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HAS A NEW PASTOR.

Rev. M. Lee Grant, of the Congregational Church, Has Already Taken Up His Duties.

Rev. M. Lee Grant, the new pastor of the Congregational church, and his wife and little daughter, arrived in Chelsea from Dowagiac Monday afternoon and they are now busily engaged in getting themselves comfortably installed in the parsonage.

Mr. Grant is a young man in the prime of life, who brings with him from Dowagiac a record that is one to be proud of, and we hope to see him as popular here as he evidently was in Dowagiac, to judge from the following extract taken from the Dowagiac Daily News of Oct. 30:

"Rev. M. L. Grant preached his farewell sermon at the Congregational church Sunday morning at the usual hour for church services, and this morning he and Mrs. Grant and their little daughter took their final departure for Chelsea, where Mr. Grant has accepted the pastorate of an influential church.

"Thus ends nearly four years and a half of labor in the Dowagiac Congregational church, which has been attended with a large degree of success for a pastor so young. Rev. Grant having only passed his twenty-ninth year.

"Rev. Grant was born in Springfield, O., in 1877. He completed a high school education and entered Wittenburg College, graduating first in a class of 33 in 1898. Since then his home college has conferred the degree of M. A. upon him.

"He came to Dowagiac in April, 1901, was ordained pastor of the Congregational church in June, and on Aug. 6 of the same year he was married to Margaret L. Lawrence, of Springfield.

"When Rev. Grant came here the church was rent by internal dissension, but since that time it has been solidly reunited. During his pastorate \$1,000 in improvements has been expended and the church has no debt. Forty-five new members have been added to the church.

"Rev. Grant's farewell sermon was listened to by a congregation which filled the church, and Sunday evening there was a union service at the church at which Mr. Grant preached."

Mr. Grant will conduct the services at the Congregational church both morning and evening next Sunday. It is his desire and intention to get acquainted with the people as rapidly as possible and enter heart and soul into all the branches of the church work. We wish him every success.

Ninety Per Cent Were Successful.

Twenty teachers took the October teachers' examination held in Ann Arbor last Thursday and Friday, fifteen writing for third grade and five for second. All those who wrote for second grade were granted certificates and thirteen of the fifteen third grade teachers passed, leaving but two teachers who failed. The following are the successful candidates:

Second Grade—Nellie Avery, Milan, No. 3; Luella Palmer, Gregory; Lena Benzin, Ann Arbor, No. 9; Hattie Richards, Saline; Marjorie Kingsley, Manchester.

Third Grade—Daisy Daniels, Saline; Ray Cook, Chelsea; Mae E. Davis, Saline; Olive Waite, Dexter; Fannie Crittendon, Ypsilanti; Mark Melvin, Chelsea; Alma Hoppe, Chelsea; Luella Hughes, Rushton; Vena Kelsey, Ypsilanti; Dena Van Winkle, Manchester; Harry Freeman, Ypsilanti, No. 4; Arthur Easterle, Chelsea; Charles Hoffman, Milan.

Took Her Life While Despondent.

Mrs. Caroline Gauss, of Manchester, a sister of Wm. Rheinfrank, of this place, committed suicide Thursday by hanging herself with a rope suspended from a rafter in the wood-house. Neighbors cut the body down while it was yet warm, but life was extinct. Mrs. Gauss was a widow with three sons and two daughters. Some time ago she had trouble with one of her hands and three fingers had to be amputated. She had been in a demented condition and was sent to the asylum, returning home several months ago. She was very despondent and of late had been acting strangely. The funeral was held Saturday and was attended by Mr. and Mrs. Rheinfrank.

Pain may go by the name of rheumatism, neuralgia, lumbago, pleurisy. No matter what the pains are called Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will drive them away. 35c tea or tablets. Bank Drug Store.

YOUNG PEOPLE ARE NEEDED.

Presiding Elder Dawe Wants the Boys and Girls in the Churches.

The pastors of the Ann Arbor district of the M. E. church, and the district stewards, who are laymen, met in Ypsilanti Monday in informal conference with the new presiding elder Rev. Wm. Dawe, D. D., on his invitation.

Dr. Dawe gave an eloquent inaugural address. Among other things he urged getting young boys and girls from 10 to 18 years old into the church, training them properly in church doctrines and customs, a work the Sunday schools fail in doing. He said one boy of 12 is worth half a dozen men 60 years old to the church as a new member. The meeting passed warm resolutions of welcome to Dr. Dawe.

The discussions were along the line of what the church in the district needs. It was decided that there should be a semi-annual ministerial conference, and the ministers voted to combine the fall meeting with the annual Epworth League convention.

At the annual meeting of the district stewards it was voted to leave the presiding elder's salary at \$1,800, a proposition to pay his traveling expenses not meeting favor. On request of Dr. Dawe, who is at present financial agent of Albion college until his successor is appointed, the first quarter's salary will be paid to the late Presiding Elder Bancroft's family.

Dr. Dawe announced that he will make his home in Ann Arbor.

CHANGE IN VALUATION.

Personal Property in This County Fell Off Last Year.

The assessed valuation of the real estate of Washtenaw county has increased from \$20,631,340 in 1886 to \$29,862,502 in 1904 and \$29,917,249 in 1905. The assessed valuation of the personal property in Washtenaw county has grown from \$4,888,018 in 1886 to \$8,267,073 in 1904 and \$7,941,256 in 1905.

The real estate valuation in Ann Arbor city increased \$154,010 last year while in the country districts the valuation decreased \$99,263. The personal valuation in Ann Arbor city decreased \$157,847 last year and in the county outside of Ann Arbor the decrease was \$167,970.

The Late Mrs. Alfred Kaercher.

Mrs. Welthy M. Kaercher, wife of Alfred Kaercher, died Saturday morning, Oct. 28, at the family residence on Madison street, after a short illness of blood poisoning. The deceased was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Loomis W. Allyn, of Lyndon, and was 38 years, 7 months and 5 days old. She is survived by her husband and five young children.

The funeral services were held at the Congregational church Tuesday morning and were conducted by M. L. Grant. They were largely attended, many relatives and friends being present from Ann Arbor, Williamston, Scio, Lima and other places. The remains were interred in Oak Grave cemetery.

He Found Out.

An exchange says: A gawky appearing country boy came to town recently and after wandering up and down the streets for an hour or two, stopped in front of an empty building to gaze at a window hanger advertisement of a theatrical company. In a little while he was joined by one of the town loafers and before long another and then two or three more. The farmer had not said a word, but continued to look. After a half hour had passed one of the most curious of the loafers could stand it no longer and he asked the farmer boy what he was looking at. The country boy never turned his head but answered, "I was jest tryin' to see how long a feller could tend to his own business without some derned fool wanting to know what he was doin'."

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Gold Mine Flour, 65c a sack.

3 packages Graham Wafers, 25c.

Finest Layer Figs, 20c a pound.

4 cans good Corn, 25c.

2 cans best Alaska Salmon, 25c.

3 1-lb. cans Baked Beans, 10c.

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English Walnuts, 1 pound,	20c
Brazil Nuts, 1 pound,	15c
Almonds, 1 pound,	20c
Pecans, 1 pound,	20c
Salted Peanuts, 1 pound,	15c
Dates, 1 pound,	10c
Citron, 1 pound,	25c
Orange Peel, 1 pound,	25c
Lemon Peel, 1 pound,	25c
Spanish Onions, 1 pound,	5c

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O. W. MARONEY, Secretary.

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Fred J. Deleade, bookbinding....	1.10	A. E. Mammery, supplies.....	1.70
David Collins, conveying pris-		Athens Press, printing.....	3.50
oner.....	6.40	Geo. H. Jackson, board of pris-	2.25
Louis Rhode, coal.....	194.50	oners.....	
Richmond-Backus Co., supplies....	17.50	Ed. Doersam, deputy sheriff....	2.03
Richmond-Backus Co., supplies....	.40	H. R. Pattengill, school commis-	5.00
C. H. Kittredge, electrical sup-		sioner, supplies.....	
plies.....	1.45	William S. Putnam, justice of	13.50
Charles F. Meyers, printing....	7.00	the peace.....	
Richmond-Backus Co., printing....	2.40	A. E. Gibson, justice of the	20.25
Ann Arbor Times, printing.....	4.00	peace.....	
Ann Arbor Times, printing.....	26.95	Marvin Davenport, grading....	3.00
Chas. E. Foster, school commis-		Ann Arbor Water Co., water....	26.33
sioner supplies.....	.80	Frank T. Newton, sheriff.....	9.09
Ann Arbor Gas Light Co., light	56.92	Geo. H. Jackson, board of pris-	3.00
sheriff.....	.95	oners.....	
Thomas H. Cooney, medical ser-		Wm. P. Flynn, assigned to Wm.	442.46
vices.....	19.00	Rhode, cement walk.....	
Jas. Hutchins, destroyed goods....	4.85	Washtenaw L. & P. Co., light....	40.20
Edw. Deersam, deputy sheriff....	19.50	Oliver Seymour, deputy sheriff....	6.00
Edw. Deersam, deputy sheriff....	2.00	L. C. Jackson, medical services....	27.00
Schumacher Hardware Co., sup-		R. J. Cleveland, kerosene oil....	.55
plies.....	39.80	A. G. Meis, M. D., medical ser-	12.00
Athens Press, printing.....	5.25	VICES.....	
William Seyfried, balance of		Chas. King & Co., supplies.....	12.66
liquor tax returned.....	458.34	Dunne Spaulbury, supplies.....	159.50
D. F. Watts, corner.....	7.00	Ypsilanti Daily Press, printing....	7.35
St. Joseph Retreat, care of in-		Ypsilanti Daily Press, printing....	40.00
mates.....	17.75	St. Joseph's Retreat, insane pa-	20.00
Ryan & Schneider, work and		tient.....	
supplies.....	162.44	William Eldert, taking prisoner	6.40
Xpsilanti Evening Press, print-		to Det. H. of C.....	15.69
ing.....	26.95	Geo. H. Fischer, auditor.....	2.50
C. C. Hatch, supplies.....	20.50	Helmshann & Laubengayer,	
Little & Brown, books.....	26.00	wood.....	2.00
John F. Lawrence, services as		Ann Arbor plant Richmond &	17.52
special pros. atty.....	50.00	Backus Co., printing.....	16.80
William Bacon, auditor.....	15.70	Frank Stowell, auditor.....	34.80
George H. Fischer, auditor.....	16.80	Mr. John Robby, board.....	12.60
Frank Stowell, auditor.....	33.81	Otto Rohn, deputy game warden	8.33
Harker Bros., painting.....	41.07	Otto Rohn, deputy game warden	13.20
Doubleday Bros., supplies.....	2.40	Otto Rohn, deputy game warden	18.50
William Eldert, conveying pris-		H. J. Brown, supplies.....	25.38
oner.....	6.40	Otto Rohn, deputy game warden	22.11
Harvey Stouffet, supplies.....	4.00	Dr. Loree, medical services, in-	5.00
Harris Ball, conveying prisoner		quest.....	
to Det. House of Correction....	6.40	By Auditor Bacon:	
C. H. Kittredge, electrical sup-		"Resolved, That the clerk be di-	
plies.....	.46	rected to prepare the proceedings	
Washtenaw L. & P. Co., light....	41.40	of the board for this month and	
C. B. Masten, conveying prisoner		have the same printed in the	
to Det. H. of C.....	6.40	Ypsilanti Press, Ann Arbor Times	
Detroit House of Correction,		and Chelsea Standard, price to	
care of prisoners.....	674.48	be 35 cents per folio for	
Bailey & Edmunds, supplies....	4.70	each paper."	
R. L. Polk, Gazetteer.....	7.00	Years—Auditors Bacon and Stowell.	
Edward Thompson Co., books....	15.00	Nays—None.	
Ann Arbor Argus, printing.....	7.90	On motion the board adjourned.	
George Wahr, supplies.....	16.05	GEORGE H. FISCHER,	
Century Ink Stand Co., supplies	2.50	Chairman.	
Martin Haller, supplies.....	1.25	JAS. E. HARKINS, Clerk.	
Chas. E. Foster, school commis-		AUGUST SESSION, 1905.	
sioner's supplies.....	.45	The Board of Auditors met in the	
Simmet McMahon, contagious....	1.00	Auditors' room in the Court House	
C. M. Warner, deputy sheriff....	10.50	in the City of Ann Arbor, Washtenaw	
Edward Doersam, deputy sheriff		County, Michigan, and adjourned	
assigned to Jas. E. Mc-		until Tuesday, September 5.	
Gregor.....	21.41	Tuesday, September 5, 1905.	
Isaac Pittman & Sons, supplies	4.32	Present—George H. Fischer, Frank	
Leo Kennedy, juror.....	2.45	Stowell and William Bacon.	
Jacob Schantz, juror.....	2.45	The following bills were audited	
Arthur Schiele, juror.....	2.45	and allowed this day and warrants	
B. H. Williams, juror.....	2.45	ordered drawn for the same:	
P. Meyers, juror.....	2.45	Schumacher Hardware Co., sup-	
Jas. Murnan, juror.....	.85	plies.....	2.75
Louisa Gabler, witness.....	.85	Chelsea Standard, printing....	3.50
Chas. Swarthout, witness.....	.85	Ypsilanti Evening Press print-	
Agnes Donagan, witness.....	.85	ing.....	3.50
Ghas. Cunningham, witness.....	.85	Jas. P. Wood, justice of the	
Wallace Pennycook, witness....	.85	peace.....	7.50
Martha Pennycook, witness....	.85	Oester Leader, printing.....	5.00
Dr. J. Lynda, postmortem.....	10.00	Frank T. Newton, sheriff.....	6.20
Mrs. Flora Morton, witness....	.85	Miller & Pray, supplies.....	1.20
Dr. Jas. Lynda, witness.....	.85	Frank Joslyn, justice of the	
E. J. Ryan, juror.....	2.45	peace.....	1.00
Miles J. Hull, juror.....	2.45	Miller & Pray, supplies.....	10.55
Robert Schumacher, juror.....	2.45	Geo. Wahr, supplies.....	.56
Wirt Masten, juror.....	2.45	Schumacher & Backus, repairs	
Theo. Prochnow, juror.....	2.45	and supplies.....	21.60
H. B. Welch, juror.....	.85	A. D. Alexander, contagious....	1.50
John W. Rane, witness.....	.85	Sheehan & Co., paper.....	3.00
Amelia Lentz, witness.....	.85	Washtenaw Post, printing....	7.35
John A. Lentz, witness.....	.85	Gregory, Mayer & Thom, sup-	
Lewis Marchant, witness.....	.85	plies.....	18.00
Fred W. Gross, witness.....	.85	Sheehan & Co., supplies.....	2.00

By Auditor Fischer:
"Resolved, That the clerk be directed to prepare the proceedings of the board for this month and have the same printed in the Ypsilanti Evening Press and the Washtenaw Post, price to be the legal rate of 70 cents per folio or 35 cents per folio for each paper."
Years—Fischer, Bacon and Stowell.
Nays—None.

JULY SESSION.
The Board of Auditors met in the Auditor's room in the Court House in the City of Ann Arbor, Washtenaw County, in regular session.
Present—George H. Fischer, chairman, Frank E. Stowell and William Bacon.
The board met in regular session Monday, July 3, 1905, and after considering bills, on motion of William Bacon adjourned until Monday, July 10, 1905.

The following bills were audited, allowed and warrants ordered drawn:	
Alfred Drew, marshal.....	24.34
Athens Press, printing.....	12.50
Kenny & Quinan, supplies.....	11.83
A. E. Gibson, justice.....	31.35
John C. Fischer, supplies.....	1.45
A. A. Plant, Richmond & Backus Co., bookbinding.....	.65
Athens Press, supplies.....	12.50
Richmond & Backus Co., blanks	2.50
Wesley Robinson, Jr., justice....	5.24
Wm. G. Doty, justice.....	36.10
C. M. Warner, deputy sheriff....	9.50
Frank Joslyn, justice.....	11.75
H. E. Ferguson, deputy sheriff....	52.70
Frank T. Newton, sheriff.....	50.12
Glen V. Mink, directory Co.,	
directories.....	21.00
John Lawson, register of deeds,	
indexing discharges of mort-	
gages.....	15.70
Chas. M. Meyers, letter heads,	
board of auditors.....	1.50
Alford Machine Co., check and	
change.....	10.00
Lazard Thompson Co., books.....	15.60
Washtenaw Home Telephone	
Co., call.....	10
Richmond & Backus, letter reg-	
ister of deeds office.....	49.00
Tina W. Minsky, printing.....	5.30
Chas. King, supplies.....	4.20
George Wahr, supplies.....	0.65

By Auditor Bacon:
Resolved, That all bills for disinfecting in contagious disease cases, be paid by the township, village, or city where the cases are located and not by the county.
Years—Bacon, Stowell and Fischer.
Nays—None.

By Auditor Bacon:
Resolved, That the County of Washtenaw pay the following fees for attending contagious diseases in indigent cases: For smallpox and diphtheria, \$3.00 per visit; for other contagious diseases, \$2.00 per visit within the corporate limits of any village or city in said county, and 25 cents per mile extra one way outside of corporate limits, and for every extra sick person at the same time in same house attending physician to receive \$1.00 a visit for each and every extra sick person.
Years—Bacon, Stowell and Fischer.
Nays—None.

By Auditor Bacon:
Resolved, That the clerk be directed to prepare the proceedings of the board for this month and have the same printed in the Washtenaw Post, Ypsilanti Daily Press and Manchester Enterprise, the price therefor to be 35 cents per folio for each paper.
Years—Bacon, Stowell and Fischer.
Nays—None.

The following bills were audited:
Dr. T. B. Cooley, services, \$2.00, referred to Ann Arbor City for payment.
H. J. Brown, supplies, \$16.60, referred to Ann Arbor City for payment.
Jos. Alexander, goods destroyed, \$5.00, referred to Ann Arbor City for payment.
Dr. F. K. Owen, services, \$60.00, referred to City of Ypsilanti for payment.
Dr. D. P. McLachlan, disinfecting, \$3.10, referred to Saline Township for payment.

On motion, Board adjourned.
GEORGE H. FISCHER, Chairman.
JAS. E. HARKINS, Clerk.

SEPTEMBER SESSION, 1905.
Ann Arbor, Mich., September 4, 1905.
The Board of Auditors met in the Auditors' room in the Court House in the City of Ann Arbor, Washtenaw County, Michigan, and adjourned until Tuesday, September 5.

Tuesday, September 5, 1905.
Present—George H. Fischer, Frank Stowell and William Bacon.
The following bills were audited and allowed this day and warrants ordered drawn:

E. P. Goodrich, stenographer in Justice Court.....	50.00
Ryan & Schneider, plumbing at jail.....	28.50
Edward Thompson, books.....	7.50
Manchester Enterprise, printing	5.60
Washtenaw Post, printing.....	5.60
Dr. E. A. Clark, examination....	16.00
Ypsilanti Daily Press, printing	5.60
Frederick Fuller, deputy sheriff.	14.00
Washtenaw L. & Power Co.,	
light.....	44.47
Otto Rohn, deputy game warden	22.60
Wm. Herz, painting.....	8.31
Michigan State Telephone Co.,	
tolls.....	55
Michigan State Telephone Co.,	
tolls.....	32.00
Mattatuck Mfg. Co., cuts, etc....	2.20
Frank L. Newton, sheriff.....	1.75
Geo. Staudt, juror.....	5.00
The Ypsilanti, printing.....	8.00
M. J. Schaller, supplies.....	2.00
P. W. Ross, constable.....	2.25
E. McMahon, drawing ashes....	73
Michigan State Telephone Co.,	
tolls.....	73
Ryan & Schneider, repairs to	
Wm. E. Eldert, taking prisoner	2.00
to D. H. of C.....	13.78
Howard Brooks, constable.....	2.00
Art. L. Alexander, photograph-	
ing prisoners.....	5.35
Michigan State Telephone Co.,	
tolls.....	69.25
A. A. Plant, Richmond & Backus	
Co., supplies.....	75
Michigan State Telephone Co.,	
tolls.....	

September 6th, 1905.
The following bills were audited and allowed this day and warrants ordered drawn:

W. Jackson, nursing.....	80.00
G. S. Putnam, justice of the	
peace.....	34.75
Alice Schrepper, nurse.....	4.20
Bicks' Lunch, meals.....	36.00
A. E. Gibson, justice of the	
peace.....	38.85
T. L. Sutter & Son, repairing	
jail boiler.....	4.00
Wm. G. Doty, justice of the	
peace.....	41.15
Frank Joslyn, justice of the	
peace.....	9.00
Glenn Seymour, deputy sheriff.	12.70
Ernest White, deputy sheriff....	2.85
Ed. Doersam, deputy sheriff....	11.30
H. E. Ferguson, deputy sheriff....	31.70
Cash M. Warner, deputy sheriff	26.45
Frank Newton, sheriff, board	
bill.....	238.45
Jas. P. Wood, justice of the	
peace.....	3.25
Jas. P. Wood, justice of the	
peace.....	8.50
John P. Schaffer, deputy sheriff	16.20
J. Henry Fish, justice of the	
peace.....	5.63
E. W. Blackner, burial indigent	
soldier.....	40.00
Gregory, Mayer & Thom, books,	
etc.....	21.00
W. L. McCullough, castings for	
boiler.....	45.80
S. W. Burchfield, corner.....	6.20
S. W. Burchfield, corner.....	11.70
A. E. Gibson, acting coroner....	9.20
Wm. Bacon, auditor.....	17.52
Frank Stowell, auditor.....	16.80
Geo. H. Fischer, auditor.....	15.60
Richard Doyle, juror.....	1.70
F. J. Ryan, juror.....	1.70
Alfred Paul, juror.....	1.70
Harry Gillen, juror.....	1.53
John Fischer, juror.....	1.70
M. B. Jacobs, juror.....	.85
Henry Pipp, witness.....	.85
Geo. Hurrell, witness.....	.85
Martha Robinson, witness.....	.85
Dr. Geo. G. Huber, witness.....	.85
Ezra Robinson, witness.....	.85

Edward Dawson, juror.....	1.70
Geo. Gaudy, juror.....	1.70
Chas. Seager, juror.....	1.70
W. W. Worden, juror.....	1.70
H. E. Shutt, juror.....	1.70
S. H. Rogers, juror.....	1.70
Walter Sampson, witness.....	.85
Austin Dolbee, witness.....	.85
Frank Pearsall, witness.....	.85
Alton Forbes, witness.....	.85
Albert Wilcox, witness.....	.85
Dr. Fred Ronneberger, witness.	.85
Fred Helber, witness.....	.85
Gottlieb Helber, witness.....	.85
Enoch Dieterle, witness.....	.85
Christian Helber, witness.....	.85
Michael Finkbeiner, juror.....	1.70
John Wahr, juror.....	1.70
Ernest White, juror.....	1.70
F. Jones, juror.....	1.70
W. J. Masten, juror.....	1.70
Chas. F. Kyer, juror.....	1.70

By Auditor Fischer:
Resolved, That the printing for this month's bills be awarded to the Ypsilanti Daily Press, Washtenaw Post and Ann Arbor Daily Times.
Years—Stowell and Fischer. Nays—None.
On motion, the Board adjourned.
GEORGE H. FISCHER, Chairman.
JAS. E. HARKINS, Clerk.

OCTOBER SESSION, 1905.
Office Board of Auditors.
October 2nd, 1905.

Board opened for business in due form. Present—George H. Fischer, William Bacon and Frank Stowell.
The following bills were audited and allowed:

C. M. Warner, deputy sheriff....	12.10
H. E. Ferguson, deputy sheriff....	10.00
Ernest White, deputy sheriff....	4.55
Washington Hawkins, nursing....	25.00
E. D. Leddy, printing.....	9.50
George Wahr, supplies.....	11.62
Ann Arbor Water Co., water....	12.49
Athens Press, printing.....	9.25
Michigan State Telephone Co.,	
toll.....	3.10
Michigan State Telephone Co.,	
rental.....	36.00
Fred W. Moore, groceries.....	2.81
Chas. King & Co., groceries.....	13.91
Ann Arbor Gas Co., gas.....	3.60
St. Joseph Retreat, caring for	
patients.....	65.00
Robert Rayer, rubber stamps....	2.15
Washtenaw Post, printing.....	4.50
Koch Bros., repairing boiler, etc.	18.56
Edward Thompson, books, etc....	7.50
Manchester Enterprise, print-	
ing.....	5.00
H. Otto & Son, repairing grate	
Frank T. Newton, sheriff.....	2.75
J. S. Cavanaugh, wood for Court	
House and Jail.....	109.20
Jacob Schmidt, meats, etc.....	2.53
Athens Press, printing.....	5.25

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Hutzel & Co., plumbing.....

Athens Press, printing.....	10.50
E. G. Hoag, pitchers.....	1.16
C. M. Fairchild, meat.....	1.20
Pacific Express Co.,.....	1.20
Schraier & Millen, blankets....	1.70
Gregory, Mayer & Thom, sup-	
plies.....	36.00
H. H. Pattengill, registers.....	47.00
Ypsilanti Daily Press, printing	
Washtenaw Post.....	18.75
Chas. F. Myers, printing.....	6.30
Washtenaw Post.....	6.30
Chas. F. Myers, printing.....	16.60
Mark Howard, repairing doors....	3.85
Doubleday Bros., supplies.....	18.00
Richmond-Backus Co., supplies	
Richmond-Backus Co., supplies	2.40
Ann Arbor Argus, printing.....	1.20
Ann Arbor Gas Co., gas.....	1.60
25 S. W. Burchfield, corner.....	1.15
George Wahr, supplies.....	14.00
Charles F. Howe, supplement,	
etc.....	5.20
George A. Jackson, board of	
prisoners.....	5.00
Glenn Seymour, truant officer....	9.00
Bruno St. James, towels, etc....	6.25
George A. Jackson, board of	
prisoners.....	4.75

October 4th, 1905.
Frank A. Leach, deputy sheriff....

By Auditor Stowell:
Resolved, That the clerk be directed to prepare the proceedings of the board for this month and have the same printed in the Ypsilanti Daily Press, Washtenaw Post and Chelsea Herald.
Years—Fischer, Stowell and Bacon.
Nays—None.
On motion the board adjourned.
GEO. H. FISCHER, Chairman.
JAS. E. HARKINS, Clerk.

MONTHS AND MARRIAGES.
June is first choice.
About an eighth of Scotch marriages take place in June.
In Holland girls prefer to become blushing brides in May.
Germany favors April, regarding it as the first of the spring months.
One-seventh of the Swedish marriages occur in "the month of roses."
February is first choice in Italy, especially the period preceding the beginning of Lent.
Russia's favorite marriage month is January. So marriage, like death, has all seasons for its own.—St. Louis Post Dispatch.

