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CHELSEA, MICHIGAN.

Oldest and Strongest Bank in Western Washtenaw County.

Capital and Surplus, - \$175,000.00

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We devote special attention to prescriptions and household remedies.

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Wright's Liquid Smoke for curing Hams and Bacon, quart bottle 75c.
Finest Imported Olive Oil, pint, 60c. Lower grades at lower prices.
Double distilled extract of Wild Haze, the very best, pint, 90c.
Spirits of Camphor, full strength, pint, 50c.

Drinking glasses 20c dozen

Pure Castor Oil for medical use, pint, 25c.
Cuticura Soap, 18c.
Mennen's Talcum Powder, 18c.

Semi-Porcelain Cups and Saucers, regular size, dozen, 78c.

Good Toilet Soap, 3c cake.
Sponges you will like.
Delicate Perfumes.

Chocolates that Every Girl Sighs For.

Highest Market price paid for Eggs

AT THE

Bank Drug Store.

QUARTERLY CONFERENCE

HELD AT THE METHODIST CHURCH

Last Saturday Evening, January 6, 1906, and Presided Over by Dr. Wm. Dawe, Presiding Elder of This District.

Last Saturday evening the second quarterly conference was held in the Methodist church, Dr. Wm. Dawe presiding. The conference from first to last was as much unlike the usual run of quarterly conferences and as far ahead in its grasp and spirit as the Wolverine express at 70 miles an hour is ahead of the old stage coach.

The feeling at large in the Methodist denomination has been that the presiding eldership either did not measure up to the demands of the age, or was a relic of pioneer days, and the quarterly conference an institution that only a few were formerly interested in, thus destitute of life and power—to all intents and purposes, a valley of dry bones.

It is very evident that Ann Arbor district has at its head in Dr. Dawe a man who has the genius of management, who is able to bring up the best from the old order of things which the fathers of methodism remember and loved so well, and adapt them to the needs of the present, and has virtually stepped into the valley filled with that which was destitute of interest and life and said, "Let these bones live."

At 6:30 Saturday evening, forty-five members of the official board, teachers in the Sunday school, officers of Epworth League, Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary societies, and Ladies Aid society, sat down to a delightful lunch prepared by the Ladies Aid society.

After a very pleasant hour, the Doctor opened the conference. Reports of the condition of church work were made by the officers, the pastor on the work in general, Mr. Henry Stimson on Sunday school, Mrs. Dr. Palmer on the ladies aid, Mrs. George Jackson on the spiritual condition, and Mr. A. T. Gorton on the Epworth League. These reports were commented on by the presiding elder in a most helpful way. At the close of the conference Dr. Dawe addressed the assembly on the outlook.

Old members remarked at the close that it was the best conference they ever attended. We understand that the date is set and plans formed for the third conference, April 20th, when lunch will be served, quarterly work ending with a splendid program on Sunday school work.

We would not be surprised if this Dawean method grew in favor with presiding elders, pastors and church officers all over the country.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

(OFFICIAL.)

CHELSEA, MICH., January 3, 1906.

Board met in regular session. Meeting called to order by the president. Roll called by the clerk. Present—J. A. Palmer, president, and trustees O. C. Burkhardt, W. J. Knapp, A. Eppler, J. D. Colton, L. P. Vogel and F. H. Sweetland. Absent—none.

Minutes of the previous meeting read and approved.

The following bills were then presented and read by the clerk:

R. Williamson & Co., fixtures, \$25.53
James Dunn, draying, 1.45
Tom W. Mingay, printing, 20.78
L. Bagge, draying, 2.00
Ed. Chandler, draying, 2.65
Collins, Hahn & Balziel, 1 car coal, 34.27
Adam Eppler, meat for smallpox cases, 26.50
Frank Brooks, work in engine room, 8.80
Howard Brooks, work on jail, 12.00
Garlock Packing Co., packing, 6.63
Kenneth, Anderson & Co., packing, 9.08
Will Soule, work on pump, 1.75
Will Ryan, work on pump, 60
Frank C. Teal, supplies and fixtures, 92.88
Will Wolff, drawing gravel on st., 49.00
New York Belting & Packing Co., fireman coats, etc., 51.50
Sunday Creek Coal Co., 3 cars coal, 90.04
M. C. R. freight on coal, etc., 155.50
Columbia Lamp Co., 2 meters, 26.78
Manhattan Rubber Co., 12 spanners, 6.00
P. M. Boehm, one month's salary, 75.00
Sam Trouton, " " 50.00
E. Bahmiller, " " 45.00
Roy Evans, " " 50.00
Howard Brooks, " " 18.00
Mrs. Anna Hoag, " " 18.00
P. L. Davidson, cement block for jail, 67.82
B. H. Glenn, draying, 75
Sam Heeschelwerdt, lettering fireman's coats, 3.00
Wm. Bacon-Holmes Co., lime and cement for jail, 7.20

Moved by Burkhardt, seconded by W. J. Knapp, that the bills be allowed as read by the clerk and orders drawn on the treasurer for their amounts. Carried.

Moved and supported that H. L. Wood be given a rebate of two cents per foot on sidewalk on account of his doing his own filling for same. Carried.

Moved by Vogel, seconded by Colton, that the claim of E. L. Negus for injuries

received in falling into the pump room be referred to the village attorney. Carried.

CHELSEA, MICH., Jan. 3, 1906.
To the President and members of the Common Council of the Village of Chelsea:

The majority of your committee to whom was referred the communication of the Glazier Stove Company beg leave to make the following report:

We find, after a careful perusal of the communication referred to us, that it is the desire of the Glazier Stove Company that the Council close that portion of Railroad Street between Main Street and East Street.

We find, after an investigation and consultation with the village attorney, that this council, by a two-thirds vote of the trustees elect, may vote to deem it advisable to close said street.

And, after considering the communication and an investigation of the contract existing between the Glazier Stove Company and the village of Chelsea, that the village is furnishing lights, power and water to said Stove Company for a great deal less than cost, and that we deem it advisable to negotiate with the Glazier Stove Company to obtain, if possible, a new contract which would be equitable and just between both said parties, and, if an amicable adjustment of the matter can be brought about, between said Glazier Stove Company and this village, we believe the whole matter can be settled, i.e., the village receive a just compensation for lights, power and water furnished, and in return that necessary steps can be taken to close said street.

Moved by Colton, seconded by Vogel, that the report of the street committee be accepted as read.

Yeas—Colton and Vogel.
Nays—Burkhardt, Knapp, Eppler and Sweetland.

Lost.

Moved by Colton, seconded by Sweetland, that the street committee be instructed to get prices on the necessary signs for naming the streets in the Village of Chelsea and report at the next regular meeting. Carried.

Moved by Burkhardt, seconded by Sweetland, that the electric light committee be instructed to purchase 300 feet of new fire hose. Carried.

Moved by Colton, seconded by Vogel, that the motion in regard to the settlement of the Wm. Kelley bill, made at the meeting of December 6, 1905, be stricken from the records, and that the action of the president in paying the bill of \$141.29 to the owner of the Kelley property be confirmed. Carried.

On motion, board adjourned.

W. H. HEBELSCHWEIT, Clerk.

DATES FOR THE YEAR 1906.

Ash Wednesday Will Fall on February 28th, and Easter Sunday on April 15th. This Year

Lent will begin early this year. Ash Wednesday will fall on February 28, and the period of sack cloth and ashes will close on April 15. The calendars for the year 1906 give the following dates for the feasts and fasts of the church:

Epiphany, January 6; Septagesima Sunday, February 11; Sexagesima Sunday, February 18; Quinquagesima Sunday, February 25; Shrove Tuesday, February 27; Ash Wednesday, February 28; Quadragesima Sunday, March 4; Palm Sunday, April 8; Good Friday, April 13; Easter Sunday, April 15; Low Sunday, April 22; Rogation Sunday, May 20; Ascension Day, May 24; Whit Sunday, June 3; Trinity Sunday, June 10; Corpus Christi, June 14; Advent Sunday, December 2.

The secular holidays during the coming year follow:

New Year's day, 1906, Monday; St. Valentine's Day on Wednesday; Washington's birthday on Thursday; Memorial Day on Wednesday; Independence Day on Wednesday; Labor Day on Monday, September 3; Haloween on Wednesday, October 31; Thanksgiving Day on November 29, and Christmas Day on Tuesday.

Correspondence of dates, between the coming year and those of other years, are given thus by the almanac:

The year 1906 corresponds to the year 6619 of the Julian period; the year 5066 of the Jewish era (the year begins at sunset on September 10); the year 2659 since the foundation of Rome, according to Varro; the year 2566 of the Japanese era, and to the 39th year of the period entitled "Meiji"; the year 1824 of the Mohammedan era, or the era of the Hegira, begins on the 25th day of February, 1906. The first day of January, 1906, is the 2,417,212th day since the commencement of the Julian period. There will be three eclipses of the sun in 1906 and two of the moon.

HELD ANNUAL MEETING.

The annual meeting of the German Mutual Fire Insurance Co. was held in Ann Arbor Monday and the following officers elected: President, Fred Flegel, Pittsfield; vice president, Henry Fiedkamp, Ann Arbor town; secretary, Charles Braun, Ann Arbor town; treasurer, Michael P. Alber, Freedom; director for three years, George J. Fiedkamp, Saline.

It now has 2,035 members, a gain of 50 over last year, and its capital stock is \$4,878,808, a gain of \$188,140 over last year. The losses last year amounted to \$4,246.

PROSECUTOR'S REPORT.

FOR THE PAST SIX MONTHS.

Four Hundred and Ninety-Seven Cases Have Been Tried During That Time and Not One Was Acquitted.

Prosecuting Attorney Sawyer has filed his report for the six months ending December 31, 1905. The fines he has collected during the six months amount to \$350.

A total of 497 cases were prosecuted by him, of which 479 resulted in convictions, 11 were dismissed on payment of costs, four were nolle prossed, two were settled and one was dismissed on examination of the prisoner.

The drunks head the list of cases, as usual, there being 210 of this class. Vagrants come next with 134. Among the other cases are twelve truancy, eight violations of the liquor law and two forgery.

MOVING PICTURES

Welcott & Heox are coming January 17, with a superb collection of beautiful moving pictures.

Never were the people of this vicinity offered an opportunity to see a greater or better collection of high class motion pictures. The scenes from the works of master minds, picturing actual happenings in life. Some portray situations and conditions as seen by deep imaginative writers. The humorous predicaments of life are plainly shown and provoke side splitting laughter, while the serious situations awaken keen interest and exciting anticipation.

The young tramps, a great scene. The theft is made. Burning the haystack. The fire department. The chase. The capture. The escape. The cow boys and the Indians. This wonderful work attracts special comment every where. It plainly shows the danger of life on the frontier, begins with the whipping of an Indian marauder who wears vengeance. The holdup of the stage coach, abduction of the wife and child. The messenger dog carries the news. The pursuit and capture, real excitement. Illustrated songs rendered by Master Earl Calkins the world's famous tenor singer. Comic scenes and plenty of fun. Thrilling, refined, exciting, educating, moral, its good for everybody. Two hours uninterrupted entertainment. B-nest of new Parochial school, opera house Chelsea, Jan. 17, '06. The owners of this show guarantee complete satisfaction. The cost of admittance will gladly be returned to any one who is not perfectly pleased with the entertainment.

ANNUAL CHURCH MEETING.

The annual meeting of the Congregational church and society was held Monday evening. Although the church was without a pastor during six months of the year, nearly all of the reports were of an encouraging nature. The report of the treasurer, W. J. Knapp, showed that the current expenses had all been paid, the deficit of the previous year had been met, and there is a balance of \$56 in the treasury. The receipts for the year were \$1,560. All the officers whose terms had expired were re-elected.

Trustees—L. T. Freeman, S. A. Mapes. Clerk of Church and Society—D. H. Wurster.

Deacon—C. M. Davis.
Deaconess—Mrs. C. H. Kempf.
Church Clerk and Treasurer—Mrs. H. S. Holmes.

CHORAL UNION SERIES.

The third number of the Choral Union Series will be given by George Hamlin, a noted tenor singer, at University hall, Ann Arbor, on Thursday evening, January 18th. George Hamlin has for a long time been known as one of our best equipped and most reliable concert singers. Several years ago he entered upon the special study of the songs of Richard Strauss, who is the greatest living representative of that most beautiful form, the German Lied. He succeeded in arousing genuine enthusiasm for these works in this country, and this success has been surpassed by his veritable triumphs in Germany and France during last season. He sang in some of the most important choral concerts in Germany with remarkable success, but it was reserved for him to make his greatest triumphs as an interpreter of Richard Strauss. He will present a program largely made up of selections from this master.

BREITENBACH-SUMNER.

A quiet but pretty wedding took place Tuesday, January 9, at 8 o'clock, at the Church of Our Lady of the Sacred Heart, when Miss Ella Breitenbach and Mr. Edward Sumner were united in the holy bonds of matrimony. Rev. W. P. Connelley officiating.

The bride was dressed in blue mousseline and was attended by her niece, Miss Elizabeth Breitenbach, who wore blue chiffon tulle. The groom was attended by Mr. William Kelly. A wedding breakfast was served at the home of the bride. The happy couple left for a short wedding trip on the 10:40 train.

Three little babes were nestled in bed, "I'll name William, Willie and Bill," mother said; "Wide was her smile, for triplets they be; She lays her good luck to Rocky Mountain Tea. (Great baby medicine.) Bank drug store.

Thanking you for your past patronage, we most respectfully solicit your shoe trade for 1906.

THE

Queen Quality

Is our Leader. It has FIT, STYLE and DURABILITY. If you appreciate good footwear, accept no other. \$3.00 and \$3.50 a pair.

To maintain our reputation for a clean and up-to-the-minute stock, we will give you all our odds and ends and small lots at a bargain price.

Good Style \$3.00 and \$3.50 Shoes at \$2.00 a pair

\$2.00 and \$2.50 Shoes at \$1.50 a pair

One lot of Ladies', Children's and Boys' Shoes at only \$1.00 a pair

Come early before the best are sorted out.

W. P. SCHENK & COMPANY

Little Leaves of Tea, Little Grains of Coffee,

Play a Very Important Part In Our Business.

We have Teas and Coffees of richer and rarer blends than most dealers. Not blended by accident, they represent years of experience. We want you to know what really good Tea and Coffee should be, and endorse these two for a trial.

Best Green Tea, per pound, 50c.

Standard Mocha and Java Coffee, pound, 25c.

Fancy Bulk Olives per quart 50c and.....	25c	'Uncl Sam' Macaroni or Egg Noodles, 3 pkgs.....	25c
Chief Corn, solid pack 2 cans.....	25c	The Famous V Crackers 3 1/2 pounds.....	25c
Early June Peas per can 10c and.....	15c	King's Potato Chips 3 packages.....	25c
Fancy Red Salmon 15c quality 2 cans.....	25c	Graham Crackers 3 pounds.....	25c
VanCamp's Soups all kinds, 3 cans.....	25c		

Fancy California Navel Oranges, per doz., 20c

Dark New Orleans Molasses, per gallon.....	19c
Yellow Corn Meal, 10 pounds for.....	25c
Canned Corn, per can.....	6c
Best Rock Salt, per sack.....	25c
Ten pounds Buckwheat Flour.....	25c
Yeast Foam, per package.....	3c
4 1/2 pounds Crackers.....	25c

AT THE BUSY STORE OF

FREEMAN BROS.

