Obvious objections to the theory were the presence of the captain's wife and child on board and the risk of all lives in the long-boat, so far away from land.

The most plausible solution is offered by the writer in the Post. He believes that the key is to be found in the nature of the cargo, in the quality of wood in which it was cased, and in the position of the fore hatch.

When the Mary Celeste was boarded, her sails gave evidence that she was abandoned while running before a strong breeze, and had been rounded to in order to launch the life-boat. Her fore hatch was lying bottom side up on the deck. Her cargo was alcohol stored in red oak barrels. Red oak is very porous, and permits the escape of fumes under the pressure of high temperature. These alcoholic fumes mixing with the foul air of the hold

may have generated a gas which blew off the fore hatch. Volumes of vapor pouring out would have caused the captain to believe the ship was on fire. Accordingly he lost no time in taking to the boat, intending to lie out at a safe distance. There was no fire, but the vessel, caught by the wind, sprang away, and left the long-boat to make a tantalizing and hopeless stern chase, and finally, do doubt, to sink beneath the waves. No one will ever know, but this is what may have happened.

The later adventures of the Mary Celeste were quite in keeping with her ill-starred early promise. She was sold for debt, and proved a bad bargain. Then she was wrecked off Haiti, and her officers were arrested for intentional destruction of the brig. The case in barratry was dropped, but the suspicion still lingers that the owners and the captain had an understanding that the vessel should never reach port.

AN ITALIAN LOVE STORY.

The best of the stories always come from the south, and another is at hand which I offer as a suggestion to some of our playwrights.

A young countryman at Bitonto, Francesco Capaldo, was much in love with a pretty girl, Elisa Fano, and although the girl herself was not averse to his suit, her mamma did not see Francesco with a "good eye," as they say here, and so the course of true love did not run smooth. Rendered desperate, the young man decided on heroic measures, and concocted a plot with some friends. The mother and daughter were in the habit of going frequently to some relatives in the evening, so one dark night the conspirators hid in a narrow street, and as the women passed sprang out upon them.

In the confusion which ensued, frightened by the intentional maneuvers of the young men, the gallant Francesco threw a shawl over the head of one of the frightened women, and in spite of her struggles, bore her off to his house. "I am Francesco," he repeated at intervals, thinking to calm the terror of his lady love, only however, to be answered by muffled tones from the shawl, struggles, and kicks of such strength as to rouse his wonder and something of resentment that Elisa should treat him so. Meanwhile, the other woman had fled shrieking to cover, followed by the men to conceal the doings of Francesco.

The bold lover carefully removed the shawl, dropped on his knees, and raised his eyes to those of Elisa's mother.—Rome Correspondence, in London Pall Mall Gazette.

SURPRISED INDIANS.

It is a small wonder that the first view of a white man created terror among the superstitious Indians. A striking instance of this occurred when the Wallawalla Indians first met Captain Clark, of the Lewis and Clark expedition. Thinking to propitiate the savages and allay their fears of the white men, he planned to visit a village of the Wallawallas before the arrival of the rest of his party.

With this end in view he set out to cross the Columbia River in a canoe, taking three men with him. On the way he shot a crane and a duck, both of which fell near him. He landed before five wigwams placed close to each other, but not a person was visible, and the doors, which were of mat, were closed. Holding his pipe in hand, as an indication of good will, he pushed aside one of the doors and entered the lodge.

Inside were thirty men, women and children huddled together in terror. He went to them, shook each by the hand and said some friendly word, expressing by word and manner his kindly feeling. Their apprehensions were allayed until he took out his burning glass and lighted his pipe by the rays of the sun. Consternation again prevailed, and what might have occurred but for the timely arrival of two chiefs who knew the white man can not be told.

It seems that the Indians had not seen Captain Clark, but they had seen the white crane which he had shot fall just before his appearance. They had also seen the duck fall at his shot. They considered the fall of the birds with his advent and thought that he had fallen from the clouds.

The sound of the rifle, which they had never before heard, they believed was a signal to announce the white man's coming. Small wonder, then, that their hardly allayed fears were again aroused when he brought down fire from heaven by means of his burning glass.—Youth's Companion.

A TRUE HERO.

This is a story about a true hero, not one of the Crusaders, not a soldier on the battlefield, but a real, live boy. Two or three years ago he was working on his father's farm. One day in harvest he was riding a binder and was suddenly called to the house for something. Never thinking of any danger, he did not stop to fasten his horses, but left them standing in the field. Before his return the team became restless and started home. As the boy came out of the house he saw a sight which was enough to chill one's very heart. Two little children were playing in the field, with their heads bent close together, utterly absorbed in their play. On came the team straight for them, while the cruel knives projected from the binder.

Little thinking of himself, the boy rushed breathless to their rescue. He was not a minute too soon for them. As for himself he was thrown on his side right under the cutter bar and his cheek was cut open through its whole length.

Of course they got a doctor as soon as possible, but he must carry the ugly scar to his dying day. We used to shudder at the deformity, but since we have heard his story—not from his own lips either—we look upon it as a mark of honor.—Clara E. Willard.

FISHES FROM OCEAN'S BED.

Unusual Characteristics of Inhabitants of the Deep Sea.

When a deep-sea fish is brought to the surface, how gradually and carefully soever, its bones are often like so much touchwood and its muscles like rotten pulp, while its eyes are burst from their sockets and its viscera are often blown out of the body cavity by the expansion of the air bladder. It frequently happens that deep-sea fishes are found floating helplessly on the surface of the ocean, with large prey in their stomachs. Their appearance under these circumstances is accounted for by the efforts of their struggling victims to escape from their jaws, causing them to ascend beyond the horizontal zone which they usually inhabit. Deep-sea fishes are commonly black or dark brown. But although it is claimed that light is essential to the formation of colors, some deep-sea fishes are scarlet in parts, or uniform red or rose. Others are silvery white, while, according to Alcock, the neocopus is "one dazzling sheen of purple and silver and burnished gold, amid which is a sparkling constellation of luminous organs."

Weather Indications.

If it clears off in the night look for rain the next day. If smoke from the chimney settles instead of rising there is a storm at hand. When sound travels a long distance there is also a storm near. Never expect much storm in the old of the moon. The absence of dew and an unusually heavy dew are alike forerunners of rain. Not much frost need be expected in the light of the moon. An owl hooting in the hollow is a sign of a cold storm; on the hill it foretells a thaw.

Provided Handsomely for Pets.

Quite a large sum was left by a Rajput prince some thirty years ago "for the maintenance in comfort" of his three favorite elephants and a pet tiger. A curious provision was that special trappings and cloths were to be provided for the elephants, while the tiger was to be regaled with a specially mentioned diet, and was to be provided with a solid gold collar studded with a large number of precious stones.

Bishop Brooks at New Haven.

The late Phillips Brooks' ready wit is well illustrated by the remark once made by him, as he was starting for New Haven, in company with Dr. Edward Everett Hale, to witness a Harvard-Yale football game.—To a friend who met him on his way to the train, and who inquired where he was going, he replied: "I'm going down to New Haven to yell with Hale."

Trades Are Independent.

A bankrupt sawyer recently stated in a London court that his trade had been ruined by the advance in the price of sugar. Confectioners and candy manufacturers were economizing by doing without wooden boxes and cases.

BABY'S AWFUL ECZEMA.

Face Like Raw Beef—Thought She Would Lose Her Ear—Healed Without a Blemish—Mother Thanks Cuticura.

"My little girl had eczema very bad when she was ten months old. I thought she would lose her right ear. It had turned black, and her face was like a piece of raw meat, and very sore. It would bleed when I washed her, and I had to keep cloths on it day and night. There was not a clear spot on her face when I began using Cuticura Soap and Ointment, and now it is completely healed, without scar or blemish, which is more than I had hoped for. (Signe) Mrs. Rose Ether, 291 Eckford St., Brooklyn, N. Y."

Wickedness in Luverne.

Everybody in Luverne knows the young ladies who lock arms with the devil. "You can fool some of the people some of the time, but you can't fool all the people all of the time."—Luverne Journal.

Miserable Conditions.

Of body and mind, always result from a torpid liver, which leads to bile poisons being absorbed into the blood, and poisoning all the nerves and tissues. This dreadful state, some of the symptoms of which are headache, bitter taste, nausea, lack of appetite, yellow complexion, constipation, etc., can be quickly cured by taking Dr. Caldwell's (Laxative) Syrup Pepsin. It relieves the strain on your liver, relaxes the tightened bowels, purifies the blood, strengthens the stomach, and makes it as clean as a whistle. The result is perfect health, and freedom from pain and discomfort. Try it. Sold by all druggists at 50c and \$1.00. Money back if it fails.

Emigrant Buys Pistol.

A man charged in a London Police Court with carrying a pistol said he had bought it for "self-protection," as he was "going to America." He was sympathetically discharged.

The Present Rate Law.

The duties of the present Interstate Commerce Commission are to correct all discriminations in railroad rates. If it finds that an unjust rate is in effect, the railroad is notified. If it declines to change it, the Commission can bring suit in Court and if the Court decides in favor of the Commission's finding, the railroad must obey, or its officers may be brought up for contempt of court and summarily dealt with.

People would rather talk about the czar just now than about the neighbors.

QUEEN OF ACTRESSES PRAISES PE-RU-NA.



MISS JULIA MARLOWE Heartily Approves of Peruna for the Nerves.

In a recent letter to The Peruna Medicine Co., Miss Julia Marlowe, of New York City, writes the following:

"I am glad to write my endorsement of the great remedy, Peruna, as a nerve tonic. I do so most heartily."—Julia Marlowe.

Nervousness is very common among women. This condition is due to anemic nerve centers. The nerve centers are the reservoirs of nervous vitality. These centers become bloodless for want of proper nutrition. This is especially true in the spring season. Every spring a host of invalids are produced as the direct result of weak nerves.

This can be easily obviated by using Peruna. Peruna strikes at the root of the difficulty by correcting the digestion. Digestion furnishes nutrition for the nerve centers. Properly digested food furnishes these reservoirs of life with vitality which leads to strong, steady nerves and thus nourishes life. Peruna is in great favor among women, especially those who have vocations that are trying to the nerves.

Buy a bottle of Peruna to-day. If you do not receive all the benefits from Peruna that you expected, write to Dr. S. B. Hartman, Columbus, Ohio.

When the little folks take colds and coughs, don't neglect them and let them strain the tender membranes of their lungs, Give them

Woolson's Consumption Cure

The Lung Tonic

It will cure them quickly and strengthen their lungs. It is pleasant to take. Prices, 25c., 50c., and \$1.00.

THE FISH BRAND SLICKER A VALUED FRIEND

"A good many years ago I bought a FISH BRAND Slicker, and it has proven a valued friend for many a stormy day, but now it is getting old and I must have another. Please send me a price-list."

Warranted to be the best in all the world, and to be on hand in all the principal cities.

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Lady Skin Talk

"Oleary King" is what one lady calls the cream that comes from the land of Celestia. It is the most beautiful, the most delicate, the most effective, the most perfect of all the lotions and creams that have ever been used. It is the only one that does not dry the skin, and it is the only one that does not clog the pores. It is the only one that does not irritate the skin, and it is the only one that does not make the skin red and raw. It is the only one that does not make the skin yellow and sallow. It is the only one that does not make the skin wrinkled and aged. It is the only one that does not make the skin dry and cracked. It is the only one that does not make the skin itchy and sore. It is the only one that does not make the skin red and swollen. It is the only one that does not make the skin hot and burning. It is the only one that does not make the skin numb and tingling. It is the only one that does not make the skin stiff and sore. 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OLIVE LODGE NO. 166, F. & A. M. Regular meetings of Olive Lodge, No. 166, F. & A. M. for 1905. Jan. 17, Feb. 14, March 14, April 18, May 16, June 13, July 11, Aug. 8, Sept. 12, Oct. 10, Nov. 7. Annual meeting and election of officers Dec. 5. C. W. MARONEY, Sec.

MICHIGAN CENTRAL. "The Niagara Falls Route." Time Card, taking effect, Nov. 27, 1904. TRAINS EAST: No. 8—Detroit Night Express 5:38 a. m. No. 36—Atlantic Express 8:20 a. m. No. 12—G. R. and Kalamazoo 10:40 a. m. No. 2—Mail 3:15 p. m.

TRAINS WEST: No. 21—Det. Rd. Rpd. & Chic. 10:20 a. m. No. 5—Mail 8:45 a. m. No. 13—G. R. and Kalamazoo 6:45 p. m. No. 37—Pacific Express 10:52 p. m. *Nos. 36 and 37 stop on signal only to let off and take on passengers. O. W. RUGGLES, Gen. Pass & Ticket Agt. W. T. Glauque, Agent.

D. Y. A. A. & J. RAILWAY. SPECIAL CARS—BLUE SIGN. Leave Chelsea for Detroit at 7:29 a. m., and every two hours until 10:30 p. m. Leave Chelsea for Jackson at 8:50 a. m., and every two hours until 10:30 p. m. LOCAL CARS: Leave Chelsea for Detroit at 6:39 a. m., and every two hours until 10:30 p. m. Leave Chelsea for Jackson at 7:50 a. m., and every two hours until 11:50 p. m. Leave Chelsea for Ypsilanti at 12:09 a. m. Special cars for the accommodation of private parties may be arranged for at the Ypsilanti office. Cars run on Standard time. On Sundays the first cars leave terminals one hour later. Saline Branch cars will connect with Special cars going East and West at Ypsilanti.

