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The Chelsea Savings Bank

Presents the following figures for your thoughtful consideration:

Capital,	\$100,000.00
Surplus and Profits,	\$102,503.15
Total Resources, over	\$1,000,000.00

To Thoughtful People looking for a safe place to keep their money, or transact their banking business, these figures mean MUCH.

The CHELSEA SAVINGS BANK is the OLDEST and STRONGEST BANK in western Washtenaw county.

Our Capital and Surplus is over three times greater than any other Bank in western Washtenaw county. Our Board of Directors are men of known business ability and integrity, men who have made success of business, by fair and square business methods, which is evidenced by the fact that they pay more taxes on real estate and personal property than the Directors of any other Bank in Washtenaw county.

Money to Loan on Good Approved Security.

We solicit your Banking business and guarantee prompt, honest and courteous treatment.

THE CHELSEA SAVINGS BANK.

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Ben Hur Family Flour, per sack 59c

Absolutely the best Minnesota Flour made. Try it. We guarantee it.

Sugar Corn, Succotash, peas, etc., finest quality, per can	15c
Early June Peas, can 10c	55c
6 cans	55c
Fancy Red Salmon, 2 cans	25c
Full Head Carolina Rice 3 pounds	25c
Good imported sardines, 2 cans	25c
Search Light Matches, 6 boxes	25c
Freeman's Baking Powder 1-lb. Cans	20c
Minute Tapioca, 1-lb. package	10c
Best Graham Crackers, 3 packages	25c
Pickles, small sweet and sweet mixed, per qt.	25c
Heinz Mince Meat, lb.	15c
Marvelli Macaroni, 2 pkgs	25c
Shredded Wheat Biscuit	25c
Mapl Flake and Grape Nuts, 2 pkgs	25c
Heinz Dill Pickles, per dozen	13c
Extra Quality Pine Apple shredded or sliced, can	25c
Chef Sweet Potatoes. Try a can	15c

Coffees

The Finest that Grow

We claim to sell better Coffee for less money than others ask. If you don't believe it try a pound. The proof's in the drinking.

AT THE BUSY STORE OF
FREEMAN BROS.

BEST OF INTEREST SHOWN

IN MONDAY'S ELECTION.

Although There Was Only One Ticket in the Field, Four Hundred and Six Ballots Were Cast.

At Monday's village election the voters gave an effective endorsement of the men on the Citizen's ticket by taking interest enough to get out and cast 406 ballots, although half a dozen votes would have elected the nominees, as there was only one ticket in the field. Especially was it complimentary to President F. P. Glazier's policy, administration and citizenship. Out of the 406 ballots cast Mr. Glazier received 391 votes, a portion of the remainder being thrown out because of defects in casting the ballot.

Jacob Hummel, for assessor, was high man on the ticket, receiving 392 votes. Last year Mr. Glazier's opponent was defeated by 174 majority, but this year Mr. Glazier had absolutely no opposition.

This is an appreciation expressed by the citizens of Chelsea for the fearless manner in which Mr. Glazier cleaned up on the gambling element and turned the followers of illegal calling from the town.

The results were as follows: Total votes cast, 406.

President—Hon. Frank P. Glazier, 391.
Clerk—Henry W. Heselshewer, 388.
Treasurer—John Farrell, 388.
Assessor—Jacob Hummel, 392.
Trustees—F. H. Sweetland, 389; Edward McKune, 388; Henry I. Stinson, 390.

At Dexter there was practically no fight and 122 votes were cast, 19 of which were split. Result is as follows:

President—R. P. Copeland.
Clerk—John Bailey.
Treasurer—B. C. Whittaker.
Assessor—Fred Alley.
Trustees—Alonso Olsaver, E. Jelede and Harry Keal.

At Manchester a total of 279 votes was cast and the Young Men's ticket was successful against the Citizen's ticket, with the exception of William Widmayer and Samuel Holmes of the latter. Municipal ownership of electric lights was defeated by a vote of 125 to 149. Fred Freeman was re-elected for his fourth term. The result was as follows:

President—Fred Freeman.
Clerk—W. J. Hoffer.
Treasurer—Louis Louier.
Assessor—George Dieterle.
Street Commissioner—Edwin Blythe.
Trustees—Samuel Holmes, Wm. Widmayer and Fred Steinkohl.