A black and white woodcut illustration of a hippopotamus standing in a cage. The hippo is facing left, with its head slightly turned towards the viewer. The cage is made of vertical bars, and the background shows a fence and some foliage.

"We have used Shilo
last twelve years, and
recommends on the market."
Guy, Cal.
"I can recommend
one of the best cough
remedies, Ohio."
"Have used Shilo
coughs and colds with
Minnie Howe, Portland."

2 SHILO
25c. per bottle.

PISO'S COUGH SYRUP
CHERRY WILKINSON
Best Cough Syrup.

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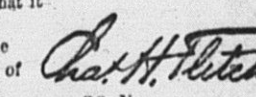
St. Jacobs Oil

It is to cure, and the world knows it does it safely and surely.

Price, 25c. and 50c.

Medical Note.
Peter Cavanaugh, the advertising agent for "Moonshine," whose attack of pneumonia was gaining steady headway under the treatment of his family physician, is now in charge of a veterinary and recovering steadily. —Exchange.

Important to Mothers.
Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA made and sure remedy for infants and children, but see that it



is the signature of **Chas. H. Pott** in Use For 30 Years.

The kind you have always bought.

Irrigation in Mexico.
The Mexican government is giving attention to the problem of irrigating on a large scale.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY
THE LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE TABLETS. Drug stores refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature is on each box. 25c.

Snakes as Articles of Diet.
As an article of diet, the blue racer, of all snakes, is said to be the most delicate in flavor, and it is very clean in its habits and particular as to its food. The flesh of the rattler is also perfectly wholesome and toothsome having a flavor like the flesh of most snakes, like chicken.

Do Not Fear Leprosy.
A doctor remarks: "What strikes me most at a Bengal hospital is the lack of sense of proportion in the estimation of diseases. A man is gravely perturbed because he has not sneezed for three months, but he is comparatively indifferent to the fact that he exhibits the early signs of leprosy."

WOMEN WHO SUFFER

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills the One Remedy Particularly Suited For Feminine Ills.
To women who suffer Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are worth their weight in gold. At special periods a woman needs medicine to regulate her blood supply or bring. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are absolutely the finest medicine that ever saw blood. They actually make new blood. They are good for men too—but they are good in a special way for women.

"It was three years ago last spring that my health failed me," says Mrs. Arthur Conklin, of No. 5 Coldwater street, Battle Creek, Mich. "I suffered from leucorrhoea and other troubles that, I presume, were due to the weakness it produced. I had sinking spells, nervous headaches, and was exhausted all the time and looked like a walking skeleton.

"My neck and limbs would ache almost continually and there were days when I was absolutely helpless from sick headache. I tried one doctor after another but cannot say that they helped me at all. My liver was sluggish and I was troubled some with constipation.

"One day a physician who had now retired from practice met my husband on the street and inquired about my health. He advised my husband to get some of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for me, saying they were a good medicine, better for my trouble than he could put up. I tried them, improved steadily and soon was entirely cured. As soon as the leucorrhoea was cured the headaches and other pains stopped. I am entirely well now but intend to continue to use Dr. Williams' Pink Pills as a spring tonic."

The genuine Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are sold by all druggists and by the Dr. Williams Medicine Company, Schenectady, N. Y.

You Won't
cough long if you use Shiloh's Consumption Cure, the Lung Tonic. It cures Colds, Coughs, and all irritations of the air passages almost instantly.

You won't lose anything if it fails to cure you, for then your dealer will give you back what you paid for it. If you use Shiloh's

You Will
agree that it is the greatest medicine for Coughs and Colds in the world.

We have used Shiloh's Consumption Cure for the last twelve years, and think it one of the best cough cures in the market. —Mrs. A. J. Adams, Santa Clara, Cal.

THE GREAT K&A TRAIN ROBBERY

BY PAUL LEXESTER FORD, Author of 'The Peter Stirling' Etc.

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CHAPTER VI.—Continued.
"Miss Cullen," I said, gravely, "you have those letters, and must give them to me."

"But I told you—" she began.
To spare her a second untruth, I interrupted her by saying, "I trapped your brother into acknowledging that you have them."

"You must have misunderstood him," she replied, calmly, "or else he didn't know that the arrangement was changed."

Her steadiness rather shocked my conviction, but I said, "You must give me those letters, or I must search you."

"You never would!" she cried, rising and looking me in the face.
On impulse I tried a big bluff. I took hold of the lapel of her waist, intending to undo just one button. I let go in fright when I found there was no button—only an awful complication of hooks or some other feminine method of keeping things together—and I grew red and trembled, thinking what might have happened had I, by bad luck, made anything come undone. If Miss Cullen had been noticing me, she would have seen a terribly scared man.

But she wasn't, luckily, for the moment my hand touched her dress, and before she could realize that I snatched it away, she collapsed on the rock, and burst into tears.

"Oh! oh!" she sobbed. "I begged papa not to, but he insisted they were safest with me. I'll give them to you, if you'll only 'go away and not—' Her tears made her inarticulate, and without waiting for more I ran into the hut, feeling as near like a murderer as a gullible man could.

Lord Ralles by this time was making almost as much noise as an engine pulling a heavy freight up grade under forced draft, swearing over his trousers, and was offering the cowboy and Hance money to recover them. When they told him this was impossible he tried to get them to sell or hire a pair, but they didn't like the idea of riding into camp minus those essentials any better than he did. While I waited they settled the difficulty by strapping a blanket around him, and by splitting it up the middle and using plenty of cord they rigged him out after a fashion; but I think if he could have seen himself and been given an option he would have preferred to wait till it was dark enough to creep into camp unnoticed.

Before long Miss Cullen called, and when I went to her she handed me, without a word, three letters. As she did so she crimsoned violently, and looked down in her mortification. I was so sorry for her that, though a moment before I had been judging her harshly, I now couldn't help saying: "Our positions have been so difficult, Miss Cullen, that I don't think either of us is quite responsible for our actions."

She said nothing, and after a pause, I continued: "I hope you'll think as leniently of my conduct as you can, for I can't tell you how grieved I am to have pained you."

Cullen joined us at this point, and, knowing that every moment we remained would be distressing to his sister, I announced that we would start up the trail. I hadn't the heart to offer to help her to mount, and after Frederic had put her up we fell into single file behind Hance, Lord Ralles coming last.

As soon as we started I took a look at the three letters. They were all addressed to Theodore E. Camp, Esq., Ash Forks, Arizona—one of the directors of the K. & A.

I told the sheriff that I had recovered lost property, but did not think any arrests necessary as yet; and as he was the agent of the K. & A. at Flagstaff, he didn't question my opinion. I ordered the stage out, and told the driver to give us a feed before we started, but a more silent meal I never sat down to, and I noticed that Miss Cullen didn't eat anything, while the tragic look on her face was so pathetic as nearly to drive me frantic.

We started a little after five, and were clear of the timber before it was too dark to see. At the relay station we waited an hour for the moon, after which it was a clear track. We reached the half-way ranch about eleven, and while changing the stage horses I roused Mrs. Klostermeyer, and succeeded in getting enough cold mutton and bread to make two rather decent-looking sandwiches. With these and a glass of whiskey and water I went to the stage, to find Miss Cullen curled up on the seat asleep, her head resting in her brother's arms.

"She has nearly worried herself to death ever since you told her that road agents were hung," Frederic whispered; "and she's been crying to-night over the lie she told you, and altogether she's worn out with travel and excitement."

I screwed the cover on the traveling glass, and put it with the sandwiches in the bottom of the stage. "It's a long and a rough ride," I said, "and if she wakes up they may give her a little strength. I only wish I could have spared her the fatigue and anxiety."

"She thought she had to lie for father's sake, but she's nearly broken-hearted over it," he continued.
I looked Frederic in the face as I said, "I honor her for it," and in that moment he and I became friends.

"Just see how pretty she is!" he whispered, with evident affection and pride, turning back the flap of the rug in which she was wrapped.
She was breathing gently, and there was just that touch of weariness and sadness in her face that would appeal to any man. It made me gulp, I'm proud to say; and when I myself, for her sake, I'll pull the Cullens out of this scrape, if it costs me my position."

CHAPTER VII.

A Change of Base.
We did not reach Flagstaff till seven, and I told the stage-load to take possession of their car, while I went to my own. It took me some time to get freshened up, and then I ate my breakfast, for after riding seventy-two miles in one night even the most heroic purposes have to take the side-track. I think, as it was, I proved my devotion pretty well by not going to sleep, with only such naps as I could steal in the saddle; and had ridden over a hundred and fifty miles to boot. But I couldn't bear to think of Miss Cullen's anxiety, and the moment I had made myself decent, and finished eating, I went into 218.

The party were all in the dining-room, but it was a very different-looking crowd from the one with which that first breakfast had been eaten, and they all looked at me as if I were the executioner come for victims.

"Mr. Cullen," I began, "I've been forced to do a lot of things that weren't pleasant, but I don't want to do more than I need. You're not the ordinary kind of road agents, and, as I presume your address is known, I

"The toughest part of it is," Fred went on, "that we thought we had the whole thing 'hands down,' and that was what made my father go in so deep. Only the death of one of the sand directors of K. & A. got us in this hole, for the G. S. put up a relation to contest the will, and so delayed the obtaining of letters of administration, blocking his executors from giving proxy. It was as mean a trick as ever was played."

"The G. S. is a tough customer to fight," I remarked, and asked, "Why didn't you burn the letters?" really wishing they had done so.

"We feared duplicate proxies might get through in time, and thought that by keeping these we might cook up a question as to which were legal, and then by injunction prevent the use of either."

"And those Englishmen," I inquired, "are they real?"
"Oh, certainly," he rejoined. "They were visiting my brother, and thought the whole thing great larks." Then he told me how the thing had been done. They had sent Miss Cullen to my car, so as to get me out of the way, though she hadn't known it. He and his brother got off the train at the last stop, with guns and masks, and concealed themselves on the platform of the mail-car. Here they had been joined by the Britishers at the right moment, the disguises assumed, and the train held up as already told. Of course the dynamite cartridge was only a blind, and the letter's had been thrown about the car merely to confuse the clerk. Then while Frederic Cullen, with the letters, had stolen back to the car, the two Englishmen had crept back to where they had stood. Here, as had been arranged, they opened fire, which Albert Cullen duly returned, and then joined them.

"I don't see now how you spotted us," Frederic ended.
I told him, and his disgust was amusing to see. "Going to Oxford may be all right for classics," he growled, "but it's destructive to gumption."

"We rode into camp a pretty gloomy crowd, and those of the party waiting for us there were not much better; but when Lord Ralles dismounted and showed up in his substitute for trousers there was a general shout of laughter. Even Miss Cullen had to laugh for a moment. And as his lordship bolted for his tent, I said to myself, 'Honors are easy.'"

I told the sheriff that I had recovered lost property, but did not think any arrests necessary as yet; and as he was the agent of the K. & A. at Flagstaff, he didn't question my opinion. I ordered the stage out, and told the driver to give us a feed before we started, but a more silent meal I never sat down to, and I noticed that Miss Cullen didn't eat anything, while the tragic look on her face was so pathetic as nearly to drive me frantic.

We started a little after five, and were clear of the timber before it was too dark to see. At the relay station we waited an hour for the moon, after which it was a clear track. We reached the half-way ranch about eleven, and while changing the stage horses I roused Mrs. Klostermeyer, and succeeded in getting enough cold mutton and bread to make two rather decent-looking sandwiches. With these and a glass of whiskey and water I went to the stage, to find Miss Cullen curled up on the seat asleep, her head resting in her brother's arms.

"She has nearly worried herself to death ever since you told her that road agents were hung," Frederic whispered; "and she's been crying to-night over the lie she told you, and altogether she's worn out with travel and excitement."

I screwed the cover on the traveling glass, and put it with the sandwiches in the bottom of the stage. "It's a long and a rough ride," I said, "and if she wakes up they may give her a little strength. I only wish I could have spared her the fatigue and anxiety."

"She thought she had to lie for father's sake, but she's nearly broken-hearted over it," he continued.
I looked Frederic in the face as I said, "I honor her for it," and in that moment he and I became friends.

"Just see how pretty she is!" he whispered, with evident affection and pride, turning back the flap of the rug in which she was wrapped.
She was breathing gently, and there was just that touch of weariness and sadness in her face that would appeal to any man. It made me gulp, I'm proud to say; and when I myself, for her sake, I'll pull the Cullens out of this scrape, if it costs me my position."

"What is your favorite poem?" "I haven't any," answered Mr. Cumrox. "Poetry always strikes me as merely an effort on the author's part to show off how much he knows about capital letters and punctuation marks."

Evidence of Reckless Bravery.
She—Do you believe men are as brave now as they used to be?
He—Sure! Just see the poetry some men write now.

DAIRY NOTES

Butter Bacteria.
Until recently it was not recognized that bacteria played a very serious role in the dairy industry. Our butter flavors are due entirely to the development of bacteria. There is not one kind of bacteria in a lot of butter, but many kinds. These kinds differ in stage of multiplication. It so happens that one kind of bacteria may be in butter one day in very large numbers, while a week after another kind may have increased so much more rapidly than the first that the flavor of the butter seems to be entirely changed. This has been a source of much trouble to judges of butter. They have found that butter scored high the two days after having been offered so low a month from that day, the first when kept in cold storage, the day of election other kind of butter that a special clerk for poor at the time it was a clerk for developed a rich flavor, and the names of all being stored. It is, who will state age, that butter made from that party they be milk develops better bacteria, democratic, that butter made from milk thereafter not clean.

The question is therefore one concerning the material out of which butter is manufactured. The matter of butter bacteria is such a serious one, much effort is being made to isolate the different kinds of bacteria, with the idea of propagating the best kind. Also some effort has been made to discover new and strange kinds of bacteria. One variety—that was discovered in South America was brought to the United States and placed in the hands of Professor Conn of the Connecticut experiment station. This was named B41 and was soon sold commercially on the American market. This bacteria was propagated by putting it into milk that had been sterilized and all germs killed. In a very short time a few hundred bacteria placed in a can of sterile milk would produce 1,000,000. The milk was placed in bottles, sealed air tight and sold to people. The sale has now been going on for many years, and the creamery men in all parts of the country use B41. Butter bacteria are, however, produced numerously in clean milk. Keeping out dirt keeps out the undesirable varieties.

Bran.
One of the standard foods for dairy cows is bran. Bran is used as a standard for regulating the price of nearly all of the dairy foods upon the market. Bran carries about 15 per cent of protein, which makes it an exceedingly valuable feed. The men that sell gluten feed always regulate the price of their feed by the price of bran, figuring both upon the protein content. The high protein content of bran has made it the most general concentrated food throughout the dairy world. The American farmer will do well to use as much bran as possible. If he feeds corn stalks he must balance up the high starchy content of the corn stalks with bran. If he feeds corn whole he must do the same thing. The same is true of nearly every farm product that is fed to the cows in the winter season with the exception of clover hay and alfalfa. We have frequently heard Professor Henry of the Wisconsin station declare that it is an absurd thing for the American farmer living in Wisconsin and Illinois to permit the bran from the Minneapolis flouring mills to be shipped past their doors to Chicago and New York and sent to Denmark to be made into butter to compete with the American butter in the English market. If the Danish farmer can pay the cost of transporting bran for fifteen hundred miles over land and 3,000 miles over the water and make butter, it certainly will pay the American farmer living in the midst of the wheat fields to buy the bran from their own wheat and feed it to their own cows.

