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CHELSEA SAVINGS BANK,

CHELSEA, MICHIGAN.

Oldest and Strongest Bank in Western Wash-
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Capital and Surplus, - \$106,000.00

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Deposits in the Savings Department draw three per
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Fire and Burglar Proof.

We Solicit Your Banking Business.

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We are not in the retail trust. Our
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WE ARE SELLING:

All Silver Plated hollow ware 1-4 off regular price.
Roger Bros., 1847 knives and forks at \$3.25 per dozen.
Nickel Alarm Clocks, warranted to keep correct time, 55c each.
100 piece Decorated Dinner Sets, the \$8.00 kind at \$5.98 set.
Drinking Glasses, the 40c kind, dozen 20c.
White Porcelain Cups and Saucers, large size, dozen, 75c.
The best center draft Nickel Reading Lamp made, \$1.15 each.
Men's Gold Filled Watches \$9.00. All watches sold by us are guar-
anteed to be just as represented. We pay your money back if you
find them different.
Boys' Watches, stem wind, stem set, warranted to keep correct time, at
\$1.00 each.

BANK DRUG STORE BLEND roast coffee, a
30c value at 23c. Try it.

20 pounds best Granulated Sugar for \$1.00.
4 1/2 pounds Crackers for 25c.
10 pounds Rolled Oats for 25c.
Yeast Foam, package, 3c.
Seeded Raisins, package, 10c.
24c New Orleans Molasses 19c.

To Buyers of Christmas Gifts

Our special effort this season in the direction of Original Novelties and
New Features has met with most gratifying success, and we shall deem it
a privilege to show you a very extensive assortment of Holiday Goods that
are pleasing and appropriate.

WE INVITE YOUR ATTENTION TO THE LATEST AND BEST.

Throughout our stock are many desirable gifts from the finest to the
most inexpensive, yet all grades THE BEST OF THEIR KIND. Remember
this, we represent all things AS THEY ARE and regulate the price by
the TRUE VALUE OF THE ARTICLE.

We have the Newest and Choicest in Pleasing Variety that Insures
an easy Selection of Appropriate Gifts for Young and Old.

We feel confident that the most critical examination of our complete
and very appropriate lines of desirable Holiday Goods will convince you
they are not equalled elsewhere in merit or in price.

Look Through our Beautiful Stock and You Will be Pleased.

Bank Drug Store.

RAILROAD TAX CASES.

AD VALOREM TAX LAW INVOLVED.

Unless Advanced on Calendar Cases May
Not Be Reached for a Year--Early Hear-
ing Desired.

Attorney-General Bird left for Wash-
ington Sunday morning to present to
the United States supreme court a mo-
tion for the advancement of the rail-
road tax cases on the calendar so that
they may be heard if possible during
the winter.

Before leaving, the attorney-general
stated that if these cases are permitted
to take their course, it will probably not
be possible for them to be submitted
within a year, and it is understood the
railroad companies are as anxious as the
state that the hearing take place as soon
as possible.

Twenty-seven of the railroad com-
panies of the state refused to pay taxes
under the law providing for ad valorem
taxation of their properties, passed by
the legislature in accordance with an
amendment to the state constitution.

In connection with the refusal of the
companies to comply with the new law,
an injunction was secured restraining
the state from proceeding to collect the
taxes, and the long legal battle was com-
menced.

In the meantime the state has been
deprived of the revenues which the new
law would yield.

Months were spent in preparation for
the trial of the case, which finally took
place in the United States court at
Grand Rapids before Judge Wandy.
Several months also elapsed before a
decision was rendered.

The state was successful as against
all the railroads except the Detroit,
Grand Haven & Milwaukee, in which
case it was held that the state was still
bound by the act of 1855 fixing a limit
of taxation for this road. The state
has appealed from this decision, and the
other railroads, principally the Mich-
igan Central, have appealed the remain-
ing cases.

The act providing for ad valorem tax-
ation was passed at the session of the
legislature of 1901. Four years have
elapsed and the railroads are still pay-
ing taxes under the old law.

Under the new law the railroads of
the state for the year 1902 would have
been required to pay \$74,898.04 in
taxes, but instead, by paying under the
provisions of the old law, the sum of
\$203,446.30 has been paid. The differ-
ence between the amount which the
state claims the railroads should have
paid and the amount actually paid, is
\$481,451.74 for the year 1902 alone.

The attorney-general, in a brief to be
presented to the federal supreme court
in support of his motion to advance the
cases on the calendar, will set up the
facts herein stated, and will also repre-
sent that the revenues of the state from
the railroad corporations have been
greatly impaired, and that it is espe-
cially important to the state of Michigan
that the questions at issue be deter-
mined at as early a date as possible.

PARDON ONLY RELIEF.

Washtenaw County Man May Have to
Serve Twelve Years for Theft of Thir-
teen Chickens.

According to the prison authorities,
under a supreme court decision Charles
Highbanks may be obliged to serve until
1916 for stealing thirteen chickens, al-
though Judge Kinne sentenced him for a
much lighter term.

Highbanks was convicted on March
17, 1904, and Judge Kinne imposed a
minimum of one year and a maximum of
two years. Judge Kinne has received a
letter from Highbanks stating that the
prison authorities have notified him
that, under the recent supreme court
decision regarding the indeterminate-
sentence law, his term will not expire
until November 17, 1916. Highbanks is
frantic and Judge Kinne is indignant
that the man should be compelled to
serve over ten years for his light
offense.

The only hope for Highbanks is that
the pardon board will get busy with his
case.

BETTER CAR SERVICE.

The Ypsilanti Making More Improve-
ments to Keep Tracks and Trolley
Clear of Ice.

The D. Y. A. A. & J. are making an
improvement in their line which will be
much appreciated. This is the instal-
lation of a device known as the Root
railway spring cutter, which will keep
the tracks clear of snow and ice dur-
ing the winter and in this way better
the service.

The scraper is adjusted to the car
just back of the fender and not only
cuts the sleet and ice from the track,
but also cuts down the snow from be-
tween the tracks keeping it clear all
the time.

Last winter one of the severest dif-
ficulties in keeping the road open dur-
ing the heavy snows and sleet storms
was caused by the accumulation of
snow between the tracks. This when

packed and frozen became unmanage-
able and often by striking the motors
under the car raised the car so that the
wheels did not strike the track, thus
cutting off the current.

To avoid the other great cause of
delayed service, the sleet on the trol-
ley wire, every car will be equipped
with a sleet cutter, which is simply a
trolley pole and hasp, without the
wheel. This has proved most satis-
factory in the past, and with these ad-
vantages it is expected that the serv-
ice will be the best ever put out by the
road.—Ypsilanti Daily Press.

THE TRAVELING LIBRARIES.

County School Commissioner Foster is
Making an Effort to Have Rural School
Officers use the Books.

At the office of County School Com-
missioner Foster, in Ann Arbor, an effort
is being made to induce the district
schools of the county to avail themselves
to a greater extent of the so-called
"traveling libraries" and "registered
libraries," sent out from Lansing
for the use of rural communities and
small villages. The traveling libraries,
as their name indicates, are shifted
about the state through the rural com-
munities and the registered library plan
is one whereby the state loans collec-
tions of 100 books to form the nucleus
of a new library or to strengthen small
County School Commissioner Foster
urges school directors and teachers of
the county to insist upon the use of the
library funds for the purchase of books,
and to enter into the work of library or-
ganization.

DANGER IN PHILIPPINES.

Climatic Peculiarity Which in Some
Instances Has Caused
Fatalities.

Maj. Woodruff, who was stationed
in the Philippines, tells of the sense
of exhilaration which pervades the
American for a few months after his
arrival in the islands. "The climate
is not so bad, after all," they say, as
they think of their increased muscular
vigor and mental activity. Under these
conditions, he says, men are apt to
overdo and become exhausted sooner
than they otherwise would. He refers
says the New York Tribune, to sev-
eral letters which had been written
by men newly arrived in the Philip-
pines, containing glowing accounts of
the climate. They afterward collapsed
and died. This preliminary stimulation
gives a false impression, and leads
many to expose themselves unduly and
advise weak persons who should not
do so to come to the tropics.

Maj. Woodruff adds that it was a
matter of observation that when of-
ficers and soldiers enjoyed their serv-
ice and remained well or improved in
health it was generally found that they
were strongly brunette, while many of
those who broke down were blonds.

Maj. Woodruff does not anticipate
that any dark-skinned race will ever
overtop the blond races in mental
capacity and civilization. Developed in
the cold climate of northwestern Eu-
rope, he considers them the survival
of the fittest. To their struggle with
the problems of their habitat he as-
cribes a brain development which can-
not be attained by any dark-
skinned race living further south. But
unless they heed the warning that they
are out of their sphere in the United
States, take the subject of light into
consideration, and study how to pro-
tect themselves from the injurious
bombardment of the short ether waves,
they will meet the fate of the blond
race, who, Maj. Woodruff shows, in-
vaded Greece in pre-Homeric times,
and gave that country its literary, ar-
tistic and military reputation. In
this country, he declares, they were
out of their latitude.

India's Government.

How great is the task of governing
India may be gathered from the deter-
mination recently reached to create a
new lieutenant governorship, to be
known as that of Eastern Bengal, and
to have a legislative council with juris-
diction over 38,000,000 people. The na-
tives oppose the change, says Youth's
Companion, because they dislike the
thought of dividing the old presidency
and reducing the importance of Cal-
cutta in favor of Dacca, the new capi-
tal. But Bengal now contains 75,000,
000 people, and the administrative
work has outgrown the powers of any
one man.

Filipino Girl Student.

Miss Honoria Acosta, of the Philip-
pines, who was graduated recently
from the Drexel Institute, was one of
the first of the group of girls brought
to this country for education. She is
to enter a Philadelphia medical college
this fall.

"I Thank the Lord"

Cried Hannah Plant, of Little Rock,
Ark., "for the relief I got from Buck-
len's Arnica Salve. It cured my fearful
running sores, which nothing else would
heal, and from which I have suffered
for 5 years." It is a marvelous healer
for cuts, burns and wounds. Guar-
anteed at the Bank Drug Store; 25c.

Hives, eczema, itch or salt rheum sets
you crazy. Can't bear the touch of
your clothing. Doan's Ointment cures
the most obstinate cases. Why suffer.
All druggists sell it.

PRESERVE STATE FORESTS

ACTIVE MEASURES PLANNED.

Michigan Forestry Association Hope to
Secure 5,000 New Members to Aid in
the Work.

Preservation of Michigan forests ap-
pears to be no idle dream. Practical
men have taken hold of the subject
and propose to save the remnants which
have been overlooked by lumbermen.
Even the lumbermen have begun to take
an interest in this question with the view
of leaving to their children's children
trees to cut.

Last Saturday afternoon the commit-
tee for Wayne County, appointed by the
Michigan Forestry, held a meeting in
Detroit, with the object of increasing
the membership and otherwise further-
ing the object of the association.

December 12 officers and directors
will meet at Grand Rapids at the same
time that the state grange gets together.
George W. Horton, master of the state
grange, is also a director in the Forestry
association.

The association was organized last
August with a membership of 390. It is
proposed to increase this membership to
5,000.

A COMPLICATED MACHINE.

When a Man Gets an Automobile on
His Hands He Likewise
Gets Busy.

Purchasers of automobiles cannot, as
a rule, get their vehicles into commis-
sion too soon. Yet the Hartford Cour-
ant tells of a man who bought a steam
car early last winter and in July had
yet to take his first ride. Meanwhile,
however, Mr. Blank, the owner of the
car, had been busy. He has been fit-
ting his automobile with extra appli-
ances and having heaps of fun in put-
ting them on for himself.

When the reporter inspected this be-
decorated vehicle, the new attachments
included six lamps of various kinds, a
clock, a barometer, a thermometer, a
grade indicator, an odometer, a speed
indicator, a huge horn known as a
"dragon," an electric bell, a steam
whistle, an "eradiator" for getting rid
of small boys and a few other things.

The lamps include electric lights for
illuminating the tonneau and the vari-
ous gauges and indicators on the dash.
These lamps are supplied with current
by storage batteries under the seats.
Switches are located in a box on the
left side of the dash.

The device Mr. Blank calls his "er-
adiator" consists of a steam jet placed
out of sight in the rear. When a small
boy "hooks on" in the rear, he uncon-
sciously informs the driver of his pres-
ence by ringing a small electric bell.
Thereupon the driver presses a plung-
er and shoots a jet of steam in the
direction of the intruder's legs, not to
harm him, but to make him jump.

Another novelty is a fan belt indi-
cator, which tells at a glance whether
the fan is running, or whether the belt
is broken or become slack.

Mr. Blank has spent about \$800 in
putting all these attachments on his
machine, and he thinks there may
still be things he has missed.

MRS. HORACE F. LAMBERT.

Mabel Buchanan, daughter of Mrs.
Luella Buchanan, of Sylvan, was born in
Lima township, 25 years ago and died
at the home of her friends in Reno,
Nevada, Friday, November 17, 1905, of
pneumonia, after an illness of five days,
during which time everything possible
was done for her that was within the
human power but to no avail.

Mrs. Lambert was united in marriage
some four years ago to her husband,
who is a ranch owner and their home
has been in the vicinity of Reno where
her death took place. She is survived
by her mother and two sisters who have
the sympathy of a host of friends in
their bereavement.

The remains of the deceased reached
Chelsea last Friday morning, and the
funeral was held from the Chelsea M. E.
church Sunday afternoon and was at-
tended by a large number of the asso-
ciates and friends of the deceased.
Rev. Joseph Ryerson officiating. Inter-
ment Oak Grove cemetery.

TIME TO QUIT.

When you can't play pedro without
getting mad, it is time you quit; when
you can't go to church without going to
sleep, it is time you quit; when you can't
take a drink without getting drunk, it
is time you quit; when you can't dicker
with a friend without stealing or tell-
ing a falsehood, it is time you quit; if
you can't belong to a church without
loving the minister, it is time you quit;
if you can't chew tobacco without spit-
ting all over the sidewalk, it is time you
quit; if you can't live any longer with-
out drawing your breath, it is time you
quit.—"Bill Peck," in the Fowlerville
Standard.

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.
At the Bank Drug Store.

Closing Out Sale.

LADIES' SUITS

From one-fourth to one-third
off Regular Prices.