TRAIN AND TRACK.
Nearly 20 per cent. of all street car passengers regulate transfers.
The American railroads have six employees for every mile of track, and the English railroads have twenty-eight.
Conductors on the German state railroads are to be discharged unless they pass an examination in the English and French languages. Some of them have been twenty years in the service.

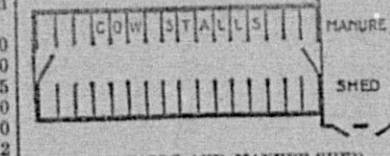


HANDLING MANURE.

The Spreader a Great Thing For Every Farmer.

I am able to give correct figures in regard to manure spreaders, as I hire all my work done on my farms and keep very close account of labor saving devices. I have investigated this manure business for the past two years carefully and have corresponded with nearly all the expert stations on this one subject of keeping manure and applying it. I believe my way of handling manure is about right, says H. M. Dawley of New York in American Agriculturist.

I wheel to the shed during the five months I cannot use the spreader to spread it on the fields direct from stable. I can load, draw to field half a mile distant, unload and return to barn at manure shed in thirty minutes, one man doing all the work. It would take thirty minutes longer to do the same work without the spreader. For this reason a man can and will work harder



COW STALLS AND MANURE SHED.

In putting on the load if he knows he can sit down on a good seat and ride for ten minutes and rest while unloading.

I had rather have one load of manure (as far as results are concerned) unloaded with a spreader than three loads unloaded by hand on grass stubble or meadows. It is more evenly distributed to the grass roots and covers as much ground, if not more. My spreader carries about fifty bushels at a load, drawn by three horses. Thirty acres of meadows are covered each year with my dairy and horses' output of manure. I use the fine manure from the horses for an absorbent back of the cows, wheel it into the shed and let it lie there and decay until October. It is then spread just before the fall rains come, so that the manure will not dry up on the ground by the hot sun. Being put under a good shed with tight sides, without a cement cellar, the manure does not leach any to speak of. I cannot speak or write enough about the manure spreader. Every farmer that has ten cows should have one.

MOTOR POWER.

Make the Auto Saw Wood, Do the Washing and Shear Sheep.

A new use for the automobile is urged by a Farm Journal writer, a use which is better than killing folks. Here is the idea:

It is a well known fact that the motor of an automobile can be operated without moving the carriage. In this connection, if one lives in a sheep district and happens to own a gasoline runabout, he can shear sheep to good advantage.
Simply buy the parts of two sheep shearing machines, or, in other words, get two clipper heads and long flexible shafts, and drive both from one pulley by means of a belt on the motor fly-wheel. The details may vary somewhat with different types of motors.
When shearing time comes, take a man with you and drive to the sheep farms. On arrival put on belt, oil up and you are ready for business. Carry an extra set of knives and sharpeners. An extra clipper head for horses might also come in handy. In this manner two men can shear more sheep than a dozen can in the old way and do it better, for you get all of the wool and cannot cut the sheep.

Should a farmer go to the trouble of owning an auto—well, he should make it do his washing, saw wood, cut feed, or, in fact, do any work that an engine is supposed to do.

Winter Forcing of Phloxes.

In forcing rhubarb in a house cellar during the winter the best results were secured from roots grown but one summer in the open ground. Older roots have proved less satisfactory. The roots were set out in spring just as soon as possible after frost was out of the ground. They were dug in the late fall in clumps and allowed to freeze solid before putting in the cellar.

Generally speaking, the roots begin to produce edible shoots within five

KEEPING TAB ON TIME

METHODS THAT WERE USED BEFORE THE DAYS OF CLOCKS.

Primitive Contrivances. Some of which are still in use—The Candle, the Sandglass and the Development of the Water Clock.

Curious it seems to find some of the most ancient and primitive contrivances for keeping time still in use in these modern days. In many churches as well as in monasteries and convents the graduated candles whose invention is popularly attributed, though doubtless mistakenly, to King Alfred are even now employed for reckoning the duration of prayers, and the same may be said of sandglasses, which, for the matter of that, are preferred by not a few twentieth century cooks as a convenient substitute for the clock in timing the boiling of eggs. As for the sundial, it is probable that no timekeeping invention dates back so early an epoch. It was well known to the people of Babylon, from which great metropolises of the east the first instrument of the kind was brought to Jerusalem about 700 B. C.

It happens that many ancient sandglasses have been collected by the Smithsonian Institution in Washington, some of them dating far back in the middle ages, and the scientists of that establishment, thinking it worth while to test them, have discovered that they are very inaccurate, some of them varying from correctness by as much as seven or eight minutes in the hour one way or the other. The obvious though rather curious explanation of this fact seems to be that when they were made they were timed by the candle, clocks not having been as yet invented and no better standard being obtainable. Such candles, like any others, were sure to burn more slowly at the beginning than later on, and hence their lack of reliability.

Candles of this sort were shielded from the wind by a screen of horn, and at this very day one may buy them, exactly like those of long ago, in England and elsewhere in Europe. Curiously enough, the savages of the south Pacific employ for the same purpose a device very similar in character, which consists of a number of the oily nuts of the candlenut tree strung close together on the midrib of a palm leaf. The string thus prepared is hung up, and the topmost nut being ignited, it burns slowly downward. Being of nearly uniform size, the nuts burn for just about ten minutes apiece, taking fire one from another in succession, and thus six of them are consumed in just about an hour. It is probable that this primitive method of timekeeping is quite as accurate as the graduated candle or the mediæval sandglass.

Some of the old fashioned sandglasses were quite elaborate, being arranged in batteries of half a dozen or more, to record the passage of an hour, a half hour, a quarter hour, five minutes, and so on. Very expensive ones were manufactured in Nuremberg, and the finest instruments of the kind were owned by clerical and other dignitaries, the sand used for the purpose being of a round grained sort, which could be counted on to flow easily and with regularity through the aperture provided. To show that faith in the usefulness of such contrivances has not even yet passed away, the writer may mention that in his own family, only the other day, a newly employed cook, being provided with a sandglass for timing eggs, boiled the glass with the eggs, for no reason that she was able to explain except that she was as she understood it, "obeying orders."

The two oddest things perhaps in the collection of ancient timekeepers at the Smithsonian Institution are a time lamp and a water clock of a pattern almost unheard of. As might be supposed without explanation, the former apparatus contains oil, the burning of which, through the medium of a wick, marks the passage of the hours. The oil, it should be said, is contained in a small glass receptacle, so graduated as to show by the height of the fluid the quantity that has been consumed, and hence the time that has gone by. As for the water clock, some mediæval Edison must have invented it, so wonderful is the ingenuity of its construction. It consists of a hollow metal cylinder divided into compartments by partitions which radiate from the center and suspended by two strings wound about the ends of an axis running through the middle of the cylinder.

The cylinder, which is hung by its strings from a sort of arch, is partly filled with water and is wound up to the top of the arch by revolving it upon its axis. Then, being released, it would promptly run to the bottom but for the circumstance that the water it contains, trickling through small holes from one compartment to another, delays it, gravity being opposed by the weight of the fluid, which has to be carried upward and around as the cylinder revolves. So artful is the arrangement that the cylinder goes round with an exceeding slowness, being compelled to do so by the percolation of the water from one compartment to another, and in its descent its axis, by coinciding with hour marks on a graduated vertical scale, indicates the lapse of time.

Having a beginning in this simple form, the water clock underwent a high development and wide differentiation. It took the shape, among others, of a series of vessels communicating by tubes that passed through figures of dragons and other images, the floats in some cases being held by grotesque but attractive gnomes. One apparatus of the kind, which came much later, told the time by the weight of water that came from the beak of a bird and which was received by a vessel

set on a balance, every pound indicating a certain fraction of an hour. At about the same time there was set up in the capital city of Persia on the terrace of the royal palace a somewhat similar clock, consisting of a balance containing twelve metal balls, one of which fell every hour upon a great gong. This wonderful instrument is said to have been sent by the king of Persia to Charlemagne as a gift.

The Chinese, whose ideas on the subject deserve respect by reason of their priority, do not number the hours as we do. They have names for them, the twenty-four hour period being divided by the people of the middle kingdom into twelve equal parts, each of which is designated in their written language by a character. In this point, again, they were far ahead of the Europeans, for whom the invention of the modern clock seems actually to have been delayed some centuries by the difficulty of splitting night or day into even fractions. To the ancient Greeks and Romans, for example, this problem appeared insuperable owing to the wabbling of the earth, which increases the length of the day at one season and diminishes it at another. For a relatively latter day gentleman named Hipparchus was it reserved to offer the suggestion that the time from dawn to dawn might be broken into twenty-four equal parts.

This indeed was the keynote of the difficulty, the final solution of which has appeared in the modern clock, in its highest development, a chronometer that keeps time within a fraction of a second per week. On the main street in any city of the United States business men may be seen daily setting their watches by such infallible timepieces in the windows of jewelers' shops, and even in the China of today it is the custom for a gentleman to carry two watches, which he examines anxiously at frequent intervals, in order to make sure that they agree exactly.

And yet even to this day there survives in China and Japan, to show the persistence of such things, a method generally pursued by the natives of keeping time by the burning of so called "incense sticks," which will burn slowly for half a day without flame. They are divided into lengths for the hours, and, being made of sawdust mixed with a certain proportion of gum, may be counted on to resolve themselves into agreeably scented smoke at a reasonably uniform rate per inch. Such incense sticks are sufficiently familiar in this country, but clocks being plentiful, are not commonly utilized for timekeeping purposes.

The Montagnais Indian of Canada, when traveling ahead of a party, sets up a tall stick in the snow, making with his foot a mark to show how far the shadow reaches. By the change in the angle of the shadow his friends on arriving at the spot know exactly how far ahead is their guide.

To keep time with reasonable accuracy must have been one of the earliest necessities of man; hence the remarkable ingenuity of many primitive inventions for this purpose, the utilization of shadows—an idea which had its final development in the sun dial—being probably the earliest, as it was the most obvious. The first sun dial must have been a tree, which may be said to have stood at one end of the path of evolution in timekeeping apparatus, the modern chronometer representing at the other end the final development of such contrivances.—New York Herald.

Wanted the Roles Equal. In the early sixties of the last century flourished in Paris a writer who used his talent as a professional libeler. His real name was Jacquet, his nom de guerre Eugene de Mircourt. One day there appeared a violent onslaught on Alexandre Dumas père. The article openly taxed the great novelist with living on the brains of his collaborators. The father happened to be away from Paris. The son sent his seconds to Mircourt.

"You say, gentlemen," said the libeler, "that you are acting in behalf of M. Dumas fils?"

The two gentlemen bowed assent. Thereupon Mircourt rings for his servant. "Tell my son to come to me," he orders.

And, to his visitors' great surprise, there appears a little urchin, his face beamed with joy. Mircourt, though, remains perfectly serious. "Gentlemen," he remarks at last, "I feel convinced that my son is as ticklish about his father's honor as the son of M. Alexandre Dumas is about his father's. As it is absolutely necessary that the roles should be equal, you had better arrange matters with him." With which he leaves the two friends of the future eminent dramatist.

A Much Translated Book. Of "Don Quixote" it may be said, saying only the Bible, it has been translated oftener and into more languages than any other book. A Spanish editor has enumerated 150 editions of the Spanish masterpiece in foreign languages. That computation is certainly short of the truth.

Not only are there more translations in English of "Don Quixote" than any other language, but it is England which from the first has done more honor to the author's work than any other country. The first critical edition of "Don Quixote" in Spanish, with the first life of Cervantes, by Mayans y Siscar, was published in London in 1788, more than forty years before the Spaniards had aroused themselves to do honor to their greatest writer.

This edition, in four handsome volumes, was printed sumptuously in all the glory of the London press under the auspices of Lord Carteret at an age when "Don Quixote" was still appearing in his native country on filthy ballad paper in execrable type, uncorrected and unadorned. Notes and Queries

THE NEW MILLINERY.

Decided Crowns and Ostrich Plumes
Galore—Small Turbans.

Autumn millinery creations show very decided crowns and rather broad, flaring brims. The fancy for wearing the hat well forward, tipped over the brow, remains popular, and when the hair is properly arranged—high at the back so as to support the hat without the addition of a cachepeigne—the effect is smart and generally becoming. For wear with the tailor costume and walking dress the small turban severely trimmed will be good style, but the large hat will be the correct mode for occasions when very dressy toilets are displayed.

A conspicuous note in the autumn models is the lavish use of plumes. The new shapes require some softening, and no other trimming gives this effect like the graceful ostrich feather, which, by the way, has this season taken all kinds of twists and turns. An effective arrangement is to have the plumes round and roll over on the hat.

The Walking Hat Again.

There is a suggestion of the long ago favorite walking hat in a new model of glossy black beaver felt. A soft drape of black silk encircles the high crown and directly in front is placed a square buckle of dull silver studded with brilliants. Falling over the left side and back are two black ostrich plumes, the tips resting on the hair. This smart hat is a charming accompaniment to the tailor costume. An effective note may be achieved by using plumes in the deep American Beauty shade instead of those of black, and an equally modish arrangement is to have the hat of white beaver with black trimmings.

Fashionable Colors. All shades of brown are fashionable, but the newest hue is termed les feuilles mortes, or dead leaves. When lighted up with a touch of red, blue or green it suggests rich autumn foliage.

Gray, too, is much in evidence and in many odd combinations. One hat of dark purple felt beat into artistic shape had a huge red rose with a bit of foliage adjoined against the crown near the front, while two other roses of the same size and color were arranged at the back against the flaring brim. This model was intended to accompany a dressy gown of purple cloth in which the note of red was repeated in the embroidered trimming.

Tucked Taffeta Hats.

Tucked and corded taffeta is used to fashion some of the smartest street hats of the season. The tricorne and French sailor are the shapes in highest favor. Wings, quills and ribbon are the trimmings employed. A hat of unusual style is made of dark red taffeta, cross tucked and over a tricorne shape. A soft fold of the silk encircles the crown, and at the left side, against the flaring brim, there are two large dark red wings that are tipped with black, while on top of the hat at the left side there is another red wing—Delineator.

New Veil Plans.

A fad in jewelry which has already become very popular is veil pins, says an exchange. Now that the veils are so much more elaborate it is necessary to pin them on to the brim of the hat very carefully. To do this becomingly three of these new veil pins should be used, one on each side of the hat and one in the back to hold the ends together. They are made like the old fashioned belt pins—a gold or silver bar, with a stone in the center. A very pretty set of these veil pins was given as a birthday present not long since and was very much admired. The pins were made of dull gold, with three good sized amethysts set in each pin, and when worn with a violet hat and violet lace and chiffon veil they were most effective. The pins will be found a great aid to neatness.

Variety In Sweaters.

Sweaters are now so universally worn that they require as much description as a waist. The days, when one sweater differed from another only in the knitted stitch are past and gone, and a modern sweater shows nearly as many variations as the modish blouse, remarks a fashion exchange. A girl may possess a sweater in any desired neck outline or length, untrimmed or leather trimmed and exhibiting long or short sleeves. There comes the Norfolk sweater, made like a jacket with a V neck, the collar or a fitted in the back and showing the usual accessories, the bolero, collarless and ending just below the waist line, and the ordinary blouse form with a square neck, standing collar and wristlets of contrasting color.

For Fruits, Nuts, Etc.

Among the handsome concoctions this year are fluted silver boxes for fruit, nuts, small cakes and buns. There



A SILVER BOAT CENTERPIECE.

are also glass receptacles for holding water which can be placed inside of the silver boat and then filled with small, short stemmed blossoms.—Table Talk.

Chocolate Cake and Cream.

A dainty little notion is to serve stiff whipped cream not on chocolate cake, but with it.

CATTLE DISEASE.

Stomach Worms in Young Animals
and Its Remedy.

By LOUIS A. KLEIN, South Carolina experiment station.

Investigation in November, 1904, of a disease affecting calves and young cattle in the northwestern part of South Carolina developed that the disease was caused by the presence of numbers of small bloodsucking worms in the rumen or fourth stomach of the cattle. This parasite is commonly called the "stomach worm" or "twisted wireworm," the scientific name being *Strongylus contortus*. The disease condition is known among stockmen as the "stomach worm disease." In medicine the disease is designated verminous gastritis and stragylidosis of the abomasum. There is reason to believe that part of the winter loss of calves in the state, which has been accepted as a matter of course, has been due to this worm. It is also probable that the disease has been mistaken in times for calf "scours" (diarrhea) and for the autumnal or chronic form of Texas fever (red water).

First Appearance of Disease.

In the cases investigated the first signs of the disease appeared in the latter part of August or the fore part of September. The young cattle began to show a "rundown" or unthrifty appearance. Grass was getting short at that season, and in many cases the owners attributed the trouble to the short pasture and began feeding grain or meal with hay, hulls or fodder. But in spite of generous feeding the young cattle continued to lose flesh and strength. Then, one after another, they appeared dull and later stood off from the other cattle in what is generally described as a "droopy condition." A few days after this a swelling appeared under the jaw or the animal began to "scour" (diarrhea). In some cases the swelling appeared first, in others the "scours," but both were finally present.

The swelling was peculiar in many respects. It was neither hot nor tender and was more or less soft, in some cases feeling like a sack filled with fluid and in others like a mass of dough. It started near the point where the lower jaw comes together to form the chin and gradually extended backward toward the throat. Most of the time the animals ate heartily, although occasionally they did not have much appetite.

The worms live in the animal by sucking blood from the stomach wall. In nearly all cases the disease progressed slowly, the animals living two to three months after the first symptoms appeared, the time depending upon the condition of the animal when attacked.

Treatment Advised.

The sick animals and all of the young cattle under one and one-half years old which had been at pasture with them were to receive a dose of coal tar creosote shaken up in a pint of water, the dose being graduated according to age, as follows: Calves three to eight months old, twenty-five to fifty drops; yearlings, seventy-five drops; one to one and a half years old, two teaspoonfuls. The animals were not to have any feed for twelve hours before the medicine was given nor any water for six hours afterward. The coal tar creosote was to be given in this manner once a week for two or three weeks if it appeared necessary. The sick animals were also to receive a half teaspoonful of reduced iron and a teaspoonful of common salt in each feed. In this connection it should be stated that the creosote ordinarily dispensed in drug stores for internal use is beechwood creosote, which is an entirely different substance from coal tar creosote and is of no value in this disease.

The results obtained show that coal tar creosote is an effective remedy against the "twisted wireworm," but that it cannot be expected to save all those animals in which the diseased condition produced by the parasite has advanced to an extreme degree.

The South Likes Good Apples.

The demand for good apples in the south grows larger every year. In Florida alone there is a constant demand through the winter for this fruit. More and more of the stores in the little towns are handling apples, and in time the majority of the Florida people will be full fledged members of the Apple Consumers' league. Some curious stories are told of the way apples are sent to Florida. Last year a New York grower put fruit in bushel boxes, left little spaces between the boxes in the car and filled in with oats. The apples carried perfectly in this way, and the oats sold at a profit.—Rural New Yorker.

HINTS IN GARDENING.

By sowing now lettuce may be grown in hotbed or cold frame for Thanksgiving.

Salsify takes a long season for development and when sowed in the spring must be put in early. The newest wrinkle is to sow it in August and leave in the ground until spring, when it will be found of good size.

One can make sure of strawberries next season by setting potted plants in the garden in August.

After pulling onions let them lie on the ground until cured, then spread them thinly on the bare floor or in some other airy place.

Harvest early cabbage and cultivate the later crop.

Black seeded Simpson lettuce stands the summer heat well and without running to seed. It does not head, but forms a mass of curled leaves.

For early spring salad or seasoning sow the Welsh onion in August.

Sow spinach for early spring use.

NATURE A KIND MOTHER.

Curious Methods by Which She Heads
Animal Injuries.

How many weak and timid creatures there are in the world, with neither teeth and claws for their protection, armor for their defense nor speed with which to escape their enemies! One can hardly understand why they have not all been killed and eaten up long ago. Nature is, however, kinder to these poor animals than she seems, for if she has left them defenseless against attack she has given them a marvelous power of recovery from injuries.

When a tiny lizard has scampered for his life in search of a crack in the rock he often has "so close a call" that his pursuer snaps off his tail just as he winks into safety. A loss like this would kill most larger animals, but not the little lizard. He simply waits round quietly until a new tail grows, and then is as well off as before, except that the new tail has a flexible rod of cartilage where the old one had a backbone.

If an earthworm happens to be reclining to his hole when a robin is out looking for breakfast there is apt to be a lively tug of war between the eater and the breakfast. Not infrequently the bird gets the tail end of the worm, while the other half crawls away into safety. Not even a lizard could survive such treatment as this, but the earthworm is in ability to recover from injuries almost as much superior to the lizard as the lizard is to us. He grows a new half body to replace the one which has been devoured and seems to mind his loss no more than a boy mends his hair cut.

There are besides some snail-like water worms which quite undo the earthworm in bearing up against misfortune. If one of these chances to lose his entire head, in a week or so, some times in only four or five days, he grows a new one, brain, eyes and all, and is as well off as ever. Even if a hungry fish gets two bites at him, so that he loses both head and tail, the worm can patch himself out with new members and go about his business as before. They have even been known to get divided into two pieces about equal in size and each piece grow a new half body, so that there were two entire worms in place of one.

After this it will easily be guessed that if the head end of the worm happens to be split halfway down he will grow two new sides and become Y shaped with two heads, or if the tail end is split two sides grow and a two tailed worm is made. Sometimes one or two new heads develop close behind the old one in the angle of the Y. Indeed the little creature seems to have a sort of magic for making new heads and tails wherever he finds a chance. If, therefore, the worm after receiving several wounds manages to escape with his life, from the cuts which happen to open forward little heads grow out and from those opening backward little tails, no doubt greatly to his embarrassment.

But what of the cut off heads and tails? Do they make new bodies and become whole animals again? Not usually. The severed head seems to become confused, so that it does not know what to do. If it lives, it is most apt to produce another head like itself and change into two heads placed neck to neck so that they look in opposite directions. So, too, the severed tail, equally foolish, doubles itself and becomes two useless tails growing end to end.

But isn't this really quite impossible? A head or a tail or even a half body cannot get food. If it cannot eat, it cannot grow, and that is all there is about it. Well, it is true that a fragment cannot eat. But still it can make the new part out of its own tissue. So the animal keeps getting smaller as it becomes more nearly complete until when the new part is finished the whole body may be no more than the tenth part of its proper size. The reconstructed animals are therefore forced to begin life over again like young worms. In time, however, they grow up to full size. When a head and makes a new head instead of a tail or a tail makes a new tail instead of a head the little creatures must necessarily waste away and die. St. Nicholas.

Some Animal Oddities.

In fishes and tadpoles there is a peculiar lateral line running down each side of the body, which probably acts as a kind of ear, sensitive to movements of the water and warning them of enemies at hand.

Many deep sea fishes have phosphorescent organs on their flanks, which emit a dim, blue light and resemble eyes in structure. Some creatures that have no proper head possess eyes. Thus the starfish has a somewhat complicated eye at the end of each of its five arms, which appears as a bright red or orange spot.

Insects of the grasshopper tribe, which make musical sounds, are provided with ears in their legs or on the sides of their bodies. The curious little possum shrimp, which swims in large shoals, has a pair of ears in its tail. In their early stages our May flies have organs of hearing on either side of the abdomen.

Failed of Popularity.

Steps have been taken before now to popularize the British army in the provinces. In some cases the martial spirit has been stimulated. But not in all. In one part of "gallant little Wales" one of the Welsh regiments perambulated its territory and succeeded in obtaining just one recruit all told.

On the following Sunday the minister of the congregation to which the newly enlisted soldier belonged said, "And now, my brethren, we will take up a subscription to buy the discharge of our unfortunate young friend who recently joined the army."—Pall Mall Gazette.

LONDON GROCERS.

Tricks of Their Trade by Which They Swindle Customers.

"Most people would be astonished if they knew how many London shopkeepers are compelled to resort to all sorts of mean economies," said a Londoner who is now visiting this country, but who served many years as an assistant in a large provision store in the English capital.

"I don't believe there is any Yankee shrewdness to equal it. Even the Londoners would be incredulous if one told them that many of the shopkeepers, especially those in the provision departments, are absolutely compelled to practice the tricks of the trade. At the shop I worked at if any one of the assistants was discovered giving full weight he would be at once dismissed and another man more expert at 'weighing up' put in his place.

"This seems, I know, a sensational sort of statement to make, but it is nevertheless quite true. In some shops I have worked in the proprietors absolutely discourage honesty—make it, in fact, an utter impossibility for any assistant to serve the public in an honest and straightforward manner.

"What do I mean? Well, take, for instance, the butter counter under my charge. I am served out with forty pounds of butter and two pounds of wrapping paper, each weighed to the fraction of an ounce, and for these I must show returns for fifty pounds of butter. If I do not there is trouble ahead.

"How is it done? Water of course weighs heavy, so we use plenty of it while patting the butter into shape. Dash some more water on the paper, then thumb butter and paper on to the scales together; snick a bit off if the scale goes down heavily or smack a morsel on if it won't move; take it off and give it another pat, then thumb the lot on again. The scale moves down slightly and, whisk, off comes the butter and another paper goes around it! Butter, water and paper only weigh just a pound altogether, but of course the customer pays the same price for the paper and water as for the butter. This 'weighing up,' I might say, is done very quickly and neatly.

"Cheese is much easier to manipulate, and occasionally when our butter receipts are low we can make up the deficiency at the cheese counter. A lady asks, we will say, for a pound of cheese—'eightpenny cheddar'—and I cut a piece which weighs slightly more. Picking up a few of the smaller weights, I put one or two on each side of the balance. Perhaps the cheese weighs half an ounce over the pound. Seventeen ounces, nineteen, madam? I say, 'Will that do?' And, as a rule, she takes it without question, thus paying for the extra half ounce at the rate of 2s. 8d. per pound.

"In the other departments it is the same. Tea is usually weighed in a lead wrapper, and sugar, of course, in the familiar thick and heavy paper, so that in every case the customer pays for the wrapper at the same rate as for the article.

"Of course it is not fair to the public, but what can we assistants do? If we are at any time found giving more than weight we are reported and most probably dismissed. The manager will sometimes send a small boy or girl into the shop for some butter or cheese; then directly the messenger hands him the package he bounces in to the shop and puts the butter or cheese on the scales again. If it, with the paper, just balances, then all's well."—New York Herald.

Names in Ireland.