Don't Rush Milking.
On the American farm there is always a tendency to rush things. The American farmer generally lays out for himself a very large amount of work and then is in great haste to get through with it. Too often when the milk goes into the stable he has the same nervous haste that has been spurring him on in the doing of the other farm work. Nothing interferes more with the milk-giving of the cow than this nervousness. The big milkers especially are almost always a nervous animal. This is especially true of the Jersey and the Guernsey. We have seen cows refuse to give any milk when a nervous milker sat down with a milk pail. Some cows have to be treated with a great deal of care to induce them to give down their milk. The milker should always be calm and quiet when he begins milking. He should assume that many cows will not stand the work of a rapid and excited milker.

Making Ice Cream.
Many farmers living within a few miles of the city have of recent years taken to disposing of their cream by making ice cream out of it. Using the pure cream for ice cream, they are soon able to establish a reputation with the hotels and restaurants, who will take their cream as long as they continue to furnish the pure article. The farmer that intends to sell his cream in this form needs an ice house filled with ice to be used throughout the season.

Cherries are very profitable in the central West.

AWFUL ITCHING ON SCALP.

Hair Finally Had to Be Cut to Save Any—Scalp Now in Good Condition Cured by Cuticura.
"I used the Cuticura Soap and Ointment for a diseased scalp, dandruff, and constantly falling of hair. Finally I had to cut my hair to save any at all. Just at that time I read about the Cuticura Remedies. Once every week I shampooed my hair with the Cuticura Soap, and I used the Ointment twice a week. In two months time my hair was long enough to do up in French twist. That is now five years ago, and I have a lovely head of hair. The length is six inches below my waist line, my scalp is in very good condition, and no more dandruff or itching of the scalp. I used other remedies that were recommended to me as good, but with no results. Mrs. W. F. Gless, Clay Center, Neb., Oct. 23, 1906."

FEATHERS LONG AGO.
Richard Cœur de Lion as a monarch for Theft.
In the annals of the history of the world, who was court chaplain, that the old custom of feathering is one that is time of Richard the

Is of his renowned king, the third crusade. If you among others.

be convicted of a crime, and cropped after the champion, and boiling the hair off the crown, and the cushion shall be shaken out on him, that he may be known, and at the last land at which the ship shall touch he shall be set on shore.

This, then, is one of several customs which has been classed commonly as "American," while in truth, it originated with us, and was imported by them from Europe.—Tit Elts, London.

How to Best Pack a Trunk.
In packing a trunk use heaps of paper with tailor-made garments and pack them as much like a man's suit as possible. Never forget that wrinkle, and many other wrinkles will be avoided. And of materials, remember serge and most clothes pack magnificently, alpaca always creases, faced cloth wants care, cashmere does crumple, but soon shakes out. Velvet, of course, must never be creased at all; crepe de chine travels very well on the whole; silks vary, and anyhow, should be treated with discretion.—Household Companion.

Milk Kills More Than War.
Thus of a million babies born in France, 200,000 are lost annually by death. Of these the grand majority might be saved if only they were properly treated and above all, thoroughly nourished. Statistics are witness to the fact that infant mortality is nearly always due to malnutrition which in its turn is caused by milk of poor quality. Of a thousand nurslings that died before they were a year old, over a third on an average perish through digestive disorders. In some cities the average is far higher; in Nantes more than a half, in Troyes nearly four-fifths.

Calcutta Editorial.
The Calcutta Bengalee evidently is not dauntedly worked up over something, for it remarks editorially: "We can not, even with all the blasting influences of passive resistance, stand against the corroding action of British domination and save ourselves from the pounding operation of politico-commercial administration."

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Our own errors in judgment are usually about as many as are the downright meannesses of the people we know.

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It sometimes happens that a man breaks his bank-roll when he falls in love.

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An Apt Reply.
A Sunday school teacher tells the following story of a member of her class: One Sunday she asked her scholars if any member could tell her about Good Friday. A hand was raised. "Well, what do you know about Good Friday?" she asked. "He was the man who did chores for Robinson Crusoe!" replied the eager boy.

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New Request of Godmother.
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No. 9—Mail, express 8:26 a. m.
No. 80—Mail, express 9:30 a. m.
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THE NEW ELECTION LAW.

Every Voter must, at the time of Voting,
Register His Name as a Member of
Some Party.

At the spring election next April, at
every polling place, there will be a
registration which will give every voter
an opportunity to qualify himself to at-
tend a caucus. Here are the main pro-
visions of the new law:

1. Every voter must, at the time of
voting, register his name as a member of
some party—Democratic, Republican,
Prohibition, Populist, etc.
2. No registration can occur after
that for two years, except new votes.
3. If he does not register, he cannot
take part in any caucus.
4. No voter, except one who has en-
rolled and selected his party, can vote
at any caucus, and if he does not enroll
next April and choose his party, he can-
not attend a caucus at all.

RAILROADS PROSPEROUS.

Railroad Commissioner Atwood in his
annual report says that earnings were greater
by at least \$1,000,000 than any previous
year. Referring to the difficulty in
turning cars promptly, the commis-
sioner says investigation of the few
complaints received shows that gen-
erally the railroads were putting forth
their best efforts to satisfy their pa-
trons.

There were 1,272 casualties during the
year, 253 persons were killed and 1,019
injured, against 297 persons killed and
902 injured for the year previous. Of
the number killed only 12 were passen-
gers.

The commissioner says there is a feel-
ing that all railroads stocks and bonds
should be subject to the approval of
state authority to prevent manipulation,
and he suggests that investigation be
made and intelligent recommendations
on the subject be made to the next legis-
lature.

Mr. Atwood says it is unfortunate that
there is no law requiring reports from
electric railways, over which the commis-
sioner has general police powers.

A Grim Tragedy
is daily enacted, in thousands of homes,
as Death claims, in each one, another
victim of Consumption or Pneumonia.
But when Coughs and Colds are pro-
longed, the tragedy is averted. P. G.
Quincy of Oakland, Ind., writes: "My
wife had the consumption, and three
doctors gave her up. Finally she took
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panies need operators badly. Total
cost, six months' course at our school,
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stitute, Monroe St., Valparaiso, Indiana
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Heavy, impure blood makes a muddy
pimp complexion, headaches, nausea,
indigestion. This blood makes you
weak, pale, sickly. Brodick Blood
Bitters makes the blood rich, red, pure—
restores perfect health.

Sylvan Taxpayers.

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

Every Two Minutes

Physicians tell us that all
the blood in a healthy
human body passes through
the heart once in every two
minutes. If this action be-
comes irregular the whole
body suffers. Poor health
follows poor blood; Scott's
Emulsion makes the blood
pure. One reason why

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cause it passes so quickly
through the blood. It is partly di-
gested before it enters the
stomach; a double ad-
vantage in this process work-
ing for the stomach, quicker
and more direct benefits.
To get the greatest amount
of good with the least pos-
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if you will send us a
card stating that you
are in poor health and
need it. Write to
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SCHOOL REPORT.

Superintendent's report for the month
ending December 29, 1905.

Total number enrolled..... 2
Total number transferred..... 14
Number of re-entries..... 14
Total number belonging students..... 44
Number of non-resident pupils..... 221
Number of pupils not absent ordinary 221
Percentage of attendance..... 95.4
J. E. Wagoner, Supt.

Following are the names of pupils
who were not absent or tardy during
the month:

HIGH SCHOOL.
Ruth Bacon, Mary McKune,
Lillian Blach, Helen Miller,
Carrie Bremer, Edith Moran,
K. Riemenschneider, Edith Burkhardt,
Mabel Canfield, H. D. Hinchman,
Alice Chandler, Carlton Ruchman,
Mildred Daniels, Will Ryeonson,
Marguerite Eder, Hazel Speer,
Lena Hunter, Clarence Schenck,
Jennie Ives, Albert Meinhach,
Linda Kalmach, Lynn Steadman,
Minola Kalmach, Harry Taylor,
Joseph Knoll, Anna Walsh,
Homer Guthrie, Kent Walworth,
Gerry McAnis, Theophile Weber,
Walter McAnis, Clarence Wells,
Heinrich McKune.

EIGHTH GRADE.
Edith E. Shaw, Teacher.
Bessie Allen, Miss Cooper,
Neva Conklin, Harlan Deper,
Russell Gullison, Galbraith Gorman,
Bliss Hoppe, Clyde Hoover,
Bliss Hoppe, H. D. Hinchman,
Catherine Keenan, Agatha Kelly,
Ira Leiman, Elsie Marone,
Celia Mullen, Algonson Palmer,
W. Riemenschneider, Mary Proden,
Don Boedel, Edna Sprague,
Phila Wislow, Myrtle Wolf,
Ethel Wright, Myrtle Wolf.

SIXTH GRADE.
Ralph Gieske, Paul Hedin,
Lloyd Merkle, Sidney Schenk,
James Schmidt, Edith Wolf,
Dorothy Bacon, Edith Bates,
Mildred Cook, Marguerite Eppler,
Carl Feldkamp, Mary Rock,
Margaret Martin, Rena Rosel,
G. Oesterle, Myrtle Stegmaier,
V. Schwiketh, Phoebe Turnbull,
Gertrude Storms, Lenah Turner,
Beulah Turner, Lenah Turner.

FIFTH GRADE.
L. L. Wilson, Teacher.
Aida Davis, Fanny Emmett,
Agnes Gorman, Nida Hoffman,
K. Riemenschneider, Lloyd Hoffman,
H. Riemenschneider, Hazel Trouton,
Freda Wagner, Carl Wagner,
Edna Wachenhut, George Wilmouth,
Irene Wolf.

SEVENTH GRADE.
Elizabeth Drew, Teacher.
Arthur Avery, Carl Chandler,
Russell Emmett, Edward Kanowski,
Carl Kanowski, Edith Davis,
Grace Fletcher, Mabel Hummel,
Alta Mercer, Mary Sawyer,
Esther Schenk, Luella Schielestein,
Jennie Walker, A. Siegelmaier.

FOURTH GRADE.
MARTHA RAYLEIGH, Teacher.
Lewis Eppler, Laverne Poor,
Elmer Hammond, Elaine Jackson,
Herman Jensen, George Kierstier,
Aminda Koch, Alvin Lambert,
W. Riemenschneider, Edna Marone,
Max Rosel, Margaret Vogel,
Theo. Wendenyer, Leo Welck,
Hubert Wagner, Llewellyn Winans,
Ernest Wagner.

THIRD GRADE.
Maud Haines, Teacher.
Donald Bacon, Gladys Beckwith,
Margaret Burg, Cornl Conk,
Esther Dewey, Gertrude Eisenman,
Norbert Eisenman, Eddie Frymuth,
Lottie Kahl, Carl Kanowski,
Pearl Maker, Edith Murphy,
Rollo Schuchman, Earl Schuchman,
Gladys Schenk, Myrtle Wright,
George Wachenhut, Marie Wachenhut,
ATHER M. JONES, Teacher.

SECOND GRADE.
Mary Dunn, Harold Kiercher,
Louis Eder, Edna Lambert,
Edith Erliff, Florence Marrott,
Norma Eisenman, Blanche Merchant,
Samuel Emmet, Leon Schuchman,
Elder Hammond, Buri Shanyfelt,
Margaret Hupburn, Gladys Taylor,
Beatrice Hunter, Willis VanRiper,
Ella Ruth Hunter, Margaret Welck,
Edith Johnson, Margaret Welck.

FIRST GRADE.
Frank Embury, Claire Hirth,
Lloyd Hirth, Frank Norman,
Lawrence Samp, Harold Walls,
Ralph Canfield, Edith Walls,
Evelyn Embury, Lydia Frey,
Ella Hauser, Louise Hauser,
Edith Kalmach, Esther McCormick,
Mabel Merchant, Phyllis Monroe,
Amy Wolf.

AGNES ROSS Teacher.
John Eder, Oswald Eisenman,
Clare Penn, Herbert Grieb,
Edith Hirth, Herbert Kuhl,
John Kandelher, Austin Palmer,
Russell Randell, Elba Schatz,
Paul Wagner, Letha Alber,
Izora Foster, Mary Hummel,
Ruth Hirth, Katherine Hoffman,
Louise Ives, Gertrude Mapes,
Hilda McIlrook, Marion Reimann,
Edith Schenk, Magdalena Schanz,
CLARE LOUISE HINES, Teacher.

Bernice Prudden. Charles Hauser,
Elate Moran, Freda Schanz,
Gale Taylor, Herbert Vogel,
Herbert Paul, Harold Emmett,
Linda Hoeft, Margaret Lambert,
Maureen Wagner, Raymond Randall,
Maureen Wagner, Yveta Hammond,
HELEN EDEN, Teacher.

Sickening, Shivering Pits
of Ague and Malaria can be relieved and
cured with Electric Bitters. This is a
pure, tonic medicine; of special benefit
in malaria, for it exerts a curative
influence on the disease, driving it en-
tirely out of the system. It is much to
be preferred to Quinine, having none of
this drug's bad after-effects. E. S. Mun-
day, of Honolulu, Tex., writes: "My
brother was very low with malarial fever
and jaundice. I had him take Electric Bi-
ters, which saved his life. At Bank drug
store, price 50c, guaranteed."

The Superior, Ann Arbor and Salen
Telephone Association will hold their
annual meeting on Sunday, Jan.
15, at 3 o'clock p. m. This
association has been in existence for
about 20 years, and has never been cal-
led upon for an assessment. Write to
Superior Telephone Assn., J. J. Rouse,
Jolly claim, Ypsilanti.

NEWSY NUGGETS

NEARBY NEIGHBORS

STANDARD TIME.
The citizens of Grass Lake have peti-
tioned the common council of that vil-
lage to adopt standard time.

DEATH SCHEDULE.
Mrs. D. Wallace, one of the earliest
settlers of Saline died Friday morning,
aged 87 years. Mr. Wallace voted for
Michigan's first governor.

WANTS THE HOSPITAL.
The citizens of William Lake are
about to make an application to have
the proposed state hospital for consump-
tives located in that village.

CHANGED OWNERS.
Frank Beeman has sold his bowling
alley to James Livmore of Gregory,
and the same has been set up in that
village.—Stockbridge Brief.

THIRTEEN DEATHS.
During the year 1905 according to the
Bunkerhill correspondent of the Stock-
bridge Sun thirteen certificates of death
were filed with the clerk of that town-
ship.

MASONIC FAIR.
It has been decided to hold the Ma-
sonic fair in the new temple next month
beginning on Wednesday, February 21
and continuing during the week.—Dex-
ter Leader.

LATE ANNOUNCEMENT.
The marriage of Mr. Ford, editor of
the Brooklyn Exponent, and Miss
Antoinette M. Gillett of Sharon, has
just been announced. The ceremony
took place in November.—Ex.

DEPUTY GAME WARDEN.
State Game and Fish Warden Chas.
H. Chapman has announced his ap-
pointments of deputy wardens through-
out the state. The deputy warden for
Washtenaw county appointed for 1906
is Otto Rohm of Ypsilanti.

RENTED SHARON FARM.
Chas. Pardee, who has been working
the Steingeweg farm will move on the
E. W. Craft farm in North Sharon, the
first of March. Mr. Pardee worked this
farm some three years ago and as it
contains 240 acres, will keep him busy
the next season.—Manchester Messenger.

HAS NEW IDEA IN LADDERS.
Frank T. Newton, sheriff of Washtenaw
county and head of the Newton-
Haggerty Ladder Co. of Detroit, is the
inventor of a new automatic ladder and
unlocker for extension ladders. The
company is preparing to supply the
trade and confidence is expressed that
the output of the Detroit plant will be
considerably increased.