Every Ladies' Suit in the house included.
\$12.00 suits; \$15.00 suits; \$20.00 suits
and \$24.00 suits marked down to

\$5.00.

Another lot regular \$7.50, \$9.00 and
\$10.00 suits marked down to

\$3.50

We want you to see these garments and
be your own judge as to the value.

W. P. SCHENK & COMPANY

Eatables That Are Delicious

Every train brings us something new.
Something that will appeal to you.

TEST OUR PRICES BY COMPARISON OF GOODS

Fancy California oranges, sweet and juicy,
per dozen, 30 and 40c.

Imported figs, large, plump and juicy, per
pound, 15 and 20c.

Fancy mixed nuts, new crop, per pound 15c.

New Persian dates, per pound, 10c.

Heinz's new dill pickles, per dozen, 10c.

Florida oranges, bright or russets, per dozen, 25c

Corn, tender and creamy, no cob, per can, 15c

New citron, lemon and orange peel, per
pound 25c.

Best seeded raisins, per pound, 10c.

Large, plump prunes, 3 pounds, 25c

Fancy Malaga grapes, per pound 20c

Creamy chocolate creams, per pound, 20c

The finest coffees that grows, per pound, 15c,
20c, 25c and 38c.

Hothouse lettuce, Hubbard squash, white and
yellow turnips, sweet potatoes and crisp celery
always the best at

FREEMAN BROS.

THE CHELSEA STANDARD.

G. C. STIMSON, PUBL.

CHELSEA, MICHIGAN

The corn husking liar is up against a crop of nearly 2,800,000,000 bushels this year.

The latest fashion decree provides for pockets in women's dresses. They will never agree.

Washington is to have a woman's hotel—with an electric hair curler, of course, in every room.

Every good citizen is opposed to bossism, but very few of them have the nerve to tell wifey so.

It would seem cruel to kill a scorching chauffeur without giving him a few moments' time to repent.

Mistakes are banana peels on life's highway. They give you a tumble, but you must get up and toddle on.

The French cabinet falls to pieces so often anybody would think it had been bought on the installment plan.

A Detroit man has erected a monument to Satan. Why didn't he build it in New York, where Satan could see it?

Caruso, the tenor, objects to hotels, preferring to live alone. An inheritance from his celebrated ancestor, Robinson?

Take this one home and try it on your guesser: How cold must it be to be twice as cold as two degrees above zero?

France is to be congratulated on abandoning the habit of having crises every time the parliament makes a face at the ministry.

As to some of the gimcrackeries brought to this country from Europe, it is patently absurd that they should pay duty as "works of art."

Motoring, it is said, eliminates indigestion. For the man who happens to get in the way it often eliminates all other known maladies, also.

The experience of Labrador exploring parties shows that lovers of adventure don't have to go up to the Arctic regions to lose their lives.

Every other day or so now a Russian mob breaks into a vodka shop and proceeds to give the world an object lesson in the cause of temperance.

Eighteen soldiers at a Kentucky fort deserted when ordered to another state. There is no gainsaying that Kentucky girls are handsome.—Rochester Post-Express.

While out hunting with King Alfonso, Emperor William shot twenty-three boars, as against the king's twenty-nine. It wasn't a very good day for boars, either.

The Japanese government has decided to issue a new foreign loan of \$250,000,000 at 4 per cent. War is what Gen. Sherman said it was, for those who have to pay the cost.

One-third of the Dominican navy is now at the Norfolk navy yard for repairs. It consists of the 600-ton gunboat Presidente, which hasn't been overhauled before for seven years.

Operas are now given as sacred concerts in New York on Sundays. They are so old-fashioned in that town that they consider it necessary when they break the laws to do it under cover.

A play is to be brought out in New York with John D. Rockefeller and Ida M. Tarbell as two of the principal characters. Let us hope, in the interests of propriety, that there may be no wig pulling.

New Jersey boasts of a man 72 years old who can neither read nor write and has seen only one locomotive, and that at a distance of half a mile. Only "think of boasting of a man like that!"

King Alfonso killed forty-one wild pigs while he was out hunting with the kaiser. This doesn't mean necessarily that he would be willing to help our Yankee farmers with their pig killing if he should come over here.

The amount of letter writing that is done daily in New York is illustrated by the fact that 235,000 letters on an average are collected there every day between 4:30 and 7:30 p. m. And they aren't all love letters, either.

In order to prove that the eternal feminine does not change with the procession of the centuries, it is only necessary to point out the fact that every time a woman becomes a great genius she marries a millionaire.

Walter Vaughan Morgan, the new Lord Mayor of London, being a bachelor, has selected his niece, Mrs. Hornby Steer, to be the lady mayoress. In the absence of particulars, we are inclined to suppose that Mrs. Steer is from Texas.

There have been 155 accidents among mountain climbers in the Alps this year, of which sixty-five were fatal. Lazy people have never been able to understand why mountain climbers should be willing thus to risk their lives.

MICHIGAN HAPPENINGS

FORMER PORT HURON GIRL ELOPES WITH A CHAUFFEUR.

SECRETARY GARFIELD GIVES BENTON HARBOR MAN A FAT JOB.

A story coming from Los Angeles, Cal., that Miss Ellen A. Botsford, a former Port Huron society girl, daughter of William F. Botsford, millionaire president of the Los Angeles American National bank, had eloped with Albert P. Fransen, her father's chauffeur, has created a sensation in this city.

Miss Botsford disappeared from her home and was married to Fransen by a justice of the peace. The young woman's father is unable to obtain trace of her and her husband, but he believes that they have gone to Colorado, where Fransen owns a ranch.

It is said that Botsford may try to have the marriage annulled on the ground that his daughter wasn't mentally competent to select a husband.

Names Michigan Man.

Edmund J. Bard, of Benton Harbor, formerly auditor of the Milwaukee, Benton Harbor & Columbus railway, has been appointed assistant inspector of the department of commerce and labor by Secretary Garfield, and began his duties Tuesday.

His first work will be in connection with the best trust investigation in Chicago. The appointment carries with it a salary of \$3,000 per year and \$4 per day for expenses. The position was secured without political pull, because of the ability of Mr. Bard.

For Horticulturists.

Director C. D. Smith announces the winter course in horticulture at the M. A. C., at Lansing, which was attended last year by 130 persons. The course is short, practical and inexpensive, designed for those who desire a training for successful fruit growing, gardening, or greenhouse work. It begins January 3 and continues to February 23.

There are no entrance examinations; anyone having a common school education can take this course with profit. Any man or woman over 16 years is admitted. The necessary expenses, except railroad fare, are about \$45.

Kills Ring-Tail Cat.

A ring-tail cat, an animal decidedly rare in northern Michigan, has been caught by Herman Thiele, a Negaunee man. It was the first specimen ever captured by either Mr. Thiele or his father, and together they have been engaged in trapping for 45 years. The animal has fine, silky gray fur. The most striking characteristic is a series of black rings around the bushy tail. In this appendage it differs radically from the ordinary wildcat, which has a bob-tail.

Three Killed at the "Soo."

Three persons lost their lives in the wreck on the "Soo" railroad Sunday. While a southbound extra freight was taking coal, another extra crashed into the rear of the train, the engine of the second train demolishing the caboose, killing the conductor, George W. Smiley, Mrs. Smiley and their infant daughter, aged 2 years. Mabel Smiley, another daughter, aged 14 years, was probably fatally injured.

Ellen Glenn Sentenced.

Ellen Glenn, the woman with the mysterious past, who swindled Stephen A. Lockwood, a Lapeer merchant, out of \$500 by means of fraudulent deed and abstract in a land deal, was sentenced by Judge Dods to from one to ten years in the Detroit house of correction. Judge Dods recommended that the maximum be three years.

Reward for Assassin.

William S. Winegar, of Grand Rapids, heads a subscription list of \$500 already raised, as a reward for the capture of the murderer of Josephine Oom, and the council has adopted a resolution urging the sheriff to hang up a reward of \$500. The Grand Rapids Herald also offers a reward of \$200.

Two Tots Cremated.

Mrs. Dell Wright, of Lake township, near Baldwin, locked her two children in the house while she went to visit a neighbor. The house caught fire and both children perished. They were aged 3 and 5 respectively.

Three Years in Prison.

Obert Love, who recently attacked his wife on the street at Jackson and gashed her throat and later made a bluff at suicide by laying down on the railroad tracks, was sent to Jackson prison for three years. His wife is recovering.

"All work and no play makes Jack a dull boy," but all play and no work generally makes him a grand rascal.

Ten industries in the state employing 172,942 men, have invested capital of \$125,882,000, and the product annually is \$167,629,000, says Labor Commissioner McLeod. The industries are carriage and wagon factories, chemical plants, flour and grist mills, foundries and machine shops, furniture factories, tanneries, planing and saw mills, printing and publishing houses and tobacco and cigar factories.

While working in the saw mill of the Amy Lumber Co. at Pontiac Gus Bagley was struck in the abdomen by a flying timber with the result that his bowels are paralyzed and it is feared that the accident will prove fatal. Bagley is 20 years of age.

Miss Mabel Cook and Mrs. Harvey Brigham, of Traverse City, are twins, and when Miss Cook and Gordon Brigham appeared before a minister to be married, with Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Brigham as best man and matron of honor, the preacher came very near getting the sisters mixed in the ceremony.

MICHIGAN ITEMS.

Souvenir vandals stole the flowers from the grave of Josie Oom at Grand Rapids.

Robert Willis, Marlette, banker, was stricken with paralysis in his office. His condition is serious.

Frank Tuttle, prominent farmer of Dowagiac, cut his throat because his wife left him. He may recover.

Wells G. Brown, deputy state land commissioner, is suffering from an attack of appendicitis at Lansing.

The Detroit & Mackinac is said to be planning to extend the southern terminal from Bay City to Port Huron.

Mrs. Anna Daniels, of Twining, was taken to Standish by Sheriff Wademan on a charge of illegally practicing medicine.

While burning leaves Mrs. Wm. Burrell, of Denton, was fatally burned, her clothing being entirely burned from her body.

The King's Daughters are making preparations for their annual charity fair to be held in Princess rink at Northville Dec. 7 and 8.

Merchants of Tekonsha have signed an agreement to close their stores at 8 o'clock, having heretofore kept open until 11 and even 12 o'clock.

The Detroit-Bay City Electric Co. has received several steel cars and a locomotive, and a full outfit of track-laying tools. About 10 miles of road have been graded.

Mrs. Philip Elliott, of Lansing, will not mix stove polish with gasoline again. The explosion from her first experience burned her hands and arms severely.

On orders of Mayor Parkill, Owosso, was a "dry" town on Sunday, and every slot machine was hidden away. It is said the "lid" is on for an indefinite time.

Ludington lifesavers found the body of Gus Johnson, known as "Hobo Gus," who disappeared on Sunday. He was drowned in Pere Marquette lake. His friends say "foul play."

A grocer in Benton Harbor put gasoline in Mrs. W. Hogue's kerosene can. Mrs. Hogue was carrying a lamp filled with the stuff when it exploded and she was badly burned about the head.

K. B. Dutcher, of Fennville, a cadet at Orchard Lake academy, fell head long from the D. U. R. trestle over the Grand Trunk tracks—40 feet—landed on his feet and broke his ankle in two places.

Dr. Nancrede, of Ann Arbor, and Dr. McArthur, of Chicago, assisted by local physicians, performed a successful operation for appendicitis upon Julius T. Harrah, president of the Traverse City State bank.

Bloodhounds will be used to track the men at St. Joseph who cut out the tongues of a team of horses belonging to Bert Talbot, of Twin Springs. There is even talk of lynching if the fellows are captured.

A pet coon which had been kept chained in the kitchen broke loose and in some way turned on the cock in the gas range, which nearly resulted in the asphyxiation of Mr. and Mrs. Reid Lyman, of Jackson.

John Heininger, of Ann Arbor, Superior township farmer, defied the authorities to compel him to send his children to school. He was sent to jail and soon changed his mind. He was let off with a fine of \$14.

The U. of M. regents turned down the proposition for the city to build an \$8,000 contagious disease hospital on the university grounds. The city had voted the money expecting the university to maintain the institution.

John T. McCurdy, of Owosso, who was special counsel to the board of supervisors, says that the action of the board in spending \$60,000 more on the new Shawasssee court house than was authorized was against his advice.

Gov. Warner has personally informed Judge Norman W. Halre, general manager for the Bigelow group of mines, of his appointment as a member of the board of control of the Michigan College of Mines.

The contract for the completion of the Lake Huron-Black river canal at Port Huron has been let to Graves & Stevens, of Indianapolis. The contract price is \$75,000, and 20 months is given for the completion of the work.

Mrs. Carl Brower, aged 50, of Traverse City, who shot herself recently taking carbolic acid, died from blood poisoning from the bullet wound.

A. M. Todd, manufacturer of peppermint oil at Kalamazoo, has been named representative of the chemists' board of the middle west to the international congress of applied chemistry, which will be held in Rome next April.

Ralph Baugh became enraged at the poorhouse at St. Clair because Munroe Burris, another inmate, would not get up at 3 a. m. and get him a drink of water. He attacked and seriously injured Burris, who has had him arrested.

Miss Mary Louise McFarlan, of Flint, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander McFarlan, was married to John Westervelt Ackley, a New York business man. The ceremony, which was a society event, was performed in the First Presbyterian church.

The village fathers of Wayne went to council meeting with lanterns to light their way because the lighting company has no cash to buy carbide for its acetylene plant, the village not having paid its bill. Elbert English, aged 20, fell against a post in the darkness, breaking his collarbone.

Business men's committees at Port Huron are endeavoring to raise \$25,000 for a Y. M. C. A. building. The lease of the present quarters expires next month, and cannot be renewed because a saloonkeeper on the ground floor says the boys are so noisy they injure his business.

Edward C. Hillman, of Battle Creek, will accept the office of member of the state board of education recently tendered him by Gov. Warner.

Representatives of Detroit M. E. conference were looking over the Summerville hotel property at St. Clair with an idea of purchasing it for an old people's home.

SULTAN'S THREAT

REFUSES ABSOLUTELY TO ACCEDE TO DEMANDS OF THE POWERS.

GERMANY IS BLAMED FOR STIFFENING OF THE SULTAN'S BACKBONE.

Turkey's note, replying unfavorably to the ultimatum of the powers on the Macedonian situation, contains a warning that the action of the powers in resorting to a naval demonstration may precipitate an internal uprising of Mussulmans against the Christian population of Turkey.