Gave Talk on Panama.

The Bay View Club was delightfully entertained at the home of Hon. and Mrs. C. S. Winans Monday evening. Attention was given the regular lesson after which Mr. Winans, by request of the club, gave a description of his recent trip from Chile which we hardly need say was very interesting. He limited himself to five minutes but gave the ladies the privilege of asking questions and it seemed as if they really could outdo "Inquisitive Clarence" and an hour passed before we were aware of it. He talked very optimistically of the Panama canal and the healthy condition of the Isthmus owing to Uncle Sam's thorough methods of sanitation.

Piano solos were given by Mrs. E. Keenan and Masters Hubert and Llewellyn Winans, teacher and pupils, which were so pleasing that each had to respond to a hearty encore. After this intellectual food the hostess said "Go in the dining room and see what can be found" and there were tempting fruit, nuts and fudge which were very much enjoyed. Little Clarice, evidently, felt she wished to do her share of entertaining so unpacked her doll's trunk, showing all sorts of things such to the amusement of the ladies. Surely an evening pleasantly and profitably spent.

Church Raised \$460.

Last Thursday the North Lake M. E. church held a reunion. Although it was a stormy day, it did not hinder a goodly company from coming from Chelsea, Dexter, Pinckney, Unadilla and Stockbridge, who aided us by their helpful words and donations of cash. During the afternoon session checks from Dakota, Mason and Ann Arbor came to swell the funds. At supper time another generous contribution was added to the afternoon donations. Then at the evening session, the completion of the program accomplished, again the subscription paper was shown, and it kept Elder Littlejohn, of Pinckney, busy until all had been heard from, the whole amount contributed being over \$460.

The excellent program, which was carried out at the two sessions, was printed in The Standard-Herald several weeks ago. All those taking part deserved and received more praise than the writer can give. Altogether it was

a "Bank Check Day", if not a "Red Letter Day", for North Lake, and there was a renewal of the spirit that builded the old church in 1865-66. Now, to get your pay back, good people, put on your best and take a seat in the cheery, renovated church, where you will always be made welcome.—N. L. cor.

A Correction.

A few weeks ago a brief item appeared in this paper to the effect that Fred Frey, of Manchester, had been arrested for stealing an overcoat and plead guilty to the charge, for which he was fined \$10. Having had this matter brought to our attention, we find, upon investigation, that a correction of the item should be made.

It appears that Mr. Frey was in attendance at a dance at Lima Center, and, on leaving for home, unintentionally, as he claims, took an overcoat belonging to Mr. Hutzel, thinking it was his own, and leaving his coat in place of the one taken. He claims he did not notice his mistake until the next morning as he was about to go to work in the woods in Freedom township near Pleasant Lake, and did not then know whose coat he had taken by mistake. During the forenoon of that day Mr. Hutzel, accompanied by an officer, came to where he was working and he was informed that a warrant had been issued for his arrest. He then denied his guilt, told how the mistake was made, and not wanting to be taken from his work, offered to pay Mr. Hutzel for his trouble and time and the expenses that had been occasioned, which amount was accepted. It appears that he was never arrested, or brought in court, and did not plead guilty, nor was he fined.

STORIETTES

A rural scribe asks: "Would you rather hear it reinder than to hear a snow-bell?"

There is a man named Norman Good who resides in a Kansas town, and it is said of him that he is very much averse to signing his initials.

The man of the house told the peddler that his wife didn't need a new mop, because she had just finished mopping the floor with him.

Willie told the preacher he found a dead fly in the jam. Willie and the preacher are both very fond of jam—and Willie decided he wouldn't lose out even if he had to play the part of Ananias!

"What do you charge for a funeral notice?" inquired a young man of an Oklahoma exchange. "Fifty cents an inch," the publisher replied. "And my brother was six feet tall!" exclaimed the visitor.

It was in the civil government class that the teacher asked the new pupil how the president of the United States was elected. Willie, having been raised in an intensely partisan county, promptly replied, "by a big majority, ma'am!"