PROOF IN MICHIGAN.

Should be decidedly more convincing to Michigan people than testimony from utter strangers.

The statement which follows, like all that have preceded it on this subject, is from Michigan. It is not from some distant corner of the Union. Michigan people cannot dispute testimony like this:

William Ca penter of 2225 Felix street, St. Joseph, a prominent business man of that city, and a former president of the Phoenix Loan Association says:

"Doan's Kidney Pills are all that you recommend them to be. Before using them I had such a pain in my left kidney that I could hardly stand up. I was advised to try them, and got a box at the store of the St. Joseph Drug Co. The pain was gone for good when I had used only one box, and now I do not know that I have a kidney."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the United States. Remember the name, Doan's, and take no other.

WANT ESSAYS.

The Michigan Department of the G. A. R. have decided to offer prizes for patriotic essays again this year. The contest is open only to the school children of the state, ranging from the 7th to the 12th grades. It has been deemed advisable to classify grades and the assignment of topics are as follows: 7th and 8th Grades—Topic, Ulysses S. Grant. 9th and 10th Grades—Topic, Thomas Jefferson and his influence upon the American people. 11th and 12th Grades—Topic, What, in your opinion, was the decisive event in favor of the Union cause during the Civil War? State your reasons.

MMS. must be written plainly with pen or typewriter, on one side of paper letter size preferred, and mailed flat not folded nor rolled to Winifred S. Sly, 217 North Pine street, Lansing, Mich., special aide for patriotic instruction in public schools.

Essays are not to exceed 1,000 words and must be sent to the special aide not later than May 15, 1905.

ANTI-CIGARETTE BILL.

The amalgamation of the Ming and Sheldon anti-cigarette bills as it will be reported from the senate committee on public health will be practically as follows: "It shall be unlawful for any person by himself, his clerk, servant, employe, or agent, directly or indirectly, upon any pretense or by any device, to manufacture, own, sell, exchange, barter, dispose of, give away or keep for sale or gift, or expose to the public view, any cigarettes, cigarette papers or cigarette wrappers, or any substitute therefor, or any paper made or prepared for the purpose of being filled with tobacco for smoking."

The first offense is made a misdemeanor, punishable by from \$25 to \$50 fine or thirty days' imprisonment; the second offense is to be punishable by from \$100 to \$300 fine or imprisonment from sixty days to six months, or both fine and imprisonment.

The bill does not apply to manufacturers or jobbers doing an interstate business.

A wonderful spring tonic. Drives out all winter impurities, gives you strength, health and happiness. That's what Holter's Rocky Mountain Tea will do. 35 cents, tea or tablet. The Bank Drug Store.

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

"Itching hemorrhoids were the plague of my life. Was almost wild. Doan's Ointment cured me quickly and permanently, after doctors had failed." C. F. Cornwall, Valley street, Saugerties, N. Y.

If a Cow gave Butter mankind would have to invent milk. Milk is Nature's emulsion—butter put in shape for digestion. Cod liver oil is extremely nourishing, but it has to be emulsified before we can digest it.

Scott's Emulsion combines the best oil with the valuable hypophosphites so that it is easy to digest and does far more good than the oil alone could. That makes Scott's Emulsion the most strengthening, nourishing food—medicine in the world.

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SURVIVED BLACK HAWK WAR

A. T. Sulberger of Illinois is Hearty and Hale as Ever Now at Age of Ninety-Two.

Bloomington, Ill.—It has been discovered that Illinois has another survivor of the Black Hawk war, Alexander T. Sulberger, of McLeansboro, having fought the Indians 75 years ago. He is 92 years of age, and a remarkable character, both on account of his own record as a veteran and because of his patriotic ancestry. His father, James Sullenger, was an eyewitness to the surrender of Lord Cornwallis at Yorktown, and the son still retains in his possession a pair of brass stirrups in which his father's feet rested as he sat on horseback viewing the historic scene which put an end to the war for American independence.

Mr. Sullenger, the younger, was mustered into the volunteer army of the United States at the age of 18, the mustering officer being Lieut. Jefferson Davis, later leader of the confederate army in the civil war. He served through the Black Hawk war under the name of Patillo, his mother having married a man of that name after the death of his father. After the war Mr. Sullenger returned to Hamilton county, which has been his home continuously since. He is the oldest coroner in the state, having served in that capacity for over half a century. He has been a member of the masonic order for 56 years.

Among the many curious relics owned by Mr. Sullenger is a three-shilling scrip, which bears a warning that counterfeiting will be punished by death. Mr. Sullenger is in good health and bids fair to round out the century mark.

REJECT NAVAL APPLICANTS.

More Are Dismissed Because of Bad Teeth Than for Any Other Reason.

Washington.—Reports to the navy department from recruiting parties at various points in the United States show that of all the applicants for enlistment two-thirds are rejected because of physical deficiencies. The naval requirements are for sound and healthy young men. More are rejected because of bad teeth than for any other reason.

Naval surgeons hold that a man who has lost a majority of his molars cannot properly masticate his food. He is, therefore, susceptible to stomach trouble and the disorders of the digestive organs. His efficiency as a working machine is thus impaired. The surgeons consider a man with one upper and one lower molar on one side much better off for the naval service than a man who has lost all his upper molars but whose lower molars remain sound.

The food question aboard ship is one of great importance. If it does not agree with the bluejacket they are quick to complain. There are no dental surgeons regularly rated in the United States navy, although some hospital stewards do dental work. There is a regular dentist on the receiving ship Hancock.

The authorized limit of the enlisted personnel of the navy is now 34,000. It is hoped at the bureau of navigation that the full number will be recruited by July 1.

ILLUMINATED BALL LATEST.

Phenomenal Sphere Can Be Used to Play Golf on the Darkest Nights.

New York.—A genius in this city has invented an aluminum golf ball. This is expected to revolutionize this popular game.

The composition of the ball is kept secret. A certain amount of phosphorus mixed with some other chemical gives it a peculiar and brilliant glow. The ball is claimed to have all the properties of the regulation one.

The unique feature lies in the fact that with the new invention golf can be played at night as well as when the sun is shining. Wherever it drops it can be seen by the light it throws out. When playing at night lanterns are placed on the different greens. In driving the course of the ball can be seen through the air.

Another advantage is that when the new ball is played in daytime games, and is lost, at night it can readily be found by the glow it gives out.

BOTTLES MADE OF PAPER.

They Are Lighter Than Glass and Can Not Be Refilled—Opening Destroys Them.

Houston.—Negotiations are pending to secure for this city a plant to manufacture paper bottles.

The bottle is made from paper pulp, is non-refillable and much lighter than glass. It is claimed to be proof against infection on account of the fact that it is hermetically sealed when filled and the neck of the bottle must be cut off to open it. The bottle is filled in by automatic machinery and then crimped in and sealed automatically. The bottle is non-refillable from the fact that it is destroyed or so defaced when opened that it cannot be used again.

Special automatic machinery is required for making the bottles. And one of these machines will make 1,000,000 bottles a week. The machine will cost \$3,000. Special machinery will be used to close the bottles when filled.

Mother Has Four Babes. A generous stork visiting the house of Charles Harney, of Portsmouth, O., left four live babies, three boys and one girl, all of whom are perfectly well and give promise of living. Their aggregate weight is 14 pounds, while the mother weighs only 98 pounds, and their father is a man of slender build.

NEWSY NUGGETS

NEARBY NEIGHBORS

CONFIRMATION EXERCISES. A class of eight were confirmed at the German Lutheran church in Dexter Sunday.

PAY BOUNTIES. The township of Manchester will the coming year pay a bounty of 15 cents on crows, hawks and woodchucks.

NEW FIRM. Ex sheriff Joseph Gauntlett of Milan has entered into partnership with T. M. Little, a real estate man of Ann Arbor.

SETTING OUT AN ORCHARD. W. B. Rane of Whitmore Lake is setting out a large peach and apple orchard on his farm just east of the village. There will be 800 trees of each kind in the orchard.

WILL ATTEND CONCLAVE. Jackson Commandery No. 9, Knights Templar, will attend the forty-ninth annual convocation of the grand commandery of Michigan which will be held in Detroit, June 13 and 14.

MAY GET NEW DEPOT. Manchester people are mildly excited over the fact that there are good prospects of the L. S. & M. S. railroad building a new depot there the coming summer. The plans are said to have been drawn.

NEW LAWYER IN TOWN. A. T. Hurst of Detroit, has purchased the residence formerly known as the Palmer house and moved in this week. Mr. Hurst will open a law office in the village in the near future.—Dexter Leader.

WON'T LET GO. Conrad Lowe, who was elected supervisor of Ridgeway last week, has previously served that township for 21 years in the same office, but not continuing. He is one of those fellows who does not want to "let go."—Tecumseh News.

LONG TIME RAISING THE COIN. Adrian has been a month trying to raise \$500 for a combination ball team with M. Antpeller, O., but lacks considerable yet of the required sum. And one Adrian paper admits the idea is to have a strong team in order to defeat Tecumseh.—Tecumseh News.

SPECIAL CHARTER. The Ypsilanti schools have a special charter so are not affected by the new law that puts the annual school meetings on the first Monday in July and sets the time for taking the school census in the twenty days before the first Monday in June.—Ypsilantian.

NEW ORGANIZATION. An organization to be known as the Michigan Mercantile and Manufacturing Company of Grass Lake has been perfected. Its capital stock being \$10,000. This organization is composed of the bond-holders of the old Zenith Portland Cement Co., who purchased the property of the company at chancery sale a year ago.—Grass Lake News.

FOR CIGARETTES. A most ridiculous subject in the form of a human being appeared on the streets this morning. He wore a red face, long hair with cap drawn down over his ears and clothes of a crazy quilt style and he had tied all over his person old rag sacks which were filled apparently with old cigar stubs the picking up of which seemed to be his business. He would hunt around the gutters and filth for them. Some near by cigarette factory will buy his load.—Saline Observer.

SNEAK THIEVES. Sneak thieves were abroad in this village Friday night. They got into the house of Walter Cone on Wilcox street, by route of a back window, and took his pants from a bedroom, in which there were \$22 in money, and two watches. Mrs. Cone heard them, but thought Walter had got up and was walking about. The pants were found near Elton Gauntlett's house on East Main street. It was evidently the work of some one in Milan. It is a great loss to Mr. and Mrs. Cone.—Milan Leader.

AFTER COAL. S. J. Reynolds, of Saginaw, and S. G. Reynolds, of Lawton, were in town ten days and leased 1,200 acres of land lying adjacent to the railroad on both sides. They are very earnest in the matter, and seem to feel certain that coal in paying quantities will be found in this vicinity. S. G. Reynolds, better known as Gut-tave lived at Oakville until about 13 years ago, when he moved to Lawton, and of course is known to almost every one here, is the prime mover in the deal. They left Saturday morning for Saginaw, where they will make a map of their lease and perfect their plans to put down test holes in the near future. If they are successful in finding coal it will mean a boom for the town and surrounding country.—Whittaker Item Milan Leader.

DR. KING'S NEW DISCOVERY FOR CONSUMPTION, COUGHS AND COLDS. Safe, certain, quick and pleasant to take. The only genuine cure for all Lung Diseases. Physicians Pronounced His Trouble Consumption. "I had a constant cough," writes W. L. Nelms, of Temple, Tex., "and physicians pronounced my trouble Consumption. I ran down in weight to 122 lbs. After taking Dr. King's New Discovery, I gained 32 lbs., lost my cough, and feel better than for 10 years past." TRIAL BOTTLES FREE. ONE DOES GIVES RELIEF. BANK DRUG STORE.

When leading physicians said that W. M. Smithart, of Pekin, Ia., had incurable consumption, his last hope vanished; but Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds, kept him out of his grave. He says: "This great specific completely cured me, and saved my life. Since then, I have used it for 10 years, and consider it a marvelous throat and lung cure." Strictly scientific cure for coughs, sore throat or colds; sure preventive of pneumonia. Guaranteed, 50c and \$1.00 bottles at Bank Drug Store. Trial bottle free.

Odd Incident Which Foretold Tragedy Occurs on Railway Train in England. London.—While traveling in a train from lower Edmonton on the Great Eastern railway, a woman named Maggie Murphy suddenly up and exclaimed to her companion, a commercial traveler named Mason, that she had seen a face at the window.

A few minutes later she saw the face again, so Mason opened the window and looked out, but could see no one. A little later the train pulled up at Seven Sisters station, and the door of a carriage was found to be open.

Investigation resulted in the finding on the line of the dead body of Ernest Sarsons, a butcher.

At the inquest it was stated that Sarsons had apparently said good-by to Mason and the woman on the platform at lower Edmonton. They had all had drinks together, and Sarsons was under the influence of liquor. The coroner's theory was that Sarsons got on to the footboard of the moving train to peep into the carriage, and so met his death. A verdict to this effect was returned.

Frightful Sufferings Relieved. Suffering frightfully from the virulent poisons of unrefined food, C. G. Grayson, of Luna, Miss., took Dr. King's New Life Pills, "with the result," he writes, "that I was cured." All stomach and bowel disorders give way to their tonic, laxative properties. 25c at the Bank Drug Store, guarant. teed.