This is considered a threat, as it is known that no demonstration of Mussulmans against Christians can occur unless the latter acquiesce in the Turkish authorities.

The sultan regards the present demands of the powers as a direct infringement of his sovereignty—in effect, notice to quit Europe. Thanks chiefly to Armenian massacres and his victory over the Greeks, he has gained control over all Islam.

The wonderful renaissance of pan-Islamism has for its object a holy war against infidels, and the mass of its followers believe that this is in hand. Abdul Hamid, as the head of this immense force, cannot yield a fraction more of his sovereignty without resistance and without summoning all of his faith to his assistance.

This then is the appalling danger which the powers will incur if they resort to force in imposing their demands. A holy war would bleed Great Britain in India and Egypt and France in Algeria and Morocco, besides bringing about a wholesale massacre of Christians in Constantinople, which has so long been threatened.

The answer of the porte as a whole is entirely unsatisfactory, since it does not respond to the demand for the extension of the authority of the financial agents of the powers for two years, and is evasive upon the question of the general control by the powers of the financial affairs of Macedonia.

All the ministers except the minister of war favored yielding to the ultimatum, but palace influences led the sultan to overrule the favorable attitude of the porte. These influences are regarded as the outgrowth of Germany's abstaining from taking an active part in the naval demonstration. The Turkish reply gives a serious turn to the negotiations.

What Powers Demand.

1. That special Austrian and Prussian agents should be appointed to direct attention to the needs of the Christian population of Macedonia.

2. Reorganization of administrative and judicial institutions, making them of Macedonia under European officers.

3. Regrouping of administrative districts by nationalities.

4. Reorganization of administrative and judicial institutions, making them of Macedonia under European officers.

5. Mixed commission of Christians and Mohammedans to investigate political and other crimes.

6. Provision by the Turkish government for the support of destitute Christians rebuilding of houses, churches and schools destroyed by Turkish soldiers.

7. The exemption from taxation for one year of all Christian villages burned by Turkish soldiers and afterward rebuilt.

8. Complete reform in the financial administration and collection of taxes in Macedonia.

9. The disbandment of the bashi bazouks.

37,642 Russians Killed.

Col. John Van R. Hoff, medical department, U. S. A., who has recently returned from the Russian army in Manchuria, with which he went through part of the campaign in the war against Japan, has been authorized by the chief of staff to give out excerpts of his official report.

According to Col. Hoff the number of killed and dead of wounds was 37,642 men, and the number of men dead from disease 18,330. These statistics are exclusive of casualties at Port Arthur and show almost exactly two men dead from results of battle to one man dead from sickness. This record is, according to statistics, the best made in any war up to the present time.

Men Flee From Fiery Death.

The most terrible fire that has occurred in Glasgow for years broke out Sunday in a cheap lodging house for men in Vaucluse street, and resulted in the loss of 39 lives and the severe injury of many others.

Compelling the cashier and a man and woman patron of the bank to stand fast to the wall with hands up, two robbers got away Tuesday with \$2,000 from the South Denver bank, in Denver, Col.

Mme. Christopher Hauge, wife of the newly appointed minister from Norway, astonished Washington society when she appeared among the fashionable throng at the Simms-Hitchcock wedding garbed in her riding habit. Rarely have so many gorgeous costumes been seen at any social function in Washington.

A successful experiment was made in Philadelphia Thursday with an electric car designed as a substitute for a locomotive to be used in prospecting new roads and spur lines. The electric car is equipped with an 80-horse power gasoline engine to generate electricity which is fed into a storage battery from which it is drawn to operate a motor that runs the car.

In his annual report, Gen. Wm. Crozier, U. S. A., chief of ordnance, says that at the suggestion of the president further consideration by the general staff resulted in the substitution of a knife for a rod bayonet for the army rifle.

Secretary William H. Taft, addressing the annual banquet of the Commercial club in Kansas City, said: "The Philippine Islands must be ours for more than a generation and probably those called on to act as legislators will not live to see the day of separation consistent with the welfare of the Philippines can be made."

CONDENSED NEWS.

Gov. elect Patterson's official plurality in Ohio is 42,647.

Russia's Jews are flocking from Odessa to Palestine.

Thieves who love antiquity stole \$50,000 worth of jewels and heirlooms from Pratt institute in Brooklyn.

Richard McCurdy's salary as president of the Mutual Life Insurance Co. has been cut from \$150,000 to \$75,000.

To save the buffalo, fast becoming extinct, prominent naturalists in New York have organized the American Bison society.

The "Oriental Limited," a new transcontinental train of the Great Northern, started its maiden trip west from St. Paul Sunday.

Dr. A. D. Melvin, of Illinois, has been appointed chief of the bureau of animal industry at Washington to succeed Dr. Salmon, resigned.

Gov. W. L. Douglas of Massachusetts will be a Democratic candidate for congress, unless the tariff on hides is removed at this winter's session.

More than 200 actors and clergymen attended the Manhattan theater in New York Sunday to participate in services in memory of the late Sir Henry Irving.

Finding a burglar in her apartments, Miss Maud Rees, employed by the Union Traction Co. of Chicago, was shot and killed by the man, who escaped.

A lunatic has just received \$9,348 back pension, the largest claim Commissioner Warner has ever settled. The old soldier contracted insanity in the army.

King Carlos of Portugal is having a "hoor" of a time in Paris. State dinners, gala performances at the opera, a military review, a hunt and champagne suppers galore.

Tuttleheim Bros. & Faggin Co., Philadelphia shirtmakers, have conceded higher pay and piecework to the 800 men and 600 girls employed, and their strike is off.

President Roosevelt is great, but costly. For his inauguration \$145,491 was spent, more than was ever before spent. It took \$17,990 to decorate the pension building for the inaugural ball.

Dave Sims, the negro who shot and killed R. F. (Deacon) Jones at his home one mile from Baugh station, near Coahoma, Miss., Sunday night, was lynched by an armed mob at the scene of his crime.

Alonzo J. Whitman and Joseph Boothman, convicted of swindling the Fidelity Trust Co. of Buffalo, must serve their sentences of eight and five years, respectively, is the decision of a court of appeals.

Morris Koffman, a Cleveland cigarette manufacturer, says cigarettes drove his son, Lewis, mad. The young man has been adjudged insane. The father says young Koffman smoked 100 cigarettes a day.

The municipal council of the Isle of Pines has denied that the island is deficient in proper courts, schools, etc., and insists the government has done more for the island now than the small revenue warrants.

Gen. Brugere, commander of the French army, sentenced to 15 days' imprisonment for talking to a reporter, attended the marriage of his daughter Wednesday, and will now have to undergo his desperate ordeal.

David F. Rowe, of Philadelphia, a paralytic, upbraided his son-in-law for abusing Rowe's daughter, whereupon the son-in-law shot and badly wounded the older man, fled from the house and shot himself to death.

The legion of honor has been bestowed upon Lieut.-Gen. Adna R. Chaffee by the French government, whose acceptance of it, owing to a prohibition of the Constitution of the United States, will depend upon an act of congress.

Rev. Dr. Parkhurst, of New York, told his congregation Sunday that he believed in damnation. "The apparent cruelties attributed to God," he said, "are not a circumstance to the cruelties in nature. Natural laws pay no more attention to man than to a dog."

Kenyon College, at Mount Vernon, O., where Stewart L. Pierson was killed by a train while undergoing an initiation, will mandamus the coroner to get possession of testimony taken at the inquest. The coroner says the testimony must first go to the grand jury.

Whether it was the ruling passion or a mere coincidence must forever be a matter of conjecture. At the opening of the Louisville, Ky., free library for colored people, Willis Thomas appeared, and the counter to get the first book. "I want something on chicken cholera," he said.

Patrick Raymond, aged 18, was arrested Wednesday in Lincoln, Neb., while lighting a cigarette which he had just rolled for his own use in the presence of a city detective. He was fined \$50 and costs. This is the lightest penalty prescribed by the law for "manufacturing" cigarettes.

The grievance committee in the A. F. of L. convention in Pittsburgh protesting against the practice of labor councils getting out a "souvenir book" program for Labor day event, "Graft" was the forceful term employed in condemnation. Delegates from the smaller towns argued in favor of the books.

E. H. Wright, general freight and passenger agent and auditor of the Copper Range railroad, has resigned and is succeeded by F. R. Bolles, of Milwaukee, division freight and passenger agent of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul road, as general freight and passenger agent, and by Wallace Tedford as auditor.

About \$35,000 more will be added to the assets of the wrecked Vicksburg bank by the action of the United States court in declaring Fred and Eva Neasmith and Ella Cooley involuntary bankrupts. They were concerned in the partnership.

The Semitic museum at Cambridge, Mass., has acquired a collection of about 125 Syrian manuscripts, some of them old manuscripts on parchment and vellum. These manuscripts are said to date back to the twelfth century or earlier. The collection was made by Prof. J. Rendel Harris, of England, one of the foremost scholars in Syriac studies.

NEWS OF THE NATION

POSTMASTER-GENERAL CORTELYOU ASKS FOR \$193,000,000

SAYS THAT AMOUNT IS NEEDED TO RUN POSTAL SERVICE NEXT YEAR.

Postmaster-General Cortelyou recently completed and forwarded to the secretary of the treasury estimates for the postoffice department for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1907. They show a reduction of expense wherever it is believed it will not impair the service, but provision for development of postal facilities to meet the growing needs of all sections of the country.

The amount asked for salaries in the department proper is \$1,481,250, an apparent increase of \$61,990 over the current appropriation; but as \$58,300 of this is simply a transfer from other appropriations the net increase is only \$3,690. The estimate submitted for next year is \$4,020 less than the estimate submitted one year ago. The clerical force of the department, therefore, will remain practically as it now is during the fiscal year.

The estimates for the postal service at large aggregate \$193,000,000, an increase over last year's appropriation of about \$12,000,000. This increase represents the normal growth of the service based upon what the postal authorities regard as the most careful and conservative estimates. Each succeeding year sees a large increase in the business of the department.

The principal items in the increase are the rural delivery service, railway mail service, compensation to postmen and their clerks, and the compensation of letter carriers.

For the maintenance of the rural delivery service and its proper extension over \$25,000,000 will be required. This is an increase of \$3,600,000 over the appropriation for the current year, which, in turn, is over \$5,000,000 more than that of last year, so that the present estimate is \$1,400,000 less than the increase of the present over the previous year.

80 Ducks for Mrs. Cleveland.

Former President Grover Cleveland, who with Dr. Paul Van Dyke, of Princeton university, and Ernest Gittings, of Baltimore, spent some days gunning on the preserves of the Back Bay Gunning club, in Princess Anne county, Va., has returned to Princeton, after a trip filled with fine sport. He killed a large number of wild ducks and other game, sending ahead a large box of game to Mrs. Cleveland and carrying with him when he returned 80 fine birds.

Louis Bids United States Farewell.

Prince Louis' visit to New York ended Monday morning. The prince feels very kindly toward us and says: "We shall leave here with the greatest feeling of regret, and there is not one of us who would not like to have made his stay much longer. I have met with every demonstration of kindness and regard and your reception has been most cordial, particularly where large numbers have congregated to welcome us."

Two Section Men Killed.

Foreman John Thomas and Chris Hoverman, section hand, were instantly killed by a Grand Trunk flyer while at work near Vicksburg. Hoverman's skull was crushed, his back and limbs broken, while Thomas' injuries were principally about the head. The men had stepped from one track to another to avoid a freight train, and did not hear the express train approaching.

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ADDITIONAL LOCAL EVENTS.

Three hundred and five persons are on the teaching staff of the U. of M.

The citizens of Ypsilanti want a new armory building for their local military company.

The roller skating rink craze has struck Milan and one will be established in the old armory building in that village.

Prof. J. R. Sage, of Ann Arbor, the veteran music teacher celebrated his 85 birthday anniversary Monday. Prof. Sage has been a resident of Ann Arbor 40 years and of the state 70 years.

Mrs. James Richards, next Saturday afternoon, commencing at one o'clock, on the premises corner of East and Railroad streets, will sell at public auction a quantity of household goods. Geo. H. Foster, auctioneer.

It is claimed that there will be found to be a great abundance of potatoes before spring. Many thousand bushels have been by force held from the market for lack of cars to ship in, and that prices are bound to decline.

Jacob Buehler will sell at auction on his farm in Lyndon situated three miles north of Chelsea commencing at one o'clock, Tuesday afternoon, December 5, personal property consisting of horses, cattle and farming tools. George H. Foster, auctioneer.

Andrew Carnegie, capitalist and philanthropist, celebrated the 68 anniversary of his birth at his home in New York last Saturday. Mr. Carnegie has given away \$130,000,000 for libraries etc., and says that he is not done yet. His gifts in 1905 aggregated \$11,560,000.

Prosecuting Attorney A. J. Sawyer, jr., expects to have ten criminal cases on the December docket. It is understood the cases against May Millen and Homer C. Millen, of Four Mile Lake, charged with the attempted murder of William J. White, president of the White Portland Cement Company, and the chewing gum magnate, will be tried.

During the last five years the Michigan university football team has won 2784 points against 32 for their opponents. Not a score was against them in 1901 nor up to date in 1905. Case and Minnesota each made six in 1902, and Drake four and Chicago twelve in 1904. The tie game of six to six with Minnesota 1903 was the only one the team has not won during the five years that Yost has been coach.

The drain tax to be collected in the county of Washtenaw this year is much larger than for some years past. The total amount of drain tax this fall is \$22,334.25, of which \$6,500 is for the Pleasant Lake drain and \$9,849.25 for the Luick drain, mostly in Lima township. The Pleasant Lake drain is being made by hand and team labor and the Luick drain by a steam dredge. The Luick drain is 16 to 20 feet wide, at the bottom and the Pleasant Lake drain 10 feet wide.

Chris Hinderer will sell at public auction on his premises four miles south and one-half mile east of Chelsea commencing at 10 o'clock a. m. on Tuesday, December 5, the following personal property: Three good work horses, one two year old colt, four cows soon due, steers, colts, shoats, Black Top ram, 19 ewes, 32 lambs, etc. large quantity of farming tools, 200 bushels of oats, 300 bushels of corn, quantity of corn stalks and hay. Hot coffee and lunch at noon. F. D. Merrithew, auctioneer.