They were discussing dancing, when one who is opposed to it said: "Modern dancing should be reformed. It is only a polite way of hugging a girl. What would you suggest?" "Well," said the flippant youth, "I would suggest doing away with the music."

Casey was asked what caused all the noise in his house one morning, and getting back at the inquisitive neighbor, answered: "Oh, 'twas me boy Dinny. He sat down on his grandmother's false tathe, and they bit him."—Englewood (Ill.) Times.

A story is told of a teacher who recited to her pupils "The Landing of the Pilgrims" after which she requested each pupil to draw from his or her imagination a picture of Plymouth Rock. Most of them went to work at once, but one little fellow hesitated and at length raised his hand. "Well, Willie, what is it?" asked the teacher. "Please, ma'am, do you want us to draw a hen or a rooster?"

The Ladies' Study Club.

The Ladies' Study Club met with Mrs. C. Hummel, Tuesday evening, and the following Lenten program was given:

Roll call.
Quotations from the Bible.
"The Passion play at Oberammergau"—Mrs. Ignatius Howe.
"St. Catharine of Alexandria"—Mrs. C. Hummel.
"Cardinal Gibbons"—Mrs. Geo. Eder.
"The Moral Training of the Kindergarten"—Miss Josephine Foster.
Recitation: "Leadon Cross"—Miss Helen Eder.
Music—Mrs. J. E. McKune.

For any pain, from top to toe, from any cause, apply Dr. Thomas' Electric oil. Pain can't stay where it is used.

AT EIGHTY YEARS OF AGE

J. F. VOGEL DEAD.

A Prominent Personage of Freedom Township Passes Away After Many Years of Usefulness.

John Frederick Vogel, an old resident of Freedom township, died at his home, Friday, at the age of 80 years. He was the father of Charles and Henry Vogel, of Ann Arbor. At Freedom he was postmaster for many years, acting in that capacity until the office was abolished. He, with his wife, lived in a large brick residence, the brick of which it was built being made by Mr. Vogel himself. But a short time ago Mr. and Mrs. Vogel celebrated their golden wedding. A large number of relatives of deceased, reside in this vicinity. The funeral was held Tuesday at 10 o'clock.

The Gambler's Chance.

Richard A. Canfield, the big New York gambler, who has recently been in the limelight of publicity because of a lawsuit, puts the gambling proposition in a unique form. "If you play with a gambler long enough," says Canfield, "he is bound to win your money. He can't help but get it. When you play with me in round numbers you put up \$100; against that I put up \$90. Now figure how long you can keep doing this. You may win my money now and then, you may break me temporarily, but as long as you play against me at the odds of 100 to 90, in the end I'll have your money."

Canfield ought to know. He is reputed to have made \$5,000,000 in the gambling business. It is said he has not personally touched a card in twenty years. He intrusts the business of his establishment to subordinates and relies with mathematical certainty upon the returns. Canfield puts it very plainly. If you go into the gambler's game, he has hundred chances to your ninety, ten chances to your nine. If you stay in the game long enough—and the majority of the players do—he will get your pile. It is simply science, skill and luck pitted against absolute certainty. The end is known from the beginning.

That is where the average man who gambles makes his fundamental mistake. He imagines that good fortune will beat the law of mathematics. He bets on the theory that good playing and luck will enable him to overcome the stubborn fact that ten is one more than nine. Canfield says what everyone ought to know: "When you go up against the gambler's game, you go up against a dead sure thing." The gambler's game is not a game of chance at all. Chance has nothing to do with it. It is financial robbery done scientifically. Gambler Canfield's frank statement will have little effect, however. There will always be the man who fancies he can change nine into a bigger figure than ten.

Will Give Concert.

The following program will be given by the choir of the Congregational church, assisted by local and outside talent, at the church, Friday evening, March 15, at 8 o'clock. Admission, for adults, 15c; school children, 10c:

Instrumental Solo..... Rena Roedel
Ladies' Quartette.....
Misses Atkinson, Crane and Boyd, and Mrs. Chase.