The Cornish names in Ireland are few and far between, but evidence of an extensive Welsh immigration is forthcoming in the fact that at the present day the name Walsh—pronounced Welsh—is to be met with in nearly every county in Ireland. The curious settlement of Welsh colonists in the baronies of Forth and Bargy, in County Wexford, who maintained their ancient manners, customs and language for some 400 years, no longer deserve the title of a "peculiar people," given to them by S. C. Hall in 1841. The Forth dialect having practically died out, though many of the old family names—Codd, Floet, Reesler and Walsh—are still very common in the neighborhood.

The Huguenots were granted letters of naturalization in 1674 and founded colonies in Dublin, Kilkenny, Portlinton, Waterford, Cork and Lismore. Many prominent, distinguished Irishmen have borne and still bear Huguenot names, among whom mention may be made of the La Touche, Trenches, La Foyes, Lefoyes and Lefauas, of the last of whom one may say, in the best sense, that they are *Hibernia ipsa Hiberniores*.—London Spectator.

A Patient Young Man.

A clergyman was praising the virtue of patience. "We may have industry," said he, "sobriety, ambition, all the virtues that make for success, and yet without patience we will accomplish nothing. A young man was overheard on a street corner the other night reproaching a young girl. That young man was patient. He had so highly developed this excellent quality that I shall not be surprised some day to see him a millionaire, a college president or even a bishop.

"The young man said, as the young girl drew near him on the corner: "'At a time you have kept me waiting!'

"The girl tossed her head. "'It is only 7 o'clock,' she said, 'and I didn't promise to be here till a quarter of 8.'

"The young man smiled a calm and patient smile. "'Ah, yes,' he said, 'but you have mistaken the day. I have been waiting for you since 6 o'clock.'

There was a certain old New England minister who had a blunt way of getting right at the bottom of the matter. With a solemn air he announced the pulpit one day that a button had been found in the collection. "One individual in the church could have pulled off this trick," he said. "I shall expect this person to redden the button with a coin." After several members of the church owned up, being the culprit and asked, "Did you know I was the man?" "Not know," said the congregation, "you said only one person could have done it." "Just so," was the reply. "Two persons could not have pulled some button on the plate."

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Of Local Interest.

The masons commenced laying brick on M. L. Burkhardt's store building Monday.

An old fashioned old folks' dance will be given by the Maccabees at Woodman hall Friday evening, Nov. 10.

D. C. Marion is spending this week in Chelsea, the fall term of school in District No. 3, Dexter, having closed Friday.

Regular meeting of Olive Chapter, No. 108, O. E. S., next Wednesday evening, Nov. 8. Light refreshments will be served.

Chelsea Lodge, No. 194, Knights of Pythias, will entertain their ladies at the parlors of their hall next Tuesday evening.

The Misses Clara and Lizzie Hammond have moved from the Hammond homestead to E. B. Hammond's house on East street.

The annual business meeting of St. Paul's Evangelical church will be held at the church next Monday evening, Nov. 6, at 7 o'clock.

County Drain Commissioner Geo. A. Runciman has filed his bond. It bears the names of John Clark and Jas. H. Runciman as sureties.

Three sides of the wall around the Jackson state prison are to be lighted with electric lights as a safeguard against the escape of prisoners.

The young people of St. Paul's Evangelical church will have a box social at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Schable in Lima, Friday evening, Nov. 10.

A Maccabee supper will be served by the L. O. T. M. M. at the Maccabee hall Saturday evening, Nov. 4, from 5 o'clock until all are served. Tickets 15 cents. Everybody invited.

Earl Todd, who is employed in the stove works, and his wife from Whitmore Lake, have rented rooms in Mrs. Thatcher's house on West Middle street and gone to house-keeping.

About 20 young people from Stockbridge came over and attended the Epworth League meeting at the Methodist church last Sunday evening. After the evening service light refreshments were served.

H. D. Witherell, administrator of the estate of Chas E. Chandler, deceased, has been licensed by the probate court to sell the house and lot at the corner of South Main and East Summit streets, which was the property of deceased, at private sale to pay debts.

Mr. John Heschelwerdt, of Sharon, and Miss Elizabeth Pohley, of Glenwood township, St. Clair county, were married today at the latter place. The bride is a niece of Rev. W. H. Pohley, of Freedom. The newly wedded couple will take a wedding trip to Niagara Falls.

There will be a shooting match at the North Lake Grange hall next Saturday afternoon, Nov. 4, to be followed by an oyster supper to be furnished by the losers. Non-participants in the match, who wish to attend the supper, will be charged 15 cents a dish or 25 cents a couple.

The welcoming reception given to Rev. Joseph Ryerson, the new pastor of the Methodist church, and his family at the church parlors Friday evening, was well attended by the church people as well as those of other congregations. During the evening several selections were rendered on the piano and light refreshments were served by the ladies.

At the Baptist church next Sunday morning, Nov. 4, Rev. P. M. McKay will deliver the second sermon in his course on "The Second Coming of Christ." In the evening at 7 o'clock, in place of the regular preaching service, the Junior B. Y. P. U. will have promotion exercises. Those who are promoted will receive a diploma. All young people are especially invited.

The holy mission at the Church of Our Lady of the Sacred Heart opened at the high mass last Sunday morning. The services every day this week have all been attended by large congregations. The eloquence of the Redemptorist Fathers, Rev. Francis A. Straubinger and Rev. Walter Polk, has drawn large numbers of non-Catholics as well as the members of the church to hear them. The services will close next Sunday.

The first edition of Yost's book on football is nearly exhausted.

The Hunt Stock Co. went from here to Manchester, where they played the first three nights this week.

The Ladies' Aid Society of St. Paul's church will meet with Mrs. Geo. Wackenhut, sr., Friday afternoon, Nov. 3, at 2 o'clock.

The electric railway employees will hold their seventh annual ball at the Wayne opera house next Thursday evening, Nov. 9.

That big 450-pound cheese in Freeman's window is to be cut next Saturday, Nov. 4. The firm has booked a large number of orders for a piece of it.

Next Sunday morning at the Methodist church the subject of the pastor's discourse will be "The Church of Sardis;" in the evening, "The Great Salvation."

The damage suit of Peter Youngs, of Sylvan, against the Michigan Central Railroad Co., was settled out of court Wednesday of last week on terms satisfactory to both parties.

The marriage of Miss Bessie E. Young to Mr. John H. Broesamle will take place next Wednesday evening, Nov. 8, at 7:30 o'clock, at the home of the bride's mother Mrs. Louisa Young.

Dr. Wm. Dawe, the new presiding elder of the Ann Arbor district of the M. E. church, has donated the first three months' salary of his position to the family of the late Dr. E. B. Baneroft.

A conquest meeting of the B. Y. P. U. will be held tomorrow (Friday) evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Archie Clark, on Madison street. The subject will be "Japan." There will also be a program and dog roast.

The water tank on top of the foundry building at the stove works collapsed yesterday morning and broke through the roof, flooding the floor below, so that for a time rubber boots were an almost indispensable necessity.

The Michigan Central will put a new time table into effect next Sunday, Nov. 5. At that time the change will be made of using eastern standard time from Windsor to all points eastward to Buffalo, instead of central time as is now in use.

Henry W. Schmidt, who has been sued for \$400 advanced by Jacob Steinbach for investment in upper peninsula copper mining stock, sets up in his answer that Steinbach accepted 1,000 shares of Almo Consolidated Mining & Milling Co. stock, of Oregon, in settlement.

A. F. Freeman is a state tax commissioner no longer. He attended the last meeting of the old board Tuesday. The board was reduced to three members commencing yesterday, Nov. 1. Mr. Freeman was one of the original tax commissioners appointed by Governor Pingree.

The committee having in charge the location of the new state sanitarium for consumptives visited Howell Saturday and inspected a site of between 200 and 300 acres which has been offered free of cost. Dexter and Prospect Hill will be visited next Saturday. Lake City, Harrison and Rochester have also offered sites.

Mrs. Caroline Ide has started in to make considerable improvement to the house she recently purchased of Mrs. S. A. Barlow, on Park street. The cellar wall is to be raised about 1 1/2 feet and is to be finished off with cement blocks. The upper story of the main part of the house is to be raised 4 1/2 feet and the ceiling of the lower floor is to be raised 1 1/2 feet. A gable roof is to be put on the part at the east side of the house, and new columns are to be put in to support the porch roof. This will result in a very neat and commodious dwelling. H. Lighthall has the contract to do the work.

Terrific Race With Death.

"Death was fast approaching," writes Ralph F. Fernandez, of Tampa, Fla., describing his fearful race with death, "as a result of liver trouble and heart disease, which had robbed me of sleep and of all interest in life. I had tried many different doctors and several medicines, but got no benefit until I began to use Electric Bitters. So wonderful was their effect that in three days I felt like a new man and today I am cured of all my troubles." Bank Drug Store guarantees them, price 50c a bottle.

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A good Laundry Soap, 13 bars for	25c
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THE MISSING MAN

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Author of "The Bank Tragedy"

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CHAPTER XXI.

The Test.

A stillness so tense as to be almost painful succeeded the plaintiff's words, and the summons to admit the defendant while the plaintiff passed him on his way to the seclusion of the office.

Mr. Hamilton, for such he was, undoubtedly, whether the true or false claimant, was deeply moved, as was apparent to all when he stood in the witness-box before them all. His face was pallid, his eyes were gleaming, his hands were tightly clenched.

All glances were riveted upon him with astonishment as he said in a strange tone, not waiting to be questioned at all:

"I will go to get it. I will go to get it."

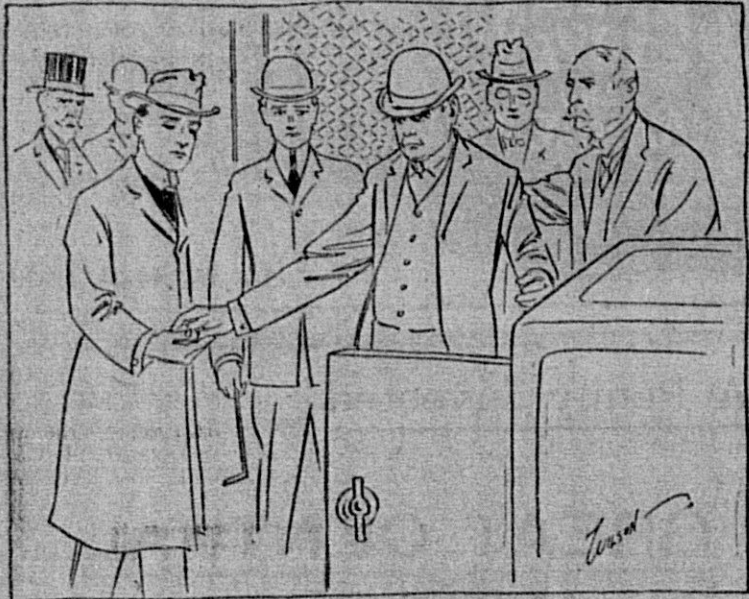
Twice he said it, and then stood looking at vacancy rather than at the judge.

The judge directed that the counsel for both parties and the jurymen attend the defendant to his destination, if not too distant, and see the search take place. Meanwhile the court would adjourn until one o'clock. And His Honor went to dinner. The sheriff followed the thirteen, who filed down the street toward the bank building, no doubt the place to which the defendant was leading them. Tall, erect, impassive, he passed on as in a dream, never hesitating, never speaking, neither looking to the right nor to the left.

Thus he led them to the bank and up the steps. Pushing open the door, Mr. Morley explained their errand to the cashier.

"It is in the vault, the safe, the small drawer," said the defendant, and the cashier successively opened each receptacle except the drawer.

"I have no key to that," he said. "I have never been able to find it. The directors told me nothing was ever kept in it, because it was not accounted a safe, respectable, being poorly constructed."



"For my wife. Give it to her," and then fell prone upon the floor.

At this moment Tony Osborn came forward with a key. "I found it not long ago," he explained, "under the cover of the safe."

"Try it," said Mr. Morley, but the cashier handed it to the defendant, who inserted it in the lock.

The jurymen crowded forward to see what was in the drawer. Nothing, evidently, but a piece of tissue paper, unless that paper contained the diamond stud.

It did.

A flash, a gleam, and the defendant thrust it into the hands of Mr. Morley, instead of his own counsel's.

"For my wife. Give it to her," and then he fell prone on the floor.

Had he fainted? Was it a fit?

The doctor was called and pronounced it the last, but he soon revived and was in a short time apparently as well as ever. He attended the afternoon session of court, and was the center of curious interest to all. Indeed, it was generally admitted that he had triumphed by leading the jurymen straight to the hiding place, though it could not be denied that the other claimant had indicated the place just as surely by his words. Strange that both should know what was a secret except to one of them and to Mrs. Hamilton!

She seemed dazed by the circumstances, while a hopeless, dejected look settled over her countenance.

Tony Osborn's testimony was taken in the afternoon, and told against the defendant, since it was plainly made evident that he had distrusted him from the first.

"Mr. Osborn," said Mr. Morley, "have you any reason for believing that the claimant is not the true Vane Hamilton?"

"None, sir, except the color of his hair. He has stood every test I have applied to him. He knows all about the affairs that took place at the bank when we were there together; he seems to be the true Vane Hamilton as I knew him."

Two witnesses testified that Solomon Marks had been seen by them near the mill on the day before the shooting of the plaintiff, and that he appeared to wish to avoid recognition.

Next, several citizens of Grovedale were examined, and they testified that they believed the plaintiff to be Vane Hamilton, for he had told them of many instances known only to himself

and them, that he seemed familiar with all their past lives, while the other claimant did not. The testimony of these witnesses was very strong, and upon it the plaintiff's counsel relied much for the success of the case.

The last witness to be called was a man from Valparaiso, who testified to the fact that Ashley was known to him, and that he recognized the defendant as the man. The plaintiff he had never seen but once before. He stated that he had been engaged in various nefarious undertakings with Ashley, who he knew to have been in Boston at the very date when the altered note was presented at the bank. That since then he had been converted under the auspices of the Salvation Army, and had seen in a newspaper the advertisement inserted by the plaintiff's counsel for information regarding the suit, and he had answered it in person.

When he left the witness-stand and the case closed for the plaintiff, there were many among the audience, and among the jurymen, too, if their faces did not belie their minds, who were more than half persuaded of the claims of the plaintiff.

Next day Mr. Ferguson spoke for upwards of an hour in an easy, graceful manner natural to him, and his outline of the case held the enrapt attention of every person in the court room that morning. There was little of labored argument, but starting with the supposition that his client was suffering a fraudulent attempt at ejection from his own premises, he proceeded to put the matter before the jurymen in this light. He said in substance something like the following:

"My client, who is none other than the true Vane Hamilton—as you can see for yourself, his looks fully corroborating my statement—returns after an absence of many months to his home. He has been in the habit of taking his yearly outings in May, as he is inclined to bilious difficulties and

in the place of another, and to base this they are compelled to set up the absurd story of the twin brother. There is no twin brother, for he died in infancy.

"Ashley was visited next morning in jail by his wife. He denied that she was his wife, and she did not contradict him until afterward. Then she said that she was his wife. Ashley got clear on the plea of being insane, and was sent to the asylum. From there he escaped, was supposed to have been drowned, worked awhile at a mill, and then came to Grovedale, where he got employment in the mill here. He gave his name as Primus Edes, said he was never married, could not write; indeed, he appeared to be very illiterate. He worked as a common hand at the mill until he chanced to meet Mrs. Hamilton at church and fell violently in love with her.

"He began to persecute her with attentions, and finally won her interest by finding her little boy who wandered away to the woods and got lost. Mrs. Hamilton made him sundry presents and professed to think he resembled her husband. Ashley, alias Edes, began to learn to write, and learned astonishingly fast, writing the name Constance over and over again. He purchased a violin and began to play. Ashley was a fine player, as we shall prove, and he was also well educated. Mr. Hamilton could not play at all. Neither was he an ingenious workman. Ashley was. Mrs. Hamilton put on mourning and had a monument made to erect to the memory of her husband. She often opened her window to listen to the strains of the violin played by Primus Edes as she knew him.

"Then Mr. Hamilton returned with a straightforward story of loss of memory as the reason for his detention from home, and very honorably, settled up the bank troubles, as he said he could not absolutely affirm that he had not done what was alleged of him, for he knew nothing of his acts after he left Grovedale on the fifteenth of May. Mr. Carter and his children received him with open arms. Not so his wife. She preferred to doubt him. Mr. Hamilton took up his place in the mill and in the community, unchallenged by a soul except his wife. Reports were brought to him of her affection for the man known as Edes, but he paid no attention to them, except to call him to the office and warn him against being seen on his premises.

"In about a week afterwards Edes was shot there by some one unknown, probably by Edes himself, to awaken suspicion against Mr. Hamilton. He was ill for three or four weeks afterwards, and when he was partially recovered he professed to recollect that he was Hamilton instead of Edes. Mrs. Hamilton professed to believe his statement, or at least did not deny his claims. Proof would be offered that before his illness she wrote him a letter, calling him her dear husband, and signing herself Calla Lily, as she sometimes did in her letters to her friends, it being a pet name applied to her fair, stately beauty when a school-girl.

(To be continued.)

A New Definition.

Former Mayor Patrick Collins of Boston told this one as the Irish cab driver had narrated it to him in Dublin. Cabby took "a fare" out into the country one night. The gentleman paid him well, and told him to "look under the seat."

There cabby found a quart bottle of pure Irish whisky, and he sampled it immediately. He also gave some to the horse, who seemed to like it. Telling the story cabby said:

"'After I'd been given' av th' baste on'y four or five drinks he got gay; he did. Th' first thing Oi knowed Oi wor in th' shafts pullin' th' keb, an' th' baste wor up in th' state lashtin' me wid th' whip, makin' me pull harrd an' dance."

"Well, what was the result?" inquired Mr. Collins.

"'Oi've never give th' baste another drop fr'm that day till this.'"

"Yes, but what was the result that night? You were drunk, of course."

"'Oi wor not drunk, at all at all.'"

"'Were you entirely sober?'"

"'No, Oi'll not lie about it. Oi wor not intirelyly sober.'"

"If neither drunk nor sober, what was your condition?"

"'Oi wor on th' defensive.'—Pittsburg Dispatch.

Opera in Arkansas.

"See you had a comic opera here night before last," said the patent churn man, who had just come to town on one of his periodical visits. "How was it? I notice the bills promised a great scenic production, and all that."

"'Pss-sst! Come here!'" hissed the landlord of the tavern at Polkville, Ark. Hooking a forefinger through a buttonhole in his guest's raiment, he led the astonished man off from the porch, out across the yard and around behind the smokehouse. "Pss-sst! That's what they called it, on paper—'a scenic production'—but my wife (she ain't anywhere around within hearin') said—'you know how women are, that a-way, especially the best but kind o' skinny ones; wife, when she seen the chorus in tights—well, from the way she noted them and what she said to me 'most ever since, I sorter surmise that she considered it an obscene production.'—San Francisco Call.

A Great Light.

Homeless Holmes—Dis here paper says dat soap is good for moskeeter bites.

Petered Pete—Say, I been a wonder in all me life wat dat stuff was good fer.

LIVE BITTER LIVES

UNHAPPY EXILES WHO HAVE BETRAYED TRUSTS.

City of Honduras Has Colony of Expatriated Americans Living in Luxury Yet Haunted by the Knowledge of Their Disgrace—Afraid to Die.

In Tegucigalpa, a city in the Central American Republic of Honduras, there is a club of some 100 men who are known as the Non-suicides. They belong to this club because they should have killed themselves by all rules of shame, and did not have the nerve to put the finishing touches to their careers.

By the Pinkertons, who are perfectly acquainted with the members of this organization, it is called the Defaulter's club. Every member of it has at some time betrayed a financial trust, and every state in the Union is represented on its roll and most of the large cities. Ex-bank presidents, county treasurers, brokers, agents, municipal officers—all of the ex-respectabilities are there, and the life is a very bitter one, in spite of the money the wine and the gayety.

Among those who move and have their being as members of this club is W. R. Vice—Billy, as he was known when he was agent in San Francisco of the Union Pacific. Billy stole \$8,000 and decamped with it in April, 1903. Then there's its last accession, Allan Howard, the broker, who left his wife and all the friends who trusted him and fled with \$50,000 only a month ago.

Texas is represented by Seth Tracy, who left Houston with \$50,000; New York is honored by having the former mayor of Little Falls there; there's G. H. Tripp of Hartford, rated in the Bradstreet of crookedness as worth \$50,000; Frank H. Brown of Kentucky, is there with \$280,000 of a bank's money; P. E. Webb, a famous bank forger, is also there, and the list would go down to the lowest criminal or the most insignificant, weak and foolish man whom a moment's temptation had flung into the fear of punishment and exile.

Money enough, of course, there is. These men who have slipped away on night trains and fruit steamers did not go empty-handed. A tropical climate does not necessitate much expense, servants are cheap, and all these creatures of passion and avarice and sin live in a sort of luxury that makes honest folk occasionally give voice to envy. But the judgment of those who know Honduras and know this colony is, after all, the truest. "Billy" Vice and Seth Tracy and the rest may lounge on the veranda of their clubhouse, Vice in the uniform of the chief of police. Servants may wait on them, and fine wines and choice cigars may make the hours pleasant. But those who know the inside shrug their shoulders and pass on with the assertion that these are all men "afraid to die."

Once in a while they do die—some times very suddenly and not according to Hoyle. But usually a man once there with his stealings simply keeps out of the sun, drinks his liquor and plays his games and goes by himself only when he has to.—San Francisco Chronicle.

The Book of Memory.

My grandma has a curious book she often lets me see.

When at the dusk I leave my play to sit upon her knee:

"I cannot touch the book at all, but shut my eyes up tight.

While grandma tells the pictures, and I see them clear and bright.

I see the dear old farmhouse, where my grandma used to play.

The barn, with all the cattle and the fragrant mows of hay.

The pets that grandma used to have, and all her queer old toys.

And the little country schoolhouse, full of merry girls and boys.

And there are other pictures, too, which make my grandma sigh:

She says I must not see them now, but wait till I am grown.

But though she thinks they're far too sad to show to little me,

She's sure they all look brighter when I'm sitting on her knee.

My grandma says I'm making now a book to be my own.

And that I'll often look at it and smile, when I am grown.

And then I'm sure the picture that I'll like the best to see

Will be myself a-sitting in the dusk on grandma's knee!

—Hannah G. Fernald.

Trouble Over Sunday Observance.

London had its troubles with Sunday closing laws when, in 1855, there were riots caused by Lord Robert Grosvenor's bill to put down Sunday trading. A crowd hostile to the measure went to Hyde Park "to see how the aristocrats kept the Sabbath," as a newspaper of that time put it. Carriages taking the afternoon drive were greeted with yells of "Go to church!" and with booing that scared many horses into running away. A week later the police prohibited a meeting that was announced, but tens of thousands of people appeared, and there were vigorous struggles with the police. On the third Sunday pure rowdism supervened; footmen were assaulted and windows were smashed wholesale through the aristocratic districts. Then the trouble died out, and so did the bill.

Pitched too High for the Choir.

A good many years ago, before the late Dan W. Palmer moved from Georgetown to East Boston, he was a choir member and played a musical instrument in the church at the former place. Some weeks after his removal the tenor singer of his old choir came up to visit him. The first question Dan asked him was how matters went in the choir.

"They don't go worth a cent," was the reply. "The new leader we've got pitches the tunes so high that you couldn't play the bass on a life."—Boston Herald.

THE NEW AND OLD IN ENGLAND.

Strange Mixtures to Which Visitors Must Get Accustomed.

I was never an enemy of the confusion of the old and new in Europe when Italy was all Europe to me, and now in England it was distinctly a pleasure. It is something we must accept, whether we like it or not, and we had better like it. The pride of the old custodian of the Exeter Guildhall in the coil of hot water pipes heating the ancient edifice was quite as acceptable as his pride in the thirteenth century carvings of the oaken door and the oak-paneled walls, the portraits of the Princess Henrietta and Gen. Monk, and the sword bestowed upon the faithful city by Edward IV. and Henry VII. I warmed my chilly hands about the medieval facts, and even fly to that uttermost antiquity when the Roman Praetorium stood where the Guildhall stands now. Still, I was not so warm all over but that I was glad to shun the indoors inclemency to which we must have returned in the hotel, and to prolong our stay in the milder air outside by going a drive beyond the city into the charming country.—W. D. Howells, in Harper's.

A Teacher's Testimony.

Hinton, Ky., Oct. 30th.—(Special.)—It has long been claimed that Diabetes is incurable, but Mr. E. J. Thompson, teacher in the Hinton school, has pleasing evidence to the contrary. He took Dodd's Kidney Pills and is cured. In a statement he makes regarding the cure Mr. Thompson says:

"I was troubled with my kidneys for more than two years and was treated by two of the best doctors in this part of the state. They claimed I had Diabetes and there was little to be done for me. Then I started to use Dodd's Kidney Pills and what they did for me was wonderful. It is entirely owing to Dodd's Kidney Pills that I am now enjoying good health."

Many doctors still maintain that Diabetes is incurable. But Diabetes is a kidney disease and the kidney disease that Dodd's Kidney Pills will not cure has yet to be discovered.

River of Genuine Ink.

Algeria has a river of genuine ink, caused by the joining of two streams, one of which comes from an iron region, while the second stream flows from a peat swamp. On meeting, the acid of one stream blends with the iron solution of the other, and ink is the result.

Here is Relief for Women.

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When Nuns Powdered.

The custom of powdering the hair dates back as far as the sixteenth century, and was first introduced by the nuns in French convents. Those who had occasion to leave the cloisters for any reason were wont to powder their hair, so as to make it appear gray and give them a venerable look. The fashionable dames were so struck with the novel effect of white powder on dark hair that they soon appropriated the device as one of the arts of the worldly toilet. Out of this grew the use of tints in the hair. The Roman women often used blue powder, and later, in 1850, Empress Eugenie set the fashion of using gold powder.

English Woman Praises Sisters.

The Englishwoman may not unreasonably claim to be the best-looking woman in the world, says an English writer. Of course, she would not pretend for a moment that all the essentials of good looks are in her possession, but when she comes to think that the women of no other nation manage to give such general satisfaction as Englishwomen, they may, I think, confidently conclude that in them is combined the largest proportion of good looks, grace and fascination to be found in any daughter of Eve all the world over.

Important Subject.

How to manage self is an ever important subject, but how to use one's strength, when it is like the last flickering match in the damp forest, is the subject next to preparation for eternity.—Earl M. Pratt.

FUNNY

People Will Drink Coffee When It Does Such Things.

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You Have No Right to Suffer

From Constipation, Bowel and Stomach Trouble.

Q. What is the beginning of sickness?

A. Constipation.

Q. What is Constipation?

A. Failure of the bowels to carry off the waste matter which the alimentary canal where it decays and poisons the entire system. Eventually the results are death under the name of some other disease. Note the death from typhoid fever and appendicitis, stomach and bowel trouble at the present time.