Attorney William B. Gildart of Albion recently received by mail an old worn book, a copy of Davies University arithmetic that had been borrowed by a schoolmate at Chelsea 34 years ago. It was from John B. Fay, general manager for A. C. McClurg & Co. of Chicago, who was Gildart's seatmate in 1871. A brief letter found in the book read: "Dear Gildart: You loaned this book to me a few days ago (in November 1871) and I thank you very much for the use of it. J. B. E. November, 1905." Both gentlemen are well known here and are frequent visitors to the scene of their boyhood days.

Son Lost Mother.

"Consumption runs in our family, and through it I lost my mother," writes E. B. Reid, of Harmony, Mo. "For the past five years, however, on the slight est sign of a cough or cold, I have taken Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, which has saved me from serious lung trouble." His mother's death was a sad loss for Mr. Reid, but he learned that lung trouble must not be neglected and how to cure it. Quickest relief and cure for coughs and colds. Price 50c and \$1.00; guaranteed at the Bank Drug Store. Trial bottle free.

DEDICATION.

This afternoon (Thanksgiving Day) the new German Protestant Home for Aged People and Orphans, which is located at West Grand Boulevard and Seovell Place, Detroit, will be dedicated. The president of the Michigan district, Rev. Paul Irion, of Freedom, will deliver the dedicatory sermon, and one of the principal addresses will be made by Gov. Warner. The home was formerly known as the Zoar Orphans Home and the present superintendent of the home, Rev. John Neumann, was former pastor of one of the German churches of Ann Arbor. Rev. A. A. Schoen, pastor of St. Paul's church, who is one of the members of the board of trustees left yesterday to attend a meeting of the board in the evening and will also attend the services this afternoon. It is expected that several from this vicinity will be present.

SCHOOL REPORT.

School report for district No. 4, Sharon for month ending November 24. Those not absent or tardy during the month, Carl Mayer, Addie Lirb, Harmon, Merle and Clarence Everett and Herbert Feldkamp. Carl Mayer and Harmon Everett have not been absent or tardy during the month. Those with standing of 90 or more, Ella Mayer, Herman Hashey, Waldo Kusterer, Carl Mayer and Clarence Everett; 85, Alva Dietz, Willie Mayer, Michael Cerwinka and Martha Hashey; 80, Merle Everett, Carl Bohnet, Herbert Feldkamp, Addie Lirb, Harmon, Everett and Elmer Mayer. Ella Mayer has missed no words in spelling during the month, Herman Hashey, Clarence Everett, Martha Hashey, Addie Lirb and Willie Mayer stand next. Ethel Davidson, teacher.

CORRESPONDENCE

FREEDOM.

Emanuel Loeffler and family were guests of W. J. Kauffmann and family, of Lodi, Sunday.

Mrs. F. Eshelbach and son, Emanuel, and daughter, Ella spent Sunday at the home of W. J. Kauffmann, of Lodi.

Mrs. Charles Geier, of Pittsfield, and mother, Mrs. Mary Haab, spent Sunday at the home of W. J. Kauffmann and family, of Lodi. The visitors met other friends that were guests at the Kauffmann home and the day was well enjoyed by all present.

WATERLOO.

Emory Rowe and wife, of Stockbridge, spent Sunday at Lynn Gorton's.

Mrs. Fanny Hubbard returned home Saturday from her visit in Jackson.

The Gleaners will give their contest oyster supper at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lehman Tuesday evening, December 5. Everybody invited.

The children and grandchildren of Geo. Rowe met at his home Saturday, to bring his 75th birthday, and gave him a complete surprise. A very pleasant time was had by all.

EAST LYNDON.

Mrs. H. Hudson is on the sick list. Mrs. L. Hadley returned from Lansing Saturday.

Fred Marshall, of Lima, was a visitor here last week.

Mrs. L. Clark, of Stockbridge, spent Sunday with her parents.

Mrs. L. S. Hadley was the guest of Stephen Hadley and wife Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Palmes, of Stockbridge, spent one day last week with Mrs. J. Birch.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Collings, of Stockbridge, are rejoicing over the birth of a daughter. Mrs. Collings was formerly Miss Girtle Mills, of Unadilla.

SYLVAN.

Michael Rank is the guest of relatives in Iowa.

Mrs. Herman Hayes spent Saturday in Jackson.

L. C. Hayes and wife were Manchester visitors Sunday.

Miss Emma Fahrner called on Mr. Fahrner and family Saturday.

Mrs. Clarence Gage was the guest of her mother, Mrs. Main part of last week.

Herbert Harvey and wife and Mrs. J. Walz spent Thursday with Mrs. A. Holden.

Mrs. A. Birch spent Saturday in Ann Arbor with Mr. Birch, who is there for treatment.

Misses Florence and Josephine Healschwerdt, of Chelsea, were guests of Mrs. Mary Merker Sunday.

Quite a number from here attended the funeral of Mrs. Lambert at Chelsea Sunday. Mrs. Lambert was formerly Miss Mabel Buchanan.

"My child was burned terribly about the face, neck and chest. I applied Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. The pain ceased and the child sank into a restful sleep."—Mrs. Nancy M. Hanson, Hamburg, N. Y.

LIMA CENTER

B. A. Strlester was in Ann Arbor Sunday.

H. C. Millen and family moved to Detroit Saturday.

L. Vale, of Ypsilanti, spent Sunday with Arl Guerin.

Miss Minnie Steinbach, of Ann Arbor, visited relatives here Sunday.

Arl Guerin and Ed. Beach attended the football game in Ann Arbor Saturday.

Miss Amanda Luick went to Saginaw Saturday to be gone until after Thanksgiving.

Jay Wood and wife will leave Wednesday for Hart where they will spend a few days.

Rev. and Mrs. A. B. Storms, of Ames, Iowa, have been visiting their sister, Mrs. F. Ward.

Rev. and Mrs. A. B. Storms, Mrs. Fannie Ward and son Clayton attended church in Ann Arbor Sunday.

There will be an auction social in the church parlors Friday evening, December 8. Anyone who has anything to donate for the auction can bring it to the church or notify Estella Guerin and the committee will call for it. O. C. Burkhardt will be the auctioneer. A good supper will be served for 15 cents. Everybody invited.

NORTH LAKE.

Our minister made a short call here Sunday evening.

Mrs. Wm. Luick has gone to Chelsea for a few days.

E. L. Glenn, of Gregory, was at the old home Sunday.

Mrs. W. H. Glenn and daughter from Dakota spent Wednesday in Unadilla.

Martin Clinton is about to exchange his farm for one larger in Unadilla.

The Dutton brothers have sold out and will make California their home.

Albert Hennant and family of Chelsea, were guests at the old home Sunday.

I haven't got my goose for Thanksgiving, but a flock went over a few days ago.

Geo. Benton and wife, of Dexter, were guests of Geo. Webb and family one day last week.

We know by the fast clip a certain young man drives by here he is not going very far.

A turn at the wood pile will help digestion more than drugs or going visiting. I've tried it.

Our neighbor, Mrs. John Witty is the recipient of a fur cape, the gift of a daughter in Manitoba.

Mr. Alvaever, of Webster was in this neighborhood Sunday and attended church in the evening.

The saying, "Only the brave deserve the fair," held good on chicken pie, only the bravest got there.

Last Wednesday our old friend John Witty called here. He was accompanied by his wife and granddaughter.

Saturday last a pair of twin calves were added to the stock of your Scribe. On seeing conditions both died.

The farmers around here have their fall work all done, full cribs of sound corn, and a turkey for Thanksgiving.

E. Hinkley, B. Isham and P. E. Noah are all hauling wood for the latter named from the ranch of E. C. Glenn.

With oyster suppers, chicken pie socials, and corn carnivals the people about here have begun the winter in a high key.

Those seeking to economize in breakfast foods might try dried apples. Add the water after eating. My, but they are swell.

Wm. Burkhardt and Miss Mary Deering are staying with Miss Pearl Glenn while her parents are spending Thanksgiving week in Detroit.

F. A. Glenn bought a calf last week and brought it home in his carryall. It went to the calf's brain and it went crazy and died in a short time.

R. W. Webb lost a good work horse one day last week. Death was caused by eating too much grain around where the threshers had been at work.

A letter from Dakota tells of fine weather, and plowing is being done on a big scale. R. W. Webb has about four hundred acres turned up to date.

The enjoyment of the chicken pie social was somewhat marred by the expectant host having the misfortune to sprain her ankle, and was unable to stand on her feet.

For a few nights past our turks have went to roost on the ridge of the barn. They got wind of the proclamation from some source, and know that turkey day has come again.

Charles Brown, a relative of ours, now a conductor on the Electric road from Detroit to Jackson, is the son of one of the Michigan Central's oldest and life long engineers, James H. Brown.

Hay and straw stacks in Unadilla were blown over Friday, and other damage done, while Mr. Greig had half the roof blown from his barn and other light buildings near here were moved on their foundation. At one time you would think there was a politician loose in the western hills. It will take a bigger blow to knock out a chicken pie social.

Pain may go by the name of rheumatism, neuralgia, lumbago, pleurisy. No matter what name the pains are called, HOLLISTER'S Rocky Mountain Tea will drive them away. 35 cents. Tea or Tablets. At the Bank Drug Store.

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WEST MANCHESTER.

Robert Green and wife spent Tuesday with Adrian friends.

Frank Trolz made a business trip to Detroit Friday evening.

Mrs. Emma Ball, of Fair View Farm, has left for Manton, Mich.

Miss Gladys Matteson visited with Napoleon friends Saturday.

Mrs. Rollin Austin was taken very ill in Manchester last Saturday.

Albert Green has been running an engine for L. Whitney the past ten days.

Lewis Strong, of North Adams, who has been visiting relatives returned to his home Monday.

The worst wind we have had for years was last Friday. Farmers are busy fixing up their fences, hay and straw stacks.

Mrs. S. W. Payne and daughter, Louise, were guests at the home of G. Sutton's Friday. Louise expects to take her position in the Tecumseh school as teacher after the holidays.

Geo. Valentine sold to John Bowler, the Manchester butcher a beef critter which caused considerable trouble before it was finally killed. After leaving the premises of Mr. Valentine the animal became enraged, and the man who was driving it concluded that it was best to kill it. He shot and slightly wounded the critter, which caused it to break away and run wild about the neighborhood for some hours. Finally about a dozen men in the vicinity aided the butcher to recover his purchase. The next morning the butcher appeared on the scene and succeeded in killing the animal, which he placed on sale in his place of business.

FRIAR PROBLEM SOLVED.
Satisfactory Conclusion of Negotiations for Possession of Dominican Lands.
The most troublesome issue brought up by American annexation of the Philippines was that which was caused by the transfer of the Dominican friars' lands. There had been, in the Spanish days, an old feud between the friars and a large element of the natives of the Philippines. Madrid shoved off this problem on Washington in the treaty of Paris of 1898, says the St. Louis Star-Democrat. Some of the Philippine insurrections which Madrid had to deal with were caused by the wrangles between the natives and this religious order. Whether right was on the side of the Filipinos or the friars, is a question on which Americans will not express any opinion offhand. Anyhow, we had to handle this issue when the Philippines came into our hands, and we have handled it by buying the friars' lands.

At last the transfer of the lands of those orders to the government of the Philippines is about to be consummated. The last hitch in the deal has apparently been removed. There was a difference of \$200,000 between the Philippine government and the friars, and the agents of the latter have offered to settle for \$50,000. Secretary Taft has accepted the compromise, and all is again quiet on the Rio Grande of Luzon. The money will be promptly paid, and everybody will be satisfied in the aggregate a little over \$300,000 will be handed over to the agents of the Dominicans, and the title will pass to the Philippine government, and the friars' incident will be closed.

This is a happy solution of the problem. Unquestionably the friars, Dominicans and others, did a good work in the Philippines. The bulk of the task of Christianizing all the 7,000,000 Malays of the archipelago who have been Christianized was done by those orders. This was done under Spanish sovereignty. Most of the friars who did the work were Spaniards. But the friars and the natives have been at war for the past score of years. Between them there was an irrepressible conflict which Madrid could not adjust, but which Washington has at last settled. Both the friars and the natives have cause to rejoice over the good fortune which placed the Philippines under American sway.

All of the news in The Standard, 14 months for \$1.00.

Lumber in the South.
The cost of getting out lumber has not increased in Mississippi, but the demand has to such an extent that the prices have been lifted a dollar a thousand feet. Since the forests of the northwest are very nearly depleted, supplies at stiffening prices must be drawn more and more from the south-west, which has all that will be wanted for many years and can keep up the supply by avoiding the mistake of cutting the timber recklessly. There is unlimited wealth in the forests and it can be made to last indefinitely by proper forestry.

Where Cats Are Eaten.
In northern Italy the cat is a favorite article of food, even though people are forbidden by law from partaking of the animal. Indeed, cats are fattened and grown for the market with great care and the Italians believe that they far surpass rabbits in every good quality. The method of cooking the animal is to roast it in an oven until brown, with onions, garlic, parsley, bay leaf, red wine and some fragrant herbs other than those mentioned.

Sex Against Sex.
He occupied the seat; she was swinging on a strap. She was trying to shame him into politeness; he wouldn't shame worth a cigarette. A lurch of the car threw her against him and in the scramble she landed on his feet with both heels.
"You're on my feet," he growled.
"If you had been on your feet it never would have happened," said she sweetly.—Detroit Free Press.

Misunderstanding.
"I beg your pardon, waiter," said the tourist in the railway restaurant. "Did you say that I had 20 minutes to wait or that it was 20 minutes to eight?"
"I said neither," answered the Irishman attendant. "I said ye had twenty minutes to ate, an' that's all ye had. Yer thraim's gone now!"—Cleveland Leader.

Poor Patients!
At Acton, England, recently, it was officially stated that the nurses at the public hospital were afraid to enter some of the rooms on account of the rats and that "the rodents terrified the patients at night by sitting on their beds." The matter was referred to a committee "with power to act."

Mrs. Fredricka Widmayer will sell at public auction on the John Widmayer farm Lima three and one-half miles east of Chelsea, on Wednesday, December 6, commencing at 9 o'clock sharp a. m. personal property consisting of six good horses, nineteen head of cattle, twenty-nine black top sheep, hogs, hay, corn fodder, bean pods, corn, large quantity of farming tools, etc. A hot lunch will be served at noon. F. D. Merrithew, auctioneer.