AFTER THEIR MONEY.
A notice of lien has been filed in the
circuit court at Ann Arbor on about 150
cords of block wood situated on the
southeast quarter of section No. 31 in
the township of Bridgewater, Edward
Braun, who makes the affidavit in be-
half of himself and fellow laborers,
swears that there is now due him for
work and labor, \$12; Henry Armbruster,
\$4.45; and Pierson \$4.95.

How's This?
We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward
for any case of Catarrh that cannot be
cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.
F. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo, O.
We, the undersigned, have known F.
J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and be-
lieve him perfectly honorable in all busi-
ness transactions and financially able to
carry out any obligations made by him.

Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.
Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally,
acting directly upon the blood and mu-
cous surfaces of the system. Testi-
monials sent free. Price, 75 cents per
bottle. Sold by all druggists.
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipa-
tion.

Stops itching instantly. Cures piles,
eczema, salt rheum, tetter, itch, hives,
hemp, scabies.—Doan's Ointment. At
any drug store.

WEAK KIDNEYS MAKE WEAK BODIES.

Kidney diseases cause half the com-
mon aches and ills.
As one weak link weakens a chain, so
weak kidneys weaken the whole body
and hasten the final breaking down.
Overwork, strains, colds and other
causes injure the kidneys, and when
their activity is lessened the whole body
suffers from the excess of uric poison
circulated in the blood.

Aches and pains and languor and
urinary ills come, and there is an ever-
increasing tendency towards diabetes
and fatal Bright's disease. There is no
real help for the sufferer except kidney
help.

Doan's Kidney Pills act directly on
the kidneys and cure every kidney ill.
Albert Coburn, of 295 Page avenue,
Jackson, Mich., blacksmith employed at
the Webster wagon works, says: "I had
for years weakness and aching
pains across the small of my back just
over the kidneys. I could not stoop to
lift anything without getting sharp
twinges in the loins. I could not rest
comfortably at night, but was in the
morning tired and unrefreshed. Suffering
the kidney secretions became affected,
were highly colored and irregular in
action. I heard about Doan's Kidney
Pills and procured a box. They helped
me from the very start, and one and a
half boxes completely cured me."

For sale by all dealers. Price, fifty
cents. Foster-McMillan Co., Buffalo, New
York, sole agents for the United States.
Remember the name—Doan's—and
take no other.

Personal property in Michigan, al-
though belonging to the estate of a non-
resident, is nevertheless subject to the
state inheritance tax, the supreme court
has so decided. The decision was given
in the case of the estate of Mary B.
Stanton, who died in New York, and
owned stocks, bonds and mortgages in
Detroit by an agent. It was held by the
court that while the personal property
might not otherwise be taxable in the
state it was subject to the inheritance
tax, which was a tax not on the property
but upon the succession.

Iron-Ox
Tablets
Cure Constipation

The secret of good
health lies in keeping the
bowels active.

If your bowels are not regu-
lar, Iron-Ox Tablets will set them
right; they are mild in action,
sure and permanent in results.
Thousands rely on them in time
of trouble.

30 Iron-Ox Tablets in a handy
aluminum pocket case, 50c. at a drug-
gist, or sent postpaid on receipt of
price by The Iron-Ox Remedy Co.,
Detroit, Mich.

Sold and Recommended by
THE BANK DRUG STORE.

Probate Order.
STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw,
ss. At a session of the Probate Court for
the County of Washtenaw, held at the Probate
Office in the city of Ann Arbor, on the 23rd day
of December, in the year one thousand nine
hundred and five.

Present, Emory E. Leland, Judge of Probate.
In the matter of the estate of Adolphus H.
Claude, deceased, the undersigned, Judge of Probate,
H. B. Herbert, guardian of said estate, having
filed in this court his annual account, and
praying that the same may be heard and
allowed.

It is ordered that the 23rd day of January
next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said
Probate Office, be appointed for hearing said
account.

EMORY E. LELAND,
Judge of Probate.
H. W. NEWKIRK, Register.

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Present, Emory E. Leland, Judge of Probate.
In the matter of the estate of Frederick
Eisenman, deceased, the undersigned, Judge of Probate,
H. B. Herbert, guardian of said estate, having
filed in this court his annual account, and
praying that the same may be heard and
allowed.

It is ordered that the 22nd day of Jan. next,
at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate
Office be appointed for hearing said account.

EMORY E. LELAND, Judge of Probate.
H. W. NEWKIRK, Register.

PROBATE ORDER.
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ss. At a session of the Probate Court for
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Office in the city of Ann Arbor, on the 23rd day
of Dec. in the year one thousand nine
hundred and five.

Present, Emory E. Leland, Judge of Probate.
In the matter of the estate of Frank
Lambert, deceased, the undersigned, Judge of Probate,
H. B. Herbert, guardian of said estate, having
filed in this court his annual account, and
praying that the same may be heard and
allowed.

It is ordered that the 22nd day of Jan. next,
at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate
Office be appointed for hearing said account.

EMORY E. LELAND, Judge of Probate.
H. W. NEWKIRK, Register.

MORTGAGE SALE.
DEFAULT having been made in the conditions
of a certain mortgage made by The Ann Arbor
Brewing Company, a corporation, to The Farmers
and Mechanics Bank, also a corporation, dated
the 10th day of August, A. D. 1904, and re-
corded in the office of the Register of Deeds
for the County of Washtenaw and State of Michi-
gan, in and to Book 10 of Mortgages, on page 10,
Liber 107 of Mortgages, on page 10, as which
mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date
of this notice, the principal and interest the sum
of Five hundred and sixty-three Dollars and an
Attorney's fee of Thirty-five Dollars, as provided
for in said mortgage, and no suit or proceedings
at law having been instituted to recover the
money secured by said mortgage, or any part
thereof.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the
power of sale contained in said mortgage, and the
statute in such case made and provided, on Mon-
day, the ninth day of April, A. D. 1906, at ten
o'clock in the forenoon, the undersigned will, at
the south front door of the Court House in the
City of Ann Arbor, Michigan, that being the place
where the Circuit Court for the County of Washtenaw
is held, sell at Public Auction, to the highest
bidder, or so much thereof as may be necessary to
pay the amount so as aforesaid due on said mort-
gage, with six per cent. interest, and all legal
costs, together with said attorney's fee, to-wit:
All those certain pieces or parcels of land, situate
being in the City of Ann Arbor in the County
of Washtenaw and State of Michigan, and de-
scribed as follows, to-wit: Beginning at a point
on the east line of Traver street, one and two
chains northerly from the north line of Block six
in Brown and Fuller's Addition to the Village
of Ann Arbor, Michigan, running thence north-
easterly on said street two chains and thirty-two
links; thence easterly parallel to the north line
of Block six, five chains and seventy-seven links
to Traver's line; thence south on Traver's line
three chains and twenty-five links to Broadway;
thence south on Broadway forty-two links;
thence westerly at right angles with Broadway
two chains; thence southerly parallel to Broad-
way two chains to the north line of Block six;
thence westerly on the line of Block six to within
two chains of Traver street; thence north parallel
to Traver's line to the twenty-five links;
thence easterly parallel to the north line of
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There will be no Gordon Bennett cup race in 1905. Can you hear up under it?

"New money is scarce," announces the treasury department. Well, any old money will do for us.

"Does an Irishman ever say 'be-dad'?" asks the Newburyport Herald. Yes, sometimes, when he has a cold.

Paying \$40,000 for a carnation beats the Dutch, whose leading tulip enthusiast paid 13,000 florins for a single bulb.

Limit your hugs, girls, as the New York sister advises, but remember that the limit can be raised by mutual consent.

There is a divorce suit in New York. He whipped her dog and she left him, hence the divorce. All about a dog. Sic transit.

The throne of the Caesars has been found in the Roman Forum. But the Caesars continue to stop holes to keep the wind away.

A man was taken to an asylum because he wanted the moon. How about the large number of people who want the earth?

Admiral Togo never has been celebrated as an orator, but he can make a speech that is a masterpiece when done into English.

The divorced wife of a Philadelphia millionaire knocked him down with her fist. And there are the creatures we call our angels!

Being a poor young man has its advantages, after all. We are not in any danger of going to jail for violating the banking laws.

Champion O'Brien is unable to see any reason why prize fighters should have those superstitious fears concerning the thirteenth round.

The vanity of a woman caused her death. She was dying her hair. Men would die of the same cause if some of them had hair to dye.

Of a newspaper man who has just passed away in New York it is said that he died of the infirmities of old age—which doesn't often happen.

A seat on the New York stock exchange was sold the other day for \$35,000. Why are the ticket speculators overlooking such a good thing?

And no doubt there was, as usual, quite a number of them who, like Sam Weller, didn't bother about the formality of being under the mistletoe.

France seems to be bound to have a president with chin whiskers. Perhaps this is France's roundabout way of endeavoring to pattern after Uncle Sam.

Morales may solace himself with the reflection that he is the only official on record who ever had troops sent after him when he tried to quit his job.

A baseball umpire has been elected mayor of Meriden, Conn. If he has ever umpired in Meriden, the people of that town have beaten the record for charity.

Radio-thorium has been discovered, but its only claim to attention is the fact that it has been discovered, we shan't buy any. Besides, it is rarer than radium.

Set a thousand rules for the "final good-night" hug of lovers, if you wish; but they will be shattered straightway by a last final and several more final.

An astronomer says that the inhabitants of Mars are much more highly developed than the people of this planet. Probably they got rid of their vermiform appendix ages ago.

There is a Kalogopoulou in the new Greek cabinet. Probably he is a cousin, several syllables removed, of the celebrated James J. Pappachoukumountourgeotopolous of Chicago.

Senator Clark, informed that he is again a grandfather, promptly announces that he will give the new baby \$1,000,000 to start life with. That's what every grandfather would like to do.

Charles M. Schwab has moved into his new \$5,000,000 home, which is said to be the finest private mansion in the world. But he can't sleep in more than one bed or eat more than one meal at a time.

The question whether an income of a thousand a year is enough to warrant matrimony is disputed, but most people will agree that when a young man has a \$1,000 income it is safe for him to begin to think of getting married.

"Nothing," writes a sentimentalist, "is quite as bad as it might be if there are children in the house." No, indeed, the children could figure out a way to make things much worse, if they weren't afraid of being spanked.

MICHIGAN HAPPENINGS

ALLEN - ANDERSON CASE RESULTS IN CHURCH TRIAL.

DIVORCE PROCEEDINGS ARE BEGUN, OF WHICH MRS. ALLEN GIVES HER OWN OPINION.

MORE INCENDIARISM IN HART STARTS "BLACK HAND" STORIES AGAIN.

White Pigeon Scandal.

Rev. George E. Allen, the traveling evangelist, who left White Pigeon suddenly at the demand of Rev. C. H. Anderson of the M. E. church, who charged him with improper conduct.

Mrs. Anderson in the Anderson home was acquitted by a church trial committee after a hearing in Wheeler behind closed doors. Mr. Anderson was not present, and the charges were presented in a letter from Dr. Barnes, presiding elder of the Niles district, who sent various newspaper clippings with his indorsement as to their truth.

Rev. Mr. Allen gave a graphic description of the visit of citizens to the Anderson home when he was notified to leave.

"I had been engaged in White Pigeon for just two weeks," he said, "and had heard no complaint whatever as to my conduct until the afternoon of Dec. 20. At 2 o'clock that day Messrs. Northrup, Pike and Peary, accompanied by Sheriff Fieldhouse and Rev. Mr. Anderson, came to the house and said they wanted to talk with me. They called Mrs. Anderson from the kitchen and said:

"We will give you two just 40 minutes to get out of White Pigeon."

"I asked what the trouble was and they related the story told by Rev. Mr. Anderson."

"I asked what would be the consequences if I didn't go."

"Mr. Northrup said, 'It is a case of Centerville jail and a scandal that will ruin you all over the state if you don't go.'"

"Rev. Mr. Anderson said, 'We have talked the matter all over and decided that it is best for all concerned that you go quietly.'"

"Then," said Allen at the trial, "they told me that there was no use talking back, that it was jail or home for me, so I hustled and caught the train. I wrote my presiding elder at once and he met me in St. Louis and I told him the whole story."

Mrs. C. H. Anderson, wife of Rev. C. H. Anderson, when told of the acquittal of Rev. George E. Allen at Wheeler, said it was just as she had expected. She said the motive to Rev. Mr. Anderson's charges against herself and Mr. Allen had become apparent in a notice she had received of a suit for divorce Anderson had started at Centerville. She said emphatically that she would file a cross bill before the date set for a hearing, Jan. 30.

"Mr. Anderson's charges against myself and Rev. Mr. Allen were brought only for the purpose of starting the divorce suit," said Mrs. Anderson. "And if it had not been Mr. Allen it would have been someone else, I suppose, as he seems determined to have a divorce."

"Black Hand" Again.

"Black Hand," which sent threatening letters to former Senator Jas. K. Flood, of Hart, Oceana county, and burned his \$30,000 sawmill and has put the village into a state of constant terror, seems to be aiming at a coterie of prominent citizens of that village.

Friday night the \$10,000 warehouse, managed by John Hulsted, containing 15,000 bushels of potatoes, was fired, but being constructed of sheet iron and fire-proof, the flames were extinguished before making any headway. The building stands east of the village and passers-by saw the flames issuing from underneath.

They hurried to the scene and saw in the dusk a man riding rapidly away on horseback. When Flood's mill was burned, a farmer named Anders saw a lone horseman riding away from the scene of the fire.

Coming to Detroit.

In his annual report for the year ending Oct. 1, 1905, Beverly D. Hanson, secretary of the state board of registration in medicine, announces that the office of the board will soon be removed from Sault Ste. Marie to Detroit.

This change in the location of the office, he says, will not only facilitate and improve the administration of the medical laws, but it will also be in the interest of economy, both from the standpoint of the applicant for license and of the board itself because of the fact that two-thirds of the board's business is in connection with applicants who are in attendance at Detroit medical colleges or students at the University of Michigan.

H. W. McKenzie, of Big Rapids, has been appointed an assistant observer in connection with the weather bureau.

Thomas Combs, 58 years old, Grand Rapids, an employee of the Crescent Mills for over 20 years, while descending an endless chain elevator from the fifth to the third floor fell from the machine and received such serious injuries that he died.

Liberty means responsibility, and responsibility tests the man and the race.

The scarlet fever scourge claimed nine victims Monday in Calumet and two in Larum. Over 75 cases have broken out and 24 houses are quarantined.

About 20 co-eds are successfully and harmoniously living in a co-operative home they have established in Ann Arbor. They have a parlor and a big kitchen. In the latter each girl may get her own meals or four or five clique together and each take turns at cooking.

MICHIGAN ITEMS.

Frank Lewis, of Pontiac, went to a hunking bee and while operating the machine hunked his handsome gold watch.

Insane from business cares, John C. Smith, clerk of Bentley township, was attacked by paralysis of the brain, causing death.

Mrs. Jeremiah Sullivan was struck and instantly killed by Grand trunk engine at a Lapeer street crossing. She was 76 years old.

Thomas Hill, of Bay City, aged 49, married, a saw filer, swallowed an ounce of carbolic acid because he could not secure employment.

Mrs. M. A. Preston, the newspaper writer of Charlotte, who was struck by an auto at San Diego, Cal., last Thursday, died of her injuries.

Wm. Maehr, an inmate of the Kalamazoo county house, slashed his throat with a jackknife, partially severing the windpipe, but he will recover.

For saving two lives many years ago in Germany, Joseph Stang, brewmaster in a Menominee brewery, has received a silver medal from Emperor William.