Q. What causes Constipation?

A. Neglect to respond to the call of nature promptly. Lack of exercise. Excessive brain work. Mental emotion and improper diet.

Q. What are the results of neglected Constipation?

A. Constipation causes more suffering than any other disease. It causes rheumatism, colds, fevers, stomach, bowel, kidney, lung and heart troubles, etc. It is the one disease that starts all ailments. Indigestion, dyspepsia, diarrhea, loss of sleep and strength are its symptoms—pleurisy, appendicitis and fistula, are caused by Constipation. Its consequences are known to all physicians, but few sufferers realize their condition until it is too late. Women become confirmed invalids as a result of Constipation.

Q. Do physicians recognize this?

A. Yes. The first question your doctor asks you is "are you constipated?" That is the secret.

Q. Can it be cured?

A. Yes, with proper treatment. The common error is to resort to physics, such as pills, salt, mineral water, castor oil, injections, etc., every one of which is injurious. They weaken and increase the malady. You know this by your own experience.

Q. What then should be done to cure it?

A. Get a bottle of Mull's Grape Tonic at once. Mull's Grape Tonic will positively cure Constipation and Stomach Trouble in the shortest space of time. No other remedy has before been known to cure Constipation positively and permanently.

Q. What is Mull's Grape Tonic?

A. It is a Compound with 40 per cent of the juice of Concord Grapes. It exerts a peculiar strengthening, healing influence upon the intestines, so that they can do their work unaided. The process is gradual but sure. It is not a physic, but it cures Constipation, Dysentery, Stomach and Bowel Trouble. Having a rich, fruity grape flavor, it is pleasant to take. As a tonic it is unequalled, invigorating the system, strengthening the muscles and building up waste tissue.

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"Just how were you afflicted at this time?" Mr. Kenney was asked.

"Well, I had first hot, and then cold, and clammy feelings, and at times my body felt as if needles were being stuck into it. These sensations were followed by terrible pains, and again I would have no feeling at all, but a numbness would come over me, and I would not be able to move. The most agonizing tortures came from headaches and a pain in the spine."

"Night after night I could not get my natural sleep and my system was wrecked by the strain of torturing pains and the effect of the opiates I was forced to take to induce sleep. As I look back on this terrible suffering I endured during this period I often wonder how I retained my reason through it all."

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TWO BAD CASES
Of Cancer and Catarrh Cured by Dr. Wilkinson, 25 Dwight Building, Jackson, Mich.
Somerset Center, Mich., Oct. 27, 1905.
Anyone having a cancer knows what it is to suffer, and they will also know what a relief they experience when they get cured. I had a cancer on my nose for one year, which annoyed me very much. I went to Dr. Wilkinson and in six days from the time he began treating it the cancer came out. It has now been three years since it has been removed and there has been no sign of its returning.
Mrs. Dora Baker.

Jackson, Mich., Sept. 20, 1905.
341 Ten Eyck street.
For the benefit of others who are suffering with deafness and roaring noises in the head, I wish to say a few words. For six years the roaring noises in my ears were terrible, terrible. I thought many times I would lose my mind, they were so ex-cruciatingly annoying. Of course, my hearing was much impaired, I spent much money trying to get relief and had concluded to give up and quit everything when I heard of Dr. Wilkinson and thought I would try once more, and how glad I am that I did, for I am almost entirely free of the roaring and my hearing is much better. Only occasionally now do I have a slight roaring and I scarcely mind it at all, thanks to Dr. Wilkinson.
Annie McLaughlin.

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Do you see objects as through a haze? Does the atmosphere seem smoky or foggy? Do spots or specks dance before your eyes? Do you see more clearly some days than others? These and many other symptoms will lead to blindness.

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All kinds of boats and sailing vessels via Grand Trunk, Atlantic and Pacific, between New York, London, Liverpool, and other ports. Full details will be supplied for transportation. Write to J. B. P. in either direction between Detroit and Buffalo. A. B. & C. 107 N. W. 10th St., Detroit, Mich.

FOR SALE—A \$25 Columbia Graphophone has been used but little. Will sell it cheap. Apply at the Herald office.

PILES and "Hemorrhoids" are incompatible. The disease must leave when you use "Hemorrhoid" Salve. Look for it. 25¢ and 50¢. All druggists. Hemorrhoid Salve, Chicago.

Personal.
Miss Pauline Burg was in Jackson Sunday.
Irving Kennedy, of Dexter, was in town Sunday.
Miss Mary Haab was in Detroit on business Monday.
Miss Mamie Clark was an Ann Arbor visitor yesterday.
H. D. Witherell was in Ann Arbor on business Monday.
Miss Minnie Marrinane, of Grass Lake, visited friends here Monday.
G. L. Hoyt, of Saline, was the guest of O. C. Burkhardt Saturday.
Mrs. Patrick Smith and Mrs. Mott Franklin were in Detroit Saturday.
Mrs. Philip Rheinfrank, of Detroit, spent Sunday with Wm. Rheinfrank and wife.
John P. Foster was home from Mt. Pleasant and spent Sunday with his family.
Mrs. Charles Erickson left Tuesday for Los Angeles, Cal., to join her husband.
Mrs. Thos. G. Spear and Miss Marguerite Daubersmith were Jackson visitors Tuesday.
Mrs. D. C. Wurster and daughter Nina Belle spent Saturday and Sunday in Ann Arbor.

R. D. Walker, wife and children, spent Sunday with R. W. Shaw and family, of Ypsilanti.
Dr. C. G. Darling, of Ann Arbor, was in Chelsea Friday evening on professional business.
Miss Tillie Hummel was home from Manchester and spent Saturday and Sunday here.
Mrs. R. B. Waltrous, of Sylvan, was the guest of Detroit friends the latter part of last week.
O. H. Hans and wife, of Ann Arbor, spent Sunday with her parents R. A. Snyder and wife.
W. A. BeGole and wife, of Ann Arbor, visited their parents here Tuesday and yesterday.
Ralph Freeman and wife spent Sunday in Ypsilanti with her parents R. W. Shaw and wife.
Chester Smith and wife, of Grass Lake, visited her father H. Spear and other relatives Sunday.
Miss Nellie Mingay was home from Tecumseh and spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents.
The Misses Irene and Josephine Ryan, of Detroit, have been visiting their parents here since Sunday.
Wm. Rheinfrank and wife were in Manchester Saturday attending the funeral of his sister the late Mrs. Caroline Gauss.

Mrs. C. W. Watts, of Williamston, sister of A. C. Johnson, was here Monday attending the funeral of her cousin the late Mrs. Alfred Kaercher.

A Creeping Death.
Blood poison creeps up toward the heart, causing death. J. E. Stearns, Belle Plaine, Minn., writes that a friend dreadfully injured his hand, which swelled up like blood poisoning. Bucklen's Arnica Salve drew out the poison, healed the wound and saved his life. Best in the world for burns and sores. 25c at Bank Drug Store.

Southwest Sylvan.
Messdames H. H. Boyd and Lulu Buchanan spent the first of the week in Detroit.
Miss Velma Richards spent the latter part of last week with Miss Helen Kern.
Mrs. H. C. Boyd is with her son Merritt in Chelsea, where she will remain this winter.
Albert Moeckel and wife, of Waterloo, spent part of last week with Fred Schauble and wife.
Mrs. Chris Forner, jr., and children, of Lima, spent Sunday with her parents John Knoll and wife.
Mrs. Charles List, of Bunker Hill, is spending some time with her brother George Heselschwerdt and family.
Mrs. Jas. C. McGee, of Grass Lake township, met with a peculiar accident Sunday evening, Oct. 22, which resulted in her death. She was about to retire and had ascended the stairs at her home when an artery in her leg was severed and she died in a few minutes. Mrs. McGee was over 80 years old and had suffered with a varicose ulcer on one of her legs, between the knee and the ankle, for a number of years. She was a sister of the late George C. Lord, of Grass Lake.

Neighborhood Notes.
Ypsilanti has a case of smallpox.
A. McCloy has sold his elevator at Munith to Oiks Bros.
The Washtenaw Garden Co., of Sharon, will harvest about 25 carloads of turnips.
Earl Nutten has bought the old James Hatt farm near Clear Lake, and has moved on it.
Mrs. Mary Deegan, of Fosters, died Tuesday aged 80 years. She was a native of Ireland.
Sneak thieves, who steal poultry, canned fruit and other things, have been busy around Whitmore Lake.
Ann Arbor votes today on the question of raising \$8,000 to build a detention hospital for contagious diseases.
H. O. Wills, the Detroit evangelist, is assisting Rev. W. B. Collins, of Whitmore Lake, in a series of revival meetings.
A. E. Phelps, of Dexter, has purchased the trotting stallion Red Devil from Warren Lewis, of Ypsilanti, for \$850.
George P. Dorr, of Grass Lake, died at his home in that township Friday, Oct. 20, aged 63 years, 5 months and 27 days.
A Milan man killed a pure white squirrel the other day. Whitesquirrels are a rarity and he has had it stuffed and mounted.
Ann Arbor city's tax rate for city and school purposes last year was the lowest of any city of over 7,000 inhabitants in Michigan, being only \$11.32.
Ypsilanti has another manufacturing interest. It is a factory for the manufacture of a flexible mesh rail bond, which is largely used on electric lines.
Rev. R. A. Emerick, the new pastor of the Pinckney M. E. church, was welcomed by his people with a "pound" social, which was largely attended.
George Yeager, an old resident of Ypsilanti, died Friday, Oct. 27, aged 81 years. He had resided there for 60 years, and for 57 years had lived in one house.
Over 5,000 barrels of apples were purchased and shipped from orchards in and around Ann Arbor last week by two buyers. One orchard alone had 800 bushels in it.
A. W. Sheffield, of Salem, aged 70 years, took out a deer hunting license Tuesday and has gone after the deer. He has been north hunting every year for 27 years past.
The D. Y. A. & J. proposes to extend its street car lines in Ann Arbor next spring so as to reach the University hospitals, also go over the bridge to lower town and to Riverside park.
Two thousand gallons of milk are consumed in Ann Arbor daily. Who'd have thought it. We always supposed they drank something stronger than milk in such large quantities.
Mr. and Mrs. Virgil R. Peck, of Sharon, were married 50 years ago Tuesday, Oct. 24. They passed the anniversary quietly at their home, it being their expressed wish that the day might thus be spent.
The consumption of gas for illuminating and cooking purposes in Ann Arbor has increased to four and one-half times what it was four years ago. The capacity of the gas works is being enlarged to 200,000 cubic feet per day.
Christian Wurster, of Lodi, died Thursday, Oct. 26, aged 69 years, leaving a family of six grown up children. The funeral services, held Sunday morning at the house and at Bethel's church, Freedom, were conducted by Rev. Paul Irion.
Someone signing himself "A Loyal Citizen" sent a letter containing a check for \$50 to the treasurer of the city of Ann Arbor the other day to pay taxes which had not been assessed to him. He is supposed to be one of those who have their personal property so covered up that it does not get assessed. It was a very unusual circumstance.
Many children inherit constitutions weak and feeble, others due to childhood troubles. Holister's Rocky Mountain Tea will positively cure children and make them strong. 35c tea or tablets. At Bank Drug Store.

ROLL OF HONOR.
Scholarship and Attendance of the Chelsea Public Schools.
The following is the superintendent's monthly report of the Chelsea public schools for the month ending Oct. 27, 1905:
Total number enrolled, 425
Total number enrolled by transfer, 0
Total number enrolled by re-entry, 16
Total number left, all causes, 25
Total number belonging at date, 412
Percentage of attendance, 97.2
No. of non-resident pupils, 34
No. pupils neither absent nor tardy, 264
F. E. WILCOX, Supt.

The following pupils were neither absent nor tardy during the month:
HIGH SCHOOL.
May McGuinness
Winifred McKune
Mary McKune
Helen Miller
Ethel Mors
Edmund Robinson
H. D. Runciman
Carlton Runciman
K. Riemenschneider
Edna Ruffey
Mabel Ruffey
Velma Richards
Will Ryerson
Clarence Schaufele
Albert Steinbach
Lynn Steedman
Florence Schaufele
Harry Taylor
Bertha Turner
Kent Walworth
Clarence Weiss
Mary Weber
Anna Walsh
EDITH E. SHAW, Teacher.

SIXTH GRADE.
Bessie Allen
Reynolds Bacon
Winifred Bacon
Mina Cooper
Neva Conklin
Harlan Dewey
Ruth Foster
Russell Galatian
Galbraith Gorman
Claire Hoover
Elsworth Hoppe
Roy Ives
Catherine Keelan
Max Kelly
VIVIANA BEAL, Teacher.

EIGHTH GRADE.
Ralph Gleske
Paul Martin
Shirley Schenk
James Schmidt
Cleon Wolff
Dorothy Bacon
Mildred Cook
Margaretta Eppler
Cora Feldkamp
Mary Koch
Margaretta Martin
Mary Nordman
Clara Osterie
Ruth Ruffey
Rena Roedel
V. Schwiketh
May Stieglmaier
Gertrude Storms
Phoebe Turnbull
Buelah Turner
Nina Belle Wurster
LOU L. WILSON, Teacher.

SEVENTH GRADE.
Francis Eder
Fanny Emmett
Lloyd Hoffman
Nada Hoffman
Mary Kolb
E. Riemenschneider
H. Riemenschneider
Hazel Trouton
Freda Wagner
Edna Wackenhut
ELIZABETH DEWEY, Teacher.

SIXTH GRADE.
Arthur Avery
Howard Beckwith
John Dunn
Russell Emmett
Charles Kelly
Paul Kuhl
Paul Maroney
Edith Beeler
Ella Davis
Winifred Eder
Grace Fletcher
OLGA HOFFMAN, Teacher.

FIFTH GRADE.
Lewis Eppler
Ida Faber
Laverne Foor
Neta Fuller
Elmer Hammond
Elaine Jackson
Herman Jensen
George Kaercher
Willie Kolb
Artena Lambert
Edna Maroney
Leo McKune
Josephine Miller
W. Riemenschneider
Henry Schwiketh
Meryl Shaver
Norma Turnbull
Ernest Wagner
Ethel Walls
Theo. Wedemeyer
Leo Wetck
Hubert Winans
Llewellyn Winans
MAUDE HAINES, Teacher.

FOURTH GRADE.
Donald Bacon
Margaret Burg
Coral Combs
Gertrude Eisenman
Norbert Eisenman
Harry Giauque
Lila Hagston
Lella Jackson
Florence Jones
Roland Kalmbach
Carl Kantelemer
Rosaline Kelly
Lottie Kuhl
Guy Murphy
Edmund Ross
Oscar Schiller
Earle Schumacher
Rollo Schnaitman
Doris Schmidt
Grace Schenk
E. Schwiketh
M. Schwiketh
Marie Wackenhut
George Wackenhut
Frieda Wedemeyer
ATIMEE M. JONES, Teacher.

THIRD GRADE.
Esther Chandler
Louis Eder
Edith Egeloff
Norma Eisenman
Samuel Emmett
Hazen Fuller
Esther Hammond
Marjorie Hepburn
Gregory Howe
Beatrice Hunter
Ella Rath Hunter
Edith Johnson
Lettie Kaercher
Harold Kaercher
Lloyd Kalmbach
Edna Lambert
Hazen Leach
Roy Maier
Lawrence McKune
Leon Mohrlock
Joseph Murphy
Clarence Ruffey
Viola Schnaitman
Burt Shanafelt
Muri Shanafelt
Gladys Taylor
Margaret Wick
HELENA KOCH, Teacher.

SECOND GRADE.
Esther Beckwith
Ivah Beeler
Louis Burg
Frankie Embury
Florence Embury
Lydia Frey
Lola Guerin
Elsa Hanser
Claire Hirth
Lloyd Hirth
Ethel Kalmbach
Helena Koch
Esther McCormick
Phyllis Monroe
Frank Nordman
Francis Ryan
Willie Schatz
Dorothy Schumacher
Glen Trouton
Harold Walls
Amy Wolf
AGNES ROSS, Teacher.

FIRST GRADE.
John Bacon
Joseph Corey
Jessie Clark
Lawrence Dunn
Oswald Eisenman
Clara Fenn
Ralph Hirth
Ruth Hirth
Mary Hummel
Bertha Hagadon
Margaret Howe
John Kantelemer
Leo Madden
John Murphy
Hilda Mohrlock
Ogilvie McClain
Rudolph Paul
Austin Palmer
Marion Remnant
William Ryan
Elsa Schatz
Edith Schatz
Paul Wagner
CELAIRE L. NIMS, Teacher.

WOMEN'S WOES.
Michigan Women are Finding Relief at Last.
It does not seem fair that women have more than a fair share of the aches and pains that afflict humanity; they must "keep up," must attend to duties in spite of constantly aching backs or headaches, dizzy spells, bearing down pains; they must stoop over, when to stoop means torture. They must walk and bend and work with racking pains and many aches from kidney ills. Kidneys cause more suffering than any other organ of the body. Keep the kidneys well and health is easily maintained. Read of a remedy for kidneys only that helps and cures the kidneys.
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Chas. D. Leach, of Paw Paw, was the guest of Chelsea relatives Tuesday.

Shakespeare Modernized.
"He who steals my purse steals trash," but he who gets away with my share of the surplus draws a big salary, owns a yacht or two, a few ninety horsepower automobiles, a city mansion and a country seat and has money to burn.—New York Herald.

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Which would you rather? Suffer from insomnia or know that you snore like a tuba horn?

Moral of the Taggart case—The man who teaches his wife to drink whiskey is a fool.

A livestock census is now planned. It is odds on that there'll be no kick on telling ages this time.

Dr. Osler has evidently changed his mind. No one hears of his asking anybody to pass him the chloroform.

In this his hour of greatness let Mr. Christy Mathewson remember the fate of Pflug. He, too, was famous once.

It is a pertinent suggestion that the automobile horn should be tuned to a musical note. Even the swan song is soothing.

A Chicagoan is under arrest in Kansas City charged with "having one wife too many." He might have only one at that.

A Russian prince was fined for speeding his automobile in Chicago. It is needless to say that Chicago is not in Russia.

A man has written a large book entitled "What to Have for Breakfast," when it could all be boiled down into one word, food.

Oysters are said to be large and plentiful this year, and many churches have voted to use two at each social.

Somebody has invented a new field gun which fires 300 shots a minute. Here is another argument in favor of universal peace.

Spain probably does not see that there was anything inferior about Dewey's work at Manila, even if he was an elderly officer.

A careless newspaper reports that Mr. Taft "is getting thin." What it means, of course, is that the secretary is getting less thick.

When an austere man of science declares that kissing is an "unpleasant custom" it is only right that he should tell the world how he knows.

If every man could use King Alfonso's system and have the neighbors pick out a wife for him the divorce problem might be simpler than it is.

The Lancaster boarding house man who made a potpie out of buzzard was fined, although justice fairly clamored that he be condemned to consume the pie.

Little Freeman Meinertz, the Brooklyn "scientific baby," who has never tasted meat, candy or cake, has lots of treats in store for him if he lives to grow up.

A Berlin professor says the bite of a girl is frequently fatal. It has been noted that the bite of a girl often brings a box of chocolate creams to an early end.

It is claimed now that the spices in the food which is eaten by rich people cause them to become immoral. What about the farmer, whose apple pie is mostly nutmeg?

A Pittsburg court is going to determine the money capacity of woman's stocking. That will be of no advantage, however, for the average man isn't able to reach it.

Some editors are troubled because a New York stock exchange seat sold for \$25,000, and only the Portland Press stops to consider that the buyer at least got the seat.

The fall styles in women's hosiery, judged by window displays, are rain-bow-hued and boldly designed. Until a muddy day's disclosures, no man may say whether they are popular.

The courts have decided that a married man has a right to keep a rat trap in his pocket to catch wifely when she goes through his pants as he sleeps. Spread the good news, brethren.

A Philadelphia man is worrying because he received \$20 in a letter to which no name was signed. We nominate him for first vice president of the Amalgamated Association of Trouble Borrowers.

A young man who appeared in a London theater wearing a necktie made entirely of diamonds was nearly mobbed by the audience. He was believed to be an American, but if this were true, where was his diamond shirt?

A contemporary came mighty near enunciating an immortal truth when it remarked that "the trouble with French statesmen is that they talk too much." If it had omitted the adjective all the ground would have been covered.

STATE NEWS

WASHTENAW COUNTY. ONE SESSION A DAY.

BURGLARS BLOW A SAFE IN REMUS AND GET SOME BOOTY.

SENATOR ALGER WILL NOT RESIGN BEFORE THE COMPLETION OF HIS TERM.

Benton Harbor Woman Horribly Burned by Fall on Stove—Kalamazoo Molder Murdered in Oakland, California.

On account of the large enrollment in the primary department of the Milan schools, it has been found necessary to adopt the one-session-a-day plan. Part of the children come in the morning and the others in the afternoon. It is found that much more can be done for each child in a half day with fewer in the room than could be done in all day with the room overcrowded.

Funny Yarn

The peaceful slumbers of Remus, Newaygo county, were startled at break of dawn Tuesday by a terrific report coming from the direction of the general store. A clatter of hoofs followed, and investigation showed the store to be wrecked and pieces of the dynamited safe scattered for many feet about. Five hundred dollars done up in packages of bills were missing, about \$50 in small change, from \$200 to \$300 worth of rings and watches and other jewelry were taken.

The job is laid to the same gang that blew the Pere Marquette safe at Mears last Thursday, and visited Pentwater depot early Sunday morning. Reports received here say that the gang had been seen riding toward Fremont, which is en route to Muskegon.

Alger Won't Resign.

"There's nothing at all in the report that Senator Alger will resign before the end of his term," says Congressman William Alden Smith, who had a conference with the senator. "He seems to be in better health than for some time and will certainly hold his place."

Mr. Smith said he saw the senator in reference to matters of patronage, but would not state what they were. "Grand Rapids will get all that is coming to it," is all he would say.

Shockingly Burned.

Mrs. Lewis Larson fell across a gasoline stove Saturday morning, sustaining injuries from which she cannot recover. She was getting a meal on the stove when she was stricken with an epileptic fit and fell into the fire. Her hair was burned off; her face and neck disfigured, and her back from the shoulders to the waist is a crisp. The woman was found on the floor with her clothing burning when her husband returned from the store.

A Life Sacrificed.

Irving R. Pearl, best known officer in Berrien county, died in Benton Harbor. He distinguished himself in the capture of Desperado Donohue, the murderer of Armlinger Northrup in Indiana last winter. He chased the fugitive across several states and captured him at his old home in New York on Christmas eve. He had been ill since August 21 from blood poisoning, which he contracted while removing the body of Miss Olive Templeton from the St. Joseph river on August 15. She was the young co-ed at the State Normal Adventist college near Berrien Springs who committed suicide last February. A widow and three children survive.

Killed With An Ax.

Fred C. Turner, an iron molder of Kalamazoo, was found murdered a few miles south of Oakland, Cal. The discovery of the body was made by Hugh Manaman, of Fruitville. Turner had been assailed by an unknown assassin, armed with an ax, and the victim was frightfully mangled. No clue to the murderer has been found.

Efforts to definitely locate Turner in Kalamazoo have been without results, except it is known that Fred C. Turner, a factory hand, went west about eight years ago, but his present whereabouts are not known.

Strange Case.

A strange case of dental surgery took place in Coldwater. Dr. Howard, a veterinary surgeon, "extracted" three teeth from the ear of a horse belonging to P. J. Phenicee. The teeth were large and well formed. The animal had shown signs of much distress for two or three years, but until brought to Howard, no one had been able to tell what was the matter.

Fatally Shot.

It is believed that Roy Evans, a 10-year-old lad of Horton township, cannot survive the injuries to his face and head caused by the accidental discharge of his brother's shotgun. His right ear was torn off, the whole side of his face was lacerated, and it is believed some shot penetrated his skull. John Evans, an older brother, had left the gun standing where his younger brother could reach it.

The total valuation as fixed by the board of supervisors for Arenac county is \$1,885,000.

The St. Joseph county clerk has issued 1,305 marriage licenses this year, a gain of 10 over the whole of last year.

While playing at the M. C. stock yards in Lapeer, Jake Slattery, 8 years old, went to the rescue of a hog that a dog was biting. The hog was released, but turned upon Slattery, and lacerated his arm and hand seriously. His condition this morning is alarming. Blood poisoning is feared, and the arm may have to be amputated.

MICHIGAN ITEMS.

George Davis, aged 27, of Lansing, although ill with tuberculosis, worked until within two hours of his death.

Charles Gaige, once a wealthy man of Hillsdale, but of late an inmate of the county house, committed suicide.

Gas was found on the farm of Geo. Fox, near Warren. A stream 50 feet high is blazing as it flows from a four-inch pipe.

Mrs. Abbie Baylis, aged 70, walked directly in front of a Lake Shore passenger train at Tecumseh, and was probably fatally injured.

Eugene Clark, of Standish, lost his left hand as the result of a premature explosion of his gun. Mrs. Clark is not expected to live from the shock.

Mrs. Eva Marsh, of Three Oaks, committed suicide at Frankfort, Ind., by drinking chloroform. She had been deserted by her husband.

The Pere Marquette depot in Mears was robbed Wednesday night. The safe was blown to pieces and the robbers got about \$200.

Mr. Harvey Bailey, aged 70 years, a prominent farmer living near Hillsdale, was found dead in his cornfield Thursday. Apoplexy was the cause.

An epidemic of diphtheria has caused four deaths and there are numerous cases in the St. Mary's lake community, eight miles east of Pentwater.

Clara, 4-year-old daughter of Edward Schulranksy, was burned to death in her parents' home in Oshtemo. The child's dress caught from a spark from the stove.

Frank Gross, farmer, aged 35, was standing on a log while hunting near Escanaba, his gun slipped and was discharged and his left arm was blown off at the elbow.

Gov. Warner has issued a requisition for Lucius Sink, of Port Huron, who is charged with having abandoned his wife and children. Sink is under arrest in Toledo.

Flora V., the gasoline fishing boat missing from South Haven for 26 hours, reported at St. Joe, having broken down and then making port under a small sail.

The offer of the Pere Marquette to furnish a train to carry farmers' institute workers along its line this winter has been accepted by the state board of agriculture.

Lansing artillermen of the First battery, M. N. G., will establish a school for the study of military subjects and the scientific handling of the long range guns.

Wm. Blackford, of Yale, the other day read an item that application had been made to send him to the Eastern Michigan asylum, and he has been missing ever since.

The body of a boy was found in excavating for a cellar at St. Helens. Apparently the body had been buried for years, but the golden curls, the face and form were well-nigh perfect.