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It is a disastrous calamity, when you lose your health, because indigestion and constipation have sapped it away. Prompt relief can be had in Dr. King's New Life Pills. They build up your digestive organs, and cure headache, dizziness, colic, constipation, etc. Guarantee at the Bank Drug Store; 25c.

Sylvan Taxpayers.
The tax roll for the year 1905 of Sylvan township, has been placed in my hands and beginning with Monday, December 4th it can be paid at my office, room 3, Kempf bank building.
W. F. RIEMENSCHNEIDER, Treasurer.

Dexter Taxpayers.
I will be at my residence in Dexter township every Friday during the month of December, at the Dexter Savings Bank on Saturdays, December 9, 16 and 30 and the Chelsea Savings Bank on Saturday, December 23, for the purpose of receiving the township taxes for the year 1905.
HENRY DIETTERLE, Treasurer.

Ask Your Own Doctor

If he tells you to take Ayer's Cherry Pectoral for your severe cough or bronchial trouble, then take it. If he has anything better, then take that. But we know what he will say; for doctors have used this cough medicine over 60 years.

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Keep the bowels open with one of Ayer's Pills at bedtime, just one.

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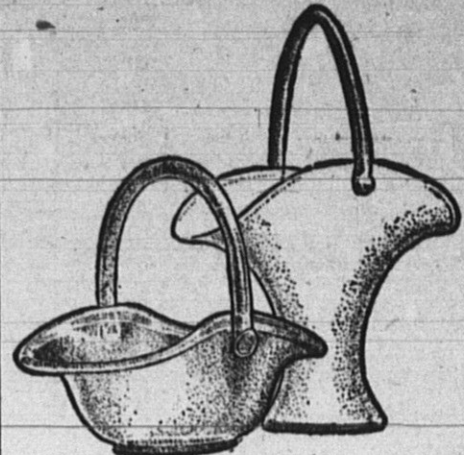
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Everything strictly fresh and in first class shape.

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A full line of home-made Candles on hand. Please give me a call.

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Some of the most interesting of the new fall productions are to be found in the glassware section.

There is no doubt about the popularity of crystal glass at present, extending to the plain, engraved, cut and gold decorated, with impartiality.

Inexpensive wedding and holiday presents abound in each of these classes—things that will be admired and appreciated for their artistic qualities, irrespective of cost.

Glad to have you come in and look them over.

Bank Drug Store

CHELSEA, MICH.

Don't listen to any fake talk about pipe, bathtubs, lavatories, or any and all kinds of plumbing goods, but just come to me for lowest prices and satisfaction guaranteed. On account of the large stock of pumps of all kinds which I now have on hand, and sell for the next thirty days at greatly reduced prices. If needing one, it will be to your interest to call on, yours for business, Henry Gorton, Cummings' basement.
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HANDMADE GOODS AT FACTORY PRICES

I have on hand a first-class lot of Handmade Cutters which can be bought at factory prices while they last. Anyone in need of first-class Cutter will find it to their interest to look over my stock before buying. You will be unable to find such goods on the market, no less made to special order. I have also 30 sets of strictly first-class Handmade Bobs which I will sell at a reasonable price while they last. The purchaser runs no risk in buying the goods. I guarantee every one, and every part, no guess work, everything positive, for they are all made in Chelsea.

Purchasers look these goods over whether you buy or not, I will gladly assist you.

A. G. FAIST.

TEN THOUSAND DOLLARS

The Michigan Farmer and Live Stock Journal, Detroit, Mich., will spend \$10,000 in 1906 for special articles, stories, etc. All of this money will go into improving the reading matter of the paper. The readers will get the benefit of the entire amount. What would you think of paying \$150 for a special article on corn. \$75 for a good story?

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A free sample copy of the Michigan Farmer and Live Stock Journal, also illustrated Premium List containing Prospectus, Photographs of Correspondents, an offer of cash prizes for stories and about 100 illustrated articles offered for small clubs. Clubbing lists, etc., also a small map of Michigan, will be mailed to each person asking for a sample copy, who names the paper in which he saw this advertisement. All free, postage paid. A penny postal card addressed to the Michigan Farmer and Live Stock Journal, Detroit, Mich., will answer.

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Come early and get a good selection. Remember, we have the best line of

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Bed Room Suits, Bookcases, Sideboards, Rockers, Dining Tables and Chairs.

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at prices to close out this month. We have a complete line of Blankets and Robes that are included in this sale.

W. J. KNAPP.



LOCAL EVENTS

OF THE PAST WEEK FOR
THE STANDARD'S READERS.

E. B. Rogers and son were Gregory visitors Sunday.

Louis Burg has moved his cigar factory into the rooms over C. Lehman's place of business.

N. H. Prudden has his residence on Harrison street, equipped with a steam heating plant.

Turn your watch or clock back one-half hour December 1st and you will have the correct time.

There were 66 deaths reported to the secretary of state from Washtenaw county for the month of October.

A marriage license has been granted to Samuel G. Bass, of Freedom, and Miss Rosina Waldelich, of Bridgewater.

Miss DeWitt and A. Hodge of Ypsilanti attended the dancing party given by the Chelsea Maccabees last Friday.

Lafayette Grange will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. T. English December 6 at 10 a. m. Election of officers.

Mrs. Mary Winans and her children of Chelsea, are in Lansing today, at the home her son William, who resides in that city.

L. T. Freeman has just placed in the Bank Drug Store a new show case which greatly improves the appearance of his place of business.

The Detroit parties who took the contract for the roof of the new Burkhardt building will commence their part of the work the last of this week.

A marriage license was issued last Thursday to Mr. Ernest B. Raymond and Miss Pearl Roller, both of Sharon. Rev. Pohley, of Freedom, to officiate.

Saur & Co., of Ann Arbor, completed the brick work for the Burkhardt building Monday. The carpenters will commence their part of the work at once.

Mortimer Yackley, of Chelsea, was adjudged insane in the probate court last Friday and taken the same day to the retreat at Dearborn for treatment.

Married, Tuesday evening, November 28, 1905, at the home of Dr. Carter, Miss Ada Wiley of Sylvan to Mr. William Fahrner, of Chelsea. Rev. E. E. Carter, officiating.

Joseph E. Remnant, a keeper at the state prison, Jackson, resigned his position at that institution one day the past week. The young man formerly resided in Chelsea.

Elmer Hammond, of Detroit, has purchased the interest of his brothers and sisters in the property on the corner of East Middle and East streets, known as the Hammond homestead.

Lee Foster, who has been spending some time at the Ferris institute, Big Rapids, returned to Chelsea, Saturday. He expects to return to the school about the first of the coming year.

The dancing party given by the Chelsea Maccabees at Woodman hall last Friday evening was exceptionally well attended and is said to have been the best one given by them this season.

At the M. E. church next Sunday morning the subject for Rev. Joseph Ryerson's sermon will be "The Standard Miracle." The subject for the evening address will be "The Night is Far Spent."

M. Ichelinger, of Lima, has just completed the extensive repairs to his farm residence in that township. He has expended \$175 on the building and the labor was done by the Kantelehn Bros. of Chelsea.

The reception given to Rev. and Mrs. M. L. Grant in the parlors of the Congregational church, tendered by the members of the congregation and society was well attended and a very successful affair.

The Chelsea high school will be run on standard time. Beginning with next Monday the school will open at 8:30 a. m. and at 12:45 p. m. The morning sessions will close at 11:25 and the afternoon closing hour will be 3 o'clock.

Several residents of Chelsea were in Ann Arbor last Friday night in attendance at the opening concert of the seventeenth season of the Choral Union series in University hall, with a masterly program by the Pittsburgh Orchestra.

Rev. P. M. McKay at the Baptist church next Sunday morning will use for his subject, "The Ministry of God's People." Dr. E. E. Carter will deliver a lecture to the young people in the evening, subject, "The Pick and the Spade."

"The Education of Conscience" will be the subject of Rev. M. L. Grant's sermon at the Congregational church Sunday morning. "The Christian Workers Reward" will be the evening theme. The evening service will begin at 7 o'clock standard.

C. Sawyer, of Cadillac, was a guest at the home of Jacob Hepler the first of the week.

John Friemuth and wife, of Lima, returned Monday from a week's visit with Lansing and Williamston friends.

Miss Lucy Patterson and Miss Hannanberg, of the Jackson sanitarium, were guests of Mrs. R. A. Snyder Sunday.

Mrs. Agnes List, of Leslie, spent the first of the week at the home of her brother, W. H. Heselshwerdt and family.

Mrs. W. H. Shook, of Fenton, is a guest at the home of Dr. and Mrs. E. E. Carter. Mrs. Shook is the youngest sister of Rev. Carter.

Dr. and Mrs. E. E. Carter left yesterday for Detroit where they will spend a few days at the home of their son, Rev. E. Wilbur Carter. Mr. Carter will also deliver the Thanksgiving sermon in the Arnold M. E. church of which his son is the pastor.

Burnett Steinbach and wife, of Lima, last Saturday evening served an oyster supper to twenty-five of their friends from Chelsea, Ann Arbor and Jackson. The evening was spent by the guests with musical selection and a general social visit.

Director C. D. Smith announces a short Horticultural course at the Agricultural college of Michigan at Lansing from January 3 to February 23, 1906. The expense will be comparatively small and parties interested will be furnished full information by Mr. Smith.

Next Sunday at the G. A. R. hall the Christian Science services at 10:30 a. m. Subject, God the Preserver of Man. Golden text: For the mountains shall depart and the hills be removed; but my kindness shall not depart from thee, neither shall the covenant of my peace be removed saith the Lord that hath mercy on thee. Isaiah 54:10. Thanksgiving services at the usual hour.

The next meeting of the Western Washtenaw Farmers club will be the annual election of officers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Spaulding, of Sylvan. An oyster dinner will be served. The committee in charge consists of T. E. Woodard and wife, A. K. Chapman and wife and Mrs. H. Lighthall. At this meeting of the club it is expected that two of the well known gentlemen members of the organization will render a song.

C. A. Barber, of Waterloo, was in The Standard office Tuesday and showed a curiosity in the shape of a stone which was evidently used by the Indian as an instrument for removing the skin from animals. In shape it resembles an ordinary ax, its length being about 5 1/2 inches and in width across the blade proper 4 inches and where the eye would be on the ordinary ax 2 1/2 inches. Mr. Barber plowed the curiosity up in an old swale on his farm that had never had a furrow turn in it before.

Marshal Brooks had a Minnesota man for the first prisoner in the new municipal "lock-up." The man was placed in the jail Saturday night and remained there until Monday morning. Sheriff E. E. Ward, of Fairmont, Minn., who was returning to his home from Detroit with the prisoner, who is charged with robbery, stopped at Chelsea for a visit with Miss Marguerite Daubersmith and Mesdames Wm. Dorman and T. G. Speer. During the visit of the officer in Chelsea the prisoner was placed in the charge of the local officer.

Beginning with next Sunday the protestant churches of Chelsea will adopt central standard time and for the present the morning services will begin at 10 o'clock. In the evening at 7 o'clock and the young people's societies of the same churches will hold their sessions at 6 o'clock. The usual Thursday evening meetings will also be held at 5 1/2 o'clock. All should remember the time announced is for central standard time which is about one-half hour slower than the time they have been using heretofore.

There is no better market in Washtenaw county for farm products than right here in the thriving town of Chelsea. Our produce buyers always pay higher prices for butter and eggs than the buyers of the nearby towns. The stock of goods in our store to select from, are equal to those of the large cities, and no where are the prices more favorable to the buyers. Farmers are cognizant of these facts, which accounts for them coming for many miles to make Chelsea their produce market and make their purchases.

Elks' Memorial Day will be celebrated next Sunday, December 3, in the Chelsea opera house by the Ann Arbor lodge at 2:45 p. m. Rev. S. A. John of the Bethlehem Evangelical church of that city, will deliver the memorial address. Solos will be sung by Willis Johnson and Miss Ruth Allmendinger, and Edmund Noll will give a violin solo, while a Chelsea quartet will also furnish music. It is expected that there will be a large number of Elks' present from Ann Arbor and Ypsilanti. Short address will be delivered by Rev. Fr. Workers Reward will be the evening theme. The evening service will begin at 7 o'clock standard.

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All Grades from the Common to the Finest.

We Positively Guarantee to Sell These Goods at From 1-2 to 2-3 Regular Prices.

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loaded a with thousand useful articles, and any of them would cost you from 10 to 20 cents elsewhere. We have a

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where you can select from an endless variety, articles worth from 25 to 40 cents. We have a

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where you will find regular 50 cent to \$1.00 values. This is a great opportunity to replenish your dining room and kitchen.

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Man's Unreasonableness.
Is often as great as woman's. But Thos. S. Austin, Mgr. of "Republican," of Leavenworth, Ind., was not unreasonable, when he refused to allow the doctors to operate on his wife, for female trouble. "Instead," he says, we concluded to try Electric Bitters. My wife was then so sick, she could hardly leave her bed, and five [5] physicians had failed to relieve her. After taking Electric Bitters, she was perfectly cured and can now perform all her household duties. Guaranteed at the Bank Drug Store, price 50c.

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We wish to extend our heartfelt thanks to the friends who so kindly assisted us during the burial of our daughter and sister.
MRS. LUELLA BUCHANAN,
MRS. T. E. TAYLOR,
MRS. JACOB LAMB.

THE MARKETS.
Chelsea buyers offer today, the following prices:
Wheat, red or white... 79 to 81
Rye... 62
Oats... 26
Barley... 90 to 1 00
Beans... 1 45
Clover seed... 6 50
Steers, heavy... 3 50 to 4 00
Steers, light... 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
Veals... 5 00 to 6 25
Veals, heavy... 4 00
Hogs... 4 25
Sheep, wethers... 3 50 to 4 50
Sheep, ewes... 2 00 to 3 00
Lambs... 5 00 to 6 00
Chickens, spring... 08
Fowls... 07
Apples, per bushel... 75
Onions, per bushel... 75
Cabbage, per doz... 45
Butter... 17 to 20
Eggs... 28

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White vests, too—nicely done—not "done up." If there is any question of quality this is the place to get it.

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REPORT OF THE CONDITION

OF THE

Chelsea Savings Bank,

At Chelsea, Michigan, at the close of business, Nov. 9th, 1905 as called for by the Commissioner of the Banking Department.