The body of Reuben Cobath, old hunter and trapper, was found in the bayou at Bell, Presque Isle county. He had fallen into an air hole crossing the ice.

Word reached Kalamazoo of the tragic death of Charles Eames at St. Louis on Sunday. He is the fourth member of the family whom sudden death has reached.

Dynamite placed in the oven of the kitchen stove to be exploded, killed August H. Schroeder's 2-year-old daughter and injured himself and wife, of Menominee.

Enos Schaaf, of Menominee, while attempting to separate his two brothers, who were in a fight, received a deep gash in his leg from an ax in the hands of Dan Schaaf.

Theodore Durkee, aged 18, of Osego, was found bound and gagged in a Lake Shore box car in the Elkhardt, Ind., yards. He said he had been robbed and thrown into the car.

John Gogaw, of Bay City, was badly stabbed in a row among men who were stealing a ride from Grayling. He was taken from the car at Roscommon and had his wounds dressed.

John O'Callahan, a veteran of statutory, was found guilty of attacking Mrs. Thomas Ryan, of Flint, in her home. Ryan gave the man a sound thrashing and the court let him go.

All the cars of the Port Huron street railway have been equipped with compressed air brakes. Port Huron is said to be the only city of its size in the country having these brakes.

Returning from a hunting trip, Chas. Kantz, aged 18, of Hesperia, laid his gun on a table and, forgetting it was loaded, started to clean it. The bullet struck him in the abdomen and he has little chance for recovery.

Finding her husband in jail on a charge of larceny so overwhelmed Mrs. Florence Murray, of Lansing, with grief that she attempted to end her life with poison. Murray got 65 days in prison.

Albert Neal, aged 19, was found guilty of non-support. His wife was formerly Miss Frances Conger, and both resided at Akron, Tuscola county. A family row broke out and estranged the young couple.

Banking Commissioner Moore has approved the articles of incorporation of a new state bank to be established at Oxford under the name of the Farmers' State Bank of Oxford with a capitalization of \$20,000.

Mrs. Nettie Bartlett, of Grand Rapids, has brought suit for divorce, alleging that she fears her husband's mind is unbalanced by reading accounts of a recent murder, and that he may try the same thing on her.

Port Huron is trying to secure headquarters of the Woodmen of the World, which is to be moved from Omaha because the Nebraska supreme court says the order must pay an annual tax on a \$50,000 reserve fund.

A school teacher's romance resulted in a wedding at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Deane. Miss Nettie Arabelle Lear, of Charlotte, was teaching at Frankfort when she met Franklin Burdette Masters, a Chicago commission merchant, who was there for the summer.

Failing in his attempt to kill his divorced wife after a severe struggle John McKay, of Flint, sent a bullet into his own head, dying a short time later. A stranger, who has not since been seen, figures in the sensational attempt on the life of Mrs. McKay, and a search is being made for him.

Two children sick with scarlet fever and the aged invalid mother of Albert Summers, of Lapeer, Presque Isle county, narrowly escaped being burned to death by the house catching fire while Summers and his wife were some distance away. They arrived just in time to rescue all three from the flames.

The gasping and choking of her 7-month-old babe awoke Mrs. Charles Otto, of Leland, when her room was ablaze. She quickly picked up the babe and her 3-year-old girl and ran out into the snowstorm. She lost all her possessions, including a remittance from her husband, now in Chicago, and is entirely destitute.

Claiming her husband, whom she met through a matrimonial agency, kept her on a diet of sour milk and bread for several days and is trying to drive her insane, Mrs. Bernard Van Anstine, of Traverse City, has secured a warrant for his arrest. She claims she had \$1,000 when she married him and that this has all been spent but \$80.

The Flint Auto Brass and Aluminum Company finds the present factory too small and will increase their stock from \$25,000 to \$75,000 in order to enlarge their factory. The output of the concern last year was more than 60,000 worth of automobile and motor boat accessories.

Mrs. Arthur Valentine, of Oxford, has had periodical trouble with one foot for 20 years. Last week the foot began to swell and was finally lanced and a silver one-quarter inch long was removed. Then she recalled that 20 years ago she ran a yellow dock stub into her foot, but thought she had removed it all.

PREPARING FOR WAR

THE CHINESE BOYCOTT HAS STARTLED THE WORLD.

THE UNITED STATES PREPARES FOR TROUBLE BY INCREASE OF PHILIPPINE FORCES.

YOUNG CHINAMEN EDUCATED IN AMERICA LEAD THE ANTI-FOREIGN CLAMOR.

The Chinese Boycott.

President Roosevelt has decided to establish two brigade posts in the Philippines where troops will be stationed so they can be rushed to China in the event of disturbances there.

A high government official declares that there is no use to longer deny the fact that the United States government and the European powers are apprehensive regarding the conditions in China, and that a serious outbreak more serious than the Boxer uprising is likely to happen at any time.

This government has decided that it will not be "caught napping," as the official expressed it, and that it proposes to be in a position to protect American lives and property when the critical stage of the situation is reached.

One of the brigade posts will be located at Camp McKinley and the other at Camp Stotsenberg, and Gen. Frederick Funston will be placed in command of one of the posts, while Gen. Tasker H. Bliss will be in command of the other.

The First and Second regiments of Infantry and the Eighth and Thirteenth batteries of artillery has already been ordered to the Philippines. These troops will sail Feb. 1, some of them going by way of New York and through the Suez canal, and the others will sail from San Francisco. These troops will be divided between the two posts.

Later it is expected to increase the force at each post by one brigade each. It is the intention of the war department to have the troops in command of a brigadier-general of experience, so that there can be brigade maneuvers, and that when the emergency arises the United States will be in a position to protect their citizens and their property.

The Chinese government is sincerely endeavoring to check the anti-foreign craze. It is questionable whether the viceroys were honest in their attempts to stop the boycott. They issued high-sounding proclamations forbidding antagonism of American merchants, but there was reason to believe no real effort was made to enforce them. But it now looks as though the people have got beyond the control of the viceroys in many sections and the Chinese authorities are genuinely alarmed.

Chinese students who have had a touch of western civilization are the ringleaders in the present agitation. They are establishing newspapers in different parts of the empire, and spreading the anti-foreign propaganda wherever the authorities tolerate them.

Foreign diplomats in Washington express the opinion that the only way to deal with China is by force. They declare that the policy of conciliation and kindness is a mistake and makes the wrong kind of an impression on the oriental heathen's mind.

Mrs. Morris Quits.

Assistant Secretary Barnes has issued his version of the unfortunate affair in the White House Thursday, in which Mrs. Minor Morris was forcibly ejected from the building while she was demanding to see the president, by two police officers. Mr. Barnes says Mrs. Morris shrieked so loud that her cries could be heard through the executive mansion, and that it was necessary in the interest of order to have her removed.

Mrs. Morris says she will allow the matter to drop. Dr. Minor Morris, her husband, is working on the farm of his brother near Hamilton, O. He went there last fall. His marriage took place abroad. Neither Dr. Morris nor the family would make any statement today regarding the woman in Washington.

The Rate Bills.

Friday, January 12, was agreed upon by the house committee on interstate and foreign commerce as the date for consideration of the general subcommittee legislation. Nearly 20 bills are in the hands of the committee, but it is now regarded as likely that Chairman Hepburn's measure will form the basis for any action by the committee.

The committee fixed Tuesday, January 30, as the date for a hearing on the Stephens bill, which provides for the extension from 28 to 40 hours as the time that cattle may be allowed to remain in cars. Various humane organizations oppose the extension of time and western cattle interests favor it.

An appeal to save Mrs. Antoinette Tolla, of Hackensack, N. J., from being hanged on January 12 has been sent to President Roosevelt by Susan D. Anthony, chief, of Cincinnati. Dr. Tolla shot an Italian who attempted to attack her in her own home.

A special dispatch from Copenhagen says the workmen who seized the Prodnik rubber factory at Riga, Tuesday, surrendered after a sanguinary battle and delivered up their leaders to the commander of the troops. The prisoners will be tried by court-martial.

Unvaccinated pupils to the number of 600 have been barred from the public schools of Lock Haven, Pa., and in consequence the teachers have little to do. At the primary school in the first ward, taught by Miss De Frank, in which 44 pupils were enrolled, not a single one remains.

COLLEGE FOOTBALL.

An important development in the football situation is announced in the fact that President Angell, of the University of Michigan, has issued a call to representatives of western universities, to a football conference. The meeting is to be held at Chicago Beach Hotel, on Jan. 12. Friday of the coming week. Michigan's representative has not yet been named.

President Angell stated that he issued the call at the request of a number of institutions interested, the position taken by these being that the conference could not longer ignore the situation. All of the Big Nine colleges, it is expected, will be on hand.

Up to now the conference has stood aside, taking no part in the New York meeting and having made no expression of its intention in regard to following the established committee's lead. Minnesota sent Dr. Williams to New York, but in no sense did he represent the Big Nine.

Found "Squealers."

District Attorney Jerome has begun the serious work of preparing for the prosecution of officers of life insurance companies who have abused their trusts.

It was stated by a man in a position to know what is going on within the various insurance companies that Mr. Jerome would undoubtedly receive aid from unexpected sources.

He added that before the month was out Mr. Jerome would receive overtures from at least one "squealer" in each of these companies: The Mutual Life, the Provident Savings Life, the Life Association of America and the Mutual Reserve Fund Life Association. While no promises of immunity are ever made by the district attorney to a "squealer," it is the unwritten law in Mr. Jerome's office not to prosecute those who give evidence which enables the people to convict offenders who might otherwise escape punishment.

Terrible Earthquake.

Vice-Consul Wallace, at Managua, has cabled the state department under Wednesday's date that a terrible earthquake has occurred in Nicaragua and it was reported to him that Ma'saya had been ruined by the eruption of the volcano San Diego.

Ma'saya is on the east side of Lake Masaya, about 55 miles south of Managua, and 25 miles northeast of Granada. The population, mostly of Indian blood, is estimated at 18,000. Nearly every house has its orchard or garden, and so the buildings are spread over a much larger area than the number of inhabitants would suggest. Previous to 1871, when a steam pump was erected, all the water had to be carried from the lake, which lies 340 feet below the level of the town. The volcano of Masaya, on the opposite side of the lake, was active at the time of the conquest in 1522, and the conquerors, thinking the lava they saw was gold, had themselves lowered into the crater at the risk of their lives. It had a great eruption in 1670, and began to smoke again in 1860.

A Million Short.

The report of the Everett Audit Co. into the financial affairs of former Superintendent of Schools Newton C. Dougherty embraces an investigation of the records and audits of the last seven years, and shows a total shortage of over \$600,000 in that time. The auditors are still at work on the books, and from a preliminary survey of the whole task it is known that the shortage for 18 years will exceed \$1,000,000.

Not only does the report of the audit company severely censure the members of the present and past school boards for their negligence of duty, but declare boldly that the liquidated Peoria National bank is responsible up to the limit of liability for the loss to the school fund.

In all the 25 years of Dougherty's official connection with the public schools of Peoria the accounts of the school board never received a proper auditing.

CONDENSED NEWS.

Rebel prisoners in Moscow will be tried by court martial, and some of the papers say that those caught with arms in their hands will be given a short shrift by a file of soldiers with loaded guns.

Seventeen pounds of babies, in three parcels, was the holiday gift of Mrs. Yetta Vosbrand, Chicago, to her husband, Sunday morning. As two sets of twins already called him "papa," he heard the "good tidings" in silence, and then disappeared.

Senator Hale has introduced a bill to re-establish the grade of commodore in the navy, advancing 18 cents by seniority to that position. He also introduced a bill authorizing the construction of an armored cruiser of the first class to be called the Constitution, cost not to exceed \$5,000,000.

Rep. Hogg, of Colorado, has introduced a bill to correct unjust railroad practices along the lines of the plan proposed by Judge Grosscup, of Chicago. The measure contemplates the abolition of the interstate commerce commission and the substitution thereof of a transportation court of three members.

Mrs. Sarah Jane Robinson, one of the most noted female convicts in the country, died in the Middlesex county jail in East Cambridge, Mass. She was 68 years of age and had been in solitary confinement more than eighteen years. She murdered her husband, son, daughter, nephew and brother-in-law, killing them by poison to get her life insurance.

Robert H. Todd, mayor of San Juan, sailed for New York Tuesday, and from that place he will go to the capital as a delegate from the Porto Rico Municipal league, of which he is the president and ask congress to pass a law creating an elective senate in the island.

Dr. August Schmidt, a German physician of St. Louis, has given money for the erection of a church in which all denominations will be equally free to worship. There will be no sermon, no choir and no collection plate. An organ operated by electricity will furnish social music.

CONGRESS AT WORK

THE PHILIPPINE BILL KEEPS THE HOUSE BUSY.

MR. MONDELL TAKES A GLOOMY VIEW OF THE BEET SUGAR INDUSTRY NOW.

THE BRAUN SPECIAL REPORTS TO BE MADE PUBLIC AND ARE STARTLING.

Talked Five Hours.

In a session of five hours Saturday the house placed on record a speech in favor of the Philippine tariff bill, one against it, and a twenty-minute talk for tariff revision, according to the Republican demand of Massachusetts.

Mr. Hill, of Connecticut, occupied three hours and was listened to with the greatest interest in detailing the knowledge he gained from two visits to the Philippines, the last one as a member of the party of Secretary Taft last summer. He paid particular attention to the tobacco feature of the measure and explained away much of the misapprehension as to enormous products that might be expected from the island. His territory, he said, was small and their fertile lands still further limited.

Mr. Mondell, of Wyoming, who has led the fight against the bill in the interest of the beet sugar industry of this country, spoke vigorously against the measure and against the policy of helping the Filipino people by granting them open markets in the United States. He said the passage of this bill would be the death knell of the beet sugar industry in the United States.

The abolition of the tariff on hides was pleaded for by Mr. Lawrence, of Massachusetts, who presented the position taken by the Republicans of that state.

The Braun Reports.

The suppressed reports of Marcus Braun, the special inspector who was sent abroad to investigate immigration, are to be sent to the house. These reports have been most carefully guarded by the department of commerce and labor. Not only has Mr. Braun been refused permission to inspect the reports he made, but other influential persons have been refused even a glance at them. They are said to show a most deplorable condition in the immigration services. He demonstrates that not only is the United States getting the most undesirable people of all Europe, but that the steamship companies are instrumental in bringing them to the shores of this country because the countries in which they live want them deported.

The Braun reports are said to be of an exceedingly sensational character, the publication of which may involve this country and Austria.

New York Legislation.

The New York legislature convened at noon Wednesday for the one hundred and twenty-ninth session after one of the bitterest factional fights for the assembly speakership in many years, and it is the expectation of many that the defeated faction will at once inaugurate a policy of reprisal.

There was very much more than the usual interest also in the annual message of Gov. Higgins to the legislature, which included important recommendations as to life insurance, the mortgage tax law, the savings bank surplus and electoral reform.

Senator Edgar S. Brackett, of Saratoga, soon after the legislature convened introduced a resolution demanding of Chauncey M. Depew his resignation as United States senator from that state. The resolution in full is as follows:

Since the adjournment of this senate the people of the state and nation have been staggered by the relation shown to have existed for years between the Equitable Life Assurance society and Chauncey M. Depew, one of the senators of this state in the United States congress.

Recognizing that these disclosures have caused a total lack of confidence in the ability of the senator named to properly represent the state in the body to which he was elected;

Resolved, By the senate that Chauncey M. Depew be and he hereby is requested to forthwith resign his seat in the United States senate.