The large beet sugar factory in Blissfield is about completed, everything being finished except the pump house. The plant has cost nearly \$600,000, and has a capacity for 500 tons of beets per day.

Rev. F. M. Coddington, of Quincy, Mich., has been called to the Presbyterian church of Plainwell. Rev. F. Z. Rossiter, the oldest minister in the state in point of service, having recently resigned.

Unable to find food or work, Mrs. Anna Hanes, who says she lived at Boyne Falls up to the death of her husband, dropped in a faint on the street in Grand Rapids and was cared for at the jail.

A special election will be held November 14, to submit the question of bonding the village of Athens for a water works system. At the present time the village is practically without any fire protection.

Peddlers, or transient merchants, do not have to take out a state license under the law of 1905, according to Atty.-Gen. Bird, who holds that the 1902 law was repealed and that only a local license is now necessary.

Miss Bertha Boyles, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Boyles, of Charlotte, goes to Butte, Mont., to be married to Fred A. Clark, a Lansing man who went west two years ago to look after mining interests.

It has developed that the Jackson city council has the right to bond the city for paying to the amount of \$15,000 and the people can do nothing to prevent it. The bonds issued have been bought by a Chicago firm.

Prisoners had planned a jail delivery at the Soo, but Sheriff Lipsett discovered the hole they had made part way through the wall. Several knives and a saw were found. Wm. Kirby is on bread and water diet.

Work has been begun on the cement work of bridges, power house and culverts of the Grand Rapids & Kalamazoo valley electric line. The grading between Kalamazoo and Plainwell will be completed within a month.

After 48 years Horace Bond has returned to his old home at Lawton to meet Harvey Harper. The latter's greeting was, "Did you get the sassafras?" When 12 years old Bond was sent by his aunt to gather sassafras. He ran away and stayed with Harper a week and was then afraid to go back, so he ran away to sea. This is his first visit to his boyhood home.

After a 15 years' absence in the west, where he had made a fortune, John Foose returned to Muskegon to find his wife the wife of Henry Mead, an old friend of the family. A few weeks ago Mead entered the soldiers' home in Grand Rapids, and now Foose wants his wife to secure a divorce, marry him a second time and begin life anew with his wealth.

Miss Eliza Denham, of Flint, an accomplished young lady, went to Ouzay, Col., for her health. She and Miss Jeanette Lang went prospecting "just for fun," and now report that they have located a claim that promises both gold and silver.

Putting strychnine in his beer Wm. Wells raised his glass to several men in a Muskegon saloon, and said, "Well, good-bye, boys." Then he drank the liquor to the dregs. The bystanders, seeing the label "poison" on the bottle he dropped, rushed him to the hospital in a dying condition. He was 70 years of age and lived in Muskegon 41 years. His wife died recently.

OTHER NEWS

THE CZAR HAS COME TO THE END OF HIS GREAT POWER.

AUTOCRAT OF RUSSIA NO MORE.

EMPEROR SURRENDERS AND COUNT WITTE IS NOW MINISTER PRESIDENT.

Right of Assembly, Freedom of the Press, Habeas Corpus and All the Rest Has Come to Long Suffering People.

The autocracy of the Romanoffs and the old order of things ceased to exist in Russia Monday night. Emperor Nicholas has surrendered and Count Witte comes into power as minister president, with an imperial mandate which will enable him to convert the farcical national assembly into a real legislative body elected by greatly extended suffrage and to confer upon the people fundamental civil liberties, including free speech.

These welcome tidings reached St. Petersburg shortly before 6 o'clock Monday evening. Count Witte had spent the day with the emperor at Peterhof, going over the final draft of the manifesto to which he insisted that certain minor modifications be made and before taking the train for St. Petersburg he telephoned to a friend that the emperor had affixed his signature and that the imperial mandate comprising the conditions upon which he had agreed to accept office was in his pocket.

These include freedom of the press, the right of assembly and the immunity of the person, including the right of habeas corpus.

"An imperial manifesto was issued during the evening appointing Count Witte prime minister, with special authority to co-ordinate and unify the powers of the different branches of the administration. Civil liberties are granted to the Russian people and to the national assembly is given legislative powers while the suffrage is enlarged.

"I am sure the American people, who understand what freedom is, and the American press, which voices the wishes of the people, will rejoice with the friendly Russian nation at this moment, when the Russian people have received from his imperial majesty the promise and the guarantees of freedom, and will join in the hope that the Russian people will wisely aid in the realization of those liberties and co-operate with the government for their peaceful introduction. Only thus will it be possible to secure the full benefits of the freedom conferred upon the people."

Count Witte, Russia's first premier, sent the above message to the American people. He had just arrived at his residence on Kammenlovsky prospect from Peterhof, where in the Alexander palace, the emperor two hours before had given his final approval to a manifesto and to a program which will forever end the rule of absolutism exercised by him and his Romanoff ancestors for 300 years.

A simple perusal of the manifesto shows how complete is the emperor's abdication of his autocratic power.

The very style of the document is clear and direct and devoid of the verbose, vague and bombastic phraseology which heretofore has characterized his majesty's manifestos. It not only betrays real authority but shows that the emperor at last has irrevocably bowed to the inevitable.

He does not even conceal the fact that the discontent and agitation of his subjects have driven him to take this step and practically yields everything—civil liberty, the inviolability of person, and liberty of conscience, speech and assembly.

He not only converts the farcical imperial domain, with only consultative powers, into a true legislative assembly, without the assent of which no measure shall become law and before which all governmental authorities must answer, but promises eventually universal suffrage.

The title, "autocrat of all the Russias," with which the manifesto begins, now takes its place with the title of "King of Jerusalem," borne by the king of Spain and the emperor of Austria, and with other obsolete titles of European sovereigns.

Accidently Shot.

In June last Herman Wandrei, of Detroit, was shot and killed by the chief of police at Williston, N. D. Relatives of the dead man could secure no satisfactory information regarding the shooting, and through Judge Alfred J. Murphy appealed to Gov. Warner, who immediately asked the governor of North Dakota for the information.

Gov. Warner has received a copy of the testimony taken before the coroner's jury and the latter's verdict. It appears that the chief of police received a telegram informing him that Wandrei, who was wanted for some offense not named, was on a certain train. The chief met the train and, believing Wandrei to be a desperate character, drew his revolver, which was discharged. The jury returned a verdict of accidental shooting.

Seventeen girls, all under six years old, got hold of a bottle of poison in the absence of nurses at an orphan asylum in Burlington, Vt., and three died. They had been left at the institution while the 250 other inmates had been taken to an entertainment.

Santiago, Chili, police battled with the mob so gallantly and suffered so severely that a popular subscription in their aid realized \$200,000. There were 60 killed in the riot and 200 injured. It was the outcome of a government order imposing a tariff on cattle brought into the country from neighboring states.

"LURE OF THE WILD."

Dillon Wallace, the American explorer, is thought to be lost in the wilds of Labrador. Last spring he and Mrs. Leonidas Hubbard, both of New York, started on rival expeditions to carry on exploration work in far Labrador, in prosecution of which Leonidas Hubbard, formerly a well-known Detroit newspaper man, perished previously. A. R. Burgess, customs officer at Rigolette, Labrador, has reached Halifax and said:

"I believe Wallace's expedition is a failure and that possibly the members of his party may have met the fate that overtook poor Hubbard. On the other hand it seems as if Mrs. Hubbard and her party have reached their destination."

Burgess added that when he left Northwest river Indians had informed him that Mrs. Hubbard was at Ungava Bay, 170 miles distant from the objective point of her expedition. They declared, however, that Wallace and his men were on the wrong track and that if they continued they would either be lost or come out on the seashore hundreds of miles away.

CONDENSED NEWS.

Clara, 18-year-old daughter of John Rostine, of Coral, became insane while attending a salvation army meeting.

Burglars in Orange, N. J., stole a safe weighing 200 pounds containing the family jewels of Edward H. Graves valued at \$10,000. They escaped in an automobile.

Adj. Gen. McGurrian wishes to obtain the records of the Michigan soldiers and sailors who served in regiments of other states in the Cuban war and in the Philippines.

Albert Hummerle, of Philadelphia, aged 29, shot and killed his wife Alice, aged 21, and then turned the weapon upon himself, ending his own life. The pair were married last January, and lived unhappily.

Henry Bills, aged 70, was enraged at his wife because she refused to join him in a drink of whiskey in Kent, O., Monday, and beat her head to a pulp. He admits the murder and faces the death chair.

John and Ed. Hoard, farmers living near Morris, both poor men, have received word that they, with two brothers living in New York, have fallen heirs to an estate valued at \$50,000 left them by an uncle, William Pittis, of Buffalo.

A bulletin issued by the bureau of statistics of the department of commerce and labor at Washington, estimates that the foreign commerce of the United States for the calendar year 1905, will amount to more than a billion dollars.

Sparks from an emery wheel fired a can of benzine in the Valley City machine shops at Grand Rapids, causing a \$5,000 fire. Fireman Curtis, at the risk of his life, dropped down a manhole to shut off gas leaking into the burning building.

Wealthy Chicago women formed a club to raise money for a teacher for the exclusive production of the classics in drama. Their purpose is to produce only the works of Shakespeare, Ibsen, Sudermann, Hauptmann and others of their class.

Fr. Ricard, astronomer of Santa Clara college, who by reason of a clear sky is enabled to keep close watch of the remarkable disturbances in the sun first reported October 20, says the spot has disappeared, but will reappear in two weeks larger than ever.

Fire at midnight badly damaged the residence of Bert Jamison, of Traverse City. The family was aroused by the crying of an infant, and the inmates escaped in their night clothes. Loss on house and furniture, \$3,500. The fire was caused by a leaking gas pipe.

Gov. Pennypacker has commuted to life imprisonment the death sentence of Mrs. Catherine Danz, the Philadelphia woman who poisoned her husband with powders obtained from a "voodoo" doctor, G. P. Hossey, who is to be hung for a similar offense.

John D. Rockefeller has taken such a great interest in automobilism that it was reported in Tarrytown, N. Y., that he will learn to run a machine himself. Since his return from Cleveland, Mr. Rockefeller is out every day sitting beside his French chauffeur.

Myrtle Williams, of Albion, Ia., while lovingly caressing Harold Stepp, her lover, slashed his throat with a razor and left a gap that required 40 stitches to pull it together. Myrtle claimed that Harold was too attentive to another woman. Stepp's recovery is doubtful.

If the plans of Mrs. Charles F. Joy, wife of the former St. Louis congressman, are carried out a \$1,000,000 university of which the object will be the study of occult and psychic phenomena, the human soul and all the arts and sciences of the "new thought," not recognized by established schools, will be built near Santa Barbara, Cal.

James Layton, of Elkhart, Ind., was awakened Saturday night by a neighbor shouting that his house was on fire. When Layton reached the yard he saw a smoking heap, which investigation showed was his wife. It is thought her clothes caught fire from a lamp she dropped.

Paul Hammond, residing near Hart, Oceana county, nearly lost his life in an encounter with a mad bull. He and two companions were leading the animal through the streets of Pentwater when the animal suddenly turned, catching Hammond on its horns and throwing him high in the air. People expected Hammond to fall and be gored to death, but he drew a sheath knife and slashed the bull's throat, afterwards shooting it. Hammond is but slightly injured.

Loyalty to old truths means looking out for new.

Gov. Folk of Missouri has been caught in the act of accepting a bribe in exchange for a pardon. The prisoner was sent to jail for six years for false registration, but does not seem to have understood what he was doing. His wife, with her three children, came to see the governor, but he was still in doubt. The prisoner's 5-year-old daughter approached him timidly and said: "If you let my papa go I'll give you a kiss." The governor replied a trifle huskily: "All right, little girl, you shall take him home with you."

LATE NEWS

HERE'S A KNOCK FOR THE BIG CANAL BEFORE CONGRESS.

THE FUNDS ARE RUNNING LOW.

OHIO GETS BUSY OVER THE BIG INSURANCE COMPANIES' BUSINESS IN THAT STATE.

The New Battle Ships Are to Be Larger Than Ever—The Twenty-Three Thousand Ton Mark Nearly Reached.

With practically a bankrupt treasury and a clash between Secretary Taft and Chairman Shonts, the Panama canal commission is confronted with a situation that makes a gloomy view of the outlook.

The fact that probably not a dollar will remain in the commission's hands by December 31, so it is said. On October 31 about \$2,000,000 was on hand. The salaries of employees on the isthmus amount to \$450,000 or more a month; contracts have been entered into for large sums and these, with other expenses, will wipe out by the last of the year the amount now on hand.

Almost immediately upon convening congress will be asked to meet promptly this condition by making an emergency appropriation of possibly \$10,000,000 out of the original lump sum of \$120,000,000 authorized for the canal work. The proposition to enact legislation so as to enable the issue of bonds may also come up at that time, but what the commission wants is action before congress takes its recess for the Christmas holidays. This, in all likelihood, it will not get.

The Insurance Companies.

Quo warranta proceedings were commenced in the circuit court in Akron, O., Saturday by Prosecuting Attorney Hagerbarger on the advice of ex-Attorney General Monnett of Ohio, against the Mutual Life Insurance Co. and the New York Life Co. to oust them from the state by taking their franchises from them, on the ground that the companies have misused their powers for the last five years in violation of the laws of the state.

Thirty-three interrogatories are submitted to the companies to be answered. The appointment of receivers is asked for.

The receivers to be appointed are authorized by the petition to make all collections of premiums and funds due the companies in this state and to hold the same to be paid out as death benefits until the final hearing of the cases.

Monsters of the Deep.

Twenty thousand-ton battleships for the United States navy is a probability that may be realized in the next few years. Naval officers say they are sure to come and a step in this direction will be taken this winter by congress in the cancelling of the authorization for 16,000 ton vessels, the Michigan and South Carolina and providing for 18,000 ton vessels. Work on these battleships has not begun so that no embarrassment will be involved to congress.

Germany Wants Trade.

Baron Speck von Sternburg, the German ambassador to the United States, who sailed for New York Oct. 25 from Bremen, said to a correspondent: "An idea, I suspect, is abroad in America that the changes in the German tariffs and the modifying agreements with other European countries were in some way directed against the United States, and that Germany desired to damage the trade of the United States. This, I am glad to say, was never a motive with the German government, and the proposals that are about to be made are designed to increase the exchanges between the two countries and not to contract them."

Stole \$25,000.

A sum of money said to be \$25,000, on route by express from Hamilton, Mont., to New York is missing. The Northern Pacific Express Company, through several detectives, is trying to discover what became of it. The money was shipped by Charles F. Kelley to N. H. Harris & Co. for investment. Instead of receiving the securities he had purchased, Kelley was dumfounded to receive a letter stating that contents of the package upon receipt by the New York firm consisted of newspaper clippings. The seals were intact, however.

Two Dead by Poison.

William A. Cox, a Detroit printer, and Mrs. Mary Camp, also of Detroit, were found dead in a cornfield in Ypsilanti Wednesday afternoon.

It is thought that they committed suicide, but it is possible that Cox murdered the girl by forcing her to drink poison, and then committed suicide himself.

A silver trowel, after being consecrated in the New York Masonic temple, by Justice Lodge No. 753, has been started on a journey to every lodge in the United States.

New York city has 4,014,304 people, according to official census returns, a gain of 577,102 in five years. Manhattan's population is 2,112,697, Brooklyn's 1,358,891.

The operating knife dropped from the hand of Dr. J. W. Oswald, an eminent Chicago surgeon, Monday, while he was performing a serious operation in the Michael Reese hospital. It was handed back to him and again the nerveless fingers could not guide nor hold it. He understood, and turning to his assistants was assisted from the amphitheater a paralytic. He is 42 years old and his condition is hopeless.

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TIME TABLES.

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

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

Cars run on Standard time.

On Sundays cars leave terminals one hour later.

SALINE DIVISION.

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

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

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Local Cars West—6:00 a.m., 9:25 a.m., 11:50 a.m., 1:30 p.m., 3:20 p.m., 5:20 p.m., 6:55 p.m., 8:30 p.m., 11:30 p.m.

MICHIGAN CENTRAL

"The Niagara Falls Route."

Time table taking effect Aug. 13, 1905.

90th MERIDIAN TIME.

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

GOING EAST.

No. 6—Detroit Night Express.. 5:38 A.M.
No. 30—Atlantic Express..... 7:55 A.M.
No. 12—Grand Rapids Express.. 10:40 A.M.
No. 2—Mail and Express..... 3:37 P.M.

GOING WEST.

No. 11—Det., Chi., & G. R. Lim.. 8:25 A.M.
No. 5—Mail and Express..... 9:00 A.M.
No. 13—Grand Rapids Express.. 6:45 P.M.
No. 37—Pacific Express..... 10:52 P.M.

*Stop on signal only.

W. T. GILGUE, Agent, Chelsea.
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Ann Arbor Railroad

AND STEAMSHIP LINES.

TIME TABLE

Taking effect Sept. 24, 1905.

Trains leave Ann Arbor by Central Standard time.

SOUTH.

No. 6, 7:30 A.M.
No. 2, 11:35 A.M.
No. 4, 7:51 P.M.
No. 102, 6:30 P.M.

NORTH.

No. 1, 9:05 A.M.
No. 3, 4:35 P.M.
No. 5, 12:35 P.M.
No. 101, 9:05 A.M.

Trains Nos. 1, 2, 3 and 4 through daily except Sunday. No. 101 runs Sunday only between Toledo and Lakeland, and No. 102 Sunday only between Lakeland and Toledo.

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THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 2, 1905.

Wants to Change Decimal System.

Dr. Howard B. Ayres, professor of zoology at the University of Michigan in 1885 and afterwards president of the Cincinnati University, is strongly advocating doing away with the decimal system of notation. He says that the estimate that the American people lose 500 years of time daily fooling with fractions under the decimal scale, is a very moderate one. Dr. Ayres advocates the duodecimal scale, having a single character for 10 and 11 and making numbers multiples of 12 instead of 10. Thus 100 would represent 144.

Saved By Dynamite.

Sometimes a flaming city is saved by dynamiting a space that the fire cannot cross. Sometimes a cough hangs on so long you feel as if nothing but dynamite would cure it. Z. T. Gray, of Calhoun, Ga., writes, "My wife had a very aggravated cough, which kept her awake nights. Two physicians could not help her, so she took Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, which eased her cough, gave her sleep and finally cured her." Strictly scientific cure for la grippe, and bronchitis. Price 50c and \$1.00; guaranteed at Bank Drug Store. Trial bottle free.

Large Increase in Primary Money.

The semi-annual apportionment of primary school money to be made by Superintendent of Public Instruction Kelly Nov. 10 will distribute about \$1,800,000 among the counties of the state. The rate will be \$2.70 for each child of school age in the state.

This makes the total apportionment this year \$3.40, as last May's apportionment was at the rate of 70 cents per capita. The increase over last year is 15 cents per capita.

Eye Strain and Headache Removed

by properly fitting glasses. My modern methods insure correct glasses. Emil H. Arnold, optician, with Wm. Arnold, jeweler, Ann Arbor.

School Report.

Report of school in District No. 11, Lyndon, for the month ending Oct. 27. The following have an average standing of 90: Cecelia, Roland and Herbert McKune, Irene and Gertrude Clark, Margaret Shanahan and Bernice Barton; 85, Gladys, Ileen and Lawrence Shanahan. Absent from examinations, Raymond McKune and Hilda Smith. Irene and Gertrude Clark, Gladys, Ileen and Margaret Shanahan were neither absent nor tardy during the month.

MARGARET YOUNG, Teacher.

If you are troubled with indigestion, constipation, sour stomach or any other pain Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will make you well and keep you well. 35c, tea or tablets. Bank Drug Store.

CHELSEA MARKETS.

CHELSEA, MICH., NOV. 2, 1905.

GRAIN.

Wheat, red or white,	79 to 81
Rye	62 to 64
Oats	25 to 28
Beans	1 30

LIVE STOCK.

Steers, heavy, per 100 lbs.	\$3 50 to \$4 00
Steers, light, per 100 lbs.	3 00 to 3 50
Stockers	2 00 to 3 00
Cows, good,	2 50 to 3 00
Cows, common,	1 50 to 2 00
Veal calves	5 00 to 6 00
Calves, heavy,	4 00
Hogs	4 75 to 4 75
Sheep, wethers,	3 50 to 4 50
Sheep, ewes,	2 00 to 3 00
Lambs	5 00 to 6 00
Chickens	09
Fowls	09

PRODUCE.

Apples, per bushel,	50 to 75
Potatoes, per bushel,	50 to 60
Butter	15 to 20
Eggs	20

Cleared for Action.

When the body is cleared for action by Dr. King's New Life Pills you can tell it by the bloom of health on the cheeks, the brightness of the eyes, the firmness of the flesh and muscles, the buoyancy of the mind. Try them. 25c; at Bank Drug Store.

The county tax of Jackson county this year is more than double the county tax of Washtenaw county.

MORE LOCAL.

A freight wreck at Wayne Sunday night caused a delay in the running of all the early morning trains west. The newspaper train was four hours late.

The Lima Farmers' Club will meet with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Steinbach next Wednesday, Nov. 8. It will be an all day meeting and dinner will be served.

Winter struck here Tuesday night in a gale of wind accompanied by flurries of snow. But we have had a remarkably fine fall and cannot expect it to last always.

The establishment of a course in theology is to be discussed by the University of Michigan authorities, such department to be non-sectarian and conducted outside the university.

Regular services will be held in the Congregational church next Sunday, Nov. 5, morning and evening. Rev. M. Lee Grant, the new pastor of the church, will preach at both services.

The case of the Chelsea Lumber and Produce Co. vs. the National Peat Fuel Co., et al., has been dismissed in the circuit court on the payment of \$17 to the complainant's solicitors.

After about a week's trial the bucket shop men have closed up their exchange. They evidently did not find many suckers who wanted "to speculate and make money"—for the other fellow.

An old maid, being asked why she did not marry, replied that she had no practical use for a man, because she had a parrot that would swear, a monkey that would drink whiskey and a cat that would stay out all night.

The annual fair of the Ladies' Aid Society of the Baptist church will be held in the town hall Wednesday afternoon and evening, Nov. 22. All kinds of useful and ornamental articles will be on sale. An excellent supper will be served.

C. Fred Kantlehner returned from his trip to Germany and Switzerland yesterday morning, having been gone 4 months and 1 day. He enjoyed himself greatly and had a good time visiting with his relatives and friends, but is glad to get back to Chelsea and home.

The council of the village of Fowlerville has passed an ordinance forbidding spitting on the side and crosswalks of the village. The law goes into effect Nov. 5, and anyone violating the same will have to pay a fine of \$15 and costs or spend 30 days in the county jail.

The annual reunion of the Purchase and Bird families, which took place in Wayne Wednesday, Oct. 25, was attended by the following from Chelsea: Mrs. Dick Clark and daughter Myra, Mrs. Jennie Good-year, Geo. H. Foster and wife and Mrs. N. H. Prudden.

A Jackson prison convict named Wm. Hennessy stabbed another convict named John Kreiting over the right breast with an old rusty shoe knife he had found, on Tuesday night at shutting up time. Septic poison may develop as the knife was very rusty. The victim of the stabbing is 55 years old.

The state military department recently issued an order against the use of the D. Y. A. A. & J. road by military companies on the ground that the company was not willing to grant the same rate of fare that the steam roads do. J. P. Clark, general manager, says this was due to a misunderstanding as the road is willing to grant as low rates as the steam roads are.

A silver trowel which will, doubtless, in time make its appearance in Chelsea, was dedicated in the Masonic temple, New York, the other evening with appropriate ceremonies and started on a journey that may take 10 years. Before being returned for replacement in the archives of the grand lodge of the state of New York, it will have been used by every Masonic lodge in the United States to spread the cement of brotherly love.

G. C. Carrington, expert optician of Ann Arbor, will be at the parlors of the Chelsea house for free consultation Tuesday, Nov. 7, from 9:30 a.m. until 4 o'clock p.m. The latest methods and the latest appliances used for the corrections of complicated defects of the eye.

HER FIRST.

Game of Hide-and-Seek at a House Party a Sad Ending.

It was not so very long ago that a jolly party of young men and women from the capital went on a week-end visit to Miss Dash, whose father has a country house not a day's journey away, says the Washington Post. It was not the sort of house party you read about in "smart" novels. They didn't play bridge nor hunt; they romped like a lot of children. Mr. and Mrs. Dash were away one evening and if the house had not been very solidly built it would have been torn down. Nobody ever heard such rollicking laughter, such mad scamperings as went on. Somebody suggested hide and seek. The young people hid in every possible place between. A normally sedate young man was the seeker. He galloped about madly, shouting and searching. He opened every door he saw and in one room his keen eyes espied somebody trying to hide in a bed. He pounced forward and seized the figure.

"Get out of that!" he cried. "I've got you. You can't hide from me."

Wild shrieks and the noise of combat rent the air. Furious invective and stammered expostulation brought the rest of the party in no time at all. The usually sedate young man had found the cook and nothing he could say had any weight with her. She came of fighting stock. She blacked his eye and—well, that's why the Dash country house is now minus a cook.

COLOR FREAKS OF FASHION.

Women Who Would Be in Style Must Sacrifice Much.

"I'm glad I'm not my wife," said the dyspeptic as he settled down to his hygienic luncheon of rare roast beef, creamed onions and boiled rice; "I'd be dead if I were. I have trouble enough keeping alive as it is. Fancy the shape I'd be in if I had to change my spots—I mean my color—as often as fickle fashion dictates. Why, I've forgotten what color my wife originally was, she's undergone so many beauty transformations. And now she's got to do it again. A friend told her that though red hair continues to be the proper caper it must now be backed up by green eyes and a dead white skin. The hair and skin are easy enough, but even my wife is a little afraid of the beauty specialist who is willing to undertake to make her eyes look green. There's just one grain of comfort in it all for me—though she achieve the pallid skin, the green eyes and the red hair it will not give her a temperament to correspond. I shall yet enjoy the modicum of peace it is in her capricious nature to allow me."—Philadelphia Record.

Avoidpoulois.

Le Matin of Paris records the discovery of the oldest love letter in the world. It was written on a brick about 2,200 B. C. by a Babylonian.

Nor slate nor parchment held the sacred The Babylonian lover wrought; Solidity he deemed his need, When he would fain transcribe his thought.

He did the trick Upon a brick Which has survived the flight of years, The toils of time, the drip of tears.

The modern wooer, with his page Scented and tinted for the quest, Would stand poor chance, did he engage This ancient lover from the West, Whose words outweigh A poet's lay.

Or lengthiest burst of minstrelsy That e'er petitioned maid's decree.

A foolish fancy then it is That bids one choose a crested sheet Which easily may go amiss Among the perils of the street. Give me the ways Of olden days, And if a brick can win me her, A brick I'll make my messenger.—James Owen Tryon in New York Times

Japanese Idea of Beauty.