RESOURCES.	
Loans and discounts	\$ 215,120 54
Bonds, mortgages and securities	478,591 71
Premiums paid on bonds	140 00
Overdrafts	1,488 96
Banking house	30,000 00
Furniture and fixtures	9,979 09
Other real estate	4,800 00
Items in transit	10,000 00
U. S. bonds	\$ 2,000 00
Due from banks	73,771 68
in reserve cities	
Exchange for clearing	
ing house	5,056 30
U. S. and National bank currency	20,181 00
Gold coin	13,065 00
Silver coin	1,497 75
Nickels and cents	361 14
Checks, cash items, internal revenue account	115,932 77
Total	\$866,053 07

LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in	\$ 60,000 00
Surplus fund	40,000 00
Undivided profits, net	11,618 82
Dividends unpaid	
Commercial deposits	222,709 50
Certificates of deposit	42,775 48
Savings deposits	351,174 34
Savings certificates	137,774 95
Total	\$866,053 07

State of Michigan, County of Washtenaw, ss.
I, Theo. E. Wood, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

THEO. E. WOOD, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17th day of Nov. 1905.
My commission expires January 18, 1908.

PAUL G. SCHABLE, Notary Public.
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Bananas at 10c and 15c dozen.

New nuts, almonds, brazil-nuts, walnuts, hazel-nuts, filberts and pecans.

Mixed nuts 10c pound.

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In Clyde Fitch's three act Comedy

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Seats Ready Wednesday

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CHAPTER I.

The Party on Special No. 218.

Any one who hopes to find in what is here written a work of literature had better lay it aside unread. At Yale I should have gotten the sack in rhetoric and English composition, let alone other studies, had it not been for the fact that I played half-back on the team, and so the professors marked me away up above where I ought to have ranked. That was twelve years ago, but my life since I received my parchment has hardly been of a kind to improve me in either style or grammar. It is true that one woman tells me I write well, and my directors never find fault with my compositions; but I know that she likes my letters because, whatever else they may say to her, they always say in some form, "I love you," while my board approve my annual reports because thus far I have been able to end each with "I recommend the declaration of a dividend of one percent from the earnings of the current year." I should therefore prefer to reserve my writings for such friendly critics, if it did not seem necessary to make public a plain statement concerning an affair over which there appears to be much confusion. I have heard in the last five years not less than twenty renderings of what is commonly called "the great K. & A. train robbery,"—some so twisted and distorted that but for the intermediate versions I should never have recognized them as attempts to narrate the series of events in which I played a somewhat prominent part. I have read or been told that, unassisted, the pseudo-hero captured a dozen desperadoes; that he was one of the road agents himself; that he was saved from lynching only by the timely arrival of cavalry; that the action of the United States government in rescuing him was a most high-handed interference with state rights; that he received his reward from a grateful railroad by being promoted; that a lovely woman as recompense for his villainy—but bother! It's my business to tell what really occurred, and not what the world chooses to invent. And if any man thinks he would have done otherwise in my position, I can only say that he is a better or a worse man than Dick Gordon.

Primarily, it was football which shaped my end. Owing to my skill in the game, I took a post-graduate at the Sheffield Scientific school, that the team might have my services for an extra two years. That led to my knowing a little about mechanical engineering, and when I left the "quad" for good I went into the Alton railroad shops. It wasn't long before I was foreman of a section; next I became division superintendent, and after I had stuck to that for a time I was appointed superintendent of the Kansas & Arizona railroad, a line extending from Trinidad in Kansas to the Needles in Arizona, tapping the Missouri Western system at the first place, and the Great Southern at the other. With both lines we had important traffic agreements, as well as the closest relations, which sometimes were a little difficult, as the two roads were anything but friendly, and we had directors of each on the K. & A. board, in which they fought like cats. Indeed, it could only be a question of time when one would oust the other and then absorb my road. My headquarters were at Albu-



Lord Raltes was a little, well-built chap.

querque, in New Mexico, and it was there, in October, 1890, that I received the communication which was the beginning of all that followed.

This initial factor was a letter from the president of the Missouri Western, telling me that their first vice-president, Mr. Cullen (who was also a director of my road), was coming out to attend the annual election of the K. & A., which under our charter had to be held in Ash Forks, Arizona. A second paragraph told me that Mr. Cullen's family accompanied him and that they all wished to visit the Grand Canyon of the Colorado on their way. Finally the president wrote that the party traveled in his own private car, and asked me to make myself generally useful to them. Having become quite hardened to just such demands, at the proper date I ordered my superintendent's car on to No. 2,

and the next morning it was dropped off at Trinidad.

The moment No. 3 arrived, I climbed into the president's special, that was the last car on the train, and introduced myself to Mr. Cullen, whom, though an official of my road, I had never met. He seemed surprised at my presence, but greeted me very pleasantly as soon as I explained that the Missouri Western office had asked me to do what I could for him, and that I was there for that purpose. His party was about to sit down to breakfast, and he asked me to join them, so we passed into the diningroom at the forward end of the car, where I was introduced to "My son," Lord Raltes, and "Captain Ackland." The son was a junior copy of his father, tall and fine looking, but, in place of the frank and easy manner of his sire, he was so very English that most people would have sworn falsely as to his native land. Lord Raltes was a little, well built chap, not half so English as Albert Cullen, quick in manner and thought, being in this the opposite of his brother, Captain Ackland, who was heavy enough to rock-ballast a roadbed. Both brothers gave me the impression of being gentlemen, and both were decidedly good looking.

After the introductions, Mr. Cullen said we would not wait, and his remark called my attention to the fact that there was no more place at the table than there were people assembled. I had barely noted this, when my host said, "Here's the truant, and, turning, I faced a lady who had just entered. Mr. Cullen said, "Madge, let me introduce Mr. Gordon to you." My bow was made to a girl of about twenty, with light brown hair, the bluest of eyes, a fresh skin and a fine figure, dressed so natty as to be to me, after my four years of Western life, a sight for tired eyes. She greeted me pleasantly, made a neat little apology for having kept us waiting, and then we all sat down.

It was a very jolly breakfast table. Mr. Cullen and his son being capital talkers, and Lord Raltes a good third, while Miss Cullen was quick and clever enough to match the three. Before the meal was over I came to the conclusion that Lord Raltes was in love with Miss Cullen, for he kept making low asides to her; and from the fact that she allowed them, and indeed responded, I drew the conclusion that he was a lucky beggar, feeling, I confess, a little pang, that a title was going to win such a nice American girl. One of the first subjects spoken of was train robbery, and Miss Cullen, like most Easterners, seemed to take a great interest in it, and had any quantity of questions to ask me.

"I've left all my jewelry behind, except my watch," she said, "and that I hide every night. So I really hope we'll be held up, it would be such an adventure."

"There isn't any chance of it, Miss Cullen," I told her; "and if we were you probably wouldn't even know that it was happening, but would sleep right through it." "Wouldn't they try to get our money and our watches?" she demanded. I told her no, and explained that the express and mail cars were the only ones to which the road agents paid any attention. She wanted to know the way it was done, so I described to her how sometimes the train was flagged by a danger signal and when it had slowed down the runner found himself covered by armed men; or how a gang would board the train, one by one, at way stations, and then, when the time came, steal forward, secure the express agent and postal clerk, climb over the tender and compel the runner to stop the train at some lonely spot on the road. She made me tell her all the details of such robberies as I knew about, and, though I had never been concerned in any, I was able to describe several, which, as they were monotonously alike, I confess I colored up a bit here and there, in an attempt to make them interesting to her. I seemed to succeed, for she kept the subject going even after we had left the table and were smoking our cigars in the observation saloon. Lord Raltes had a lot to say about the American lack of courage in letting trains containing twenty and thirty men be held up by half a dozen robbers.

"Why," he ejaculated, "my brother and I each have a double express with us, and do you think we'd sit still in our seats? No. Hang me if I wouldn't pot something."

"You might," I laughed, a little nettled, I confess, by his speech, "but I'm afraid it would be yourselves."

"Aw, you fancy resistance impossible!" drawled Albert Cullen. "It has been tried," I answered, "and without success. You can see it's like all surprises. One side is prepared before the other side knows there is danger. Without regard to relative numbers, the odds are all in favor of the road agents."

"But I wouldn't sit still, whatever the odds," asserted his lordship. "And no Englishman would."

"Well, Lord Raltes," I said, "I hope for your sake, then, that you'll never be in a hold-up, for I should feel about you as the runner of a locomotive did when the old lady asked him if it wasn't very painful to him to run over people. 'Yes, madam,' he sadly

replied; 'there is nothing musses an engine up so.'"

I don't think Miss Cullen liked Lord Raltes' comments on American courage any better than I did, for she said:

"Can't you take Lord Raltes and Captain Ackland into the service of the K. & A., Mr. Gordon, as a special guard?"

"The K. & A. has never had a train robbery yet, Miss Cullen," I replied, "and I don't think that it ever will have."

"Why not?" she asked. I explained to her how the Canon of the Colorado to the north, and the distance of the Mexican border to the south, made escape so almost desperate that the road agents preferred to devote their attentions to other routes. "If we were boarded, Miss Cullen," I said, "your jewelry would be as safe as it is in Chicago, for the robbers would only clean out the express and mail cars; but if they should so far forget their manners as to take your trinkets, I'd agree to return them to you inside of one week."

"That makes it all the jollier," she cried, eagerly. "We could have the fun of the adventure, and yet not lose anything. Can't you arrange for it, Mr. Gordon?"

"I'd like to please you, Miss Cullen," I said, "and I'd like to give Lord



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Raltes a chance to show us how to handle those gentry; but it's not to be done." I really should have been glad to have the road agents pay us a call.

We spent that day pulling up the Raton pass, and so on over the Glorieta pass down to Lamy, where, as the party wanted to see Santa Fe, I had our two cars dropped off the overland, and we ran up the branch line to the old Mexican city. It was well-worn ground to me, but I enjoyed showing the sights to Miss Cullen, for by that time I had come to the conclusion that I had never met a sweeter or jollier girl. Her beauty, too, was of a kind that kept growing on one, and before I had known her twenty-four hours, without quite being in love with her, I was beginning to hate Lord Raltes, which was about the same thing, I suppose. Every hour convinced me that the two understood each other, not merely from the little asides and confidences they kept exchanging, but even more so from the way Miss Cullen would take his lordship down occasionally. Yet, like a fool, the more I saw to confirm my first diagnosis, the more I found myself dwelling on the dimples at the corners of Miss Cullen's mouth, the bewitching uplift of her upper lip, the runaway curls about her neck and the curves and color of her cheeks.

The Peril of Whistling.

"The lady whistler has gone to Colorado," said the song and dance man sadly. "She has joined a camp of 'lunners' eastward of Pike's Peak. I told her when I met her that if she wanted to live she had better give up whistling. I told her how I had seen Selma the song bird, and warbling Jarvis Harvey carried off. But she said she didn't believe whistling was dangerous. She said she was poor, and had to earn her living anyway. 'All right,' said I. 'I give you four years. No more.' That was in 1900. The poor girl had her first hemorrhage in 1902. She gave up professional whistling then, but it was too late. I don't know why it is that whistling causes consumption. It always does. Glass-blowing causes consumption, too. I guess glass-blowing and professional whistling must be a good deal alike."—Boston Herald.

Deer in the Adirondacks.

"If you have never been deer-hunting," says John Davis Anderson in *Outdoors*, "the chances are that the sport would hold no pleasure for you, because if you enjoyed this sort of thing you would have been before this. Nothing could have kept you away. On the other hand, if you have been once, the time was not farther distant than last year, for so great is the charm of the experience that no man is content with going but once in a lifetime. . . . You rise from behind your log, aim your rifle, and make a slight noise. This is enough. In an instant the deer has whisked around and would be away through the thicket if your nerves had not proven true and bullet had not plowed its way to his heart."

Wages in Berlin.

The highest workmen's wages in Berlin are paid to masons—\$1.90 to \$2.14 a day for piece work.

DRAPE FOR WINDOWS

SOME OF THE NEWEST DESIGNS AND FASHIONS.

Prices and Effects to Suit All Places and Fancies—Cream Lansdowne the Newest Fabric to Be Added to the Long List of Curtains.

Fashions in curtains and window hangings, while not so changeable as, say, in dress or millinery, nevertheless vary sufficiently to keep the average housewife with the desire for being up to date on the lookout for the latest suggestion regarding fabric and arrangements. As for prices they cover the most extensive range. A few dollars will purchase a very presentable curtain of artistic design and excellent



quality. And then one may climb upward by easy stages to hundreds of dollars for the costly variety. Expensive curtains are just as expensive as one may desire, and \$350 is the sum asked for a pair of Point de Glanders curtains. The groundwork differs somewhat from the customary fabric, being a sort of grenade in cream tone with border of the lace in ecru. These make beautiful window drapery, but naturally they call for furniture and furnishings in keeping with their costliness.

A contrast is presented by the new curtains that have been especially designed for the den. They are appropriate and of a hand-woven material suggesting madras. The foundation is white with a band in center, in an effective blending of tan, green, blue and white. Curtains such as these cost from \$7 to \$10 a pair.

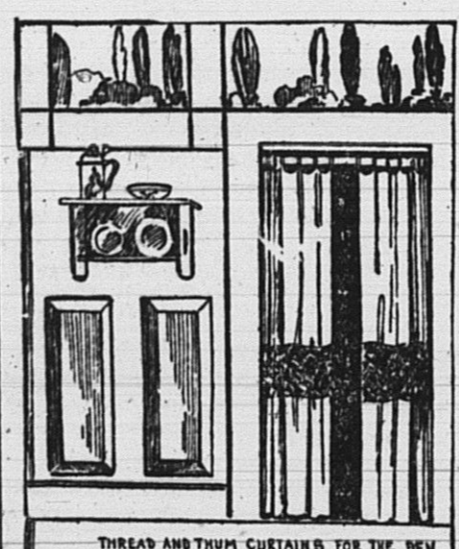
Between these two extremes in price is the curtain of silk mull, bordered with Torchon lace. The combination is exceedingly good and an extra touch of attractiveness is imparted by the raised embroidery in self-colored silk. From \$80 to \$100 may be expended on curtains of mull.

The Marie Antoinette curtain cannot lay claim to newness exactly, but there is a variation in design that imparts a note of novelty. This design is termed the Colonial. Renaissance braid is employed to produce the lattice effect, and the floral ornamentation is carried out with narrow satin ribbon, the colors being cream and white.