Amish Leaves Queer Will. The will of Joseph Bailey, of Mattoon, Ill., which has just been filed in the probate court of that county, is a unique instrument. The testator, who is a member of the Amish sect, left an estate valued at \$20,000. One-third of it was left to his wife absolutely, and she was given a life estate in the remainder. At her decease the two-thirds is to be sold and the proceeds divided in equal shares among 22 nephews and nieces of her husband, all of whom reside in France and Germany.

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

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

EVEN IF YOU HAD A NECK AS LONG AS THIS FELLOW AND HAD SORE THROAT ALL THE WAY DOWN Tonsiline WOULD QUICKLY CURE IT.

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Short breath, pain around heart, palpitation, fluttering, dizzy, fainting and smothering spells should not be neglected. Take Dr. Miles' Heart Cure and see how quick you will be relieved.

It cannot make a new heart, but will restore a sick one by strengthening the heart nerves and muscles, relieving the unnatural strain, and restoring its vitality.

"I had a very bad case of heart trouble. For six months I could not work. Last July I was plowing corn and feeling bad all day; in the afternoon in plowing one row I had to lay down, or fall down, three times. My heart throbbled as though it would burst through, and I purchased a bottle of Dr. Miles' Heart Cure, and lay down and sleep all night. Previously I had to get up from five to ten times a night. I have taken several bottles, and my heart is as regular as clock work. I feel like a new man, and can work considerable for an old man, 84 1/2 years old."

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STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WASHTENAW, ss. In the matter of the estate of Charles E. Chaudler, deceased.

Notice is hereby given, that in pursuance of an order granted to the undersigned administrator of the estate of the deceased by the Honorable Judge Probate, for the County of Washtenaw on the 4th day of April 1905, there is to be sold at public vendue, to the highest bidder at the west front door of dwelling house on the premises hereafter described in the village of Chelsea on Saturday the 20th day of May 1905 at one o'clock in the afternoon that day, subject to all encumbrances by mortgage or otherwise existing at the time of the death of said deceased of the time of such sale.

The following described real estate to-wit: Situated in the Village of Chelsea, County of Washtenaw, State of Michigan known and described as follows: Lot Number One (1) in Block Seventeen (17) E. Congdon's Third addition to the Village of Chelsea as said according to the recorded plat of all occupied as one parcel and as a residence property with two frame dwelling house and addition covering the western portion of said lot with the frame barn thereon, etc.

Dated Chelsea Michigan, April 17, 1905. HERBERT D. WITHERELL, Administrator of the estate of the deceased.

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It does not necessarily mean that you are along in years to wear glasses, but wear by artificial light, etc., causes your eyes to over one-half the people. Only improved instruments used in testing.

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Wine of Cardui Cured Her.

213 South Prior Street. ATLANTA, GA., March 21, 1905.

I suffered for four months with extreme nervousness and lassitude. I had a sinking feeling in my stomach which no medicine seemed to relieve, and losing my appetite. I became weak and lost my vitality. In three weeks I lost fourteen pounds of flesh and felt that I was finding speedy relief to regain my health. Having heard of Wine of Cardui praised by several of my friends, I sent for a bottle and the result. Within three days my appetite returned and my stomach troubled me no more. I could digest my food without difficulty and the nervousness gradually diminished. Nature performed her functions without difficulty and I am once more a happy and well woman.

OLIVE JOSEPH. From Atlanta Friday Night.

Secure a Dollar Bottle Wine of Cardui Today.

TRAVELERS RAILWAY GUIDE. 25 CENTS. ISS ADAMS STREET.

When you read The Standard you are always sure of bargains.

Uncle Russell Sage has recovered from his severe illness. But it was terribly expensive.

And now George Meredith has indited an ode to the czar. It never rains but it pours.

Another reason for the popularity of the short skirt is the necessity it involves of wearing \$7 shoes.

A Chicago university professor succeeds Dr. Osler at Johns Hopkins. So the fun may not be all over yet.

Says Dr. Patton, "Language is thought's pottery." And the doctor seems to have a good grade on it, too.

Widows are said to live longer than any other human beings, but you wouldn't think it when they tell their ages.

A Pennsylvania court has decided that a man is master in his own home." He is legally entitled to feel that way.

That New Jersey preacher who eloped because "he was short in his cash," could hardly have been long on religion, either.

New York has a man without any brains. He ought to shine brilliantly at the monkey dinners and other functions of the 400.

The Eastern man who tried to force a mule to drink, with disastrous results, has evidently never spent much time in the south.

A Chicago college professor thinks that students should do their studying at night. When does he expect them to do their mischief?

Kyrle Bellow says actors are born and not made. It is painful to think that all the persons who are trying to act were born that way.

The man who always does cheerfully everything that is expected of him will find pretty soon that a heap of things are expected of him.

A Pennsylvania truck farmer is going to plant 25,000 cabbages, so that all will not be lost, even if the Connecticut tobacco crop falls short.

A dispatch says a hostler was kicked by a horse he had been grooming for nearly two years. Probably the horse got tired and nervous.

One of Boston's fair girl authors is of the opinion that men are much more beautiful than women. What a mother-in-law that woman would make!

The fashion editor says the wedding gown has one great advantage over all other costumes. This must be that it generally doesn't have to be bought but once.

Will that Philadelphia woman be good enough to explain how a man can osculate a la Netherlands without the hearty co-operation of the party of the second part?

Cadets at West Point and Annapolis are to be taught jiu-jitsu. It may not do them much good in war, but perhaps it will enable them to improve their football records.

Noting the tendency of the British nobility, King Alfonso of Spain rather thinks he will look to this country for a bride. Alfonso seems to be a bit of an Anglomaniac.

Admiral Lord Charles Beresford thinks the last of the world's great wars is being fought. He evidently forgets that there is to be a big fight for the pennant this year.

One of the great pyramids of Egypt has been struck by lightning, and by all accounts the lightning got considerably the worst of it. They were no jerry builders, those ancient Egyptians.

Sir Thomas Lipton writes from the Indian ocean that he is determined to have one more try for the America cup. He has money enough. All he needs is a designer who can make a winning yacht.

On thinking it over you will perceive that "the natural actor, Mr. Robert Fitzsimmons" is none other than the accomplished artist who rose to fame by punching Jim Corbett in the solar plexus.

Sixth century scientists were acquainted with 67 different kinds of mosquitoes. New Jersey people who accept the doctrine of the survival of the fittest must be glad they didn't live in the sixth century.

Mrs. Craigie, the English novelist, says women are unfit to sit on juries because their nature does not contain the element of justice. Every man who has been caught in wickedness by his wife will indorse Mrs. Craigie's declaration.

The diplococus, concerning which the scientists are doing a great deal of talking, is described as a genus of sauropod dinosaur characterized by a weak dentition. If it had a strong dentition, they wouldn't dare call it these names.

THE SUDDEN CLOSING OF THE OSWOSO PRIVATE BANK SEEMS MYSTERIOUS.

DOORS CLOSED WITHOUT WARNING DURING BUSINESS HOURS; TRUSTEE IN CHARGE.

HEALTH BOARD'S REPORT OF DEATHS FROM THE DREADED MENINGITIS.

Closed to Protect Depositors. The private bank of M. L. Stewart & Co., of Owosso, on Saturday started the business community as it was totally unexpected.

The closed bank was an old institution, having been started some forty years ago. For the six months past it has been steadily losing business on account of the fact that it paid but 3 per cent interest on deposits.

The only statement given out at the suspension was that it was due to the inability of the Owosso Carriage Co., of which C. D. Stewart, vice-president of the bank, is one of the largest stockholders.

According to the vital statistics of the secretary of state, meningitis, from which resulted 59 deaths in February, caused 54 deaths in March.

The entire silk stock stolen from the dry goods store of L. W. Robinson of Battle Creek last week was found in the back yard of Mrs. Annie Bailey's residence.

Several farmers in Oxford and vicinity are sowing speltz, a new cereal, as an experiment. The grain has a dark berry, is sweet and makes excellent bread.

Mrs. J. McCarthy, of Otterburn, has asked the officers to find her husband for her. He left home last week to get some medicine for a sick horse.

The rule of three was made good in Lapeer when Nelson Miles fell from a land roller and was picked up unconscious.

Gordon, of Marquette, induced the private corporations committee to report favorably his bill to prohibit the manufacture of slot machines.

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 Zoumridis.

The inventory of the estate of Chas. H. Hackley, Muskegon, deceased millionaire, has been completed.

The decomposed body of August Nelson, who disappeared from Cadillac Sept. 18 last, was found in the woods by hunters and identified by his watch and other articles on his clothes.

The board of supervisors placed the proposition of rebuilding the court house in Stanton in the hands of the building committee, thus ending a hot contest between Stanton and Greenville.

F. T. Lovejoy, Pittsburg millionaire, will build a palace costing \$1,000,000 in Colorado Springs, Colo.

In Baltimore a rabbit has been inoculated with spotted fever by scientists, who hope thus to obtain a cure for the dreaded disease.

New York legislature has passed a bill making it illegal to drop the "O" on "hello," or to transpose the same when bawling into a refractory telephone.

Once a power in New Jersey politics, formerly mayor of Trenton and a wealthy man, Frank A. Magowan, reduced to poverty by a series of family and business scandals, is dying in a street from exposure and starvation.

The two Kansas cities were "dry" towns Sunday, the closing law being rigidly enforced.

Because he was questioned as to his belief in regard to spirits, Reuben De Armon, an old man testifying in a lawsuit in circuit court in Owosso, left the stand and the courtroom in high temper Tuesday afternoon.

The senate judiciary committee has practically smothered Senator Rumer's bill calling for the abolition of the pardon board, and no legislation along those lines is expected at the hands of the present legislature.

Suits have been commenced against the Ann Arbor railroad by Dennis Harding and the administrator of the Fred Myer estate for \$10,000 and \$25,000, respectively.

Reverend Stonehouse, of Grand Rapids, who had worked up in the mail service to the rank of first substitute mail carrier, was ready for appointment, which was not given a job, as on his bond on account of his confession that he accepted a bribe in the water deal case.

A FIGHT BETWEEN SCOUTING CRUISERS SEEMS TO BE ALL SO FAR.

TOGO THOUGHT TO BE SCHEMING TO WEAKEN RUSSIAN FLEET GRADUALLY.

RUSSIAN AND ENGLISH VIEWS OF 'THE COMING NAVAL BATTLE.'

British naval men comment on the lack of secrecy regarding Admiral Rojestvensky's movements since his arrival in far eastern waters.

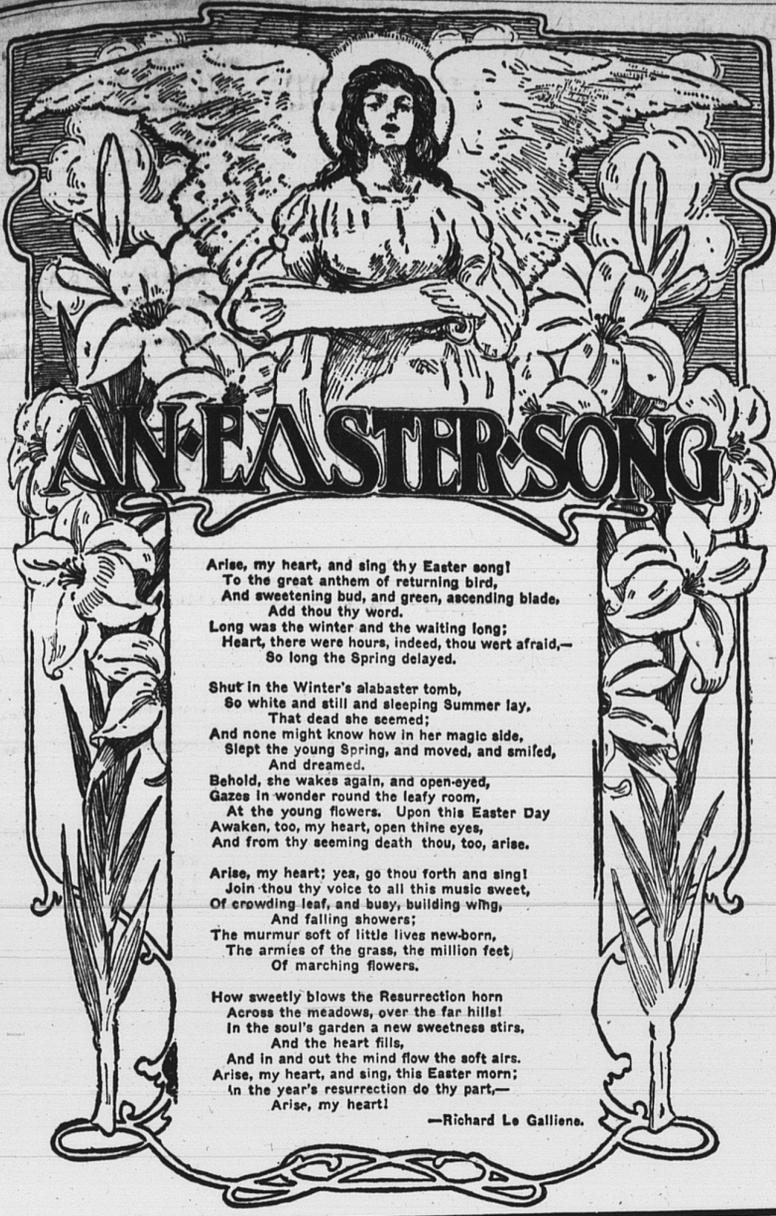
A Small Scrap. A report from Manila says that fighting has begun between the Russian and Japanese fleets near the Palawan islands, part of the Philippines group.