Prof. Okakura Yoshisaburo, author of "The Japanese Spirit," thus describes the Japanese ideal of womanly beauty: "She is to possess a body not much exceeding five feet in height, with comparatively fair skin and proportionately well-developed limbs; a head covered with long, thick and jet-black hair; an oval face with a straight nose, high and narrow; rather large eyes, with large deep-brown pupils and thick eyelashes; a small mouth, hiding behind its red, but not thin, lips; even rows of small white teeth; ears not altogether small, and long and thick eyebrows forming two horizontal but slightly curved lines, with a space left between them and the eyes."

Little Coal in Ireland.

There are only two districts in which there are important deposits of coal in Ireland—County Tyrone in the north, and the counties of Kilkeny, Queens and Carlow in the south. In Tyrone there are several valuable coal seams, with an aggregate thickness of about thirty feet, near the western shore of Lough Neagh. A seam four feet thick at Drumglass was worked formerly, but an influx of water from old workings drowned out the mine. There is but one mine now operated, and that is by a pottery company to obtain fuel for its works.

Webster Objected to Starving.

During my boyhood I resided in the district in which Daniel Webster made his home in summer or when through with his duties at Washington, says a writer in the Boston Herald. Once a butcher sued him for a meat bill. He was frequently negligent about paying small bills. The butcher refused to deliver any more meat until his bill was settled. Meeting him several days later, Webster said to him: "Sue me as many times as you like, but don't starve me."

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CHELSEA, MICHIGAN, THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 2, 1905

SUPPLEMENT

PROCEEDINGS

OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

WASHTENAW COUNTY

January Session, 1905

The Board of Supervisors of Washtenaw County, Michigan, met in special session Monday, January 2nd, 1905.

The roll was called, the following answering to their names: Walter Dancer, Joseph Donnelly, Arthur Kitson, Bert Schumacher, Walter Bibble, E. B. Sanderson, John P. Walsh, John Mann, Jacob Jedicke, Frank H. Wheeler, Edgar H. Holmes and John L. Hunter.

No quorum.
Chairman John Lutz in the chair.
On motion of Mr. Dancer, the Board adjourned until tomorrow, Tuesday, January 3rd, 1905, at 10:30 o'clock a. m.

JOHN LUTZ,
Chairman.

EUGENE K. FRUEAUFF,
Deputy Clerk.

Tuesday, January 3rd, 1905.

The Board met at 10:30 o'clock a. m. Roll call showed the following members present:
John R. Miner, First Ward, Ann Arbor City.

Walter Dancer, Third Ward, Ann Arbor City.

Joseph Donnelly, Fourth Ward, Ann Arbor City.

Arthur Kitson, Sixth Ward, Ann Arbor City.

Bert Schumacher, Seventh Ward, Ann Arbor City.

Walter Bibble, Ann Arbor town.

Elmer B. Sanderson, Augusta.

Archer G. Crane, Bridgewater.

John P. Walsh, Dexter.

Frank Detling, Manchester.

Michael P. Grosshans, Lodi.

George A. Runciman, Lyndon.

John Lutz, Saline.

Jacob Jedicke, Scio.

John W. Dresselhouse, Sharon.

Ernest H. Twiss, Superior.

John Hummel, Sylvan.

Frank H. Wheeler, Webster.

Edward P. Warner, York.

Edgar D. Holmes, Ypsilanti town.

John L. Hunter, First District, Ypsilanti.

Elmer B. McCullough, Second District, Ypsilanti.

Mr. Hunter offered the following:

Whereas, Elmer B. Sanderson has been duly chosen Supervisor of the Township of Augusta in place of John Lawson, recently elected Register of Deeds; therefore

Resolved, That this Board recognize said Elmer B. Sanderson as Supervisor of said Township and member of this Board, and that he take the place of Mr. Lawson on all committees.

Carried.

Mr. Miner moved that a committee of five, with the Prosecuting Attorney, be appointed to examine the bonds of the county officers and the bond of the county depository, the Ann Arbor Savings Bank.

Carried.

Chairman John Lutz appointed the following committee, viz.: Supervisors Detling, Kitson, Warner, Hummel and McCullough.

On motion of Mr. Miner the Board adjourned until 10:30 a. m. tomorrow.

JOHN LUTZ,
Chairman.

EUGENE K. FRUEAUFF,
Deputy Clerk.

Wednesday, January 4, 1905.

The Board met pursuant to adjournment.

Roll called. Quorum present.

Minutes of the last two meetings read and approved.

Mr. Miner called attention to the action taken at the October meeting in appointing him as a member to formulate proposed legislation in reference to tramps. He said it had been impossible for him to give the matter any attention, and his business engagements were such that he would be unable for some time to do so, and he therefore asked that some one be appointed in his place on the committee.

Chairman Lutz appointed Supervisor Bert Schumacher in Mr. Miner's place.

Mr. Miner moved that the bond of the County Treasurer be fixed at \$100,000.

Carried.

Mr. Holmes moved that John R. Miner, as chairman, with the County Clerk, County Treasurer and Chairman of the Board of County Auditors, be appointed a committee to inaugurate a new system of bookkeeping for the county officers. Mr. Miner to receive pay for his services.

After a discussion of the motion, Mr. Holmes moved that the motion be laid over until tomorrow afternoon.

Carried.

On motion of Mr. Miner, the Board adjourned until 1:30 p. m.

JOHN LUTZ,
Chairman.

EUGENE K. FRUEAUFF,
Deputy Clerk.

Afternoon Session.

Board met pursuant to adjournment at 1:30 o'clock. Roll call. Quorum present.

In the absence of the Chairman, Mr. Landwehr was appointed Chairman pro tem.

J. D. Ryan, of the Board of Auditors, appeared before the Board and suggested the advisability of the appointment of a county physician for contagious diseases, and suggested the name of Dr. Thomas B. Cooley.

Mr. Dancer suggested that Dr. Cooley be invited to appear before the Board.

Mr. Hummel moved that Mr. Warner be appointed a committee of one to see Dr. Cooley and invite him to appear before the Board tomorrow.

Carried.

Mr. Detling, of the Committee on Bonds of County Officers, made the following report:

Your committee appointed to examine and report as to the sufficiency of the sureties on the bonds of the several county officers, beg leave to report that they have had the matter under consideration, and find that the bonds of the following, to wit, Otto D. Lutz, County Treasurer; Frank T. Newton, Sheriff; Wm. S. Putnam and George W. Sample, Circuit Court Commissioners; S. W. Burchfield and J. B. Wallace, Coroners, are sufficient and recommend that they be accepted by this Board.

FRANK DETLING,
W. A. HUTZEL,
E. B. MCCULLOUGH,
ARTHUR J. KITSON,
E. P. WARNER.

Mr. Holmes moved that the report be accepted and adopted.

Carried.

Mr. Hunter, chairman of the committee appointed at the October session to report a proposed act of the legislature suitable to do away with the tramp nuisance, made the following report:

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Washtenaw County:

Gentlemen—Your committee appointed by your honorable body at its October session, 1904, to recommend to the January session of this Board suitable legislation to be asked for from the next Legislature to protect the county from the "Tramp Nuisance," begs leave to report that the subject has been given careful consideration and the following legislation is recommended:

I.

A special Act of the Legislature to apply only to the County of Washtenaw. The following is submitted as a suitable bill to be introduced:

An Act to define the duties of Justices of the Peace in and for and within the County of Washtenaw in certain cases and to regulate the fees thereon.

The People of the State of Michigan enact:

Section 1. That it shall not be lawful hereafter for any Justice of the Peace in and for or within the County of Washtenaw to issue any warrant for the arrest of any person or persons charged with being a disorderly person under Act number two hundred and sixty-four of the Public Acts of eighteen hundred and eighty-nine as amended, the same being Chapter one hundred fifty-five of the Compiled Laws of eighteen hundred and ninety-seven, entitled "An Act relative to disorderly persons and to repeal Chapter fifty-three of the Compiled Laws of eighteen hundred and seventy-one, as amended by the several Acts amendatory thereof," except when charged as a third or any subsequent offense, until an order in writing allowing the same is filed with such Justice and signed by the Prosecuting Attorney for the County of Washtenaw.

Section 2. That it shall not be lawful hereafter for any Justice of the Peace in and for or within the County of Washtenaw to issue any warrant for the arrest of any person or persons charged with being drunk and intoxicated under Act number four of the Public Acts of eighteen hundred and eighty-seven, the same being Chapter seven hundred and thirty-six of the Compiled Laws of eighteen hundred and ninety-seven, entitled "An Act to punish drunk and intoxicated persons," until an order in writing allowing the same is filed with such Justice and signed by the Prosecuting Attorney of the County of Washtenaw.

Section 3. That it shall not be lawful hereafter for any Justice of the Peace in and for or within the County of Washtenaw to issue any warrant for the arrest of any person or persons charged with any offense cognizable by such Justice, the punishment upon conviction for which offense may be imprisonment in the county jail of said County of Washtenaw, until an order in writing allowing the same is filed with such Justice and signed by the Prosecuting Attorney of the County of Washtenaw.

Section 4. In case any Justice of the Peace in and for or within said County of Washtenaw shall issue any warrant for the arrest of any person or persons charged with being a disorderly person or with being drunk and intoxicated, or charged with any offense cognizable by said Justice, the punishment upon conviction for which may be imprisonment in the county jail of said County of Washtenaw, without first having on file a written order signed by the Prosecuting Attorney in and for the County of Washtenaw, as provided for in Sections number one, two and three of this Act, he shall forfeit all fees for services therein, and no fees shall be paid to the Sheriff or other officer serving the warrant.

This Act is ordered to take immediate effect.

II.

An Act of the Legislature to establish a municipal court in the City of Ann Arbor and in the City of Ypsilanti.

No proposed act is hereby submitted for the reason that this line of legislation would depend for its success upon the co-operation of the city administrations of Ann Arbor and Ypsilanti, and a suitable bill could be prepared only after conference with said cities. If your honorable body should deem best to pursue the suggestions outlined in this part of this report your committee would recommend the conference above referred

to. Your committee, however, is of the opinion that earlier relief would be secured by adopting the suggestions outlined in part one of this report, and legislation to this effect would not interfere with that suggested in part two, should that be deemed wiser later.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

Ex-Prosecuting Attorney Duffy discussed the proposed resolution.

On motion of Mr. Holmes, action was deferred until tomorrow morning at 10:30 o'clock.

Mr. McCullough moved the Board adjourn until tomorrow morning at 10:30 o'clock.

Carried.

HENRY LANDWEHR,
Chairman Pro Tem.

EUGENE K. FRUEAUFF,
Deputy Clerk.

Thursday, January 5, 1905.

The Board met pursuant to adjournment at 10:30 a. m. Roll call. Quorum present. Minutes of the previous meetings read and approved.

Mr. Dancer offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the County Auditors be requested to pay no bill for the arrest, trial or bond of any non-resident of Washtenaw County sentenced to eleven days or less, in Washtenaw County jail for drunk or disorderly conduct, unless accompanied by a sworn statement, by the Sheriff or one of his deputies, that said prisoner has not been furnished any food or drink while under sentence except state bread and water, except when ordered by the jail physician.

On motion of Mr. Hunter the resolution was laid on the table until 2 o'clock p. m.

School Commissioner Foster addressed the board on the advisability of furnishing school directors with uniform books to enable them to make out uniform reports as required by law.

Mr. Miner called attention to the reports of township clerks of fractional school districts often being a duplication of the taxes actually raised.

Dr. Thomas B. Cooley appeared before the Board and gave his views on having a county physician to act as an expert on contagious diseases. He believed better results and less expense would result.

Mr. Miner moved that the report of the Committee on Legislation referring to an act to abate the tramp nuisance be approved, and the experiment be tried, and that the members of the Legislature from Washtenaw County be asked to secure passage of this act.

Carried.

The recommendations made by School Commissioner Foster were considered.

Ex-Prosecuting Attorney Duffy called the attention of the Board to the advisability of keeping the School Commissioner's office open when the latter was not in the city, which could only be done if there was a clerk on duty.

Mr. Hunter offered the following proposed act to be passed by the Legislature:

An Act to authorize the Board of Supervisors of Washtenaw County to pay its committees during the time the Board is not in session, and to limit the time for which each member of said committee may be compensated in any one year.

The People of the State of Michigan enact:

Section 1. That the Board of Supervisors of Washtenaw County be and is hereby authorized to compensate its committees for services rendered to said Board during the time the Board is not in session: Provided, said compensation shall not exceed two dollars per day and mileage per member, and that each member of said committees shall not be compensated for more than ten days in one year.

This Act is ordered to take immediate effect.

Mr. Hunter moved the approval of the act, and that the members of the Legislature from Washtenaw County be asked to secure the passage of the proposed act.

Carried.

On motion of Mr. Halst the Board adjourned to 1:30 p. m.

JOHN LUTZ,
Chairman.

EUGENE K. FRUEAUFF,
Deputy Clerk.

Afternoon Session.

The Board met pursuant to adjournment at 1:30 o'clock. Roll call. Quorum present.

Mr. Detling, of the Committee on Bonds of County Officers, reported that the bonds of the County Clerk, Jas. E. Harkins, and the Ann Arbor Savings Bank had been examined by the Committee and found ample and the sureties sufficient.

Mr. Jedicke moved that the report of the Committee be adopted and the bonds be approved.

Carried.

Mr. Holmes offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That it is the sense of this Board that the Sheriff should enforce the dog law by killing all dogs where owners have failed to pay the tax on the same, and that the Clerk shall notify the Sheriff of this action.

Carried.

Mr. Twiss offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That all bills for taking prisoners to the Detroit House of Correction from Washtenaw County be audited by the County Board of Auditors before a warrant is given for the same by the County Clerk.

On motion of Mr. Landwehr, the resolution was laid on the table until 4 o'clock tomorrow morning.

Mr. Hunter moved that the Clerk be authorized to draw an order for one day's pay and mileage to compensate the Chairman of the Board of Election Inspectors of each election

precinct for coming for the ballots at general election, including the general election of 1904.

Carried.

The following report of the County Treasurer was made:

Ann Arbor, Mich., Jan. 1st, 1905.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Washtenaw County:

Gentlemen—I herewith report to you the amount of money received and paid out during the term from October 1st, 1904, to January 1st, 1905, as shown by the books of this office on the first day of January, 1905, all of which is respectfully submitted for your inspection and examination.

CHARLES BRAUN,
County Treasurer.

Money received from:

Ann Arbor City.....\$4,500.00

State tax.....2,700.00

County tax.....2,700.00

Liquor tax.....250.00

Ypsilanti City.....\$7,500.00

State tax.....1,350.00

County tax.....1,350.00

Liquor tax.....450.00

Ann Arbor Township.....\$1,000.00

State tax.....200.00

County tax.....200.00

Scio Township.....\$1,000.00

State tax.....200.00

County tax.....200.00

Phinsfield Township.....\$1,000.00

State tax.....200.00

County tax.....200.00

Northfield Township.....\$1,000.00

State tax.....200.00

County tax.....200.00

Deer Beach.....\$1,000.00

Cost from Co. Clerk, Hunk.....100.00

Delinquent tax.....1,250.78

Money refund, by Justice Wood.....3.00

From county fund.....25.00

Primary school interest.....20,257.15

Treasurer's Indefinite fund.....52.00

Office rent, Mutual Ins. Co.....52.00

For ink.....100.00

Int. from State Savings Bank.....103.22

Fine money from Justice Gage.....2.00

Fine money from Justice Wood.....2.00

Fine money from Justice Fish.....1.00

Fine money from Justice Dwyer.....50.00

Fine money from Co. Clerk, Hunk.....50.00

Treasurer's Indefinite fund.....67.00

Inheritance tax.....1,599.71

Redemption money.....45.52

Outstanding checks, Jan. 1, 1905.....10,226.09

Cash on hand, Oct. 1, 1904.....\$51,152.69

Money paid out:

Ann Arbor City.....\$3,430.30

Primary money.....4,200.45

Liquor tax.....1,251.25

Delinquent tax.....2,547.47

Tax sales.....2,547.47

Poor money refunded.....4.21

Ann Arbor Township.....\$7,500.00

Primary money.....441.79

Tax sales.....9.23

Delinquent tax.....40.00

Augusta Township.....\$1,207.95

Delinquent tax.....5.70

Bridgewater Township.....\$602.69

Primary money.....602.69

Tax sales.....45

Dexter Township.....\$453.50

Primary money.....453.50

Delinquent tax.....10.11

Freedom Township.....\$405.19

Primary money.....600.45

Lodi Township.....\$762.45

Primary money.....762.45

Delinquent tax.....5.82

Lyndon Township.....\$520.20

Primary money.....1,410.75

Delinquent tax.....14.31

Saline Township.....\$1,211.39

Primary money.....1,211.39

Delinquent tax.....14.31

ence to having non-resident prisoners in the jail sentenced to eleven days or less, fed on state bread and water was considered, and on motion of Mr. Holmes passed.

On motion of Mr. Landwehr the Board adjourned until tomorrow morning at 10:30 o'clock.

JOHN LUTZ,
Chairman.

EUGENE K. FRUEAUFF,
Deputy Clerk.

Friday, January 6, 1905.

The Board met pursuant to adjournment at 10:30 o'clock a. m. Roll call. Quorum present. Minutes of the previous meeting read and approved.

Thomas D. Kearney, appeared in behalf of Otto D. Rohn, Deputy Game Warden, his bills for services not having been allowed by the Board of Auditors, because of no action being taken by the Board of Supervisors as to fixing the compensation of game wardens.

On motion of Mr. Miner, the matter was referred to the Committee on County Salaries.

Mr. Dancer, of the Building Committee, reported as follows:

Your committee to whom was referred the matter of ascertaining the cost of preparing a padded cell at the jail for the temporary confinement of insane persons, and of preparing an office for the Drain Commissioner, would report that it would cost about \$32 for plumbing and padding and building a partition in a cell at the jail.

And we recommend that the Pioneer Society be permitted to use the room over the School Commissioner's room to store their records and relics of pioneer life, and the room now occupied by the society be used for an office for the Drain Commissioner, and said Commissioner be allowed to purchase the necessary furniture for the same at the expense of the county.

And we would also recommend that the County Treasurer be permitted to purchase and have laid in his office a carpet of like material to the one now in use there at the expense of the county.

And that weather strips be put on 64 windows in the Court House at a cost of \$178.

Sheriff Newton asks for an appropriation of \$125 for re-papering and re-plastering the dwelling part of the jail. He also asks for soap for the use of the prisoners, estimated 1,500 cakes.

W. H. DANCER,
ARTHUR J. KITSON,
Committee.

On motion of Mr. Hunter, the report was accepted and the second proposition was taken up first.

Mr. McCullough moved that the second article in reference to the Pioneer Society be adopted.

Carried.

Mr. Dresselhouse moved that the third article in reference to purchasing furniture for the Treasurer's office be adopted.

Carried.

Mr. Dresselhouse moved the adoption of the fourth article in reference to placing weather strips on sixty-four windows.

Carried.

Mr. Dancer stated that as to the repairs asked for at the jail the Committee made no recommendation, not having had time to look over the building.

The Committee was given more time.

Mr. Dresselhouse moved that the first article in reference to a padded cell at the jail be adopted.

Carried.

Mr. Dancer offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Board of Supervisors of Washtenaw County, do recommend that the statute electing the Probate Register of said county be amended by the Legislature now in session, so as to make the yearly salary of said Probate Register one thousand dollars per year instead of six hundred, as now fixed by said statute.

in preparing the proposed "Tramp Act."

Mr. Hummel moved that the resolution be laid on the table indefinitely.

The vote was a tie, which was broken by Chairman Lutz voting nay.

Mr. Landwehr moved to amend the original motion by making the sum \$25.

Mr. Holmes called for an aye and nay vote, which resulted as follows:

Yeas—Supervisors Miner, Dancer, Donnelly, Weeks, Kison, Schumacher, Bilbie, Crane, Walsh, Landwehr, Hutzel, Lutz, Twist and Holmes—14.

Nays—Supervisors Sanderson, Munn, Dresselhouse, Hummel, Wheeler, Warner, Hunter and McCullough—8.

The original motion as amended allowing Mr. Duffy \$25.00 for extra services was then carried.

Mr. Miner moved that \$100.00 be allowed Charles Awrey, late Probate Registrar, for services from October 1, 1904, to January 1, 1905.

Carried.

Mr. Schumacher stated that prosecuting Attorney Sawyer had informed him, that in case the proposed "Tramp Act" was passed by the Legislature, it would be necessary for the County to make a contract with the Detroit House of Correction. He therefore moved that the Chairman of the Board of Supervisors and the County Clerk be authorized to make a contract with the Detroit House of Correction for the care of the prisoners.

Carried.

Mr. Hummel moved that there be appropriated the sum of \$210.00, to be paid in monthly installments to the clerk of the School Commissioner, which included the sum of \$90.00 received from the state, for this purpose, and make the total sum of \$300.00, all of said money to be paid to the clerk. Said clerk also to do work for the prosecuting Attorney.

School Commissioner Foster stated that it was necessary that his clerk be a qualified teacher to enable her to do the work satisfactorily. It would not make a single cent's difference to him if they allowed him a clerk or not. He asked if for the benefit of the Washenaw County Schools.

Mr. Hummel's resolution was then passed.

On motion of Mr. Dancer the offer made by the McCarty heirs of eleven and one-half acres of land adjoining the County Farm at \$80.00 per acre was accepted, and the prosecuting Attorney was instructed to see that the title was good and a sufficient deed given.

Carried.

On motion of Mr. Miner the Board adjourned sine die.

JOHN LUTZ,
Chairman.
EUGENE K. FRUEAUFF,
Deputy Clerk.

OCTOBER SESSION, 1905.

Monday, October 3th, 1905.

The Board of Supervisors of Washenaw County, Michigan, met in annual session at the Court House in the City of Ann Arbor, in said County, on Monday, the 3th day of October, 1905. Were called together by the Clerk and the following members answered to their names on roll call:

George B. Rhead, Ann Arbor, First Ward.
Herman Krapf, Ann Arbor, Fourth Ward.
Arthur J. Kison, Ann Arbor, Sixth Ward.
Bert F. Schumacher, Ann Arbor, Seventh Ward.
Walter R. Mason, Augusta.
Archer G. Crane, Bridgewater.
Frank Koebe, Freedom.
Fred Halst, Lima.
Michael F. Grosshans, Lodi.
Henry J. Landwehr, Manchester.
Jay G. Pray, Northfield.
William Taylor, Salem.
John Lutz, Saline.
Ezra R. Twist, Superior.
Jacob Hummel, Sylvan.
Henry P. Warner, York.
Edgar Holmes, Ypsilanti.
John L. Hunter, Ypsilanti, First District.
Elmer B. McCullough, Ypsilanti, Second District.

On motion, John L. Hunter was appointed temporary chairman.

On motion, the Board adjourned to 1:30 o'clock p. m.

Afternoon Session.

The Board met pursuant to adjournment. Roll call. Quorum present.

On motion of Mr. Kison, Mr. John Lutz was unanimously elected chairman.

On motion of Mr. Oosterlin, Mr. John L. Hunter was elected chairman pro tem.

Mr. Landwehr moved that the chair appoint a Special Committee of three on Order of Business.

Carried.

The Chair appointed Messrs. Landwehr, Hummel and Kison.

Mr. Bilbie moved that the hours of meeting be the same as last year.

Carried.

Mr. Kison moved that the Board act under the old rules until the new ones were established.

Carried.

Mr. Schumacher moved that the Board visit the County House next Thursday.

Carried.

Committee appointed, Messrs. Schumacher and Ryan.

On motion, Board adjourned until 10:30 a. m. tomorrow.

JOHN LUTZ,
Chairman.

JAS. E. HARKINS,
Clerk.

Tuesday, October 10th, 1905.

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Roll call. Quorum present.

Minutes of the previous meeting read and approved.

A communication from the Department of Public Instruction was read and on motion laid upon the table.

A communication from C. B. Foster relative to the number of schools in the county was received and ordered filed.

The report of the inspectors of the Jail was read.

Report of Inspectors of Jails for the County of Washenaw, of inspection made September 25, 1905.

Ann Arbor, September 25, 1905.
Honorable Board of Supervisors:

The undersigned Inspectors of Jails for the County of Washenaw, in compliance with the provisions of law (Sections 2665-2670, Compiled Laws 1897), would respectfully report:

That on the 25th day of September, 1905, they visited and carefully inspected the County Jail of said County, and found as follows:

I. That during the period since the last required report and the date of this examination, there has been confined at different times 544 prisoners charged with offenses as follows:

Offense	Male	Female	Whole
Violation of School Law	290	1	291
Drunk and tipsy	1	1	2
Disorderly	120	130	250
Vagrancy	52	52	104
Assault and battery	4	4	8
Attempt to break jail	1	1	2
Burglary	1	1	2
Desertion	1	1	2
Carrying Concealed Weapon	1	1	2
Disturbing the Peace	1	1	2
Forgery	1	1	2
Insane	5	5	10
Embezzlement	4	4	8
Indecent Language	4	4	8
Juvenile disorderly	5	1	6
Larceny	11	11	22
Larceny from person	2	2	4
Lewd and lascivious cohabitation	2	2	4
Prostitution	4	4	8
Non-support	2	2	4
Violating school law	2	2	4
Rape	2	2	4
Violation of school law	1	1	2

II. There are now in jail, detained for trial, 6: serving sentence, 5. Number now in jail—male 10, female 1; total 11. Number of above who are under sixteen years of age—None. Prisoners detained for trial have been held in jail the following number of days each—100, 61, 61, 57, 57, 44. Prisoners awaiting commitment have been held since sentence the following number of days each—None.

III. Number usually confined in one room by day—All in two rooms of the regular prisoners. Number usually confined in one room at night (see Section 2655, Compiled Laws 1897)—All of the regular prisoners in two rooms and cells.

IV. Employment—None.

V. Condition of bedding—Good enough. Condition of cells—Good. Condition of halls—Good. Condition of water closets—Clean.

VI. What distinction, if any, is made in the treatment of prisoners? (Between those only held for trial and those serving sentence, etc.)—Those waiting trial kept in cell or cages.

VII. Are prisoners under sixteen years of age at any time, day or night, permitted to mingle or associate with adult prisoners in violation of Section 5555, Compiled Laws 1897?—No.

VIII. Are prisoners arrested on civil process kept in rooms separate and distinct from prisoners held on criminal charge or conviction, and on no pretense whatever put or kept in the same room? as required by Section 10534, Compiled Laws 1897?—Yes.