Sensor Marbury eulogized Senator Depew as a grand character. He declared that only he without sin should cast the first stone. Yellow dogs, he said, may be nibbling at Senator Depew's heels, but he has decorated all positions that he has held.

Sensor Coggeshall said that Senator Depew was now ill and it was cruel, uncalled for and brutal for Senator Brackett to pander to blatant and morbid public clamor that is now endeavoring to blast honest reputations. Senator Brackett afterwards withdrew the resolutions.

Six St. Johns business men appointed to solicit subscriptions for the Congregational church secured \$5,011 in just one month.

The bodies of all of the twenty-three miners killed in the gas explosion in the Cooper coal mine at Coal-dale, W. Va., have been recovered.

One million women have signed petitions for the expulsion of Senator Reed Smoot of Utah.

Giorgione's masterpiece, a priceless painting, "Christ with the Cross," which was preserved in the Loschi palace in Vicenza, which disappeared some time ago, is said to be in the Gardner collection in Boston.

George F. Baer, president of the Philadelphia & Reading, has just purchased \$100 worth of mileage books for his five married daughters. It is the first time in the world's history of railroad management a railroad president has bought tickets for his family.

THE NEW TAX LAW.

The new state tax commissioners are to have on their hands a suit to test the validity of the new law under which they are about to assess railroad property. "I shall begin suit by mandamus as soon as the tax commissioners fix the rate for railroad taxation, which will be on January 15," said Attorney-General John E. Bird.

"The ground for my suit will be that the legislature exceeded its powers when it gave the tax commission the right to equalize between the assessment of railroad properties and that of general properties of the state.

"It was the purpose of all the agitation leading up to the amendment of the constitution relative to the taxation of corporations, that all property shall be assessed at cash value and if this is done, as it should be, there is no reason for any equalization.

"I shall begin the suit as soon as possible, in order that we may get a decision before the coming assessment, which will be April 1."

Mr. Bird said that any citizen who might feel himself aggrieved by the operations of the new law might begin suit to test it.

Mr. Bird's contention that the law is not constitutional is not new. When the bill had been passed by the legislature and was awaiting action by Gov. Warner, the attorney-general urged him not to sign the measure, but the governor was not controlled by this advice.

Insurance Question.

The president's message, which caused a seven-day discussion in the house, preceding the holiday recess, was disposed of in 20 minutes at the beginning of the session.

The particular question which was the cause of contention—which committee should get the insurance question—was temporarily settled by the adoption of an amendment offered by Mr. Hepburn, providing

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ADDITIONAL LOCAL EVENTS.

We are in receipt of a fine calendar from the Chattanooga Medicine Co. for 1906.

The Standard-Herald has received from the Agricultural college at Lansing a very neat calendar for 1906.

Godfrey Fitzmayer who has worked the Boynton farm in Sylvan for the past two years has rented the C. E. Whitaker farm, in Lima, and will take possession in the spring when the present tenant Geo. Marshall vacates.

The Jackson Citizen Press announces that there will be a Lincoln club banquet held in that city this year and that the committee in charge has invited Congressman Townsend to secure noted speakers to take part in the program.

"The Source of Strength and Power" will be the subject of Rev. M. L. Grant's morning sermon at the Congregational church. There will also be a short talk to the boys and girls on "Skating." "The Value of Failure" will be the evening topic.

The annual report of the Northwestern Washtenaw Farmers' Mutual Fire Insurance Co. appears elsewhere in The Standard-Herald. The report shows that the company has increased during the past year and is in a very prosperous condition.

Last Friday evening thirty-six of the young people of Chelsea spent a very pleasant and social evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. Wilkinson, given in honor of their son, Tommie. The evening was spent at games after which refreshments were served.

Martin Merkel, of Sylvan, last Monday purchased of M. L. Burkhardt a 22 foot building lot facing Main street. This property adjoins the one recently purchased by P. Staffa, and in the spring the owners of both properties will build a modern business block.

The colored people of Ann Arbor are about to organize a lodge of Elks in that city. The colored order is similar to the white order, but instead of calling their lodge B. P. O. E. they call themselves the Improved Benevolent and Protective order of Elks of the world.

Warden Vincent of Jackson prison has tendered to Gov. Warner his resignation to take effect February 2. Mr. Vincent gave as his reason for resigning that his private business needs his attention. Several names are mentioned in the state papers as his successors.

The next meeting of Cavanaugh Lake Grange will be held at the residence of Henry Dwight, on Tuesday, January 16th, commencing at 7 o'clock. It is the earnest desire of the Master to have all of the members present as the new annual password will be given at this meeting.

One of the hardware merchants of Ann Arbor last Saturday sold a stove to a lady and says that he received in payment two \$5.00 bills. When he went to deposit the money in the bank it was discovered that one of the bills was issued by the confederate states of America.

On Monday evening, January 15, 1906, District Deputy S. H. Laydon, of Lansing, will install the newly elected officers of Chelsea Camp, No. 7338, M. W. A. Business of great importance to every member will be transacted. Be sure and be there. Light refreshments will be served.

The board of Auditors of Washtenaw Mutual Fire Insurance Co., met in Ann Arbor last Friday and audited the accounts of the Company for the year 1905. The receipts for the year were \$23,786.62 and the disbursements were \$23,482.88, leaving a balance on hand December 31, 1905, of \$308.74.

At the annual meeting of the Kempf Commercial & Savings Bank the following directors were elected:uben Kempf, C. H. Kempf, R. S. Armsstrong, H. S. Holmes, C. Klein, Ed. Vogel, and Geo. A. BeGole. The following were elected as officers of the bank: H. S. Holmes, president; C. H. Kempf, vice president; J. A. Palmer, cashier; Geo. A. BeGole, asst. cashier and secretary.

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PERSONAL MENTION.

H. I. Stimson was a Detroit visitor Wednesday.

Miss Corn Foster is spending this week in Sylvan.

Mrs. George Crowell was a Grass Lake visitor Wednesday.

T. J. Keech, of Ann Arbor, was a Chelsea visitor, Tuesday.

Hon. R. Kempf, of Ann Arbor, spent Tuesday in Chelsea.

Wm. Kellogg, of Milan, visited Chelsea friends Tuesday.

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Mrs. P. Johnson, of Dexter, is spending this week with relatives here.

George H. Mitchell, of Chicago, is spending a few days at his Chelsea home.

Perry Palmer and wife, of Jackson, were guests at the home of Dr. Palmer Tuesday.

Miss Gertrude Danberschmidt, of Minneapolis, is spending some time with relatives here.

M. L. Burkhardt and wife spent Sunday at the home of Ben. Feldkamp and family of Bridgewater.

James Murphy, who has been the guest of his mother here, returned to Detroit Wednesday.

Miss Josie Bacon, of Olivet, spent the past two weeks with her parents, Wm. Bacon and wife.

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FRANCISCO.

Mrs. P. Schweinfurth is on the sick list.

Elmer Schweinfurth was a Jackson visitor Sunday.

Chas. Riemschneider is recovering from a severe attack of the grippe.

Ell Lutz and wife, of Waterloo, were guests of Rev. and Mrs. Lenz Sunday.

Pearl Orbring, who has been confined to the house with a severe cold is able to be out again.

F. Kalmbach and wife returned Sunday from a three weeks visit with friends in Iowa.

Emma Schneckenberg, of Waterloo, was a guest at the home of H. Benter Sunday and Monday.

Quarterly meeting at the German M. E. church was well attended both morning and evening, Rev. B. F. Beal, of Detroit, officiated.

The illustrated lecture on the life of Christ given by Rev. B. F. Beal Monday evening was listened to by a large and appreciative audience.

The Ladies Aid of the German M. E. church met at the home of Mrs. George Wasser last Wednesday. In spite of the very unfavorable weather a goodly number were present and very hospitably entertained by Mesdames Wasser and Page. Two new members were added to the society namely, Mesdames Guy Hutz and Frank Page.

Later they were joined by Messrs. Elmer Sweeney, C. M. Glenn and James Hyde. Now all own farms of from eight to eighteen hundred acres, with good buildings, artesian wells and all modern improvements and conveniences, including musical instruments and autos that glide over the level roads like electric cars here. Boys, go west and live.

Wm. Burkhardt on Friday last speared a fine pickerel from his fish-house. He may be seen there bright and early most any morning since.

In Detroit the "devil" sold for forty dollars. Here he wouldn't bring forty cents, without the privilege to cast him out went along with the purchase.

Wm. Stevenson and sister Anna are home now. She will soon go back to her school, which she thinks much of. According to all reports, she is a model teacher.

Your correspondent is taking two daily papers now, but the Ann Arbor Daily News takes the cake for a clean, newsy sheet. So others say who are taking it.

It is your correspondent's opinion that many more will go to hades from their own troubles than from the effects of Adam's fall, for which they are in no way chargeable.

What seems to all interested almost a miracle is the recovery of Mrs. James Hyde, of Merriecourt, North Dakota, of which her many relatives hereabouts will be glad to learn.

A letter from Dakota tells of lively times at Xmas and New Year's. In fact, they outdo the eastern states in all social doings. They are also enjoying a good run of sleighing.

The best and cheapest combination of reading matter is the Chelsea Standard-Herald and the Ann Arbor Daily News. Think of it! A daily and a weekly paper a year for two dollars.

Mrs. R. W. Webb met her husband's sister, Mrs. Janette Pratt, in Chelsea, Friday, and passed without knowing. It has been many years since they met. Mrs. W. will visit them soon at their home.

Now people begin to tell me to keep up my grit—it will soon be spring. All summer they said, "a few more weeks and it will be winter, and you will be better." So I keep hanging on to the promises.

If one-half of the good wishes of your correspondent's many friends come true, the coming year will be the best of his long life. We hope for the best ever. Life grows brighter and better as we learn how to make it so.

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to extend to all of our friends and neighbors who so kindly assisted us during our recent affliction and especially the choir of St. John's church, Rogers' Corners, Freedom, our heartfelt thanks.

G. GRAU,
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If one-half of the good wishes of your correspondent's many friends come true, the coming year will be the best of his long life. We hope for the best ever. Life grows brighter and better as we learn how to make it so.

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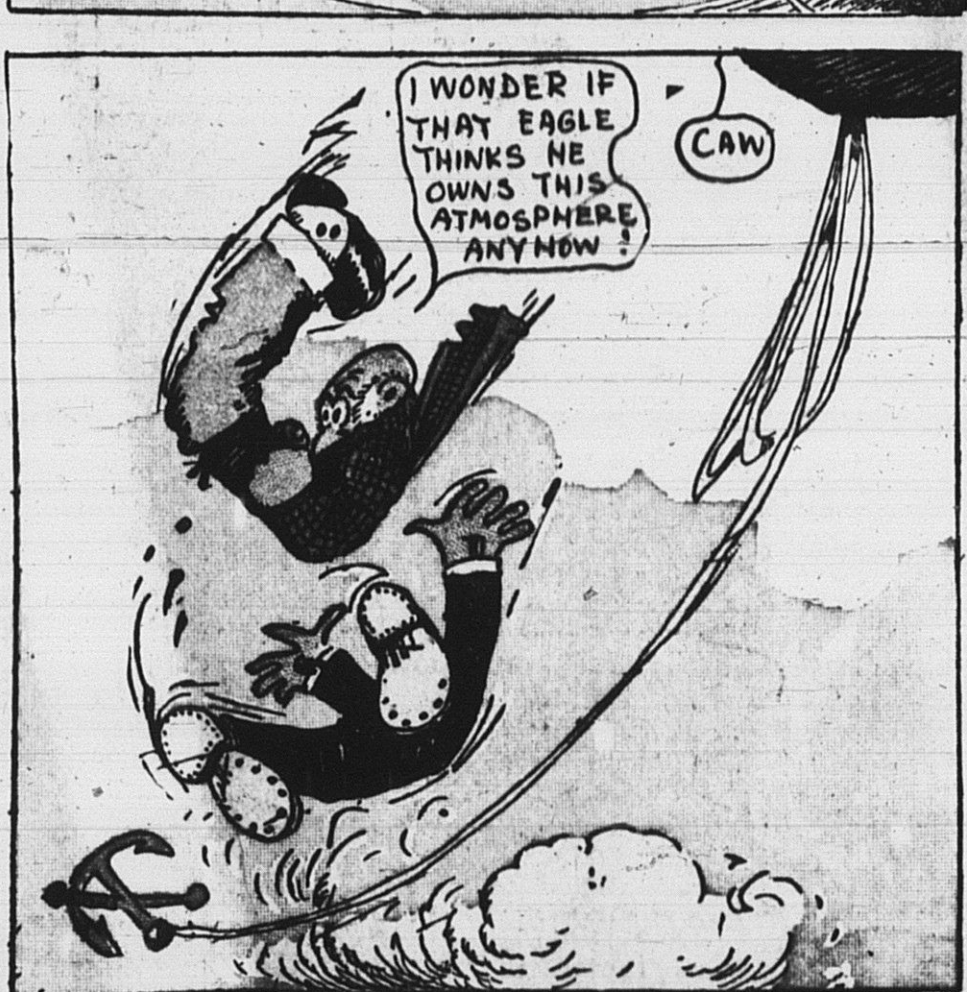
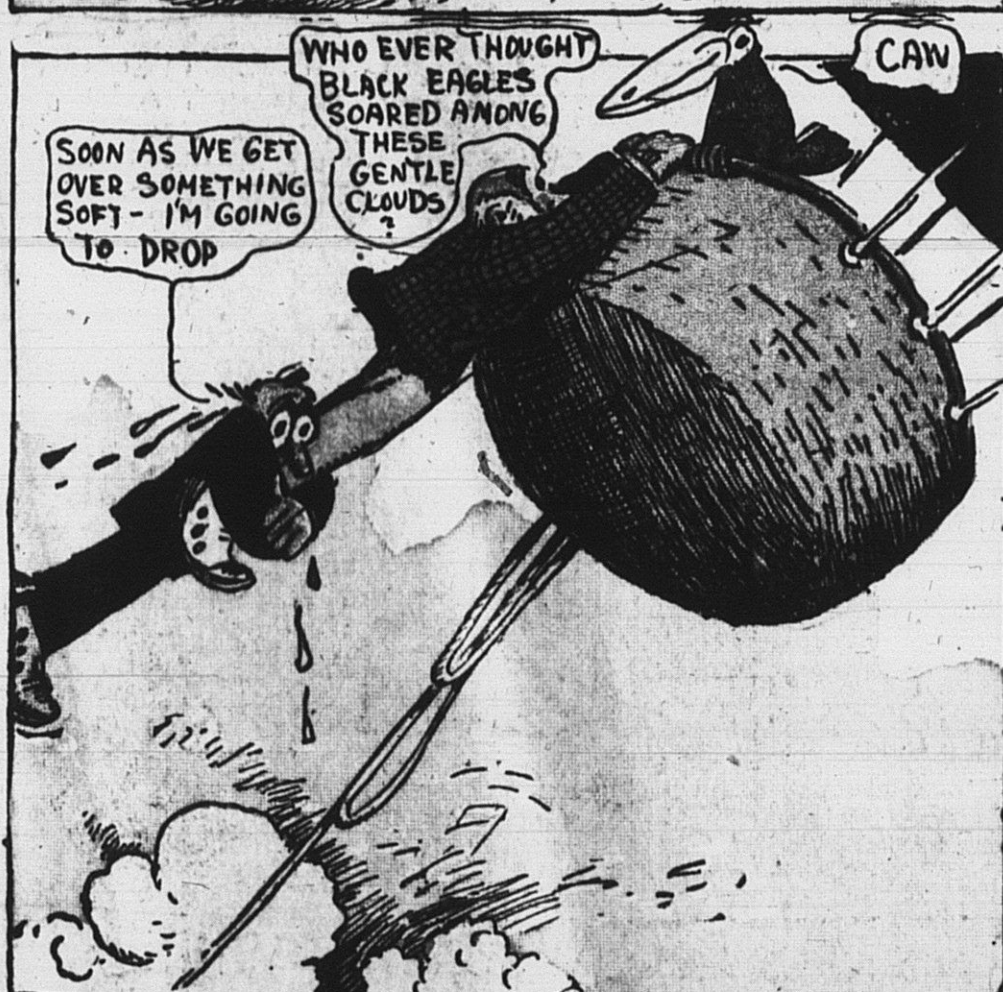
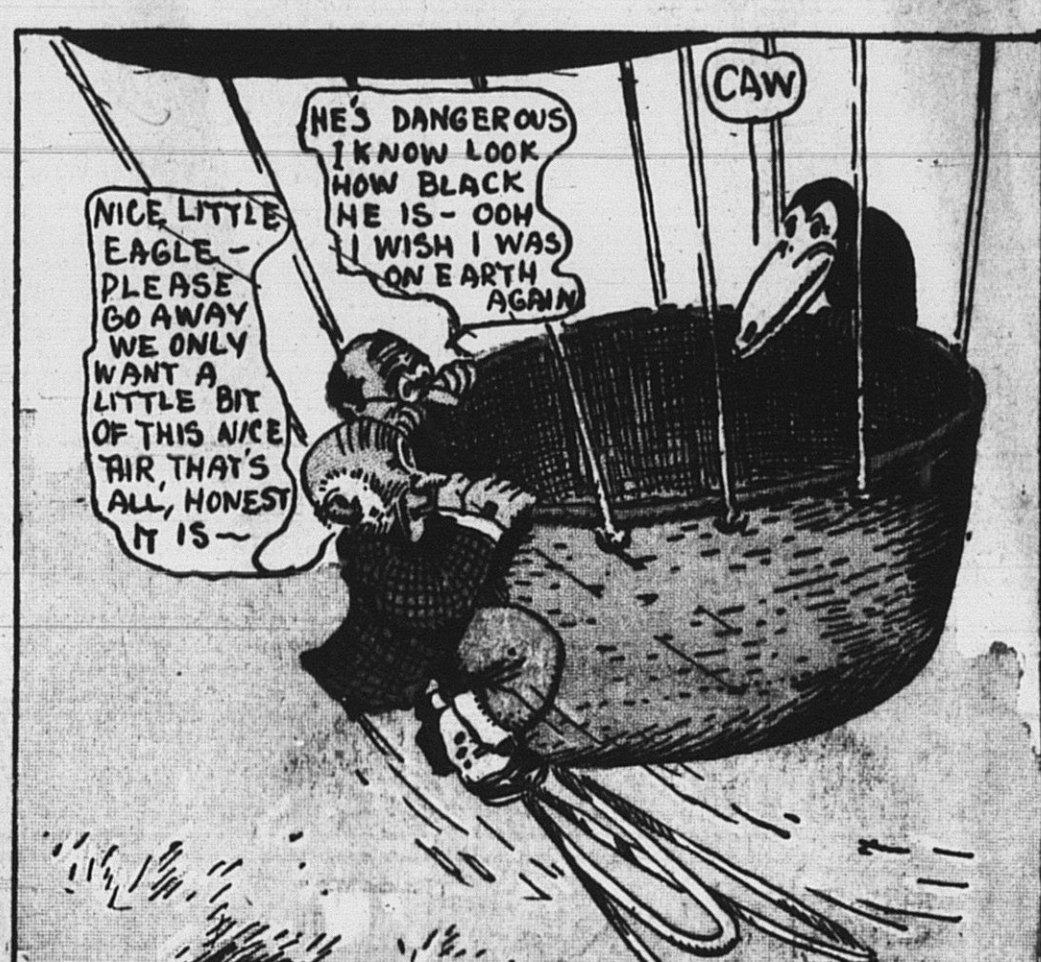