The Lovell bill, which reduces the number of tax commissioners from five to three, has been given a favorable report by the house committee on general taxation.

Chicago Is Not Nice. Two Chicago women are said to form a link in the chain of evidence which the government is trying to forge around the packers.

East Buffalo—Best export steers, \$6 50; best 1,200 to 1,300-pound shipping steers, \$5 00; 900 to 1,000, \$4 50; 500 to 600, \$4 00.

CHICAGO—Cash quotations follow: No. 1, \$1.02; No. 2, \$1.01; No. 3, \$1.00; No. 4, \$0.99; No. 5, \$0.98; No. 6, \$0.97; No. 7, \$0.96; No. 8, \$0.95; No. 9, \$0.94; No. 10, \$0.93; No. 11, \$0.92; No. 12, \$0.91; No. 13, \$0.90; No. 14, \$0.89; No. 15, \$0.88; No. 16, \$0.87; No. 17, \$0.86; No. 18, \$0.85; No. 19, \$0.84; No. 20, \$0.83; No. 21, \$0.82; No. 22, \$0.81; No. 23, \$0.80; No. 24, \$0.79; No. 25, \$0.78; No. 26, \$0.77; No. 27, \$0.76; No. 28, \$0.75; No. 29, \$0.74; No. 30, \$0.73; No. 31, \$0.72; No. 32, \$0.71; No. 33, \$0.70; No. 34, \$0.69; No. 35, \$0.68; No. 36, \$0.67; No. 37, \$0.66; No. 38, \$0.65; No. 39, \$0.64; No. 40, \$0.63; No. 41, \$0.62; No. 42, \$0.61; No. 43, \$0.60; No. 44, \$0.59; No. 45, \$0.58; No. 46, \$0.57; No. 47, \$0.56; No. 48, \$0.55; No. 49, \$0.54; No. 50, \$0.53; No. 51, \$0.52; No. 52, \$0.51; No. 53, \$0.50; No. 54, \$0.49; No. 55, \$0.48; No. 56, \$0.47; No. 57, \$0.46; No. 58, \$0.45; No. 59, \$0.44; No. 60, \$0.43; No. 61, \$0.42; No. 62, \$0.41; 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Arise, my heart, and sing thy Easter song!
To the great anthem of returning bird,
And sweetening bud, and green, ascending blade,
Add thou thy word.

Long was the winter and the waiting long;
Heart, there were hours, indeed, thou wert afraid,—
So long the Spring delayed.

Shut in the Winter's alabaster tomb,
So white and still and sleeping Summer lay,
That dead she seemed;
And none might know how in her magic side,
Slept the young Spring, and moved, and smiled,
And dreamed.

Behold, she wakes again, and open-eyed,
Gazes in wonder round the leafy room,
At the young flowers. Upon this Easter Day
Awaken, too, my heart, open thine eyes,
And from thy seeming death thou, too, arise.

Arise, my heart; yes, go thou forth and sing!
Join thou thy voice to all this music sweet,
Of crowding leaf, and busy, building wing,
And falling showers;
The murmur soft of little lives new-born,
The armies of the grass, the million feet,
Of marching flowers.

How sweetly blows the Resurrection horn
Across the meadows, over the far hills!
In the soul's garden a new sweetness stirs,
And the heart fills,
And in and out the mind flow the soft airs.
Arise, my heart, and sing, this Easter morn;
In the year's resurrection do thy part,—
Arise, my heart!

—Richard Le Gallien.

ORIGIN OF THE EASTER FESTIVAL

By J. F. CARRERE

The name Easter is of Saxon origin, being derived from that of the Goddess Estera, in whose honor sacrifices and celebrations took place at the opening of spring. With the advent of Christianity these heathen ceremonies were discontinued, but as they had occurred at the time of the year when the resurrection of Christ was celebrated by the church the old name was applied to the new festival. With the Latin races, however, the crucifixion and resurrection of Christ having occurred at the time of the Jewish Passover, they have called the festival by a name suggesting that fact, thus the French name for Easter is Paques and the Spanish Pascua.

As with all the other great festivals of the church, the date when Easter should be celebrated has been the cause of bitter controversy. The Eastern church insisted that it should be celebrated on the day of the month on which the event commemorated occurred, and as the crucifixion is supposed to have taken place on the fourteenth of Nisan, the first Jewish month or Passover, on that date it was commemorated, and the resurrection two days later, on the sixteenth, regardless of whether those dates came on Friday and Sunday or not. The Western church entirely discarded the day of the month in arranging for the celebration and insisted that the crucifixion should always be commemorated on a Friday and the resurrection on a Sunday. The matter finally came up for adjustment before the Council of Nice, in 325, which decided in favor of the Western contention, but the Eastern church refused to change its custom and thus gave rise to what is known as the "quartodeciman heresy."

At the time of the adoption of the Gregorian calendar it was debated whether the feast of Easter should be given a fixed date or left movable as before, and the decision was finally reached in favor of the latter plan, as conforming to the ancient custom of the church. Easter therefore is always the first Sunday after the full moon which happens upon or next after the 21st of March (the equinox), unless the full moon occur on Sunday, when Easter is the following Sunday. It must be remembered, however, that it is not the actual moon in the heavens nor even the mean moon of the astronomers that regulates the time of Easter, but an altogether imaginary moon, whose periods are so contrived that the new (calendar) moon always follows the real new moon sometimes by two or even three days. The effect of this is that the 14th of the calendar moon, which had from the times of Moses been considered full moon for ecclesiastical purposes, generally fell on the 15th or 16th of the real moon and

thus after the real full moon, which is generally on the 14th or 15th of the month. With this explanation then of what is meant by the full moon, namely, that it is the 14th of the calendar moon, the rule is that Easter day is always the first Sunday after the Pascal full moon, which happens upon or next after the 21st of March, and if the full moon happens on a Sunday, then Easter is the Sunday following. One object of this arrangement was that Easter and the Jewish Passover should not coincide. Easter is always between March 22 and April 25. The last time Easter came on March 22 was in 1818 and it will not occur that early again in this century.

It may prove interesting to those who are mathematically inclined to figure out when Easter will occur in any given year in this century. If, as here is a rule they can follow: First, divide the date of the year by 19 and call the remainder a; divide the date of the year by 4 and call the remainder b, then divide the date of the year by 7 and call the remainder c. Second, divide 19a plus 24 by 30 and call the remainder d. Third, divide 2b plus 4 plus 6d plus 5 by 7 and call the remainder e; then Easter will be the 22d plus d plus e of March; or the d plus e minus 9 of April. There are two exceptions to that rule: If Easter falls under the calculation on April 26, put it back to the 19th of that month, and when it falls on April 25, put it back to the 18th unless e equal 29 and e equal 5.

With the substitution of Easter for the old festival of the Goddess Estera all the old customs of the Saxons were not abandoned, but, on the contrary, were preserved and Christianized. Thus the custom of giving eggs, many of them beautifully colored, to friends at Easter was kept up and the eggs were blessed by the church. From the earliest ages the egg has been considered as a symbol of the beginning of life and therefore was considered a very appropriate present at the beginning of spring, when all life is budding out and beginning anew. The custom of "picking eggs," that is to say, of striking their points together, which is a favorite amusement with boys in the Eastern States, is also probably of very ancient origin, and was probably practiced by the ancestors of our juvenile Americans of to-day centuries ago. In Washington, Easter Monday is the great children's day of the year. On that day thousands of children congregate on the rolling lawn behind the White House and the Marine Band discourses lively music they amuse themselves rolling eggs down the lawn. All the week previous to Easter has been a series of commemoration in the church, Thursday, Friday and Saturday being especially solemn fes-

tivals; Thursday in commemoration of the Lord's supper, Friday of his crucifixion and Saturday the Easter celebration really begins. In many parts of Europe, especially in Russia, and during the middle ages, services were held all night before Easter until cockcrow, which is the hour at which the resurrection is supposed to have taken place. The devout remained for hours in prayer until morning, when they at once saluted each other with the salutation, "Christ is risen," to which the answer was, "Yes, he is truly risen." That form of salutation is still the one in Russia Easter morn. In continental Europe, however, and in Great Britain the church began the celebration of Easter at the mass of the previous day, or Saturday, and the bells on the churches, which had been silent since Thursday, were again rung during the service.

At the Saturday service, too, in the Catholic churches a large candle is blessed, and also the new fire to recall the resurrection of Christ, the candle forming a conspicuous object in the sanctuaries of the churches until Ascension day, forty days later. The season is of course one of great rejoicing after the fasts of Lent and formerly was celebrated with a number of festivities which, according to our modern ideas, are hardly connected with an ecclesiastical event. Thus in France it was customary to play a game of ball, in which the participants were Bishops, Canons and other church dignitaries. There were dances in France as late as the seventeenth century and other signs of joy and happiness. The law courts were all closed and business seems to have been generally suspended. In England Easter has been celebrated as a Christian festival since 669, and although the Puritans abolished it, as they did Christmas and other church celebrations, it has been revived and given much of its ancient splendor. In this country all the churches observe it with special music, and the fair sex make it the special occasion for appearing with their latest novelties in bonnets.

Lily, Emblem of Spring.

Legends in plenty cluster about the lily; one legend of very ancient date gives the supposed origin of "the lily" of all children of the spring the palest; fairest, too, where fair ones are." Long centuries ago angels coming as celestial visitants to earth, found it here and gloomy in comparison with the eternal blooms of their home in Paradise. They entered rocky tombs and took the shining mantles of the blessed dead and changed them to flowers. From this comes the beautiful and poetic superstition that on Easter morning in every lily bud is hidden an angel.

HELP FOR BACKWARD CHILDREN

Prussia and Norway Have Excellent Systems in Operation.

In Prussia a law has been in force since 1880 compelling cities of 20,000 or more inhabitants to support separate schools for children unusually backward in their studies. Only children are admitted who have been in elementary schools for two years and have been unable to do the work. Here these backward children have special attention. Six years is the duration of the course. These schools are called "auxiliary" and are generally in the same buildings with the other schools. The time of opening and closing is fifteen minutes later than the other schools. The teachers of these auxiliary schools have the same salaries as in the regular schools and a bonus of from \$25 to \$100 a year. The quality of the children entering these schools differs greatly if we may judge by the returns from the schools. Of the children leaving these schools capable of making their own living the percentages one year were: Aix, 68; Dusseldorf, 80; Cologne, 87; Brunswick, 90; Dresden and Hanover, 100.

In Norway the children that reach these schools are later divided into three classes. The first class are brightened up and returned to the public schools, the second class spend their whole school lives in these special schools, while the third class, consisting of those children whose mental condition is too low to make day school work with them possible, are sent to an institution for mentally deficient children.

Power of Prayer.

Rev. P. G. Elsom, who conducted a revival at the Baptist church here several years ago, and who is well known to Reidsville people, is a firm believer in prayers, and those who agree with him will not be surprised to hear of this incident:

Mr. Elsom went to the ticket office at Danville and called for a ticket to Franklin Junction. The agent politely informed him that all but the fast train had departed and that it would be impossible for that train to stop there. Mr. Elsom told him that he was assisting in a revival and had an appointment for 3 o'clock that afternoon at Franklin Junction.

His persuasive powers were of no avail to the ticket agent, but when No. 36 pulled out of Danville it contained Rev. Mr. Elsom as a passenger, who, when the train was leaving the city, fell upon his knees and began to pray. As soon as he completed his prayer he arose and peeped out of the window to find that the train had come to a standstill just opposite the place at which he had an appointment. It was learned that the train was stopped on account of a hot box. —Reidsville Correspondence in Charlotte Observer.

Made All the Difference.

They were sitting by chance at the same table in the cafe of the New Willard hotel, waiting for a lunch, on inauguration day, and each seemed to desire to start conversation with the other. "Never saw so many negroes in all my life as there are here in Washington," said one of the men. "They are on all sides, and it seems to me as though fully a third of the population of the city is black. Where do they all come from?"

The other man looked surprised. "Why, I never saw so many white people in my life in proportion to the number of negroes," said the other man. "It seems to me that Washington has a remarkably small negro population. Where do you come from, anyway?"

"Augusta, Me.," replied the first speaker. "And you?"

"Columbia, S. C.," said the other.

Good Company.

The late Dr. McGregor of Rhode Island, widely known as a "good shepherd of his flock," told the following story at a dinner of the Congregational club in Providence, of which he was the president some years ago:

"In a small parish in which I was minister in my younger days was a Scotchman who rarely attended public worship. Meeting him one day, and reproaching him as a backslider, he vindicated himself on the plea of a dislike to long sermons.

"Indeed," I said, "if you dinna mend, ye may land yersel where ye will no be troubled wi' mony sermons, lang or short."