IX. Are male and female prisoners confined in separate rooms as required by Section 10535, Compiled Laws 1897?—Yes.

X. Is there a proper Jail Record kept, and is it kept properly posted and does it comply with Section 2650, Compiled Laws 1897?—Yes, a good one.

XI. What, if any, evils, either in construction or management of jail found to exist?—None.

Recommendations—A new floor in the kitchen of the dwelling part of the jail.

That the cell floors be repaired.

That the back part of the jail be painted same as front of jail.

E. E. LELAND,
Judge of Probate.

F. J. FLETCHER,
Superintendent.

H. B. MASTEN,
Superintendent.

JAMES TAYLOR,
Superintendent.

WM. K. CHILDS,
County Agent.

Read and adopted.

The Auditor General's report on aggregate taxable property in Washenaw County, was submitted to the Board.

Auditor General's Department.
Lansing, Mich., Sept. 25, 1905.

To the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Washenaw, Ann Arbor, Mich.:

Sir—You are hereby notified that a State Tax has been apportioned to the several Counties of the State according to the last returns of the aggregate valuation of taxable property therein made to this office, and an equalized and determined by the State Board of Equalization, at their session in August, 1905.

The amount of State Tax apportioned to your County under various Acts of the Legislature is as follows, to wit:

General Statement.		
University of Michigan—Sec. 1, Act 182, 1899	Col. No. 2	\$ 250.00
University of Michigan—Sec. 2, Act 202, 1897	"	70.71
University of Michigan—Sec. 3, Act 140, 1895	"	45.47
The State Agricultural College—Sec. 1, Act 203, 1905	"	3,700.00
The State Agricultural College—Sec. 2, Act 204, 1905	"	1,539.52
The State Agricultural College—Sec. 3, Act 205, 1905	"	117.25
The State Agricultural College—Sec. 4, Act 206, 1905	"	117.25
Michigan State Normal College—Sec. 5, Act 207, 1905	"	2,580.33
Northern State Normal School—Sec. 4, Act 208, 1905	"	1,125.40
Western State Normal School—Sec. 4, Act 209, 1905	"	839.51
School—Sec. 3, Act 210, 1905	"	377.67
Michigan College of Mines—Sec. 4, Act 211, 1905	"	2,344.55
State Library—Sec. 4, Act 138, 1905	"	204.50
Michigan Soldiers' Home—Sec. 7, Act 276, 1905	"	5,216.72
Michigan Soldiers' Home—Sec. 7, Act 276, 1905	"	46.39
Michigan Soldiers' Home—Sec. 7, Act 276, 1905	"	2,500.41

State Public School—Sec. 4, Act 202, 1905	"	20	1,364.17
State Public School—Sec. 4, Act 202, 1905	"	21	6.40
Michigan School for the Deaf—Sec. 4, Act 203, 1905	"	22	2,339.72
Michigan School for the Blind—Sec. 4, Act 204, 1905	"	23	909.40
Michigan Employment Institution for the Blind—Sec. 4, Act 205, 1905	"	24	685.79
Michigan Asylum for the Insane—Sec. 4, Act 206, 1905	"	25	926.11
Michigan Asylum for the Insane—Sec. 4, Act 206, 1905	"	26	224.46
Michigan Asylum for the Insane—Sec. 4, Act 206, 1905	"	27	323.55
Northern Michigan Asylum—Sec. 4, Act 207, 1905	"	28	68.51
Upper Peninsula Hospital for Insane—Sec. 4, Act 208, 1905	"	29	233.86
State Asylum—Sec. 4, Act 181, 1905	"	30	224.10
State Prison—Sec. 3, Act 224, 1905	"	31	670.53
State Prison—Sec. 3, Act 224, 1905	"	32	437.75
Michigan Reformatory—Sec. 3, Act 257, 1905	"	33	178.19
Michigan House of Correction—Sec. 3, Act 152, 1905	"	34	247.25
The State Industrial Home for Girls—J. R. 1895	"	35	2,133.27
The State Industrial Home for Girls—J. R. 1895	"	36	1,726.21
The State Industrial Home for Girls—J. R. 1895	"	37	79.12
The State Industrial Home for Girls—J. R. 1895	"	38	5.82
Michigan Board of Fish Commissioners—Sec. 4, Act 229, 1905	"	39	844.64
Michigan Board of Fish Commissioners—Sec. 4, Act 229, 1905	"	40	25.79
Michigan Board of Fish Commissioners—Sec. 4, Act 229, 1905	"	41	820.61
Michigan Board of Fish Commissioners—Sec. 4, Act 229, 1905	"	42	1.03
Michigan Board of Fish Commissioners—Sec. 4, Act 229, 1905	"	43	18.76
Michigan National Society—Sec. 4, Act 200, 1905	"	44	2,965.93
Michigan National Society—Sec. 4, Act 200, 1905	"	45	325.46
Michigan National Society—Sec. 4, Act 200, 1905	"	46	23.45
Michigan National Society—Sec. 4, Act 200, 1905	"	47	117.23
Michigan National Society—Sec. 4, Act 200, 1905	"	48	35.17
Michigan National Society—Sec. 4, Act 200, 1905	"	49	175.84
Michigan National Society—Sec. 4, Act 200, 1905	"	50	70.24
Michigan National Society—Sec. 4, Act 200, 1905	"	51	23.45
Michigan National Society—Sec. 4, Act 200, 1905	"	52	30.70
Michigan National Society—Sec. 4, Act 200, 1905	"	53	703.35
Michigan National Society—Sec. 4, Act 200, 1905	"	54	23.39
Michigan National Society—Sec. 4, Act 200, 1905	"	55	117.23
Michigan National Society—Sec. 4, Act 200, 1905	"	56	351.69
Michigan National Society—Sec. 4, Act 200, 1905	"	57	234.46
Michigan National Society—Sec. 4, Act 200, 1905	"	58	234.46
Michigan National Society—Sec. 4, Act 200, 1905	"	59	2,813.51
Michigan National Society—Sec. 4, Act 200, 1905	"	60	16,956.13
Michigan National Society—Sec. 4, Act 200, 1905	"	61	16,412.14
Michigan National Society—Sec. 4, Act 200, 1905	"	62	190,729.22

There is also to be levied, as a portion of the County Taxes, as required by Section 25, Act 206, Law of 1893, (unless paid prior to October first, 1905), the indebtedness of your County to the State on the first day of July, 1905, then amounting to \$931.05.

The indebtedness of the County must not be added to the State Tax. You will cause the above to be laid before the Board of Supervisors of your County at their session in October, 1905.

Please acknowledge immediately the receipt of this notice.

Very respectfully,
JAMES B. BRADLEY,
Auditor General.

On motion, it was referred to the Committee on Apportionment of State and County Taxes.

A petition of John Maulbetsch for the return of the county's portion of his unexpired liquor tax was received, and on motion laid on the table until after the County Treasurer's report.

No further business and the Board adjourned until 1:30 o'clock p. m.

Afternoon Session.

Board was called to order by Chairman Lutz. Roll call. Quorum present.

Drain Commissioner Barry submitted his annual report.

Annual Report of County Drain Commissioner.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Washenaw County:

Gentlemen—In compliance with the provisions of the Statute in such case made and provided, I have the honor to submit my annual report as County Drain Commissioner of the said County of Washenaw, covering the period from the sixth day of October, A. D. 1904, to the fifth day of October, A. D. 1905.

The following named drains were unfinished at the date of my last report, to wit: The Rouse drain and Welnett drain in Saline Township; the Henning drain in Augusta, the Salem No. 1 drain, the J. J. Knapp drain and branch thereof in Freedom and Bridgewater Townships, and the Green Oak No. 2 drain. Those drains are all completed except a small amount of work to be done on the Welnett and Green Oak No. 2 drain, which work is being done at present and will be completed in a short time.

The following named drains have been begun by me, during the year, and are only partly completed, to wit: The Eberbach drain, Pittsfield; the Lusk drain, Lima and Sylvan; the Pleasant Lake drain, which runs through Freedom, Sharon, Sylvan and part of Lima Township; the Fieldkamp drain in Sharon; the cleaning out of Big Marsh drain, Augusta Central drain, McCarty drain and the Murray drain, the last named drain is a joint drain which affects Washenaw and Monroe counties; also the Lodi and W. drain, which is located in the south part of Saline Township and runs through part of the Township of Ma-

con, Lenawee County—this is also a joint drain and the taxes for the construction of same is assessed in both counties. Contractors are at work on all those drains, and I expect they will be all completed this fall.

I also have petitions for cleaning out the west branch of Big Marsh drain and west branch of Augusta Central drain; also a petition for establishing a drain in Saline Township and one for deepening and widening the McCarty drain in Northfield Township; and petition for cleaning out a drain in Lodi Township. I intend to have some work done on those drains this fall.

I also have a drain in Saline Village, which I intend to let in a short time.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF SALINE AND BRIDGEWATER AND BRANCH DRAIN.

Dr. No. Order. Am't.

Oct. 24—To Jerome Allen for re-surveying.....\$107 10 00

27—To Jerome P. Barry for replacing stakes.....6 00

27—To Lawrence Barry for help surveying.....3 00

Nov. 1—To Debra Arnold for ditching.....1807 20 00

1—To Bert Rogers for ditching.....1508 40 00

2—To D. W. Barry for ditching.....1811 25 00

2—To Fred Finkbeiner for ditching.....1518 125 00

2—To Chas. Finkbeiner for ditching.....1819 96 00

9—To Wm. Rogers for ditching.....1821 210 00

10—To D. Arnold for ditching.....1822 210 00

10—To John Arnold for ditching.....1823 210 00

19—To James Thorn for ditching.....1519 63 00

Dec. 3—To A. M. Robinson for ditching.....1571 134 75

6—To D. Arnold for ditching.....1872 6 25

13—To John W. Barry for work on drain.....1887 12 75

23—To D. W. Barry for ditching.....1896 19 25

28—To Peter Martin for ditching.....1904 3 00

1905.

Feb. 24—To D. W. Barry, com'r fees.....1866 4 00

July 21—To D. W. Barry, com'r fees.....1905 4 00

Balance.....\$ 83 85

\$1,892 85

Oct. 6—Balance on hand at date of my last report.....\$1,816 56

1905.

Sept. 15—By amount assessed.....\$ 80 00

Oct. 5, 1905—Balance on hand.....\$ 83 85

FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF GROVES AND HORSESHOE LAKE DRAIN.

Dr. No. Order. Am't.

Oct. 10—To Walter S. Bilbie for special com'r fees.....\$ 33 00

19—To Frank P. Barry for help re-surveying.....1781 3 00

24—To Jerome Allen for replacing stakes.....1729 9 00

Nov. 18—To Anna Arbor R. R. Co. for ditching.....1843 46 00

Dec. 19—To W. S. Bilbie, special com'r fees.....1844 6 00

22—To D. W. Barry, com'r's fees.....1897 6 75

Jan. 5—To M. Maroney for work on drain.....1807 6 00

July 26—To D. W. Barry, com'r's fees.....1905 3 50

Sept. 29—To D. W. Barry, Treasurer's balance.....127 45

\$ 243 70

Oct. 6—Balance on hand at date of my last report.....\$ 241 70

1905.

Oct. 5—Balance.....\$127 45

FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF THE ROUSE DRAIN.

Dr. No. Order. Am't.

Oct. 29—To Wilber Cornish for ditching.....1805 100 00

Nov. 17—To Wilber Cornish for ditching.....1833 71 20

17—To James Toliver for ditching.....1829 64 75

2—To A. F. Clark, help surveying.....1839 1 75

25—To Wilber Cornish for ditching.....1848 2 00

23—To A. F. Clark, help surveying.....1855 25

Dec. 9—To Jerome Allen for surveying.....1856 16 00

10—To John Lutz for work on drain.....1858 1 00

23—To L. Burdett for ditching.....1860 38 14

27—To David Gordon for work.....1902 7 00

27—To A. M. Robinson for ditching.....1903 20 00

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Jan. 29—To D. W. Barry, com'r fees.....1812 25 00

23—To Jerome P. Barry for work on drain.....1915 15 00

22—To James W. Barry for work.....1922 4 50

24—To D. W. Barry for ditching.....1925 34 75

Feb. 2—To James Thorn for ditching.....1932 50 00

Apr. 6—To Frank P. Barry for ditching.....1933 3 30

May 2—To W. E. J. Sander-son, ditching.....194

25-To Jerome F. Barry for work.....1917	5.00	Overdrawn.....	15	Waterbury Township.....	1,719.63	County tax.....	1,033.90	York Township.....	2,529.14	County tax.....	1,556.46	Poor tax.....	314.61	Rejected tax.....	1.41	Ypsilanti Township.....	2,399.81	State tax.....	1,456.41	Poor tax.....	132.41	Chelsea Village.....	3,908.67	Liquor tax.....	3,000.00	Manchester Village.....	3,000.00	Liquor tax.....	3,000.00	Saline Village.....	2,000.00	Liquor tax.....	2,000.00	Money refunded by Sheriff Newell, cost in case People vs. Bokus.....	8.85	Delinquent tax.....	3,962.82	Prisoners' Institute fees.....	7,116.69	Philip Blum, county clerk.....	1.28	O. C. Kimball (smallpox patient).....	6.00	Board advanced by county and now refunded to county by O. C. Kimball.....	10.00	Jury and witness fees, refunded.....	117.00	People vs. Geo. H. Hays.....	23.00	Pine money from A. E. Gibson.....	23.00	Pine money from W. P. Holman.....	90.00	Pine money from J. P. Wood.....	90.00	Pine money from Justice Fitzgerald.....	5.00	Pine money from Justice Cook.....	19.00	Pine money from Justice Doly.....	117.00	From county farm.....	275.00	Salary refunded by County Clerk.....	340.01	Teachers' Institute fees.....	10,150.00	Redemption money.....	233.47	Unknown help fund.....	134.85	For Stephen Voorhes insane.....	20.00	For Ella Smith, insane.....	120.00	For Elva S. Rogers, insane.....	75.00	Tax sales.....	77.22	Interest of Ann Arbor Savings Bank.....	255.83	Salmon No. 1, drain.....	502.00	Wellnetts drain.....	1,002.00	Four Mile Lake drain.....	587.45	Koebbe drain.....	2,286.60	House drain.....	254.20	Sugar Lake drain.....	120.00	Green Oak No. 2 drain.....	24.22	Henry Holman drain.....	60.00	Johnston drain.....	34.66	Lower end of Mill Creek drain.....	129.59	Holmes and Ketchum drain.....	6,884.89	Inheritance tax fund.....	4,622.44	Cash on hand January 1, 1905.....	175,791.24	Outstanding checks, Oct. 1, 1905.....	182.14	Money paid out from Jan. 1st, 1905, to Oct. 1st, 1905.....	47,911.25	Ann Arbor City.....	1,945.20	Primary money.....	277.58	Liquor tax.....	9,744.41	Delinquent tax.....	1,483.64	Redemption money.....	254.20	Tax sales.....	680.41	Ypsilanti City.....	13,740.55	Primary money.....	261.80	Library money.....	121.64	Liquor tax.....	2,251.25	Delinquent tax.....	1,515.91	Augusta Township.....	4,951.00	Primary money.....	292.80	Library money.....	27.39	Delinquent tax.....	7.84	Ann Arbor Township.....	118.20	Primary money.....	131.21	Delinquent tax.....	33.30	Bridgewater Township.....	378.40	Primary money.....	353.53	Liquor tax.....	217.50	Dexter Township.....	102.20	Primary money.....	12.62	Freedom Township.....	231.00	Primary money.....	22.15	Lima Township.....	157.50	Primary money.....	18.25	Lodi Township.....	114.00	Primary money.....	178.50	Liquor tax.....	27.50	Lyndon Township.....	120.00	Primary money.....	4.42	Delinquent tax.....	.47	Manchester Township.....	344.90	Primary money.....	42.24	Liquor tax.....	32.17	Northfield Township.....	178.50	Primary money.....	21.83	Liquor tax.....	371.25	Saline Township.....	311.49	Primary money.....	35.65	Salem Township.....	144.00	Primary money.....	7.73	Delinquent tax.....	11.50	Selo Township.....	236.00	Primary money.....	42.24	Delinquent tax.....	44.24	Sharon Township.....	172.80	Primary money.....	6.03	Superior Township.....	178.50	Primary money.....	18.24	Delinquent tax.....	11.80	Sylvan Township.....	202.00	Primary money.....	43.49	Webster Township.....	97.20	Primary money.....	11.92	Delinquent tax.....	13.18	York Township.....	260.00	Primary money.....	9.05	Delinquent tax.....	38.25	Ypsilanti Township.....	123.40	Primary money.....	14.20	Chelsea Village, liquor tax.....	1,237.50	Dexter Village, liquor tax.....	15.00	Manchester Village, liquor tax.....	1,237.50	Saline Village, liquor tax.....	1,237.50	Board of School Examiners fund.....	5,044.44	Confident fund.....	1,025.50	Soldiers' Relief fund.....	1,025.50	Deer license sent State of Michigan.....	10.00	Balance on hand Oct. 1, 1905.....	23,745.64	Funeral fund.....	3,235.24	Jury fund.....	2,235.24	Poor fund.....	4,422.44	Teachers' Institute fund.....	21.25	Death warrants fund.....	92.00	Witness fund.....	114.21	Stenographers fund.....	6,452.52	Inheritance tax fund.....	5,825.27	Salary county officers fund.....	1,135.00	Salary of circuit judge fund.....	1,135.00	Tonia asylum.....	70,000.00	Palmer and Baldwin drain.....	5.30	Saline and Bridgewater and Branch drain.....	17.50	Salmon No. 1, drain.....	502.00	Wellnetts drain.....	1,002.00	Four Mile Lake drain.....	587.45	Koebbe drain.....	2,286.60	House drain.....	254.20	Sugar Lake drain.....	120.00	Green Oak No. 2 drain.....	24.22	Henry Holman drain.....	60.00	Johnston drain.....	34.66	Lower end of Mill Creek drain.....	129.59	Holmes and Ketchum drain.....	6,884.89	Inheritance tax fund.....	4,622.44	Cash on hand January 1, 1905.....	175,791.24	Outstanding checks, Oct. 1, 1905.....	182.14	Money paid out from Jan. 1st, 1905, to Oct. 1st, 1905.....	47,911.25	Ann Arbor City.....	1,945.20	Primary money.....	277.58	Liquor tax.....	9,744.41	Delinquent tax.....	1,483.64	Redemption money.....	254.20	Tax sales.....	680.41	Ypsilanti City.....	13,740.55	Primary money.....	261.80	Library money.....	121.64	Liquor tax.....	2,251.25	Delinquent tax.....	1,515.91	Augusta Township.....	4,951.00	Primary money.....	292.80	Library 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tax.....	11.80	Sylvan Township.....	202.00	Primary money.....	43.49	Webster Township.....	97.20	Primary money.....	11.92	Delinquent tax.....	13.18	York Township.....	260.00	Primary money.....	9.05	Delinquent tax.....	38.25	Ypsilanti Township.....	123.40	Primary money.....	14.20	Chelsea Village, liquor tax.....	1,237.50	Dexter Village, liquor tax.....	15.00	Manchester Village, liquor tax.....	1,237.50	Saline Village, liquor tax.....	1,237.50	Board of School Examiners fund.....	5,044.44	Confident fund.....	1,025.50	Soldiers' Relief fund.....	1,025.50	Deer license sent State of Michigan.....	10.00	Balance on hand Oct. 1, 1905.....	23,745.64	Funeral fund.....	3,235.24	Jury fund.....	2,235.24	Poor fund.....	4,422.44	Teachers' Institute fund.....	21.25	Death warrants fund.....	92.00	Witness fund.....	114.21	Stenographers fund.....	6,452.52	Inheritance tax fund.....	5,825.27	Salary county officers fund.....	1,135.00	Salary of circuit judge fund.....	1,135.00	Tonia asylum.....	70,000.00	Palmer and Baldwin drain.....	5.30	Saline and Bridgewater and Branch drain.....	17.50	Salmon No. 1, drain.....	502.00	Wellnetts drain.....	1,002.00	Four Mile Lake drain.....	587.45	Koebbe drain.....	2,286.60	House drain.....	254.20	Sugar Lake drain.....	120.00	Green Oak No. 2 drain.....	24.22	Henry Holman drain.....	60.00	Johnston drain.....	34.66	Lower end of Mill Creek drain.....	129.59	Holmes and Ketchum drain.....	6,884.89	Inheritance tax fund.....	4,622.44	Cash on hand January 1, 1905.....	175,791.24	Outstanding checks, Oct. 1, 1905.....	182.14	Money paid out from Jan. 1st, 1905, to Oct. 1st, 1905.....	47,911.25	Ann Arbor City.....	1,945.20	Primary money.....	277.58	Liquor tax.....	9,744.41	Delinquent tax.....	1,483.64	Redemption money.....	254.20	Tax sales.....	680.41	Ypsilanti City.....	13,740.55	Primary money.....	261.80	Library money.....	121.64	Liquor tax.....	2,251.25	Delinquent tax.....	1,515.91	Augusta Township.....	4,951.00	Primary money.....	292.80	Library 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Farm Products—
50 bushels wheat, at \$3.50.....\$175.00
50 bu. Oats, at \$3.00.....150.00
1,000 bu. Corn, at \$1.50.....1,500.00
30 tons of Hay, at \$4.00.....1,200.00
Garden products.....300.00
Products from 5 cows.....300.00
150 bu. Potatoes at \$5.00.....750.00
Value of inmate labor.....100.00
\$3,115.00

Estimated on Stock—
2 work horses.....\$300.00
3 cows.....200.00
1 yearling heifer.....100.00
Hogs, grain and feed.....150.00
3 shoats.....50.00
4 sheep.....50.00
2 brood sows and 7 pigs.....150.00
1 male hog.....50.00
1 brood sow.....50.00
11 ducks.....50.00
150 chickens.....50.00
781.00

Other Assets—
Furniture in the house.....\$1,500.00
Dry goods and bedding.....100.00
Clothing on hand.....50.00
Orchard on hand.....50.00
100 cords stove wood.....200.00
25 tons coal.....500.00
Farm implements.....500.00
\$2,715.00

Average cost of maintaining inmates at the County House, exclusive of products of the farm and inmate labor, is two and twenty-five one-hundredths dollars per week.

Estimated for the coming year—
Beef.....\$50.00
Blacksmithing.....50.00
Boats and shoes.....50.00
Books and stationery.....50.00
Clothing.....50.00
Cook and kitchen help.....50.00
Crockery and glassware.....50.00
Drugs and medicine.....50.00
Dry goods and bedding.....200.00
Farm labor.....50.00
Flour and breadstuffs.....50.00
Freight.....50.00
Furniture.....50.00
Farm implements & seeds.....100.00
Hardware.....100.00
Hay, grain and feed.....150.00
Groceries and provision.....50.00
Improvements.....100.00
Keeper and matron.....50.00
Lumber.....50.00
Medical attendance.....50.00
Paints and oils.....50.00
Repairs.....50.00
Transportation to friends.....50.00
Wood and coal.....75.00
Other expenses.....75.00
Outside temporary relief.....1,000.00
\$3,500.00

Of the estimated expenses for the coming year, \$3,335.84 are due from cities and townships for board and care of the poor.

We have a balance of \$644.05 in the hands of the County Treasurer after providing for orders outstanding and unpaid. This will leave a balance of \$1,591.20 to be raised. We would, therefore, respectfully ask that the sum of two thousand five hundred dollars be appropriated for the coming year.

All of which is respectfully submitted, by the undersigned Superintendents of the Poor of said County.

Dated October 1, 1905.
F. J. FLETCHER,
JAMES TAYLOR,
H. B. MASTEN.

By Supervisor Bible—Resolved, That the report be submitted to the Committee to examine accounts of Superintendents of the Poor.

Carried.
These being no further business the Board adjourned to 1:30 p. m.

Afternoon Session.
Meeting called to order by Chairman John Lutz. Roll call. Quorum present.

By Supervisor Dresselhouse—Resolved, That the Building Committee be instructed to charge two dollars per week for the offices in the basement of the Court House, and that said rent be paid semi-annually on the first day of July and January to the County Treasurer and he give his receipt therefor.

Carried.
By Supervisor Hunter—Resolved, That the report of the Soldiers' Relief Commission be taken from the table.

Carried.
By Supervisor Jedele—Resolved, That the Soldiers' Relief Commission be allowed six hundred dollars to apply on the expenses of the coming year.

Supervisor Landwehr moved to amend to allow the Soldiers' Relief Commission one thousand dollars?

Lost.
Whereupon the original motion of Supervisor Jedele was put and carried.

There being no further business the Board adjourned until Tuesday at 10:30 a. m.
JOHN LUTZ,
Chairman.

JAS. E. HARKINS,
Clerk.

Tuesday, October 17th, 1905.
Meeting called to order by Chairman John Lutz. Roll call. Quorum present.

W. K. Childs appeared before the Board in the capacity of County Agent and recommended that the Board take some action relative to providing some place where trunks under the age of twelve years could be kept pursuant to law.

Supervisor Hunter moved that the Chair appoint a committee of three to look into the matter and report to this Board at its earliest convenience.

Carried.
The Chair appointed the following committee: Supervisors Hunter, Oesterlin and Rhead.

Probate Judge Lehard requested that the Board take some action in regard to fire protection for the records of his office.

Supervisor Landwehr moved that the matter be referred to a committee of three appointed by the Chair to investigate.

Carried.
The Chair appointed Supervisors Landwehr, Schumacher and McCulloch.

Supervisor Landwehr moved that Chairman Lutz be added to the committee.

Carried.
Supervisor Hutzel moved that we proceed to the election of Superintendents of the Poor by acclamation.

Carried.
Supervisor Jedele moved that Michael Staebler be the choice of the Board for the short term.

Carried.
Supervisor Hunter moved that F. J. Fletcher succeed himself as Superintendent for the long term.

Carried.
On motion, the Board adjourned to 1:30 p. m.

Afternoon Session.
Meeting called to order by Chairman Lutz. Roll call. Quorum present.

Report of Committee on Printing.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors:
Gentlemen—We will publish the proceedings of the Board of Supervisors for 1905 in the Ann Arbor Argus-Democrat, Chelsea Herald and Ypsilanti, print and bind 500 copies in pamphlet form for \$3.25 per pamphlet page. The work to be done in all respects like that of 1904 and on the same basis.

Signed on behalf of the Ann Arbor Argus-Democrat, Chelsea Herald, Ypsilanti.

TOM W. MINGAY.

Ann Arbor Mich., October 10, 1905.
Hon. Board of Supervisors of Washtenaw County:

Gentlemen—We hereby agree to translate and publish the proceedings of your honorable body in the German language in the Washtenaw Post for the sum of seventy-five dollars (\$75), this being the price paid us in former seasons.