THE CHELSEA STANDARD

CHELSEA, MICHIGAN, THURSDAY.

JAN-11-1906

MAJOR OZONE'S FRESH AIR CRUSADE



JOCKO AND JUMBO



JOCKO WENT OUT ONE DAY TO SKATE. WHEN JUMBO CAME ALONG.



THE MONKEY LAUGHED AT HIS FAT FRIEND, WHICH WAS BOTH RUDE AND WRONG.



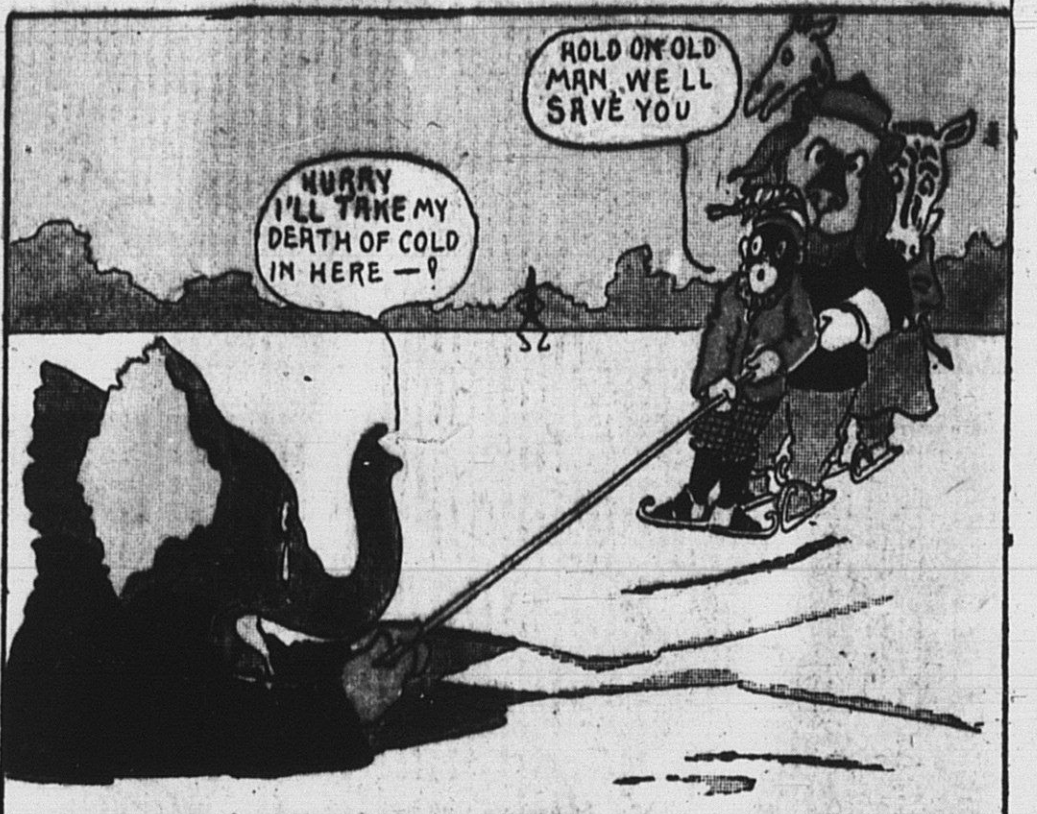
BUT JUMBO, ONCE UPON THE ICE, PROVED HE WAS A SKATER.



THE STUNTS HE DID MADE JOCKO FEEL JUST LIKE A SECOND RATER.

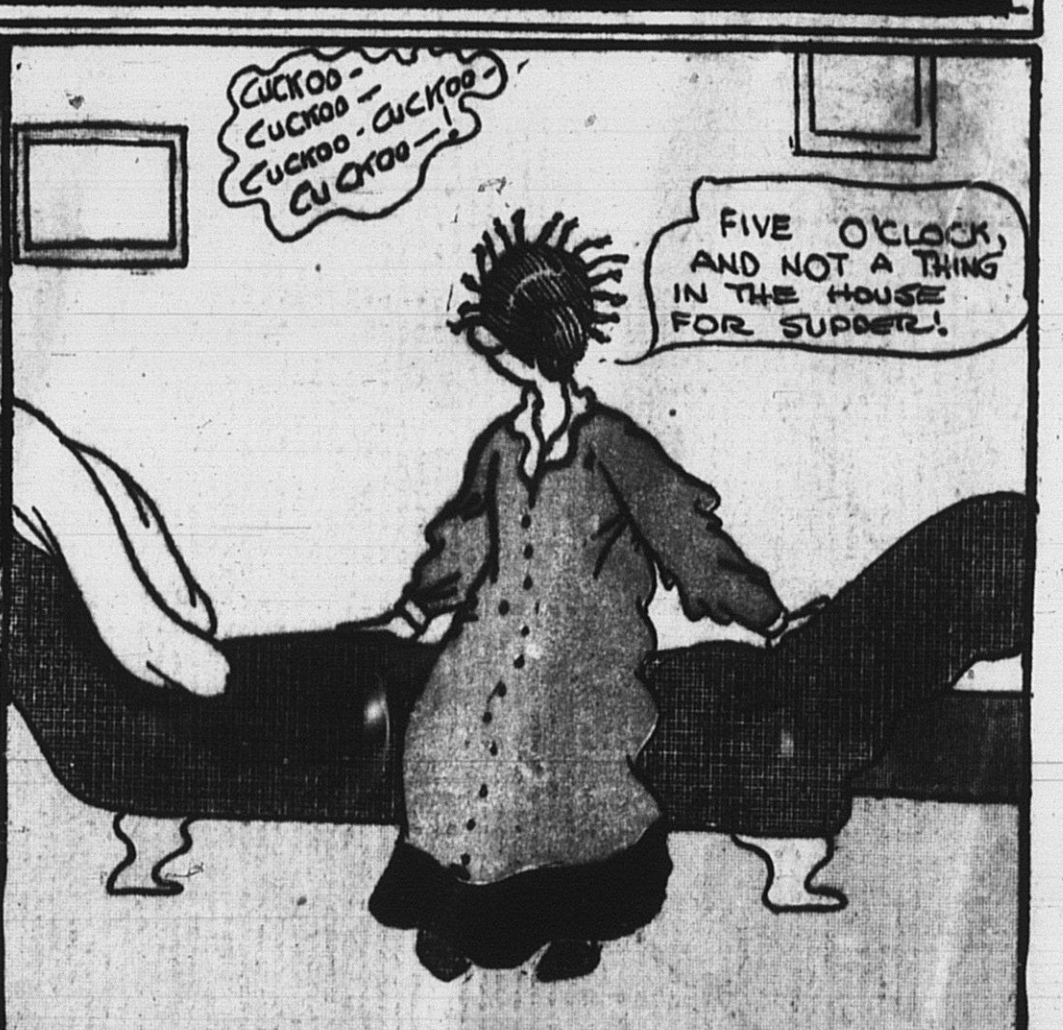
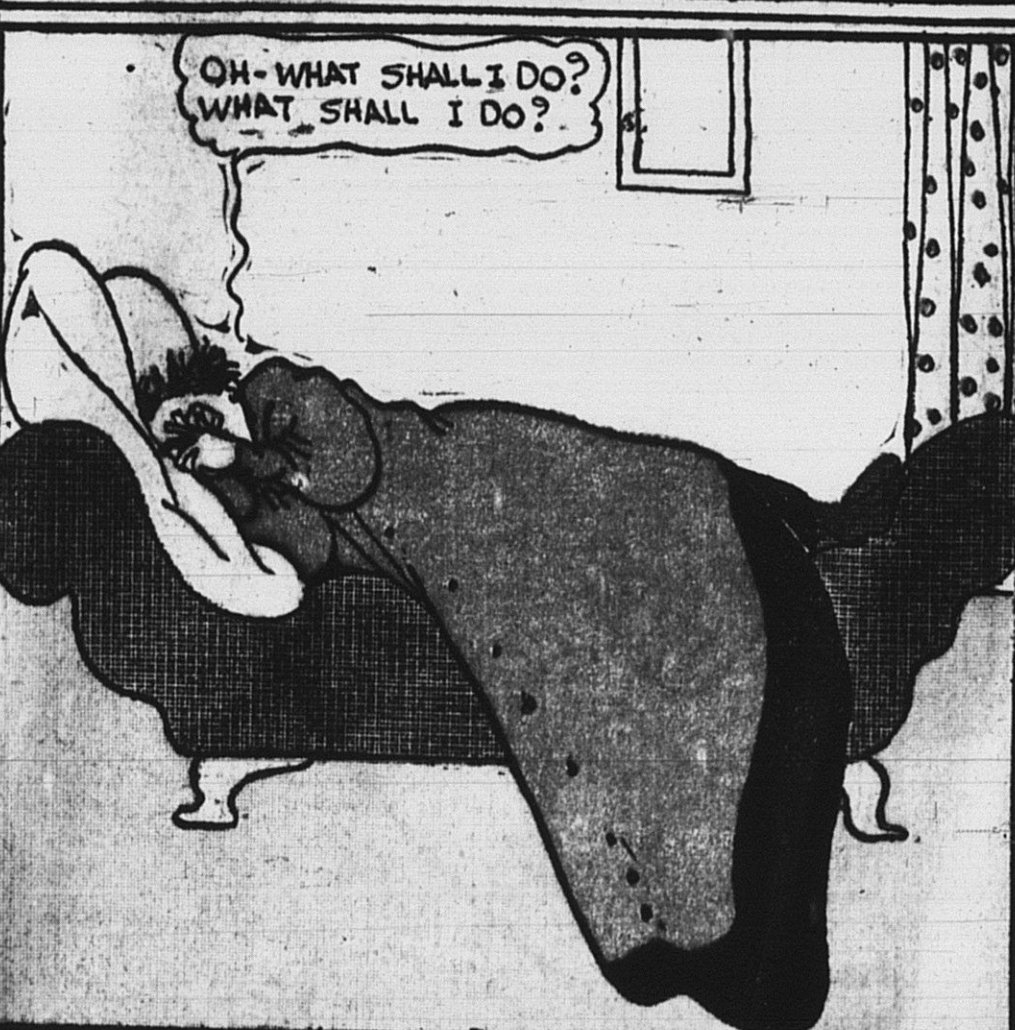


AT LENGTH OLD JUMBO TRIED FOR SPEED - TOO BAD - HE STRUCK THIN ICE.