"Weel," retorted Sandy, "but it may na be for want o' ministers."

Marsh Lights.

From the marshes and meadows they rise
When the last ray of daylight expires;
With a vast constellation of fires
They people the dusk of the skies.

In an intricate kind of a dance,
In a mystical maze they are led,
And I watch them it noiselessly tread
With eyes that are heavy with trance.

And oft from the whirl and the throng
Some lesser light dies in the play;
They cease not their dance but always
Go circling and whirling along.

And, watching, I dream that my life
Is a mirtheless dance that we tread,
Not pausing to number the dead
That vanish away in the strife!

We are sparks from the marsh that are filled
For a moment with impulse, desire;
A moment is ours to inspire,
A moment—and then all is stilled!
—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

No Doubt About His Business.

Lawyer Thomas Riley of Boston, while trying a case before a jury in the superior court, stood up to cross-examine a witness whose testimony was very damaging to his case. "On the night in question, Mr. Witness," he began, "did you not have several drinks of whisky?" "That's my business," answered the witness. "I know it's your business," quickly responded Mr. Riley, "but were you attending to it?"



AFTER THE PAINTING BY H. HOFFMANN

Easter

When mankind began to emerge from the brute condition, and to be dimly conscious of himself as related to others, and to what went on in nature all about him, one of the first things to impress him strongly must have been the changes from season to season, and especially the marvelous transition from the bleak frigidly and seeming death of winter to the opening life and abounding joyousness of spring.

Driven for shelter during the long prevalence of cold to the dark caverns, where his remains are found with those of many extinct species of animals, it must have been like the dawning of a new existence when he was able to come out into the genial sunshine and feel the fresh life reclothing the trees and fields and renewing for his use the denizens of stream and forest. Everything that he could not explain was to him a miracle, and every separate manifestation of power, whether beneficent or hostile, he attributed to different deities. It was doubtless in the early stages of civilization, perhaps even antedating it, that the propensity of human nature to signalize marked periods and great events in individual life or tribal and national existence by some observance first manifested itself, and among the earliest festivals established was the one which celebrated the Goddess of Spring, and which is perpetuated in our Easter. Her Anglo-Saxon name was Eostre. From which our name Easter comes.

There was no such observance in the early church, as testified to by historians, but it soon grew up, and was at first preceded by only a single fast day. Gradually, based on a Babylonian fast of forty days, on legends of Buddha and Zoroaster having been tempered and having fasted forty days in the wilderness, and on the story of Jesus' fasting and temptation by the Devil, the period was prolonged to forty days, and after long disputes growing out of differences in the Gentile and Jewish churches the time for the celebration of Easter was fixed, supposedly by Pope Pius I; but it was not till the Council of Nice that the controversy was finally settled and the rule established that Easter must be celebrated on the first Sunday after the 14th of the calendar moon which happens on or next after March 21. It commemorates, of course, as now in use, the story of the resurrection of Jesus, and at the same time bears evidence to the persistence with which old legends and customs survive.

The ecclesiastical historian Sozomen says that neither Christ nor his Apostles enjoined the keeping of this or any other festival. "The Apostles," he says, "had no thought of appointing festival days, but of promoting a life of blamelessness and piety," and he says Easter was introduced as the perpetuation of an old usage, "just as many other customs have been established."

We have seen that the ancient Anglo-Saxons had a spring festival, and we find that the Egyptians celebrated the death of Osiris with sad rites and his resurrection with joyful feasts and ceremonies for untold generations, with all the confidence and satisfaction that believers now experience. The great central fact was, and remains, the renewal of life. To us, as to all who have gone before us, life is the supreme mystery. The astronomers and microscopists sweep the skies and peer into the minutest organized forms, asking what it is, and whence, but no answer comes back. The chemist pursues its manifestations through all his manifold pro-

cesses, till it seems almost within his grasp; but it eludes him. It seems to have deserted the bare branches, and the withered grass, but behold again the buds are swelling, fresh blades of living green clothe the sward, and everywhere, borne on the air, spread all over the earth, swarming in the mighty deep in forms of varied beauty, blooming in the flower, singing in the bird, striving and loving in men, throbs and pulsates from shores beyond our ken the vast tide of life, life—joyous, all-pervading life.

It is not alone to-day those who base their hope of existence unending on the bodily resurrection of Jesus, in which they believe, who are rejoicing, but millions the world over, Buddhists and Mohammedans, Confucians and Brahmins, as well as men of no creed, find in the renewed vitality all about them the sign and promise that for all who share the abounding life which flows out from the bosom of the Great Father of all will dawn at last an Easter morning whose radiance shall never be shadowed by suffering or sorrow, and whose sun shall know no setting.

The Russian Festival.

The Russian Easter, with its festival joy, coincides with the beginning of spring. So very early is it—for that latitude—that on the preceding Sunday, Palm Sunday, pussy willows are used instead of palms, in every Russian dwelling, from the emperor's palace to the hut of the poorest peasant, simply because they are the only plant which shows a sign of life in that land of the far north. Easter in Europe corresponds with the Easter of the western world occasionally. Gradually it falls a week later, though occasionally the interval is much greater. Russia still uses the Julian calendar, which is now 13 days out of reckoning with the Gregorian calendar used by the nations of the west. A movement is on foot to provide an entirely new calendar, which the Russian mathematicians and astronomers guarantee shall be far more accurate than the Gregorian, and run for centuries without the need of a second's correction. As the Gregorian calendar emanated from Roman Catholic sources, they will have none of that. But something must be done; otherwise, say the progressive scientists who favor the change, Easter will eventually fall in July, Christmas in the spring, and so on.

Easter is the grand festival of the Russian year; therefore, for weeks beforehand every one is busy with the sort of preparations which people in America make before Christmas. A gift, be it only a gaily colored egg, is almost obligatory, though all gifts are known as "eggs." The grand feature of the day is, of course, the church service. In fact, the church festivals are also the national festivals of Russia (though the emperor is not, as foreigners imagine, the head of the church); and almost every "function," in court or private life, begins with a religious service of some sort. About the only exceptions to this rule are balls and theatrical spectacles. The matins service begins at midnight, and is followed by the liturgy. The usual service in the middle of the morning is omitted, and most people are in their beds, recovering from the open-eyed night. Naturally, the most magnificent celebration is at the cathedral of the Winter Palace, in St. Petersburg, where the presence of the emperor, empress and all the court in full dress and uniforms adds to the magnificence of the service as a spectacle.

DAIRY NOTES

Abusing the Hand Separator.
There are two ways of abusing the hand separator—one by misusing it and the other by malingering it. But for neither of these is the hand separator to blame. The hand separator has become so popular that in some of our states the number of hand separators in use doubled annually for a number of years, and it is now estimated that in some states the machines are now in active service on one-third of the farms that are supplying cream or milk to factories.

This increase in number of hand separators in use has of course been increased by the number of central butter-making plants. With the increase of these plants have come new methods and new men. Not only are there new men at the central butter-making plants, but all of the patrons that have the hand separators are somewhat new at the business. The latter have not learned how to properly take care of a separator, and thence comes one kind of abuse. The milk is run through it and the separator is not washed, the farmer having somehow obtained the idea that once a day is often enough to clean the machine. From the time of separating the morning's milk till the time for separating the evening's milk the films of milk are left in the machine and in that time dry on. Moreover much of the slime that accumulates in the bowl continues to remain there throughout the day. This is bad in winter and worse in summer.

Is it any wonder that the milk that goes through such a separator becomes bad in less than twenty-four hours in summer time, or that the cream separated by a machine so kept ripens too rapidly in the cream vat or has in it taints that lower the quality of the butter? Then begins the abuse by the creamery butter-maker. He declares that cream from hand separators is bad and that they ought to be driven out of the state.

But it is clear that the men are the ones that are responsible. The first man was to blame for not caring for the separator as it should be cared for, and the second man was to blame for not putting the blame where it belonged. It is absurd to talk of discarding a good thing because some of the men that have them are too lazy or careless to keep them clean.

Temptation in the Overrun.

We notice in the report of an Iowa creamery that 27,678 pounds of butter were credited to the overrun. This is on a total production of butter by the creamery of 174,390 pounds of butter. This was made from 146,612 pounds of butter fat. This overrun figured out in per cent gives 18.88 per cent. This is at least 3 per cent more than the average overrun. It is safe to assume that a very large part of this overrun consists of water. In some of the dairy districts of the West there has been shown a strong tendency to increase the overrun by the incorporation of a very large amount of water. We believe this amounts to a tendency to deceive the consumers of butter. Prominent instructors in some of our noted dairy states have been telling the people how to increase the amount of water in butter. Buttermakers in creameries that used to incorporate only about 12 per cent of water in their butter have learned to incorporate 16 per cent. The buttermaker of the creamery above referred to boasts that the increased overrun of his factory sufficed to pay his own salary and the salary of his helper within about \$23.

It is generally acknowledged that the best keeping butter contains a comparatively small amount of water, even as low as 8 or 10 per cent. The government in fixing the legal standard at 16 per cent saw that it was necessary to place some obstacle in the way of this artificial increase in the moisture content of butter. We believe that this tendency to increase the overrun should be discouraged.—Farmers' Review.

16 Per Cent Low Enough.

The United States government made a ruling about two years ago that any butter found on the market containing more than 16 per cent of water would be considered adulterated. A large number of creamery buttermakers and a few farm buttermakers had trouble with government inspectors because their butter when sold on the market was found to contain moisture in excess of 16 per cent. It is not probable that in all cases this excess of water contained was intentional on the part of the buttermakers. Especially on farms, the buttermakers have no way of telling how much water their butter contains. When the temperature is in the nineties in the summer time the churning is certain to incorporate more than the legal amount of moisture, as the higher the temperature the greater amount of moisture incorporated. We notice that some of our contemporaries are advocating that the government lower the standard to about 14 per cent. We believe that the present standard is low enough; for the lower the standard the more certain it is to be exceeded by the makers of butter or the farm.

Orchardists are now awaking to the fact that the humus in the soil must be conserved. In the past the soils of the orchards have been deprived of humus by too constant croppings.

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The big snow storm of April 6, 1886, has never been equaled on that date in Michigan.

With nearly \$350,000,000 gold output during the past year, the world will continue to do business.

The Missouri supreme court says a farmer is not a hawker or peddler consequently needs no license to retail his products in town.

Again the tobacco trust has received a blow. The man who claimed to be the greatest tobacco chewer in the world has just passed away.

Argentina is the United States of South America. It is made up of fourteen states and nine territories. The population is about 5,000,000.

The twenty-second annual report of the Michigan bureau of labor, and the twelfth annual report of the state factory inspectors has been issued.

A clipping bureau in Greater New York has got out a book of 3,000 pages to show how President Roosevelt was elected. He received the people's vote—that's how.

Gov. Warner has issued a proclamation naming Friday, April 28, as Arbor day, and urging that appropriate observance of it be followed in all public schools and by the people at large.

Some changes in the Michigan Central time card are announced for the near future. It is expected that the fast trains, Nos. 19 and 20, will be put on and make the distance between Chicago and New York in twenty hours by the schedule.

It is calculated that the natural gas burned in the United States in one year would fill, at the average density and pressure, a pipe forty-nine feet in inside diameter, extending around the world at the equator. It would equal the contents of a reservoir a mile square and a mile and six-tenths in height. Its heating value is reckoned as about equivalent to 12,000,000 tons of good bituminous coal.

TRI-COUNTY MEET.

Although the cold weather has somewhat hampered the work of the local high school track team they have been practicing the past week, for the tri-county meet which is to be held at Plymouth, probably May 13. The local school will send a full team, and it is not expected that many first places will be won by the locals, they expect to win a majority of the remaining places. The D. Y. A. & J. Ry. have granted a rate of 75 cents to Wayne and return and the D. P. & N. Ry. a rate of 25 cents between Wayne and Plymouth, making the round trip for \$1.00. It is expected that a large number will go to attend the meet.

EASTER EXERCISES.

The Church of Our Lady of the Sacred Heart will be beautifully decorated for the great Feast of the Resurrection of Christ next Sunday. The choir has prepared special music in honor of the day. The pastor, Rev. Father Considine, will officiate at all the services and preach on the Resurrection. The collection will be an offering to the pastor by his faithful parishioners. The following is the musical program: Low Mass, 8 a. m. Easter Anthems by the members of St. Cecilia's choir. High Mass, 10:30 a. m. Rosewig's Mass for the first time in Chelsea. Offertory, Regina Coeli, Werner. Vespers and Benediction, 7:30 p. m. Vespers, Gregorian. Magnificat, Peter. O Salutaris, Remick, tenor solo, Mr. Louis Burg. Tantum Ergo, solo and chorus, Mr. Louis Burg, Miss Pauline Burg, and St. Mary's choir.

AMY BELLE WHALIAN

Miss Amy Belle Whalian was born at North Lake May 24, 1882, and died April 13, 1905, at the age of 22 years, 10 months and 20 days. She was converted and joined the M. E. church at North Lake while young in life. She loved her Savior and exemplified his spirit in her life.

She attended the N. L. school and after receiving her diploma there graduated from the Chelsea high school in 1902, and finished a course in the Michigan State Normal school at Ypsilanti, March 24, 1905. She was always one of the first in her classes, an exceptionally bright student, was very apt and active. Her sweet, cheerful spirit was an inspiration to those about her, and will remain with her many friends as an influence upon their lives.