Yours respectfully,
EUGENE J. HELBER,
Publisher.

Respectfully submitted,
ELMER B. McCULLOUGH,
Chairman.

Mr. Hunter moved the report be accepted.

Carried.
Mr. Hummel moved that the Washtenaw Post be allowed \$50.00 for printing the proceedings as per bid.

Carried.
On motion, the balance of the report was accepted and adopted.

Mr. Hummel moved the Board pay the Clerk \$35.00 for preparing the proceedings of this Board, and the Board of Auditors providing they are ready for the printer by November 1, 1905.

Carried.
The following bids were received for the custody of the county money:

To the Hon. Board of Supervisors of Washtenaw County, Mich.:
Gentlemen—We beg to submit herewith the following bid: This bank will pay interest on County Funds for the coming year at the rate of one and three-fourths (1 3/4%) per annum, on daily balances, to be credited to the account monthly.

Very truly yours,
M. J. FRITZ,
Cashier.

Ann Arbor, Mich., October 17th, 1905.
Ann Arbor, Mich., October 17th, 1905.
James E. Harkins, Esq., County Clerk.

Ann Arbor, Mich.:
Dear Sirs—As this is the day to receive bids for County Fund for the coming year, I wish to make the following bid for the funds for the coming year, as follows: This bank will pay two per cent. on all moneys deposited with us, figuring the interest on daily balances and payable on the last day of June and December of each year.

Yours very truly,
F. H. BEISER.

By Supervisor Landwehr—Resolved, That the Farmers' and Mechanics' Bank bid be accepted and that it be ordered to give a sufficient bond for the security of the county money.

Carried.
Supervisor Dresselhouse offered the following preamble and resolution:

Whereas, the Legislature at its last session passed an Act authorizing the building of a Hospital for Consumptives for the State of Michigan, and Whereas, the Governor has appointed a committee or board to select and purchase a site for said Hospital, therefore be it

Resolved, that we, the Board of Supervisors of Washtenaw County, would respectfully ask and petition said committee to inspect and consider a site situated just west of the Village of Dexter, which said site, in our judgment, would be a splendid location for said Hospital, and we further request that the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors hand this petition to Dr. R. S. Copeland, of Ann Arbor, who is a member of said board or committee appointed by the Governor.

Carried.
No further business, the Board adjourned until 10:30 a. m. tomorrow.

JOHN LUTZ,
Chairman.

JAS. E. HARKINS,
Clerk.

Wednesday, October 18th, 1905.
Meeting called to order by Chairman Pro Tem, Hunter. Roll call. Quorum present. Minutes of preceding meeting read and approved.

Your committee, appointed at the January session to present to the Legislature a Bill relating to the Trans Nuisance, beg leave to report that he took to Lansing the Bill prepared by the Prosecuting Attorney and approved by the Board of Supervisors, and presented the same to the members of the Legislature from Washtenaw County and was informed by both of said members that they would not support the Bill. One of the members stated that he considered it unfair to the Sheriff to reduce his perquisites after he had been elected with the understanding that he would remain the same as they had been in former years, but that he would support the proposed Bill if it was to become operative January, 1907, when the present Sheriff's term expired.

Inasmuch as it would be impossible to pass a Bill which was opposed by the members from our own county the matter was dropped.

Respectfully submitted,
JNO. R. MINER.

Report received and ordered filed.
Ann Arbor, Mich., October 18th, 1905.
To the Hon. Chairman Board of Supervisors:

Sir—Your committee appointed to investigate and report on the request of Circuit Court Commissioner Geo. W. Sample and Wm. K. Childs, County Agent, as to the detention of dependent and delinquent children in the Juvenile Court, beg leave to report that they have had the same under consideration, and would respectfully recommend that the Circuit Court Commissioner be authorized to from time to time procure such places for detention of such children as may be found necessary at a cost not to exceed three dollars per day.

JOHN L. HUNTER,
EUGENE OESTERLIN,
G. B. RHEAD,

Committee.

On motion, the above report was accepted and adopted.

By Supervisor Hutzel—Resolved, That the Clerk be ordered to designate upon the warrants by rubber stamps the certain funds upon which said warrants are drawn.

Carried.
By Supervisor Pray—Resolved, That we proceed to the election of Janitor for the ensuing year at the present salary.

Carried.
Mr. Grosshans nominated Marvin Davenport for Janitor for the ensuing year, and upon the vote being taken Mr. Davenport was unanimously chosen and was declared elected.

On motion, the Board adjourned until 1:30 p. m.

Afternoon Session, 1:30 p. m.
Meeting called to order by Chairman Pro Tem, Hunter. Roll call. Quorum present.

Supervisor Warner, Chairman of Committee on Equalization, made the following report:

	Assessed Personal.	Assessed Real Estate.	Total
Ann Arbor City	\$2,634.53	\$4,286.90	\$6,921.43
Ann Arbor Town	108.75	962.93	1,071.68
Augusta	117.99	810.50	928.49
Bridgewater	141.10	815.00	956.10
Dexter	62.10	501.50	563.60
Freedom	114.40	720.00	834.40
Lima	25.66	280.00	305.66
Lodi	142.50	970.00	1,112.50
Lyndon	51.06	420.00	471.06
Manchester	286.70	1,150.00	1,436.70
Northfield	60.50	513.10	573.60
Pittsfield	26.86	1,010.50	1,037.36
Salem	95.20	804.00	899.20
Scio	2,360.00	1,140.00	3,500.00
Sylvan	279.80	1,026.00	1,305.80
Sharon	121.00	770.00	891.00
Superior	630.32	1,150.00	1,780.32
Sylvan City	165.40	872.00	1,037.40
Webster	330.90	1,112.00	1,442.90
York	246.03	1,074.00	1,320.03
Ypsilanti	1,102.95	3,289.90	4,392.85
Ypsilanti City	157.50	809.25	966.75
Ypsilanti City, 2d Dist.			
Total	\$7,941.56	\$29,917.20	\$37,858.76

On motion, the report was accepted and adopted.

Supervisor Mason moved that the County Treasurer transfer the \$4,000 in the Jail Fund and the \$1,000 remaining in the Judge's Salary Fund to the Contingent and County Fund.

Carried.
Supervisor Pray moved that the matter be laid on the table until 2 p. m. Thursday.

Carried.
Supervisor Dresselhouse moved that we reconsider the motion relative to the printing in the Washtenaw Post.

Carried.
By Supervisor Dresselhouse—Resolved, That we pay Mr. Helber of the Washtenaw Post \$75 for the printing of the Board's proceedings as stated in his bid.

Carried.
By Supervisor Bible—Resolved, That the Finance Committee have power to place the finances in such funds as they see fit.

Carried.
On motion, the Board adjourned to 10:30 a. m. Thursday.

JOHN L. HUNTER,
Chairman Pro Tem.

JAS. E. HARKINS,
Clerk.

Thursday, October 19th, 1905.
Pursuant to adjournment the meeting was called to order by Chairman Lutz. Roll call. Quorum present.

Lyndon, Mich., October 18, 1905.
To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Washtenaw County:

Whereas, George A. Runciman, Supervisor of the Township of Lyndon, in County of Washtenaw, has resigned the said office of Supervisor; now, therefore,

We, the said Township Board, do hereby appoint John Clark of the said township, to the said office of Supervisor of said township for the remainder of the term for which the said George A. Runciman was elected.

Dated this 18th day of October, A. D. 1905.

ARTHUR J. MAY,
S. C. PALMER,
JAMES HOWLETT,

Township Board of the Township of Lyndon.

By Supervisor Hunter—Resolved, That John Clark be declared the Supervisor of Lyndon Township and that he be placed on all committees made vacant by the retirement of George A. Runciman.

GEO. A. RUNCIMAN.

Carried.
Your Committee on Salaries of County Officers make the following report:

Salary of County Clerk, without fees in criminal cases and without fees as Clerk of County Auditors, per annum.....	\$1,100.00
Salary of County Treasurer, per annum.....	1,000.00
Salary of Probate Register, per annum.....	600.00
Salary of Prosecuting Attorney in full for all work per annum.....	1,200.00
Salary of School Commissioner, per annum.....	1,500.00
Salary of School Examiners, per day.....	3.00
That the Janitor be paid, per annum.....	550.00
For services of Janitor at Jail during winter months.....	50.00
That the roll of persons having charge of the burial of deceased soldiers and sailors was called and following appointments were made:	
Ann Arbor City, 1st Ward, Henry S. Dean.	
Ann Arbor City, 2d Ward, Conrad C. Noll.	
Ann Arbor City, 3d Ward, William Walsh.	
Ann Arbor City, 4th Ward, William Acton.	
Ann Arbor City, 5th Ward, A. T. Martin.	
Ann Arbor City, 7th Ward, H. P. Danforth.	
Ann Arbor Township, John T. Fuller.	

Supervisor Dresselhouse moved that the report be amended so as to read that the School Commissioner receive \$1,500.00.

Carried.
Supervisor Pray moved that the report be amended so as to allow the Clerk \$300.00 for extra services.

Supervisor Hunter moved to amend by allowing the Clerk \$200.00 for extra services.

Carried.
Mr. Hunter moved that the committee's report be adopted as amended.

Carried.

To the Hon. Board of Supervisors of Washtenaw County:

Your Committee on Finance would respectfully recommend that the amount to be raised as county tax be fixed at \$40,000, as follows:

County fund.....	\$30,000
Contingent fund.....	5,000
Jail fund.....	1,000
Soldiers' relief fund.....	1,000
Poor fund.....	250
Fuel and light fund.....	2,000
Asylum fund.....	5,000
Contingent disease fund.....	5,000
Salaries of county officers, including clerk hire and school examiners.....	10,400
Estimated liquor tax.....	15,000
Total.....	\$40,000

WALTER R. MASON,
W. A. HUTZEL,
FRANK H. KOEBBE.

Supervisor Hunter moved that the report of the Finance Committee be accepted and adopted.

Carried.

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E. P. WARNER,
HENRY LANDWEHR,
JACOB JEDELE,
EDGAR D. JONES,
ARTHUR J. KITSON.

Report of Committee on Rejected Taxes.

	Total.
Augusta Township.....	\$5.13
Bridgewater Township.....	4.13
Lima Township.....	1.49
Scio Township.....	1.82
York Township.....	1.82
Ypsilanti City.....	18.32
Ypsilanti City.....	18.32
Total.....	\$51.06

J. P. WALSH,
F. H. WHEELER,
GEO. W. WEEKS.

By Supervisor Landwehr—Resolved, That the report of the Committee on Rejected Taxes be accepted and the several Supervisors be ordered to have the same spread upon their rolls.

Carried.
By Supervisor Schumacher—Resolved, That the report of the Committee on Fire Protection of the Probate Office be postponed until tomorrow morning at 10:30 o'clock.

Carried.
By Supervisor Hummel—Resolved, That the Prosecuting Attorney receive \$500.00 for hearing cases in Justice Courts.

Supervisor Schumacher offered as an amendment that the Prosecuting Attorney receive seven hundred dollars for services for enforcing the compulsory school law, justice court cases and juvenile offenders before the Circuit Court Commissioners.

Adopted as follows by an aye and nay vote: Yeas, 15; Nays, 12.

The original motion as amended was then put and carried.

Supervisor Kitson moved that George A. Runciman be declared the choice of this Board for Drain Commissioner.

Carried.
On motion, the Board adjourned to 1:30 p. m.

Afternoon Session.
The meeting was called to order by Chairman John Lutz. Roll call. Quorum present.

Supervisor Grosshans, from Committee on Fractional School Districts, reported as follows:

Your Committee on Fractional School Districts find the percentage of increase and decrease between the assessed and equalized value as follows:

	Increase.	Decrease.
Ann Arbor Town.....	.002	
Freedom.....	.007	
Lima.....	.005	
Lodi.....	.003	
Northfield.....	.003	
Pittsfield.....	.007	
Salem.....	.003	
Saline.....	.005	
Scio.....	.002	
Superior.....	.002	
Sylvan.....	.011	
Webster.....	.008	
York.....	.004	
Ypsilanti Town.....	.006	
Ypsilanti City.....	.010	
First District.....	.013	
Second District.....	.013	

M. F. GROSSHANS,
J. W. DRESSELHOUSE,
E. R. TWIST.

Supervisor Hummel moved that Otto Luck be allowed fifteen dollars for transferring accounts from the old books to new ones, and one hundred dollars for keeping daily balances with the banks.

Carried.
On motion, the matter of transferring the County Funds was taken from the table.

Supervisor Mason moved as a substitute that four thousand dollars be transferred from the Jail Fund to the County Fund and fifteen hundred dollars from the Judge's Salary Fund to the County Fund and one thousand dollars from the County Officers' Salary Fund.

Carried.
The roll of persons having charge of the burial of deceased soldiers and sailors was called and following appointments were made:

Ann Arbor City, 1st Ward, Henry S. Dean.

Ann Arbor City, 2d Ward, Conrad C. Noll.

Ann Arbor City, 3d Ward, William Walsh.

Ann Arbor City, 4th Ward, William Acton.

Ann Arbor City, 5th Ward, A. T. Martin.

Ann Arbor City, 7th Ward, H. P. Danforth.

Ann Arbor Township, John T. Fuller.

Augusta Township, James A. Blackmar.

Bridgewater Township, Peter Soles.

Dexter Township, Richard Whallan.

Freedom Township, John Neibling.

Lodi Township, G. L. Hoyt.

filed to and filed in the office of the Secretary of State of this State and the office of the Clerk of this county pursuant to law.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

E. D. HOLMES.

By Supervisor Schumacher—
Your committee, to whom was referred the communication of the Secretary of State relating to the apportionment of representatives among the counties and the several districts of the State, beg leave to report that they have given the matter their careful consideration and would respectfully recommend the adoption of the following resolution:

Whereas, under the provisions of Act No. 244 of the Public Acts of the State of Michigan for the year 1905, the County of Washtenaw is entitled to two representatives in the State Legislature; therefore be it

Resolved, and it is hereby ordered, that the County of Washtenaw be and the same is hereby divided into two representative districts to consist of the following territory, to wit:

District No. 1 to consist of the following townships: Lyndon, Dexter, Webster, Northfield, Salem, Lima, Ann Arbor Town, Sylvan and the City of Ann Arbor, which territory according to the census of 1904 had a population of twenty-three thousand two hundred and fifty.

District No. 2 to consist of the following townships: Sharon, Bridge-water, Freedom, Lodi, Scio, Superior, Pittsfield, Ypsilanti Town, Manchester, Saline, York, Augusta and Ypsilanti City, which territory according to the census of 1904 had a population of twenty-three thousand five hundred and twenty-six.

It is further ordered, that the Clerk of this Board do certify and cause this order and determination to be certified to and filed in the office of the Secretary of State of this State and the Clerk of this county pursuant to law.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

HENRY LANDWEHR.

By Supervisor Hutzler—Resolved, That we adopt the minority report.

A ye a and nay vote being called for, resulted as follows:

Yeas—Supervisors Rhead, Oesterlin, Kitson, Hutzler, Dresselhouse, Wheeler, Holmes and Hunter—8.

Nays—Supervisors Ryan, Krapf, Weeks, Schumacher, Billie, Mason, Crane, Walsh, Koebbe, Halst, Grosshans, Landwehr, Pray, Naylor, Lutz, Jedele, Twist, Hummel, Warner and McCullough—20.

Lost.

Supervisor Jedele moved to adopt the majority report of the committee and on an aye and nay vote it resulted as follows:

Yeas—Supervisors Oesterlin, Krapf, Weeks, Schumacher, Billie, Mason, Crane, Walsh, Koebbe, Halst, Grosshans, Landwehr, Pray, Naylor, Lutz, Jedele, Twist, Hummel, Warner and McCullough—21.

Nays—Supervisors Rhead, Kitson, Hutzler, Dresselhouse, Wheeler, Holmes and Hunter—7.

Carried.

By Supervisor Pray—Resolved, That we allow the Probate Register \$400.00 for extra services.

Supervisor Oesterlin moved to amend by allowing the Judge of Probate \$400.00 for extra clerk hire.

Supervisor Holmes moved to lay the matter on the table until 1:30 p. m.

Carried.

By Supervisor Oesterlin—Resolved, That the Chair appoint a committee of three to examine the bonds of the Farmers' and Mechanics' Bank.

Carried.

The Chair appointed Supervisors Oesterlin, Hunter and Dresselhouse as such committee.

On motion, the Board adjourned until 1 o'clock p. m.

Afternoon Session.

Meeting called to order by Chairman Lutz. Roll call. Quorum present.

Supervisor Dresselhouse moved that as the Committee on Bonds were unable to get the same on time that the Chair appoint a committee of three to approve said bonds when received.

Supervisor Hunter moved to lay the resolution on the table until 2 o'clock p. m.

Carried.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors:

The undersigned Committee to settle with County Officers report that they have examined the books and vouchers in the office of the County Treasurer and find them correct, and that the balance, \$7,320.34, was on deposit at the Ann Arbor Savings Bank October 1st, 1905, to the credit of the County Treasurer.

ENNIS TWIST.

JAY G. PRAY.

ARCHER G. CRANE.

Your committee, to whom was referred the matter of looking over the accounts of the County Clerk, beg leave to report as follows:

Washtenaw County—in account with Jas. E. Harkins, Clerk—

To recording 1,248 births, deaths and marriages \$ 50.00

To services in divorce cases 21.00

To services in tax cases 261.00

Total \$332.00

Received costs People vs. Fred Heller \$ 10.00

Received for Jury fees 128.00

Received for entry fees 140.00

Total \$370.00

Due Jas. E. Harkins, Clerk \$ 88.00

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors:

Your committee respectfully recommend that the above amount be allowed.

ENNIS TWIST.

JAY G. PRAY.

ARCHER G. CRANE.

Jury fees received from January 1st to September 30th, 1905:

Crawford Clark vs. L. S. & M. S. \$2.00

R. R. \$ 6.00

Holmes vs. Burke \$ 6.00

Schaff Tag & Label Co. vs. Samuel McGonigle \$ 6.00

James Fischer vs. John Burton \$ 6.00

May Bennett vs. Anna Adrien \$ 6.00

Shepard & Co. vs. Henry Thumm \$ 6.00

Gerahy vs. Washtenaw Mutual Ins. Co. \$ 6.00

Snyder & Son vs. Jacob Keck \$ 6.00

Snyder & Son vs. Patton Gibson Co. \$ 6.00

Crownless vs. Trim & McGregory \$ 6.00

McKernan vs. Birmingham \$ 6.00

Howley vs. City of Ann Arbor \$ 6.00

Rogers & Toms vs. Krummel \$ 6.00

Pray & McCormick vs. West \$ 6.00

JANUARY SESSION, 1905.

The Board of Auditors met in the auditors' room in the Court House in the City of Ann Arbor, Washtenaw County, in regular session.

Present—McGregor, Ryan and Bacon.

The board was in session Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, January 3, 4 and 5, 1905. Roll called each day, quorum present.

The following bills were audited, allowed and warrants drawn for the same:

C. R. Houston, indexing discharged mortgages \$21.83

York Twp., contagious diseases 25.00

A. Leddy, repairing shoes 9.30

Dr. E. A. Clark, one quarter's jail salary 18.75

John L. Hunter, attending Probate Court 4.20

Washtenaw Home Telephone Co., toll .20

Washtenaw Home Telephone Co., toll 1.60

Michael Staebler, coal 13.25

Washtenaw Post, printing 17.50

Athens Press, printing 1.50

Ann Arbor Gas Co., gas 5.75

Ypsilanti, printing 5.60

Schumacher & Backus, plumbing at jail 10.95

H. C. Exinger, supplies 1.08

Michigan State Telephone Co., toll 2.19

Schaffner & Millen, blankets for jail 11.65

Richmond & Backus, books 32.40

Washtenaw Power & Light Co., light, jail 32.80

Washtenaw Power & Light Co., light, court house 31.28

Joseph Wickliffe, contagious disease 112.50

J. E. Moore, undertaker 40.00

M. J. Martin, constable 1.05

John C. Fischer, supplies 9.20

Schumacher Hardware Co., supplies 3.85

Ann Arbor Water Co., court house 18.40

Ann Arbor Water Co., jail 15.85

Joseph Gauntlett, sheriff 9.50

Nellie Lowrey, salary 12.50

Charles Awey, probate clerk 3.00

Louis Rohde, wood 9.90

C. E. Trout, express .50

H. R. Patterson, reports 3.00

Charles Braun, county treasurer 25.65

Schumacher Hardware Co., tin boxes 40.30

Supt. Poor, Wayne County, insane 14.50

Dr. C. P. Kapp, services 3.25

Bramen & Draper, supplies 5.21

W. S. Juckett, supplies 29.04

B. F. Watts, coroner 3.00

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Dawson Bros., supplies, jail 3.00

John M. Felner, contagious 28.25

Dr. E. K. Herdman, services 25.00

Dr. F. J. Breakey, services 140.00

University Hospital, care of smallpox patients 165.63

Dr. Chapin, services 24.00

Dr. Cooley, services 15.99

Dr. Beiser, services 18.90

E. P. Warner, milk 2.50

C. E. Ash, services 2.00

F. M. Miller, supplies 16.25

W. H. Whitmarsh, contagious 5.26

Dr. Chapin, services 6.00

C. S. Herkemer, services 3.00

W. P. Schenk & Co., supplies 27.20

W. S. Juckett, supplies 24.24

St. Joseph's Retreat, insane patients 65.00

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Dr. L. Baldwin, services 44.00

Dr. Cooley, services 191.00

Fischer & Fennell, groceries 49.97

Duane Spalsbury, drugs 9.90

W. J. Knapp, supplies 7.50

W. S. Cummings, material 8.35

Mrs. McMahon, clothing destroyed 10.00

Glazier & Stinson, supplies 8.13

W. G. Schenk & Co., supplies 31.66

Elizabeth Garrett, services 37.00

Dr. Kloppenstein, services 43.75

Chelsea Lumber & Produce Co., supplies 15.47

Brooks French, clothing destroyed 17.50

Dr. S. G. Bush, services 19.99

Kantlehner Bros., supplies 13.25

H. J. Brown, drugs, etc 267.10

H. L. Wood, hay 3.41

Richard Towney, contagious 6.00

Dr. J. B. Wallace, services 11.25

George Wahr, milk 4.50

W. S. Juckett, supplies 11.15

E. E. Sanderson, services for insane 4.50

W. S. Juckett, supplies 24.10

George H. Jackson, board of prisoners 27.25

Thomas Ryan, deputy sheriff 58.70

Wm. Gauntlett, deputy sheriff 70.55

Willard R. Fletcher, deputy sheriff 19.30

Zina Buck, deputy sheriff 77.00

Ernest White, constable 11.55

Charles S. Fox, constable 3.15

W. S. Putnam, justice 15.84

Wesley Robinson, justice 6.00

Frank Joslyn, justice 295.70

William G. Doty, justice 130.00

A. E. Gibson, justice 216.00

William Reilly, constable 40.65

Paul Schall, constable 27.30

William Walsh, constable 22.40

Colin Luxton, constable 5.96

William Walsh, constable 1.60

B. F. Watts, coroner 9.65

Andrew Rupe, juror 1.60

John Heinman, juror 1.60

William Rehms, juror 1.60

John O'Mara, juror 1.60

John Scott, witness .85

J. W. Vincent, witness .85

John A. Felch, witness .85

Eugene Heinmann, witness .85

Nicholas Schneider, witness .85

Henry Engelhardt, witness .85

J. M. Goodell, witness .85

Dr. Clark, services 6.00

Titus F. Hutzler, juror 1.60

William Bacon, auditor, salary and mileage 15.84

J. D. Ryan, auditor, salary and mileage 15.00

J. E. McGregor, auditor, salary and mileage 15.60

James Louden, deputy sheriff 34.10

Joseph Gauntlett, sheriff, December board of prisoners 1,019.25

Richmond & Backus Co., record books 33.65

John C. Fischer, supplies 5.70

Dr. Pyle, services 9.00

On motion the board adjourned.

GEORGE H. FISCHER, Chairman.

JAS. E. HARKINS, Clerk.

FEBRUARY SESSION, 1905.

The Board of County Auditors met in regular session in the auditors' room in the Court House in the City of Ann Arbor on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, May 2, 3 and 4, A. D. 1905.

Present—McGregor, Ryan and Bacon.

The following bills were audited, allowed and warrants ordered drawn for the same:

Charles F. Mayer, printing \$ 1.00

Chelsea Standard, printing 15.25

Glenn V. Mills Directory Co., directories 7.50

C. Ryan, decorating jail 125.00

Athens Press, printing 12.75

Athens Press, printing 5.50

Athens Press, printing 14.75

Richmond-Backus Co., Ann Arbor, printing 7.25

Gregory, Mayer & Thom, supplies 21.50

Harvey Stofflet, rubber stamps 8.05

Harvey Stofflet, rubber stamps 1.35

Harvey Stofflet, rubber stamps 8.78

Harvey Stofflet, rubber stamps .60

Ann Arbor Gas Co., court house 5.30

Ann Arbor Times, printing 14.75

Charles F. Mayer, printing 12.00

Frank Leach, deputy sheriff 3.74

Deputy Fuller, deputy sheriff 3.60

Miller & Pray, supplies 5.85

Otto Rohn, deputy game warden 7.95

Sheehan & Co., supplies 3.09

Richmond & Backus, printing 6.25

Schumacher & Backus, plumbing 18.73

A. McColligan, contagious 5.99

S. W. Burchfield, coroner 5.00

Trim & McGregor, safe for jail 50.00

Freeman Bros., supplies 5.05

Bailey & Edmunds, repairing locks 3.85

Martin M. Schuller, supplies 2.45

Sheehan & Co., supplies 1.90

Dr. Thomas S. Burr, consultation 10.00

Wadhams, Ryan & Reule, clothing 12.95

H. J. Brown, drugs 3.00

Mack & Co., contagious 9.29

Athens Press, printing 5.75

Duane Spalsbury, drugs 40.50

Chas. King & Co., groceries 24.55

Dr. W. F. Breakey, services 10.00

Dr. Ellen G. Murray, services 39.00

H. Fahrlid, meat 4.65

Duane Spalsbury, drugs 8.60

George W. Hayes, supplies 11.68

E. R. Trout, labor 7.00

George Wahr, stationery 24.58

Frank T. Newton, record 4.50

John W. Loveland, supplies 6.30

G. V. Schoenrich, supplies 14.32

John Dietrich, goods burned 30.70

Holmes & Walker, supplies 2.85

Michigan State Telephone Co., toll 5.25

Michigan State Telephone Co., rental 36.90

S. W. Burchfield, coroner 6.20

William Herz, lettering boxes