Cream Lansdowne is a fabric that has been added recently to the curtain list. It makes a beautiful drapery, with its silken sheen and soft texture and border of ecru net appliqued with silk flowers in madras colorings.

Velour draperies still continue in favor and ribbon embroidery which has been revived within the past year for all sorts of decorative effects constitutes the ornamentation. In the accompanying illustration the curtains are of dark green velour with ribbon decoration in shell pink tone. Velour curtains of good quality are expensive, but they are the most suitable where rich effects are sought.

On the modish list are many more



styles of curtains, but they are for the most part of familiar fabrics and designs.

Robbery.

Mrs. Subbubs—That man you sent here with the load of wood charged me fifty cents for simply piling it on the ground.

Mr. Subbubs—For simply piling it on.

Mrs. Subbubs—Yes.

Mr. Subbubs—My! That was simply piling it on.

Not Up to Papa.

Miss Boarder (yawning)—What, going so soon?

Mr. Stople (rising)—Yes, your father will be annoyed if I stay any later.

Miss Boarder—Father? Why, he wasn't the one that had to sit here with you.

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TWICE-TOLD TESTIMONY.

A Woman Who Has Suffered Tells How to Find Relief.

The thousands of women who suffer backache, languor, urinary disorders and other kidney ills, will find comfort in the words of Mrs. Jane Farrell of 606 Ocean Avenue, Jersey City, N. J., who says: "I reiterate all I have said before in praise of Doan's Kidney Pills. I had been having heavy backaches, and my general health was affected when I began using them. My feet were swollen, my eyes puffed, and dizzy spells were frequent. Kidney action was irregular and the secretions highly colored. Today, however, I am a well woman, and I am confident that Doan's Kidney Pills have made me so, and are keeping me well."

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Some Commercial Antiquity.

From a window in the city: "Buy our boots. Every pair will bring the customer back." This is not clear. Will the customer be inside the boots or outside them?—Punch.

ULCERS FOR 30 YEARS.

Painful Eruptions From Knees to Feet Seemed Incurable—Cuticura Ends Misery.

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The North Pole.

It is often said that, when the North Pole is discovered there will be found a Scotchman doing business. The Highlander always ranked foremost amongst the pioneers of the American West. His Herculean strength fitted him for frontier life, and to his constant use of "porridge" for breakfast is attributed his splendid physique. This generation can be as brave as the generation of the Vitos, by eating Pillsbury's Vitos.

WORE HAT AS A DECORATION.

Antiquary's Idea of the Beginning of Human Headgear.

Discussing on the subject of hats, an antiquary expressed the opinion that the hat was first used quite as much for decoration as for protection. The ancestor of all hats he considers to have been the fillet or band around the hair worn by the ancient Greeks, among others. Probably the first hint gained by men regarding head ornaments was through observing the crests, plumes and antlers of various birds and beasts. The eastern races with their fondness for ceremony and display, afford the most notable instances of the use represented as wearing elaborate forms of headgear. In Korea the fashion attains its height, no fewer than fifty kinds of hats being worn by the natives as indications of their social position.

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FIRST SUBMARINE ON RECORD

On the beach at Atlantic Highlands, N. J., with sand drifted about her, lies the first submarine boat built by Simon Lake, that intrepid inventor, whose latest creation, the Protector, is now in the far east, presumably in the hands of Russian naval officers, says the New York Globe.

Thousand of Jersey coast commuters see the plain wooden hulk every day, but few know it made the Protector possible and frightened the wits out of the natives when they first saw it. Children play on it now and try to turn the big wooden wheels which are hub deep in seaweed and heavy driftwood.

The craft is about twenty feet long and is fitted with port holes, a conning tower and a bicycle chain and mechanism for turning the drive wheels. It has not been moved in twelve years, since Lake made his last dive in Sandy Hook bay, became more ambitious and began the construction of a more pretentious boat.

Baymen remember well when the youth of serious mien came to the place and began the construction of "a coffin like thing," in which he said he was going to the bottom of the bay and look around a bit. They thought the man was crazy and told him so one day, whereupon he laughed. The boatmen were positive then that he was a maniac.

The strange creation was finally launched and went for a spin on the surface. Then all of a sudden it disappeared.

"I told you so," shouted one clam digger close by. "That fool is dying like a rat."

There was a scurry of boats to the spot where bubbles showed on the surface. "His dying gasp," remarked one grizzled old fellow.

"Dying gasp, nothing," shouted another. "Look at them bubbles moving along. That young city chap has got us stung. He's sneaking along the bottom like a crab and he'll sure get these anchors up and me has been graplin' for all summer."

Then Simon Lake came to the surface and, lifting a hatch, smiled broadly at his open-mouthed audience.

"It's nice down there," he said. "Want to come aboard?"

The clamboats scattered like frightened chickens and from that day Simon Lake was regarded among the Leachcombers as "the man who could breathe under water just as well as any blamed fish in the sea."

ELEPHANT SAVED THE BABY

Lena, the biggest of the performing elephants in Fairyland, now showing at Paterson, N. J., indulged both her maternal instinct and her sense of humor recently in a manner which threw a large audience into panic.

A tiny girl of three, unobserved by the crowd, had crawled beneath the barrier and stood just within the ring. So little was she that she was entirely out of range of the trainers in the center. But as she delightedly clapped her baby hands at the marching and counter marching of the huge beasts the watchful Lena saw and marked her, first, for removal from harm's way, and, second, for the necessary maternal discipline, which should prevent a recurrence of the danger.

Lena's small eyes twinkled with amusement as, leading her fellows, she approached the venturesome baby for the second time. The little one looked up into her face with an enchanting smile, but the elephant never hesitated. She shot out her trunk, wreathed it about the child's body and in a second had whirled her high in the air.

An instant the spectators saw the little girl's fluttering skirts and caught her frightened cry; the next one she was whirling through space.

Women shrieked with terror and hid their eyes. The trainers dashed to the place where the child lay, expecting to find her crushed and dead. Instead she was as safe from harm as though cradled in her mother's arms. Lena, with unerring sagacity, had tossed her upon a soft, grassy spot, and had handled her so gently that not a bruise was to be found upon her. The child shed a few alarmed tears and then promptly forgot the incident.

When a search was made for her parents none could be found. The child was apparently alone and had wandered into the show unnoticed in the crowd. She was taken to the police station, where she was later claimed by her father, Frank Spinelly. The child, whose name is Josie, had slipped away early in the evening. Her parents were greatly terrified when they learned of her peril.—New York World.

PENANG DURING RAINY SEASON

A resident of Penang thus describes the rainy season there: "Our rains have set in with all their attendant comforts and discomforts and they make one feel something like Robinson Crusoe when he made up the list of his blessings and evils. The planters are all rejoicing and are putting out their seedlings and cuttings and generally doing all they should do. The bullocks are beginning to fill out those ugly hollows between their ribs and about their flanks, for the grass on their limited pastures is growing rich and rank and these patient, half-starved beasts profit by it. Our trees have all put on new coats of brilliant green and the whole place wears a newly washed appearance very comforting after the dusty dry season, in which our soup tastes gritty and a piece of bread and butter seems to have had a bit of sandpaper glued on the butter side. But even our rains have their disadvantages.

"When I come home, thoroughly wet and disgusted with everything, and go to bed immediately after dinner, the roof commences to leak and I have to get out and shift the bed. I interview the landlord in the morning and he tells me roofs can't be repaired in the rain and that in all probability as soon as the tiles swell the roof will become watertight of its own accord. That doesn't cure either my lumbago or rheumatism, and when I take my bath I discover we are on the Ader Itam water service and have to bathe in pea soup.

"I mention the fact to the municipal president over a stengah at the club and he says: 'My dear boy, I'm on the same service and have been coming mud out of my hair for a week.' This doesn't make me feel any cleaner. The lizards on the ceiling are waxing fat from the insects which are driven into the house by the rain and I notice that the soup at dinner seems to have more body in it from the same cause. This does not improve my temper."

FIRE WORSHIP AND BONFIRES

A peculiarity of fire worship not unnaturally consists in that element being treated with the greatest respect, and any act which could in any way be considered as polluting it is strictly forbidden. For example, a conscientious Parsee never smokes. Much more, then, is anything in the way of sacrifice of a living thing tabooed, and we must look elsewhere for the origin of the Bel fires which were up till recent times a common custom in the Orades, in Wales, and in other out-of-the-way parts of Great Britain. The reader will remember the expression "passing children through the fire" used in the Old Testament to describe a particularly abominable and culpable form of idolatry. There seems to be little doubt that the blameless, if rather risky, game played by children round these fires may be directly referred to that old Phoenician institution, only in its old form the child did not pass through the flame and emerge safely on the other side, as do the boys who jump over the Bel fires to-day, but was burnt to death as a sacrifice—not, however, to Baal but to Moloch. Still, as the two deities were intimately connected, and as accuracy as to minor details was not a strong point with our remote ancestors, it was natural enough that the idea of the fire should be transferred from the "horrid king" to his equally repulsive ally, Baal.

A different kind of fire, better known to most of us, has a very modern origin, the responsible cause being another king, a most unpleasant character, but not a diabolical deity. I refer to bonfires, the original name of which was "bone" fires, so called because they were lighted by Henry VIII's agents to destroy the bones of saints and other relics found in the pillaged monasteries and churches. "Origins of the Commonplace," in the Grand Magazine.

TALE OF CARNEGIE'S BOYHOOD

A broker sneered at the recent story of Andrew Carnegie's reputed declaration that his epitaph was to be "That's d—d white of Andy."

"Mr. Carnegie is a wise man, not a fool," said the broker. "It is true that he has done in his time odd and remarkable things. All those things, though, had a wise purpose behind them. The purpose of such an epitaph as 'That's d—d white of Andy' could only be to evoke ridicule.

"I once visited Dunfermline, Mr. Carnegie's birthplace. They told me there a story about him that illustrated the tenacity and perseverance of his childhood—his bulldog determination to ride down every obstacle and reach his end.

"It seems that at the little Dunfermline school the master called Andrew up one day and asked him how much seven times nine was.

"The boy, unable to hit on the answer immediately, began to go over the entire table.

"'Twice nine is eighteen, thrice nine is twenty-seven, four times nine is thirty-six, five—'

"But the master interrupted, impatiently.

"No, no," he said. "Give me the answer straight off."

"After some thought the boy began again:

"Twice nine is eighteen, thrice nine is twenty-seven, four times—'

"No. Straight off," repeated the master.

"'Haud yer gob, man,' the boy cried, passionately. 'Ye've spoilt me twice, an' do ye want to spoil me a third time?'—Cincinnati Enquirer.

WISE MAN KNEW HIS BUSINESS

Relied on Superstition to Stir Conscience of Thief.

In Calcutta recently a box containing money and valuable papers was stolen from a large business establishment. After the police had failed to trace the thief a native wise man, Tarini Prasad Jyotshi, was called in. He ordered an assembly of the whole establishment—peons, bearers, durwans, table servants, coachmen, syce and what not—and began to harangue them concerning the unity and majesty of the Almighty. He entered upon the ritual of his craft, in which the registration of names, the washing of hands, breathing on little squares of paper, distribution of sacred rice, and muttering of prayers played their part. A new earthenware vessel received the names, with some red powder, and the vessel was finally covered and sealed, the awe-struck audience being informed with further reminders of divine omniscience and omnipotence that unless the box were discovered the name of the thief, inscribed in red, would be found within the earthen vessel when the seal should be broken eight days later. This was on Tuesday evening. On Wednesday morning the box was found rifled of notes and gold, but with the valuable papers intact. But the thief is still at large.

Clever Appeal to Nature

Some years ago in a large and richly stocked nursery in Belgium, chafer beetles became so numerous as to be a very serious pest. After trying by all known means to eradicate them the proprietor observed that starlings devoured large numbers, both of the larvae and the mature insects. Taking a lesson from this he erected half a dozen nesting boxes on 15-foot poles, and as they were immediately occupied by the birds he continued to provide boxes until 125 were in use. The result was that the chafer invasion grew gradually less and was finally completely overcome.—Stray Stories.

Effect of Pest Bounty.

Some years ago the government of Java offered a reward for all crocodiles killed or captured. For a time enormous numbers of them were brought to the authorities. Then it was discovered that nearly all the natives had gone to raising crocodiles, so the reward was withdrawn.

Idaho Joins.

Fraser, Idaho, Nov. 27th (Special)—Mrs. Martha J. Lee has given for publication the following statement, concerning Dodd's Kidney Pills:

"I was down with Rheumatism three times," she says, "and each time Dodd's Kidney Pills helped me. The last time they cured me, and now I am able to get around and do all my work, though I am fifty-eight, and I can walk to Sunday School every Sunday. Before I took Dodd's Kidney Pills I was so bad I could use neither head nor foot. I shall keep Dodd's Pills on hand all the time."

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German Military Penalty.

From picking up an apple while on a march and not dropping it immediately when ordered to do so by a sergeant, a soldier of the Sixty-ninth (German) Infantry has been sentenced to eight months' imprisonment at Treves.

European Breakfasts.

Mark Twain, in speaking of the typical European breakfasts, said: "Do you know what I'll do? I'll nail a piece of cuttle-fish bone to the chimney, and every morning I'll hop up on the mantel and take a pick at it with a tin bill. It will be just as filling and much cheaper than a European breakfast."

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SUNDAY, DAY OF MURDERS

New Orleans Policeman Says Sensa-
tional Crimes Are Committed
on Sabbath.

"Have you ever noticed how many
murders are committed on Sunday?"
asked the old police captain, according
to the New Orleans Times-Democrat.
"This thing has bothered me for many
years, and I have never been able to
figure out why it is that most homici-
des among white people are commit-
ted on Sundays. With the negroes it
is different. Saturday night is the fa-
vorite time among the negroes, and
this, I guess, is due to the fact of Sat-
urday night being a pay night, and a
night looked upon by the negroes as a
night for jollification. In many cases
these occasions of jollification wind up
in murders. The majority of the most
sensational murders that have occurred
in New Orleans in the last year or two
have been committed on Sundays and
there is no apparent reason for it. If
you will search your memory you will
find that what I say is so. Many will
tell you that these murders are the re-
sults of Saturday night sprees, but the
cases I have in mind cannot be classed
there. In the first place, these murders
have been committed by persons not
under the influence of liquor, and in
nearly every case this has been shown
to be so. In nearly all cases where the
murder is out of the ordinary and
where it attracts more than usual at-
tention you will find that Sunday is the
day on which the crime is committed.
This is a problem which I will leave
to others to figure out. It's by me."