The funeral was held at North Lake church, Sunday, April 16. Services were conducted by her former pastor, Rev. F. E. Pearce, of Delton, and Rev. G. W. Gordon.

Try The Standard job department.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Fred Chase was in Jackson Sunday. Alva Steger of Detroit was home Sunday. James P. Wood was a Detroit visitor Wednesday. John Eisenman of Jackson was in town Monday. Miss Mary Wunder of Jackson visited friends here Sunday. H. D. Witherell was in Mason on legal business Wednesday. Eugene McKernan and wife were Jackson visitors Saturday. Miss Moore of Jackson spent Sunday with Miss Lillian Hawley. Mrs. Earl Chase of Manchester spent the first of the week here. Miss Lula Smith of Byron is visiting at the home of James Speer. Miss Mary Redmond of Detroit spent Tuesday with Mrs. Ann Walsh. Mrs. M. Albr was a Manchester visitor the latter part of the past week. Miss Louise Lemele of Ann Arbor spent Sunday with relatives here. Warren Whipple and wife of Battle Creek were visitors here Sunday. Charles Kelly and Henry Schwikerath spent last Tuesday in Grass Lake. Miss Kate Stapish of Ann Arbor spent Sunday with her parents in Lyndon. Rollin and Herbert Schenk of Olivet are spending their vacation at home. Mrs. J. Jedele of Dexter spent the first of the week with relatives here. Edward Winters and wife of Cleveland, Ohio are guests of Chelsea relatives. Mrs. C. Bower accompanied by her mother has returned to her home in Albion. Mesdames J. Cummings, J. Geddes and Miss Ella Shimmer were Saturday in Jackson. Mrs. J. Berry and daughter of Stockbridge spent the past week with relatives here. Miss Ida Keusch of River Rouge is spending her vacation with her parents at this place. Misses Pauline and Rose Oesterle of Jackson were guests of their mother here Sunday. Mrs. H. M. Taylor of this place is spending some time at the home of her father in Isoco. Mrs. George P. Glazier and granddaughter, Dorothy Glazier were Detroit visitors Sunday. Charles Martin and wife of Dexter were guests at the home of D. H. Wurster Sunday. Frank Mellencamp and family of Ypsilanti are guests at the home of U. H. Townsend this week. Charles Cassidy and daughter, Anna and Mrs. Beach of Grass Lake visited relatives here over Sunday. Innocent Rademacher of Detroit is spending his vacation with his grandmother, Mrs. George Barthel.

FRENCH PHONOGRAPHS QUIT

An Old Law Dug Up in the Effort to Force the Payment of Royalties.

Paris.—You may travel from one end of France to the other and you will not find a single phonograph in action. Although there are about 12,000 places where you may ordinarily listen to the pseudo music of the Edison invention by dropping a sou in the slot, all these machines are silent because the court of appeals has decided that according to an old law passed 40 years ago to regulate the sale of music boxes and hand organs, phonographs infringe on the rights of the Society of Music Authors and Publishers.

The society demands a bonus of seven cents on every record sold, and as the Edison and the graphophone companies as well as the French companies say they cannot pay that unless some agreement is reached you will not be able to listen to a phonograph until the antiquated law is repealed, and some of our legislators have sworn that they will vote against the repeal till their last breath. As the phonograph has become a horror which we are better rid of.

Dogs Guard Body for Days.

A curious case of canine devotion is mentioned in the police reports of Paris. A rag-picker named Purnel disappeared, after announcing that he would take laudanum. His comrades notified Police Captain Gaubert, who proceeded to a suburban house which Purnel called his home. Looking through a window, the captain saw the rag-picker lying on a bed, evidently inanimate, but when he endeavored to effect an entrance he was checked by two watch dogs, whom it was necessary to shoot in order to enter. The dogs had guarded their master's body for six days.

It may not be generally known, but the writing of a check for less than \$1 is at the present time a misdemeanor under the law and any person writing such check is liable to prosecution. The statute was passed when the banks were issuing "script" and a law was passed providing that no paper should represent a sum smaller than \$1, which includes bank checks. To remedy this peculiar provision Representative W. A. Knight introduced a bill last Friday repealing that portion of the law.

When you read The Standard's ads you are always sure of bargains.

CORRESPONDENCE

WATERLOO.

L. L. Gorton spent the first of the week in Danville. Mrs. John Hubbard is spending this week in Stockbridge. B. P. Howlett and wife of Ann Arbor are guests of their parents here. Cards are out announcing the marriage of Miss Della Myers to Mr. Charles Runciman April 26, 1905. Two ladies exchanged their horses at the Ladies' Aid held at the home of Mrs. C. A. Rowe last Wednesday, all went well until they arrived at their respective homes when the men informed their wives of their mistake. After much telephoning they agreed to meet half way and exchange back again.

SHARON.

Rev. and Mrs. Moon of Manchester visited at the home of Fred Lehman. Prof. F. E. Irwin and wife of Detroit visited at the home of J. E. Irwin Sunday. John Fletcher of Belleville was a guest at the home of Fred Lehman last week. Mrs. Wm. Kulenckamp visited her mother, who is very ill in Ann Arbor last week. Mrs. Merriman who has been quite ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. L. B. Lawrence is convalescent. A company of people with happy faces and congratulatory feelings assembled at the home of L. S. Hulbert last Friday evening, April 14, the occasion being the marriage of their daughter, Alice S. to Clarence W. Hall of Ann Arbor. Exactly at eight o'clock to the strains of the beautiful wedding march rendered by Miss Florence Rouse of Saline cousin of the bride, the bridal couple took their place beneath an arch of cedar. They were attended by Miss Pearl Koller and Ernest Raymond of this place. The bride was becomingly arrayed in a gown of white and the groom strayed a bit from the conventional black; the bridesmaid was attired in tan colored taffeta silk. Rev. Moon performed the ceremony after which the company sat down to a bountiful repast. The presents received were many, beautiful, and useful, showing the high regard in which the young people are held. May their journey through life be a long one, attended by happiness and success.

NORTH LAKE.

F. Hinkley is nearly ready to sow his oats. Every week lately has a touch of winter in it. Our son E. L. Glenn, of Gregory, was here Tuesday. Mrs. H. M. Twamley does not mend as fast as friends would like to see her. P. W. Watts has returned from Mason where he spent the winter with his son.

Mrs. L. M. Wood was quite ill last Friday and Saturday, but is now feeling better. Robert Hawley and daughter, of Toledo, O., are visiting his wife's folks here and old friends.

A number of young ladies of Ypsilanti, classmates of Amy Whalian, attended her funeral Sunday. John Witty was able to drive over one day this week, his first outing for months. He is nearly 79 years old. Rev. G. W. Gordon will preach an Easter sermon at this place, North Waterloo and Unadilla next Sunday.

Misses Margaret Scott and Gertrude Norris, of Ann Arbor, attended the funeral of Amy Whalian last Sunday. A letter from E. C. Glenn, who is in Arizona, tells of his coming home early next month, and likely James and Nettie Cooke.

R. C. Glenn expects to superintend the building of about five miles of wire fence on Elmer's ranch, which now amounts to nearly a section.

Miss Mary Whalian, visited her sister's grave Monday and left a carriage load of most beautiful flowers, mementos of dear friends and relatives.

Prof. Roberts, of the Ypsilanti Normal Training School, and Miss Martin the critic teacher of the seventh grade, attended the funeral of Miss Amy Whalian last Sunday.

The Grange will celebrate Arbor Day Friday, April 28. The schools will contribute to the program and Mrs. J. K. Campbell and other speakers will be present. Lunch will be served at noon.

Some bee men give the best time to move hives from winter quarters to their summer stands. I moved one early in the morning before any were out, but next day not a live bee could be seen in the hive.

Saturday I made a few calls, one at brother and sister Whalian's to sympathize with them in their and our great affliction. A bright star is dimmed to this world to shine in a brighter world beyond. We hope what is a loss to us will be and is a great gain to Amy, whom to know was to love. The funeral, held Sunday, was attended by a large gathering of friends and classmates from Ypsilanti, Chelsea and other places. The Chelsea choir sang in a very acceptable manner. Elder Pearce preached the sermon assisted by our pastor. The family has the sympathy of a large circle of friends and relatives.

FRANCISCO.

Mrs. C. Hurst is again in our midst for a few weeks. J. J. Mnsbach and wife spent Sunday with their son at Month. Ashley Holden and wife spent Sunday at the home of H. Harvey. M. Hammond and wife spent Sunday at the home of Chris Kalmbach of Sylvan. Several from here attended the M. W. A. banquet at Grass Lake last Wednesday evening. There will be an Easter program at the German M. E. church Easter evening. All are invited to attend. Frank Powell of this place, left last Thursday for Rolling Prairie, Ind., for a visit of a few weeks with his uncle, James Powell.

FREEDOM.

Mrs. Mary Seltz is reported as being seriously ill. Confirmation exercises were held in three of the German churches in this township last Sunday. Albert Fitzmaier has moved on the farm of his mother-in-law, Mrs. Sigel, and will work it this summer. Fred Beining, who has been working Mrs. Siegel's farm, has gone on Will Rentscher's farm in Bridgewater. Gottlob Koenigter has laid out a piece of marsh on his father's farm for onion culture and expects to reap a big harvest. Mrs. Ugele, who is 94 years old now, and certainly one of the oldest of settlers of Freedom still living, has recovered from a late illness.

MANCHESTER ROAD.

There was no school at the red school house last Monday. Carrie Falchlid spent Tuesday with Ann Arbor friends. C. Laubengayer is the proud possessor of a fine new double surley. Nellie Armbruster made Carrie M. Strahle a pleasant call Sunday.

Those who have their sheep sheared will do well to blanket them till spring. Mrs. C. J. Chandler and children of Detroit are guests at the home of C. H. Kempf.

Mrs. Mary A. Boardman of Ann Arbor spent Sunday with E. S. Spaulding and family. My mother while on her way home from town made me a pleasant call Monday.

A gang consisting of ten telephone men were in these parts Monday looking over the line. Geo. H. Kempf of Detroit spent Sunday at the home of his parents, C. H. Kempf and wife.

Fred Hawley gave a magic lantern show at the residence of Ed. Spaulding Tuesday evening.

Harold Spaulding, who was kicked by a horse is again able to be out and will soon be at his old post.

Mrs. M. Baumann and children of Dayton, Ohio are spending some time with George Merkle and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Whipple have the sympathy of their many friends on this route and we hope that he may soon be with us once more.

Tuesday, April 11 the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sager was made happy by the arrival of a little stranger, and they are now receiving congratulations from their many friends.

Cheated Death. Kidney trouble often ends fatally, but by choosing the right medicine, E. H. Wolfe, of Bear Grove, Iowa, cheated death. He says: "Two years ago I had kidney trouble, which caused me great pain, suffering and anxiety, but I took Electric Bitters, which effected a complete cure. I have also found them of great benefit in general debility and nerve trouble, and keep them constantly on hand, since, as I find they have no equal." The Bank Drug Store guarantees them at 50c.

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Cynical Query. "I see that Miss Smithers is wearing an engagement ring." "Indeed," said Miss Cayenne, "is she going to get married, or is she making a collection?"—Washington Star.

Speak Softly. It is said that a telephone girl can tell one's disposition by one's voice. Speak softly to the hello girl, and fool her as to that.—Duluth News and Tribune.

Consolation. One good thing about being old, and almost through with it: One doesn't have to make love to a girl wearing one of those new style hats.—Atlanta Constitution.

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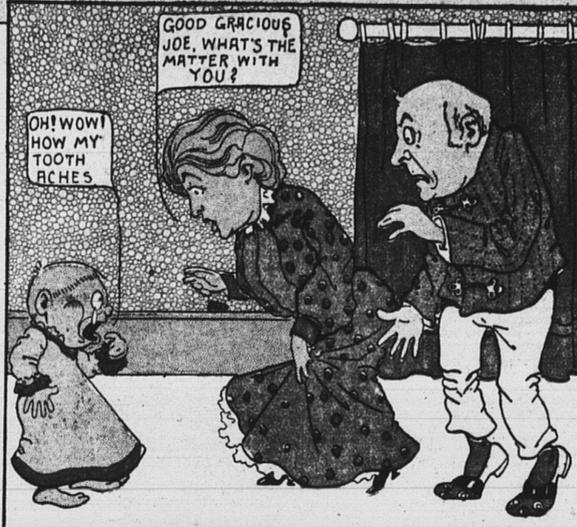
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DO YOU REMEMBER YOUR KID DAYS?