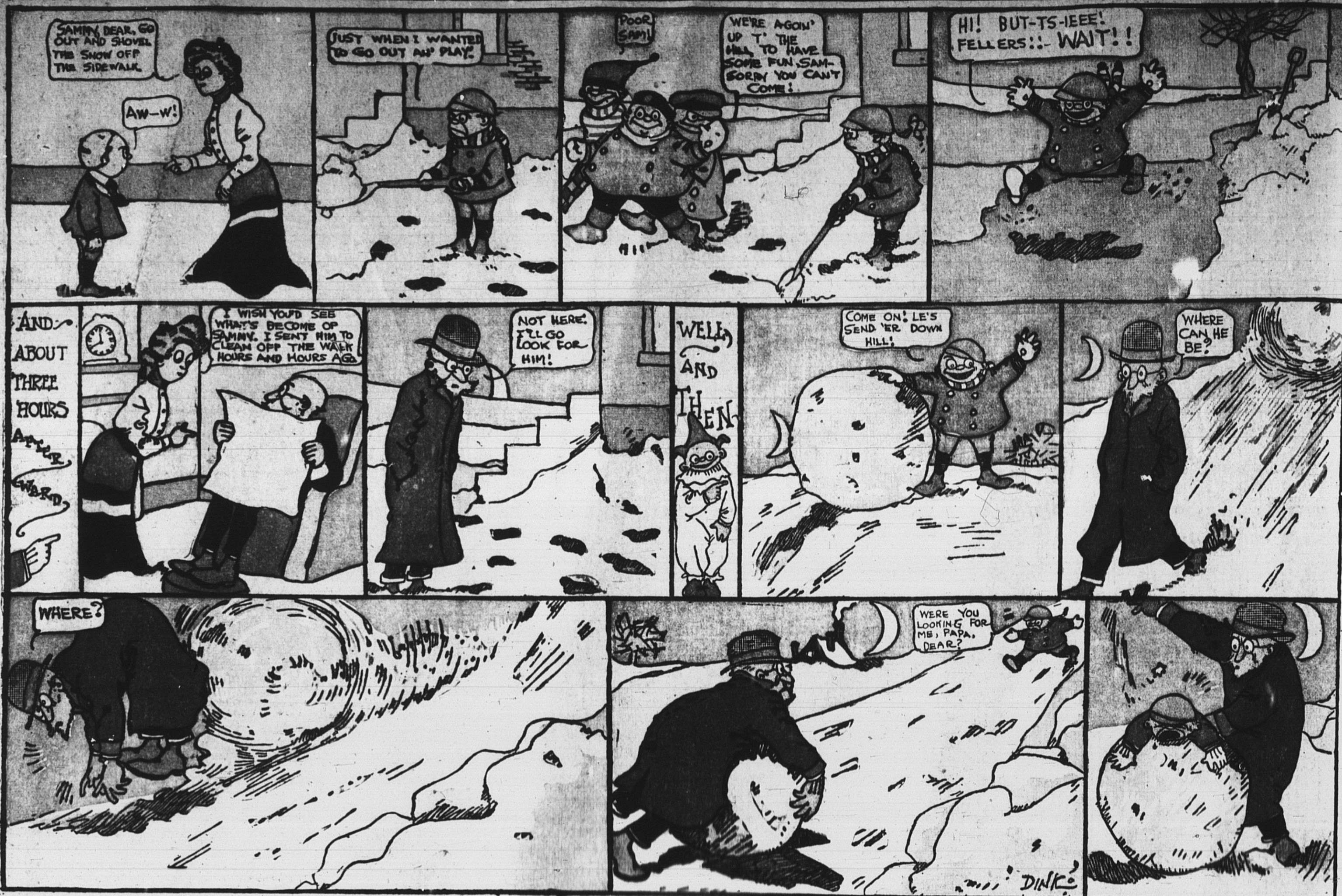
IT CRACKED AND BROKE. JUMBO FELL IN AND SAID THINGS FAR FROM NICE.

SAY!! DID THIS EVER HAPPEN TO YOU??



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Phone 37.

LOCAL EVENTS

OF THE PAST WEEK FOR
THE STANDARD'S READERS.

Mrs. Lewis P. Klein is reported as
being ill.

J. Nelson Dancer, of Sylvan has rent-
ed his farm to Edward Farner.

Gottlieb Ricketts, of Lansing, a former
Chelsea resident, died in that city last
Friday.

The annual meeting of the Wm. Bacon
Holmes Lumber & Coal Co. was held on
Tuesday of this week.

J. O. Thompson, editor of the Dexter
Leader, was a caller at The Standard-
Herald office Saturday.

Theo. Covert and family and C. L.
Hawley and family spent Tuesday at the
home of Mrs. M. Yackley.

It is reported that Thos. Morse, of
Lima, suffered a slight stroke of paralysis
the last of the past week.

J. B. Stanton has taken the contract
for plumbing the new residence of W.
I. Wood on Middle street east.

Rev. E. E. Caster, of Chelsea, conduct-
ed the quarterly meeting at the Lima
Center M. E. church last Sunday.

Delbert Bennett, of Chelsea, has sued
the National Post Fuel Co. in the cir-
cuit court, at Ann Arbor for \$1,000.

Miss Lizzie Keusch is confined to
the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Staffan
with a severe attack of erysipelas.

Miss Genevieve Hummel has accept-
ed a position with the H. S. Holmes
Mercantile Co. as a clerk in their store.

M. Icheldinger, of Lima, sold to
Waltros & Kindall, last Thursday, 52
lambs averaging in weight 95 pounds
each.

The Christian Science society will
hold their services next Sunday forenoon
at 10 o'clock. Subject: "Sacrament."
Golden Text--Jonah 2: 9.

Mrs. W. K. Guerin is reported as
being quite ill. Mrs. Guerin left for
Mt. Clemens Tuesday where she will
take a course of treatment.

Adam Eppler has a force of men at
work cleaning up his ice houses and
getting them ready to be filled with ice
for the coming summer use.

Tom. W. Mingay, the former editor of
the Chelsea Herald, assumed charge of
the mechanical department of the Ann
Arbor Daily News last Monday.

Tuesday evening while skating at
Tuttle's pond Herman Gieske, of this
city, fell and received a bad scalp
wound and was otherwise bruised up.

Rev. Joseph Ryerson's subject next
Sunday morning at the M. E. Church will
be "The Infallibility of the Bible," and
in the evening, "The Making of a Man."

Wm. S. Davidson received a new corn
husking machine the first of the week.
Mr. Davidson expects to begin work
with the new machine in the near fu-
ture.

A new time card on the M. C. went
into effect Sunday. None of the trains
that stop at the Chelsea station were
affected by the new running time of the
road.

The Ladies Guild will hold a social
at the parlors of the Congregational
church on Wednesday evening, January
17. Supper from 5 o'clock until all are
served.

The ladies of the Baptist church will
serve a real pie supper at the Baptist
church, Wednesday evening January 17,
from 4:30 until all are served. 15 and
20 cents.

The Ladies Research club held their
annual meeting last Monday evening,
at the home of Mrs. J. S. Cumming.
Light refreshments were served by the
hostess.

Rev. P. M. McKay, pastor of the Chel-
sea Baptist church is in Saline this
week where he is conducting a series
of meetings in the Baptist church of
that village.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Whitaker enter-
tained the S. E. Pedro club at their
home last Friday evening. The host
and hostess served light refreshments
to their guests.

The cash balance in the hands of State
Treasurer Frank P. Glazier at the close
of the year 1905 was \$313,335.28. Of
this sum, however, \$558,000 is deposited
by receivers of banks.

There will be a moving picture show
at the opera house on Wednesday
evening, January 17, for the benefit of
the new parish school of the Church of
Our Lady of the Sacred Heart.

Beginning with the first of the year
the publishers of the Adrian Press com-
menced to issue that paper as a twice a
week publication. The publication
days are Tuesdays and Fridays.

The annual report of the Washtenaw
Mutual Fire Insurance Company shows
that the present membership is 3180.
Last year the number was 3125, and 284
were added and 225 were dropped, making
a net gain of 55. Last year's risks
amounted to \$4,928,620 and \$548,635 was
added and \$347,615 canceled, making a
total of \$5,129,640. The rate of assess-
ment was \$2.00 per 1,000.

The George Boyd farm in Lima, that
has been operated for a number of years
by Frank Gramer, has been rented to
Emanuel Loeffler, of Freedom, who will
take possession of the premises in the
spring.

Readers of the Standard-Herald have
a big chance to make their money go a
long ways by taking advantage of the
big cut in prices that Chelsea Merch-
ants are making during the month of
January.

H. G. Ives and wife were in Stock-
bridge, Wednesday, where they attended
the funeral services of F. C. Ives, of
Williamston, who died last Sunday. The
deceased was well known to many of the
citizens of this community.

In answer to a telegram from the
president of Defiance college, "Come to
Defiance at once," Dr. Holmes left this
morning for that destination, expecting
to be absent about three weeks, holding
a series of evangelistic meetings.

The German Workmen's Society will
hold their annual meeting on Monday
evening, January 15. Every member of
the society is requested to be present
as business of importance is to be
transacted. The meeting will be called
to order at 7 o'clock sun time.

City and country subscribers who
have access to telephones are earnestly
invited to phone to The Standard-Herald
items of news, personal and otherwise.
The publisher will appreciate your ef-
forts to help make The Standard-Herald
a newsy and reliable newspaper.

The Sir Knights and Lady Maccabees
of Chelsea, will have a joint installation
of their newly elected officers at the
opera house on Tuesday evening, Janu-
ary 16. This installation will be for all
Sir Knights and Lady Maccabees and
their invited friends. Sir Knight H.
Lighthall will install the K. O. T. M. M.
Miss Emma Bowers of Ann Arbor will
be the installing officer for the Lady
Maccabees.

LaFayette Grange will meet at the
home of Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Sweetland
Wednesday, January 17 at 10 a. m.
Literary program will open with roll
call. Response a statement of "Why I
am a Patron." Select readings from the
state masters and lecturer's report.
Topics, The needs of our grange and
how best to attain them. What features
of the literary work are most helpful to
members, and how can those features
be strengthened?

Beginning Wednesday, January 10,
all breakfasts and luncheons in dining
cars on the line of the Michigan Central
will be served on the la carte plan,
and the evening meal, either dinner or
supper, will be served on the table
d'hote plan. Heretofore the table
d'hote plan was quite generally prevail-
ing in the dining car service on the line
of the Michigan Central, the change
therefore is an important departure,
which it is believed will be appreciat-
ed by the public.

At the annual meeting of the stock-
holders of the Chelsea Savings Bank the
following directors were elected: Frank
P. Glazier, W. J. Knapp, W. D. Schenk,
V. D. Hindelang, J. W. Schenk, Adam
Eppler, Fred Wedemeyer, H. I. Stinson,
and T. E. Wood. The following officers
were elected: Frank P. Glazier, presi-
dent; W. J. Knapp, first vice-president;
J. W. Schenk, second vice-president;
Theo. E. Wood, cashier; P. G. Schaible,
assistant cashier.

William H. Lay, of Ypsilanti township
and one of the most respected and
honored citizens of Washtenaw county,
was killed and horribly mangled by the
fast Michigan Central train east about
3:10 Monday afternoon. It seems that
Mr. Lay was crossing the track at
Ward's, just east of Ypsilanti, on his
way home at the time of the accident
and it is thought he did not hear the
approaching train. He was a prominent
member of the Washtenaw Pioneer As-
sociation.

The Dexter Savings Bank reports the
year just closed as being one of the most
successful in its history. The increase
in its business in the past few months
has been more than 15 per cent. which
is most gratifying to its stockholders.
A five per cent. dividend for the six
months ending Dec. 31st, was declared.
The bank is in a better condition now
than ever before, and a steady growth
in its business for the coming year,
which its sound financial basis warrants,
is anticipated. --Dexter Leader.

After the annual business meeting of
the Chelsea Savings Bank, Tuesday
evening, Jan. 9th, Mr. T. E. Wood enter-
tained the directors and employees to a
fine luncheon at his home, it being the
thirtieth anniversary of his connection
with the bank. Appropriate hand paint-
ed souvenirs were at each plate and
gave an added charm to the otherwise
beautiful table decorations. Mr. Wood
thought he was "the whole thing" until
he was presented with an elegant Jap-
anese tankard which was such a sur-
prise that for the moment he was quite
overcome with emotion but soon re-
sponded fittingly. A short time was
given to conversation and games when
all went away feeling that another
bright spot had been added to their
lives.

You will not find beauty in rouge pot
or complexion whitewash. True beauty
comes to them only that take Hollister's
Rocky Mountain Tea. It is a wonderful
tonic and beautifier. 35 cents, Tea or
Tablets. Bank drug store.

Dr. W. S. Mills, osteopath, of Ann
Arbor has made arrangements to be at
the residence of N. F. Prudden, on
Harrison street, Wednesday and Satu-
day evenings from 6 to 9. Treatment
by appointment. No charges for con-
sultation.

JANUARY REDUCTION SALE

Every Dollars Worth of WINTER GOODS, so far as possible, will be
closed out during the month of January.

BARGAINS MUST DO THE BUSINESS

Prices cuts no figure now. Move the goods we will. No deception.
We positively guarantee to save you money on all winter goods
during this sale.

CLOTHING DEPARTMENT.

We start the ball rolling by offering all

MEN'S AND BOYS' OVERCOATS

AT FROM

1-4 TO 1-2 OFF.

This means the greatest Overcoat bargains ever offered in the county.
None reserved. Every garment must go. All broken lots in men's and
boys' suits and odd pants will be closed out at from 1-4 to 1-2 off our
regular price.

Men's overcoats will go during this sale at \$3.00, \$4.00, \$5.00,
\$7.50 and \$10.00 that retail everywhere at from \$10.00 to \$20.00.

Boys' overcoats at less than the cost to manufacture. If you are going
to need clothing this winter or next fall you will be a big winner by
buying now.

FURNISHING GOODS DEPARTMENT.

We have broken lots in underwear, hosiery, gloves and mittens, dress
shirts, neckwear, etc., that will be closed out cheap.

DRY GOODS DEPARTMENT,

All heavy weight DRESS GOODS for suits and skirts will go at from fifty to seventy five cents on the dollar.
54 inch heavy black skirting, all wool, worth \$1.00, now 50c yard.
54 inch herring bone suitings, regular \$1.00 goods everywhere, now 50c yard.
38 inch fancy suitings, retailing at from 60c to 65c, now reduced to 35c yard.
Regular 8c colored outtings now 5c yard. Regular 12c colored outtings now 7c yard.
Regular 12c colored outtings now 10c yard.
Stevens XX crash now 12c yard. Stevens NN crash now 9 1/2c yard. Stevens all linen crash now 8c yard.
Good quality unbleached outing now 4c yard. Several pieces silkoline to close at 8c yard.
One bale good quality unbleached sheeting will go as a stimulator at 6c yard.
All 18c flannelettes now 12 1/2c yard. All 10c flannelettes at 7c yard.
Good assortment best prints 5c yard. Good quality bleached sheeting 5c yard.
Good quality apron check gingham 5c yard. Best quality 12 1/2c gingham now 8c yard.

UNDERWEAR

Women's regular 40c ribbed underwear now 25c.
Children's heavy fleeced underwear large sizes, from size 28 to 34 only 25c.
Bargains in men's underwear and flannelette night gowns.

Women's Ready Made Department.

We are closing out all ladies suits at \$5.00. Remember this means suits that retailed at from \$10.00 to \$25.00.
None reserved.
All ladies long coats go now at from 1-4 to 1-2 off.
All ladies medium length coats will be closed out at from \$1.00 to \$3.00.
All ladies skirts marked down for this sale. All children's cloaks 1-4 off.
Carpets linoleums, all cloth, matting, rugs, lace curtain and draperies at lower prices than you will pay
elsewhere. All wool ingrain carpets at 55c yard.
Cotton chain and union ingrain carpets at from 30c to 45c yard.

FURS

Our line of Furs are up-to-date. All new, this season's style. When it comes to quality and price we have had
no competition in Chelsea. We haven't many left, but what we have to show are beautiful garments and
every one will be sold during this sale.
You can buy stylish furs here now at \$1.00, \$2.00, \$3.00, \$5.00 and \$7.50.

BASEMENT.

Remember this place. A complete Grocery Department. A complete Crockery and Glassware Department.

5c, 10c and 25c Counters

LOADED WITH BARGAINS.

W. P. SCHENK & COMPANY