To Thibetan Mountains.
A representative of the department
of agriculture has lately been ordered
to explore the Kuen-lun mountain
range, for the discovery of hardy fruits
and grasses that may be profitably in-
troduced into the United States. The
Kuen-lun range is the boundary be-
tween Tibet and East Turkestan and
traverses a country of which white
men know little. It is in this region
that the peach is supposed to have
originated. The expert is commissioned
to learn also what he can of the
fruit in its native habitat.

Couldn't Lose Her.
He—If you loved me, why did you
at first refuse me?
She—I wanted to see how you would
act.

"But I might have rushed off with-
out waiting for an explanation."
"Oh, I had the door locked."—Chi-
cago Journal.

At Disadvantage.
"I've bought an absolutely noiseless
auto," said Mr. Newrich.
"But, Hiram!" exclaimed his wife,
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STATE CONVENTION.

The state convention of the Gleaners
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4, 1906. Meetings will be held in repre-
sentative hall.

JUST A FISH STORY.

Merrick Burch and E. W. Mason got
100 pounds of pickerel in a Sharon pond
as the result of one night's work. One
of the pickerel weighed ten pounds.

CHANGED OWNERSHIP.

Orlando Terry of Manchester has sold
his farm in Sharon to a Mr. Sipe of
West Unity, Ohio. The farm was
formerly owned by Henry Goodyear.

NEW HARNESS SHOP.

N. H. Caverly of Pinckney has leased
the Rehm building and has opened a
harness and shoe repairing shop, and
will also carry a full line of harness
goods.—Dexter Leader.

BIG TIME AHEAD.

The Macabees will hold a big in-
itiation at Manchester, December 30th,
when upward of a hundred candidates
are expected from Jackson, Hillsdale
and other towns, to be followed by a ban-
quet.

TOOK THE CONTENTS.

Occasionally they hear of chickens
thieves in Sharon but just imagine what
Augustus Kuhl of that township said one
morning recently, when he found that a
cider barrel had been robbed of its con-
tents.

FEEDING THIRTY FIVE HOGS.

Frank Tipplady informs us that he is
fattening thirty five hogs this season, be-
sides a large flock of sheep. This must
take considerable work and a lot of corn.
But then think of the "mon."—Pinck-
ney Dispatch.

NEW CARRIER.

R. C. Dorr of Sharon has been ap-
pointed carrier for rural mail route No. 4,
in place of S. D. Craft, who has resigned.
He will enter upon his duties December
1st. C. C. Dorr was appointed substi-
tute.—Grass Lake News.

NINETEEN LAW SUITS.

Nineteen different suits are being
commenced in the circuit court against
the city of Ann Arbor for damages to
the property owners along Allen Creek
caused by that stream overflowing its
banks and sweeping everything before it
on July 7, 1902.

NEW PROPRIETOR.

The Freeman house has been sold to
Wm. Nissley of Saline who took posses-
sion Tuesday morning. Mr. and Mrs.
Art Freeman who have been running
the house for some months will move
out the first of the week.—Manchester
Enterprise.

SOLD FOR GOOD PRICES.

Mrs. Hattie Mehler sold 11 turkeys
which netted her \$23.40. Mrs. H. Mc-
Mann had 19 turkeys which brought
her \$49.65. Mrs. Bert Osborne and 26
which brought \$57.30. Mrs. Ralph Ham-
mond had 33 which brought her \$80.25,
and Mrs. Michael Mohrhardt had 14
which brought her \$30.15.—Saline Ob-
server.

HELPING THEMSELVES.

Geo. DePuy advises us that thieves
are pilfering the farmers in his vicinity
again this fall. Only a few nights ago a
wagon was driven up to his barn, while
they were away from home in the eve-
ning, and several bags of corn taken.
It seems to be an organized gang and
decisive steps should be taken to cap-
ture some of them and break up this
petty thieving. Oscar Halladay was re-
lieved of about twenty bushels of oats
only a short time ago.—Clinton Local.

NO USE FOR BLANKETS.

A few years ago Jacob Beck pur-
chased 80 acres west of the college on
the Jonesville road and people asked
him where he could find blankets to
cover and keep the sand from blowing
away! Now he, with his sons own 800
acres, including the original 80, of as
productive land as can be found in the
county. This year from 100 acres he cut
200 tons of hay, husked 18,000 bushels
of corn and tied up and stacked another
thousand; are feeding 1457 lambs and a
car of steers. Today they get no jolting
about blankets or sand.—Hillsdale
Leader.

HOG CHOLERA.

Hog cholera is said to be epidemic in
a number of localities in Washtenaw
county. In the southern part of Saline
township the swine have suffered terribly
from the pestilence, while southwest of
Milan, on the Ridge, they have died off
in droves. Chas. Harmon recently lost 18
hogs and 24 pigs, and Jas. Harmon,
Chas. Booth and Doctor Phillips have
lost large numbers. Many other farmers
in the same section have lost heavily.
It has been rumored that the plague has
visited the pens of Augusta township,
but inquiry fails to substantiate the re-
ports. However, the disease seems to
be epidemic and farmers should do
everything possible to guard against its
ravages.—Milan Leader.

SULU'S SPOTLESS SULTAN.

Family Descent and Present Power
of the Malay Monarch of
Maybun.

Sultan Hadji Mahommed Jamalul Kir-
am claims descent from that valiant
Dyak Borneo chief Pagulan Tindig,
who, early in the sixteenth century,
conquered the Sulu archipelago, found-
ed the sultanate and opened the way for
the introduction therein of the religion
of the great prophet.

This sultanate, politically regarded as
an integral part of the Philippines,
came into the possession, or control, of
America as a result of the Spanish-
American war of 1898. Under the old
regime this group of about 140 islands
and islets constituted a vassal domain
in the suzerainty of the king of Spain.

From the end of the sixteenth century
up to the present day Sulu, or Jolo, as the
Spaniards termed it, and the adjacent
large Mohammedan island of Mindanao,
have been the theater of intermittent
strife and bloody warfare. Although
personally convinced of the superiority
of American strength, the sultan has no
power, and perhaps little inclination, to
coerce his nominally subordinate chiefs
into submission to the great republic.

When I was staying at the royal resi-
dence of Maybun (Sulu Island), as the
sultan's guest, in 1881, says a writer in
St. James' Gazette, young Mohammed
Jamalul Kiram was a youth of about
15 summers. On his father's death the
Spaniards cited him to Manila to receive
investiture from the governor general,
in the name of the king of Spain.

But he refused to go there, for tradi-
tion had taught him how, in 1750, his il-
lustrous predecessor, Sultan Mahamad
Alimudin, had been inveigled to the
Spaniards' capital, where he was kept a
prisoner until the British released him
in 1763.

The Spaniards thereupon ignored his
right of succession, and appointed in his
stead, his uncle, Harun Narrasid. But
the Christian-hating Moslems point-
blank refused to accept the infidels' nomi-
nee, and a nationalist party waged war
so persistently against him that he was
obliged to make peace with his nephew,
who complacently appointed "Uncle
Harun" to his vassal sultanate of Pal-
aun Island.

In the meantime, Mohammad Jamalul
Kiram made his pilgrimage to Mecca,
and thus secured the title of hadji, or
knight, to which every pilgrim to that
holy shrine is entitled.

When I called upon his highness last
year he was residing in Tulay, an ex-
municipal suburb of Jolo town, in a rough-
ly built wooden house, which had the ap-
pearance of an immense packing case,
with so many openings in it for door-
ways and windows.

I was met at the entrance by several
of his armed liegemen, who escorted me
through the vestibule, practically a rub-
bish store, to the staircase. I wondered,
for the moment, where the stairs led to,
but suddenly the lid at the top was
raised, and, in a minute, I
found myself in the royal pres-
ence. His highness was seated on
a sofa near the window opening, and
after I had made a low bow, a smile and
a movement of his hands signified an in-
vitation to approach.

Without rising, he graciously shook
hands with me, and pointed to a chair
opposite. So I seated myself and started
the conversation by telling him how
years ago, when he was a little boy, I
had been the guest of his father at May-
bun.

This reminiscence evidently delighted
him; if the ice were not broken before, it
was now. A smile of delight beamed on
the sultan's face; a word from his lips
brought his retainers, attired in pic-
turesque, bright-colored costumes, and
armed with "barong," short swords and
daggers, into a semicircle around the
back of my chair.

The sultan is a short, thick-set man,
with small eyes, a slight, black must-
ache, sallow complexion, and his hair
cropped as close as scissors would clip.
Clothed in a sarong of brilliant hue from
his loins downwards around his shoul-
ders was thrown a jabul, or strip of col-
ored stuff, sewn together at the ends.
And as he waxed warm on the subject of
his grievances, at every gesture the jabul
would slide down to his waist, exposing
his dusky skin, so that perhaps I really
saw more of his highness than is the
privilege of most Europeans.

On taking leave of my royal host he
presented me with his handsome dress-
sword and belt-cutting as souvenirs to
the "friend of his honored father."
The Tulay audience chamber occupies
half the upper floor, and its description
may be briefly summed up in bare
boards, nondescript bundles, four or
five pieces of dilapidated furniture,
dirt and lumber.

But the Maybun palace, on the op-
posite coast of the island, is quite a
different place. Built bungalow fash-
ion, and covered with an iron roof,
it has several spacious apartments,
which would be all-sufficient for the
home of a prosperous European planter.

Here, far away from the inquisitive
gaze of the Christian infidel, the sul-
tan, in company with his seven wives,
can alternately ponder on the glories
of the past in the sanguinary struggles
against the Spaniards, and lament his
fast-diminishing power under the lev-
eling process of American conquest.

In a material sense he is wanting
nothing; he receives an annual income
from the British North Borneo com-
pany in lieu of his sovereign rights
in Brunel; he has strings of lovely
pearls galore; and in the natives' esti-
mation he is wealthy.

But he is the Majasari, the stain-
less, the spotless, who can do no
wrong—the lord of life and property,
on whose mercy depends all that the
world can give within his domain, in-
cluding the happiness and existence
of his sultans.

Ordinance No. 5.
An ordinance to abate and remove
nuisances and preserve health.

The village of Chelsea ordains:
Section 1. That no person shall by
himself or by another throw, place, de-
posit or leave in or upon any street, alley,
sidewalk or public place within the
limits of village of Chelsea, any vege-
table substance, dead animal, fish,
shavings, waste paper, dirt, rubbish,
excrement, filth, slops, unclean or
nauseous water or liquor, hay, straw,
ashes, clinders, soot, offal, garbage, swill,
or any other article or substance what-
ever which may cause any offensive or
unwholesome smell or that would
frighten horses or teams.

Sec. 5. Any violation of the provi-
sions of this ordinance shall be pub-
lished by a fine exceeding one hundred
dollars and costs of prosecution or by im-
prisonment in the Washtenaw county
jail for a term not exceeding ninety
days.

The foregoing sections of ordinance
No. 5 will be strictly enforced.
HOWARD BROOKS,
Village Marshall.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh That Contain Mercury.

As mercury will surely destroy the
sense of smell and completely derange
the whole system when entering it
through the mucous surfaces. Such ar-
ticles should never be used except on
prescriptions from reputable physicians,
as the damage they will do is ten fold
to the good you can possibly derive from
them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufac-
tured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O.,
contains no mercury, and is taken inter-
nally, acting directly upon the blood
and mucous surfaces of the system. In
buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you
get the genuine. It is taken internally
and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J.
Cheney & Co. Testimonials free.
Sold by druggists. Price 75c. per
bottle.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipa-
tion.

Lima Taxpayers.

I will be at the Lima waiting room
every Friday during December, at the
Dexter Savings Bank Saturday, Decem-
ber 23, and the Kempf Savings Bank,
Chelsea, Saturday, December 30, 1905,
for the purpose of receiving the taxes
for Lima township for the year 1905.
DAVID E. BEACH, Treasurer.

Don't use harsh pills. The reaction
weakens the bowels, leads to chronic
constipation. Get Doan's Regulax.
They operate easily, tone the stomach,
cure constipation.

TO AILING WOMEN.

A little sound advice will help many a
sufferer.

No woman can be healthy and well if
the kidneys are sick. Poisons that pass
off in the urine when the kidneys are
sick. Kidneys and bladder get inflamed
and swollen, crowding the delicate fe-
male organs nearby and sometimes dis-
placing them. This is the true cause of
many bearing down pains, lameness,
backache, headache, etc. Urine poisoning
also causes headach, dizziness, spell-
ing, nervousness, and rheumatic
pain.

When suffering so, try Doan's Kidney
Pills, the remedy that cures sick kid-
neys. You will get better as the kidneys
get better, and health will return when
the kidneys are well.

Mrs. S. Anspoker, of 309 N. Shawas
see street, Owosso, Mich., says: "Doan's
Kidney Pills are not a new remedy to
me, for I used them two or three years
ago when from some cause such as a
cold or the grippe my kidneys troubled
me. I do not know what my trouble was
without them, but in spite of it I
steadily growing worse. In spite of it I
the medicine I took. The kidneys se-
cretions were irregular and unnatural.
I could not rest comfortably nights and
always arose tired and worn out morn-
ings. My general health was poor and
this trouble was a great drain on me. I
had taken so much medicine that I had
little confidence in any, but I procured
a box of Doan's Kidney Pills. I soon
noticed an improvement in my condi-
tion and steadily grew better. I cannot
speak too highly of this valuable pre-
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at all times."

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PROBATE ORDER.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WASH-
TENAW, ss. At a session of the Probate
Court for said county of Washtenaw, held at
the Probate Office, in the City of Ann Arbor,
on the 23rd day of November in the year one
thousand nine hundred and five.
Present, Emory E. Leland, Judge of Probate.
In the matter of the estate of Charles E.
Chandler, deceased.

It is Ordered, That the 23rd day of December
next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said
Probate Office be appointed for hearing said
account.
And it is further Ordered, That a copy of this
order be published three successive weeks pre-
vious to said time of hearing, in the Chelsea
Standard a newspaper printed and circulating
in said county of Washtenaw.
EMORY E. LELAND, Judge of Probate.
(A true copy.)
H. WIST NEWKIRK, Register.

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