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MA! WHOOP
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OH! WOW!
HOW MY
TOOTH
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GOOD GRACIOUS
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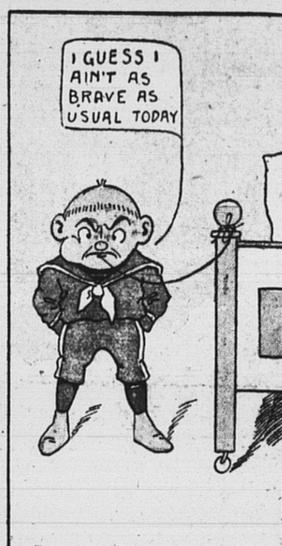


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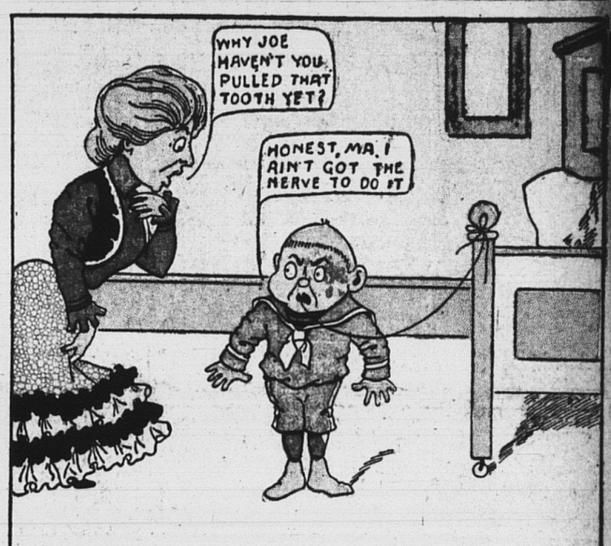
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GEE! I'M GLAD
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THIS STUNT



I GUESS I
AIN'T AS
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WHY JOE
HAVEN'T YOU
PULLED THAT
TOOTH YET?

HONEST, MA, I
AIN'T GOT THE
NERVE TO DO IT



WOW!
OH!
OH! WOW!

YOU'RE
NEXT

DR. PULLEM
DENTIST.



OH!
MERCY
OH! OH! OH!

AND I'M
NEXT

OH! THE
POOR MAN

GEE ITS
MOST MY
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I GUESS I
DON'T FEEL
ANY TOOTH
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NOW, JOE, BE
BRAVE AND IT
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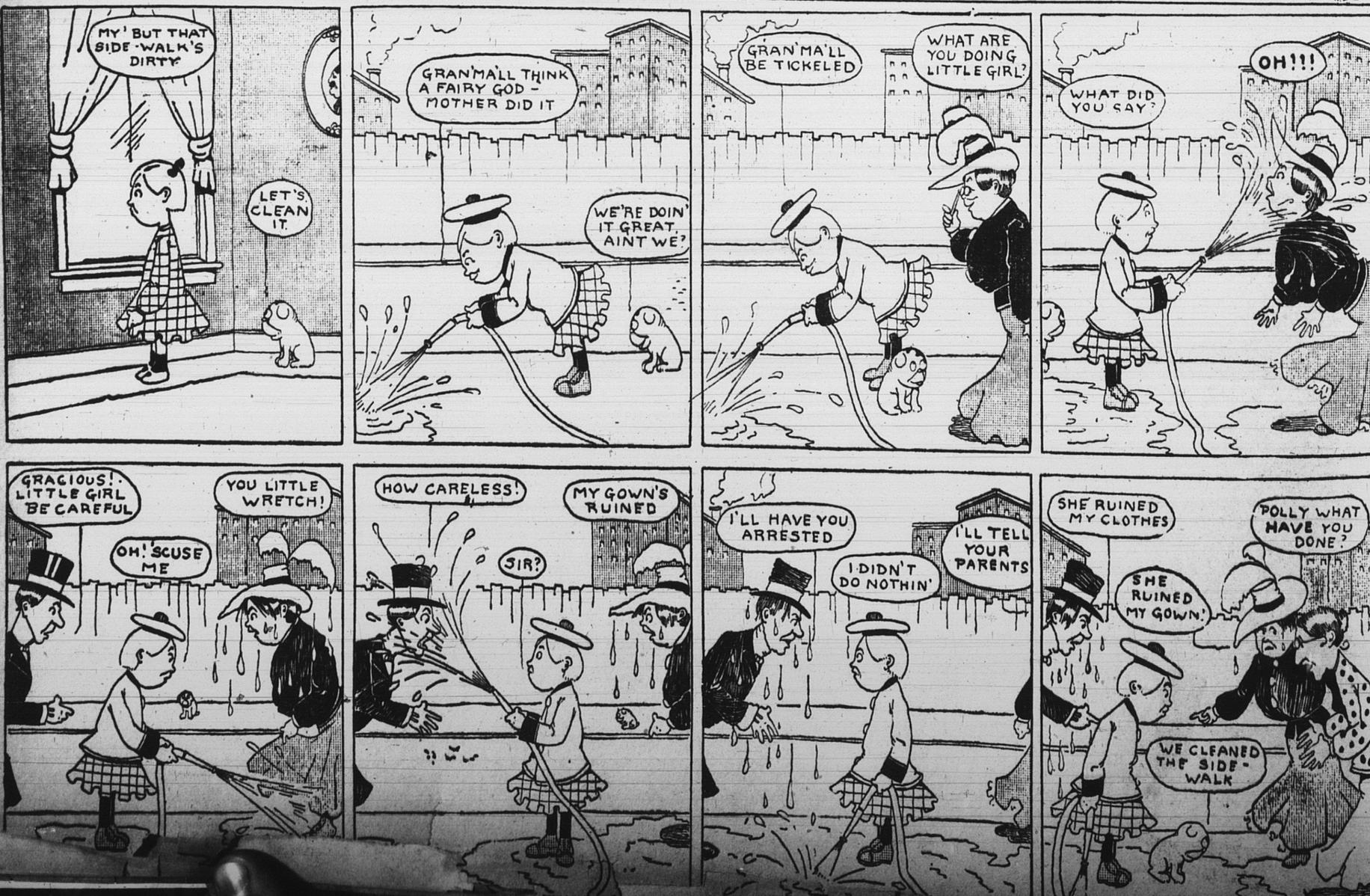
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HE MAKES A HIT AS A DRUM MAJOR



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THE LITTLE DARLING CLEANS UP THE NEIGHBORHOOD



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THE EASTER HENRIETTA



SILK-WARP HENRIETTA
IN GOLDEN BROWN



THE LONG-COAT
SUIT IN TAFFETA.



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OF
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THE PROTECTING
NET COVERS ALL.

IN THIS period of soft materials fabrics that have long been out of favor emerge from their seclusion in renewed beauty and instantly find favor with those who know the true inwardness and artistic requirements in matters sartorial. Among the lovely, supple materials so absolutely suitable for the development of present modes is silk warp henrietta. It is not transparent, yet it is as sheer and light as veiling, but of stronger texture. It comes in all the new shades and is unsurpassed in the exquisite finish. The Parisian dress-makers have turned out some of the loveliest of their spring creations in this material, and there is no doubt that it will continue in favor while present fashions in garments remain the mode.

Our Easter Girl finds herself arrayed in a charming costume of silk warp henrietta in soft, delicate green-greens and all shades, by the by, will be greatly in vogue. The wide skirt is long and held in four groups of three deep plaits on each side, these being stitched flat to half-way between waist and knees and fall-pressed to the deep hem; just below the knees a five-inch tuck is laid around the entire skirt. The bolero appears in nine out of ten of the newest costumes, but in such new and altogether attractive forms that it resembles the bolero of the past only in name. This particular bolero is laid in plaits front and back, the under-arm seam being joined in with the fitted and well-weathered lining, below which appears the girde of folded matched silk. The rounded edge of the little coat is finished by a narrow silk ruffle headed by a cord, which is also attached to the lining. The little jacket runs up in a point at the back showing the girde, which is trimmed with large embroidered velvet buttons, while a couple of jeweled buttons seem to hold the jacket to the girde. In front the jacket is arranged in surplice style, a row of jeweled buttons running from the girde to above the bust, where the jacket is cut out in a waved three-quarter neck effect, edged with the silk ruffles. The gumples is of applique lace, lightly applied with delicate green, the deep featherbone stock being finished with an embroidered velvet band matching the buttons. This touch of ivory green is very smart. The sleeves are just big bishop puff set in stitched plaits at the elbow, where a cuff turns back over them, this scalloped and edged with a silk frill, deep lace falling over a fitted lace undersleeve.

The drop skirt is of match taffeta, with process haircloth laid in the hem, the lines being decorated with insets of lace set on in tucks.

Black kid shoes are worn over

A word as to the Easter hat sent with this toilette: The only thing matching the costume in this was a wreath of dark green velvet loops which edged a big bunch of Parma violets. The hat was a very large one of eoru silk fiber braid, with low, wide crown; the left brim was fully 12 inches deep and flared directly up, even the crown being ruled on a deep bandeau—a fine hat to give height to a short girl. The right brim was folded up on the crown and held by the violets, tulle to match being draped in folds all around the brim. Polesed on the bandeau on the left were two handsome eoru and white ostrich feathers, the tips curling back over the brim, the stems hidden under a cluster of violets and velvet.

Naturally, a coiffure hair net would cover the hair when this hat is worn, as a veil is utterly impossible with such a shape.

It is not at all necessary for hats to match costumes, but they must be in harmony. Indeed, the hat matching the costume is markedly absent from the Easter Girl's wardrobe, a perfect rain-bow of colors taking its place.

It is a bright season, but colors and materials are both so soft that inartistic effects are almost impossible. Some of the silk warp henrietta models are quite simple, on the shirt-waist-suit order, but the delicacy of the fabric gives even these a fine tone of distinction. This fabric lends itself admirably to the pretty flat nun's folds and the finest shirring, or it may be in deep folds and graceful draperies over fitted linings, or arranged in blouse form under a well-boned girde.

The deep corselet girde is impossible to stout figures, hence we find some finely shaped girdles, which give a slim effect. A pretty new feature is the saak arrangement, almost a populum in effect; the ends are plaited of silk or of henrietta and reach to well below the hips, being secured to the girde in some decorative manner. A lovely costume seen was of the silk warp henrietta in golden brown; the corselet was magnificently fitted, and

low-cut neck. From this point two wide epaulets ran over the shoulders, joining a lower point in front, whence the bodice ran in deep folds to the curved girde. The sleeve was of the simple cut now being favored by the Parisian designers, just a full puff to below the elbow, where it was drawn in under a folded scarf with ends like the little sash. Above the elbow it was laid in three box plaits, held by six large buttons made of the silk, gathered and crinkled up on little disks. These buttons trim the epaulets, front and sash and hold the wide back plaits of the skirt. This latter is cut in an immense sweep in the circular style set on each side of the front panel, and back plaited to a plain upper part fitted with hip tucks. The lower skirt is cut in one and two half-deep points, clusters of tucks and bottom of the points, these being finished by a ruffle of silk run with three thick cords, the ruffle running upward. Similar ruffles finish the décolletage and epaulets, and a deep kilted silk flounce finishes the sleeves, over a lace undersleeve matching the gumples and stock. The hem of this dress was lined with white princess haircloth with the material invisibly hemmed over it.

The long graceful lines of the newest skirts give ample scope for the display of the elegant summer coats of white, cream or colored linen, with insets and collars of rich, heavy lace; but among the choicest new coats are some of all-over English eyelet embroidery which comes in lawn, linen and taffeta. Such a coat in sheer white linen had a slip lining of white China silk, with collar, revers and deep cuffs of velvet, trimmed with embroidery and white linen cord. The skirt of the coat was ample, of course, and the bodice full all around, held in by a shaped girde of silk, this trimmed at the back with two large lace rosettes centered by velvet buttons. This is a delightful garment to wear over the delicate fabric costumes that are in store for the summer.

Not the least interesting part of the

be tried on with the costume before a long mirror, taking care that the entire effect is good. That is how Parisian women select their chapeaux, and it is the only way to look absolutely "in drawing." Take care also to have the hair dressed as is most becoming, and covered easily with one or two of the invisible coiffure nets.

The new hats are really lovely, but one finds it difficult at first to feel right in the new shapes with their odd tilts. However, that soon wears off and the picturesque effects are admirable. For all ordinary wear the medium and small shapes

seem destined to favor, but for dressy occasions, Easter weddings, the summer resorts, etc., the most picturesque Gainsborough, Empire, Empire, Watteau, 1830 and 1860 styles are shown. These must have the costume on suite, or they will look extremely incongruous. White and light colors prevail; light hats may be worn with dark costumes and light gloves, and chemisettes and jabot of lace. Feathers, which were not plentiful in the earlier models, are seen on most of the Easter hats combined with flowers, ribbons and laces, much tulle and a little velvet.

This shows one of the coiffures; the huge pointed hair net, which is the latest, is made of fine white hair cloth.

yellow Dunstable braid, the crown supplied by the wired lace, the edge of which falls over a wreath of ribbon loops and twists, carried as ties to the ears of the bonnet, a wide flat bow finishing the back. The inside is faced with shirred tulle, with a cluster of hyacinth blossoms on the left. The coils of the low coiffure are covered by an invisible net, another protecting the locks in front.

Comfort Robe of China Silk.
Of beautiful design, lilacs and leaves, with their long waving stems, in cool restful rose, green and russet tints on a cream ground, is this handsome "comfort" kimono. The long plain bands on white are quite Japanese, but the gathered shoulders give it just a touch of western mode. Beautiful lawns come in much the same designs, and fine soft flannels for cooler times, or after the bath. These robes are an indispensable part of a woman's wardrobe.

Dainty Lingerie Waist.
This pretty yet simple waist is only one of many in a variety of designs, but all showing the self-embroidery, a combination of the English eyelet, and the French raised work, on fine linen lawn. The fine Maltese lace medallions set in front are decorated with a lot of hand-work; the mitaine cuffs of the simple bishop sleeves and the pretty stock are of Valenciennes insertion and lace with stitched bands between. The girde is of fine white kid with deep side of jeweled set gold.

Silk-Warp Henrietta in Golden Brown.
This exquisite Parisian costume of the wide circular skirt hangs on an imper section which is fitted to the hip by tucks. The lower part is finished with a row of small, round, jeweled buttons.

Descriptions

The Long-Coat Suit in Taffeta.
These long-coat effects are very stunning. The model is developed in Havana brown, the full plaited skirt hanging within twelve inches of the ground over a similarly plaited skirt. The blouse is very full all around, having stitched plaits to yoke depth, gathered into the deep folded girde which is made on a leather-boned form, this being the only stiffened lining. The long, wide, log-cotton sleeves are gathered into two puffs, finished by a ruffled cuff at the wrist. The flat collar and fronts are trimmed with darker pinks and pastels, matching to match.

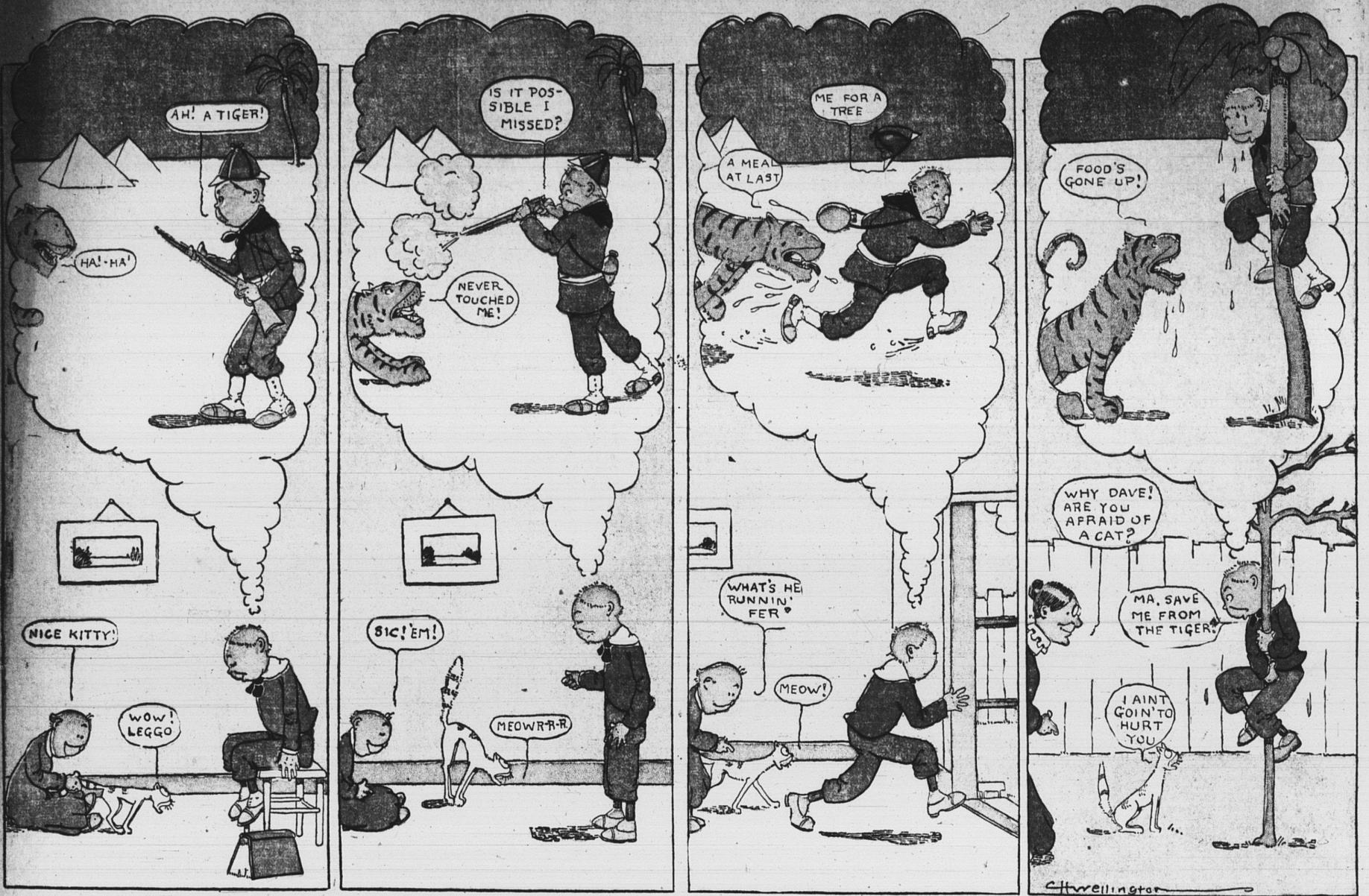
The Protecting Net Covers All.
This looks like a very simple coiffure, but it is a revival of the old-time chignon, the modern idea, however, being artistic and graceful; a small jeweled comb holding the upturned hair at the back well up. A large, fine coiffure net covers the entire hair, even talking in the fascinating little curls that fall on the brow, restraining, yet not crushing, the prettily dressed locks that form a soft setting for the face.

Easter Costume of Henrietta and Lace.
This charming model is of silk warp henrietta in light rosea green. The skirt is of the new umbrella cut, set on a deep yoke, the hem finished with tucks. The elaborate corselet is made over-

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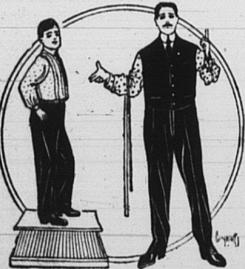
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LOCAL EVENTS

OF THE PAST WEEK FOR THE STANDARD'S READERS.

Next Sunday is Easter.

There will be services at St. Paul's church at 10:30 a. m. Good Friday.

E. L. Negus is building a house on the corner of Harrison and Madison streets.

Earl Updike and family have moved into their new home on Jackson street.

Born, Sunday, April 23, 1905 to Mr. and Mrs. Herman Fletcher of Lima, a son.

The annual school concert of the Dexter schools will be given Friday evening, April 28.

George Leach is having an extensive addition built to his residence on Buchanan street.

Wm. Benton and family now occupy the residence property of C. W. Maroney on McKinley street.

Chas. Barth, of Lima, will make extensive repairs to the barns on his farm in that township.

County Clerk Harkins has issued a marriage license to William Schiller and Louise Buehler Freedom.

The members of Chelsea Castle, K. of P. have rented the McKune hall, formerly occupied by the Foresters.

A marriage license has been issued by the county clerk to Matthew Rentscher and Lydia Satter, both of Dexter.

R. C. Glenn of this place, who has been spending the past winter in Florida returned here last Friday.

Adam Bolinger, of Lima, has let the contract for the erection of a large barn on his farm in that township.

The county board of auditors met in Ann Arbor Monday and organized by electing Geo. H. Fisher as chairman.

Mr. and Mrs. Wrisley have moved their household goods into the residence property of E. Bahmiller, Middle street, east.

Chas. Eisele has purchased of John Kalmbach a vacant lot on Grant street, and will erect a house on the same at once.

Elmer Wineburg and family have moved into the residence he recently purchased of M. J. Howe, on Main street south.

Chas. Eisele has moved his cigar factory to the property formerly known as the Alexander residence on Summit street, west.

Monday C. E. Whitaker shipped to parties at Yelton, N. H. a registered Black Top ewe and a ram from his flock of thoroughbred sheep.

The common council at their meeting last evening accepted and approved the bonds of the liquor dealers who are in business in this village.

Michael Howe has purchased the residence property of Geo. P. Staffan on South street, and his family is now located in their new home.

James Clark of Lyndon, who has been attending the Ferris institute at Big Rapids the past winter returned to his home Saturday for the summer.

Lawrence Bagge and family have moved into the residence on Middle street, west, which Frank Leach sold to John Bagge, of Detroit last week.

The marriage of Miss Sadie E. Hutton of Detroit, to Postmaster W. N. Lister of Ypsilanti, took place last evening at the home of the bride's sister in Detroit.

Rice Howell who has been in the employ of the Glazier Stove Co. for the past three months is now an employee in the department store of W. P. Schenk & Company.

A small blaze in the woodshed at the residence of Wm. Kress, on Main street, south, Tuesday afternoon called out the fire department. The building was slightly damaged.

On Easter Sunday the Sunday school of St. Paul's church will be held at 9:30 a. m. The Easter services will be held at the usual hour in the morning followed by communion.

A number of our citizens witness the opening game of base ball at Bennett park Detroit yesterday, between Detroit and Chicago teams. The score was 3 to 0 in favor of Detroit.

Marshal Brooks and Deputy Sheriff Fuller complained of two bicycle riders who violated the ordinance by riding on the sidewalks and Justice Wood assessed them the costs amounting to \$2.85 each.

David Heselwerdt, of Grass Lake who had the contract for sawing the logs for Theo. Egloff has completed his work here and this morning moved the machinery to the Everett farm in Sharon.

George Ahnemiller, who has been spending some time in Arizona arrived here this morning for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Ahnemiller.

The Jackson association of Congregational churches held a meeting Tuesday and Wednesday of this week in the Congregational church at Dexter. Several from this place were in attendance.

Supt. F. E. Wilcox went to Holland Friday to act as judge on delivery in a district oratorical contest. Four young men, one each from Union City, St. Joseph, Allegan, and Holland entered contest.

Frank Guerin has been appointed the local treasurer and agent of the Home Accident and Health Insurance Co. of South Bend, Indiana for this place. The company pays weekly benefits for sickness and accidents.

Next Sunday evening the Sunday school of the M. E. church will celebrate Easter with the fine musical cantata, "The Beautiful City." The exercises will be in the church and the public is most cordially invited to be present.

C. M. Barre of Hillsdale, late consul to Chile; Paul W. Chase, late cashier of the First State Savings bank of Hillsdale, and ex-Congressman Henry C. Smith of Adrian have formed a law partnership with the principal offices in Hillsdale.

Spiritual devotions will be held in the Church of Our Lady of the Sacred Heart on Good Friday, the anniversary of the death of Christ, at 7:30 p. m. The offering of the faithful on that day is for the redemption and maintenance of the Holy Places.

Two beautiful and substantial iron urns were placed in Mt. Olivet cemetery the past week. They are located near the Crucifixion group, and, when the weather permits, they will be filled with flowers. They are a decided ornament to this beautiful cemetery.

There will be a farewell reception given in honor of Rev. C. S. Jones and family at the Congregational church on Friday evening, April 28 from eight to ten o'clock. All friends of Mr. and Mrs. Jones are most cordially invited. By order of committee.

The L. O. T. M. M. will give a dinner at their rooms on Saturday afternoon of this week. Roast pork, apple sauce, potatoes, bread and butter, fried cakes, cake and coffee will be served. All are cordially invited. Hours from 5 till all are served. Price 15 cents

The Cardinal expect to open the base ball season here about May 1. There being several vacancies on the team the management is desirous that all wishing to try for the team will hand their names to Leigh Palmer and report for practice Saturday afternoon.

Judge Kinne last Thursday directed the jury to render a verdict in favor of the Michigan Central railroad in the suit for damages brought by John Kelly of this place for injuries received while unloading a carload of rails. His attorney, Hon. James Gorman is going to appeal the case.

The entertainment committee of Chelsea Tent, No. 281, K. O. T. M. M. have on hand a proposition they are desirous of solving; therefore it is hoped that every Sir Knight will be present at the regular review Friday evening, April 21 as some one of you may be able to relieve the committee of their embarrassment. Geo. E. Jackson, Commander.

Rev. Father Considine for the convenience of the people has established office hours on Fridays from 3 to 5 and from 6 to 7 p. m. The pastor of the church of Our Lady of the Sacred Heart will be glad to meet people on other days, when he is at home from 9 to 12 a. m. 3 to 6 and 7 to 9 p. m. Sick calls are attended to at any hour of the day or night.

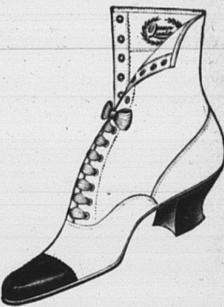
It is with sadness that we record the death of Lyle, the eldest son of E. J. Whipple, the popular mail carrier of route number one, after an illness of several weeks. He died Friday morning April 14, at the home of W. J. Denman, his grandfather, having been taken ill in school, he was unable to return to his home. Lyle was a pupil of the first grade and a favorite with all his playmates. Although a child of but seven years, his unusually winsom ways and manly bearing made him a large circle of friends. His parents and relatives have the sympathy of the entire community.

Last Thursday night, between nine and ten o'clock the large barn and shed on the farm of the Charles Canfield estate in Lyndon was burned. The property has not been occupied since the residence was burned over a year ago. Just how the fire was started is unknown, but it is supposed to have been the work of an incendiary. There was no hay or grain in the building, but Peter Gorman had a grain separator stored in the barn which was burned. The buildings were insured in the Washtenaw Farmer's Mutual for about \$650. Loss estimated at between \$1200 and \$1500.

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