Vocal Solo..... Miss Lucille Ross

Violin Solo..... Ernest Kuhl

Vocal Solo..... Howard Ellis

Girls' Quartette.....

Misses Mary and Adeline Spinnagle, M. Eder and Edna Raimy.

Vocal Solo..... Emil Kanteleher

Instrumental Duet.....

Elsa Maroney and Nina B. Wurster.

Vocal Solo..... Elmer Winans

Vocal Solo..... Miss Ross

Quartette..... Mrs. Earl F. Chase

Vocal Solo..... Mr. Ellis

Anthem..... Choir

There will be no response to encores.

Miss Ross is a soprano soloist from Ypsilanti and Mr. Ellis a tenor soloist from Ann Arbor.

Will be Naval Cadet.

Bert Snyder, who recently took an examination for cadetship at Annapolis has been nominated by Congressman Townsend and is to appear in Detroit in April for the final physical examination (which he has already passed twice) and if successful will report at Annapolis in June when he will begin his course which will continue through seven years. The first two years will be spent at the city named and he will be allowed \$500 per year, then his first furlough will be granted. At the expiration of the furlough he will go on a training ship to continue in the preparatory service.

There is no doubt at all but that the final physical examination will be successfully passed and his friends are already congratulating him on his good fortune in receiving the appointment.

The New Wall Papers

ARE HERE.

We are prepared to show you the **brightest, cleanest, newest stock of Wall Paper ever shown in Chelsea.** We have selected the best designs and colorings from the leading manufacturers of this country. Our stock comes from such firms as Robt. Graves & Co., Becker, Smith & Page, The Glendale Wall Paper Co., S. A. Maxwell & Co., and other equally well-known makers.

The Designs and Colorings

This year are more beautiful than ever before. There is nothing that will go so far toward refurnishing and beautifying the home (for the money expended) as artistic and harmonious wall hangings.

Perhaps the Home Looks Dingy

and smoky; try as you will, you cannot make things look bright and cherry with the broom and dust cloth.

The Remedy is New Wall Paper.

Come in and let us show you what we have; how to treat the hanging of the different kinds and styles; ask to see our books of helpful hints about the decoration of the home.

Prices the Lowest at the

Bank Drug Store.

L. T. FREEMAN.

Special Sale!

Commencing **SATURDAY** March 16,

Having purchased the entire hardware stock of the Phelps Hardware Co., of Dexter, we are going to give our customers the benefit of the low prices on this. We will just mention a few of the bargains below. Come and see for yourself.

25 STEEL RANGES

All of the leading makes such as Peninsular, Jewel, Laurel and others to be sold at this sale at prices which will suit the buyer.

One lot of Wash Boilers, while they last at 50c.

One lot of Wash Boilers, while they last at 75c.

Enameled Coffee Boilers at this sale 50c and 75c each.

Copper Coffee Pots 52c each.

Enameled Tea Kettles 50c each.

Milk Pans, while they last, 50c dozen.

14-quart Rinsing Pans 15c.

244 lb. Scales \$2.25 and so on all the way down the line.

You will find the greatest bargains you ever saw.

A full line of Pratts and Capitol Stock Food.

The largest line of Builder's Hardware you ever saw.

Some great bargains in Blankets and plush Poles.

In our Furniture Department our lines are complete.

In our bazaar you will find everything up-to-date.

Every lady or gentleman that purchases \$2.50 worth of goods or more at this sale will receive free of charge 1 Gold Fish and 1 Glass Aquarium, while they last.

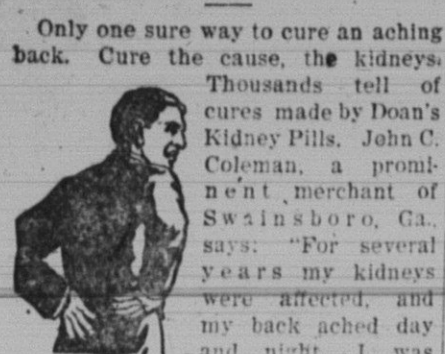
See our large line of Single and Double Harness. We have the best line of Horse Collars in Chelsea. Lamb Woven Wire Fence always on hand.

Holmes & Walker

We Treat You Right.

DOES YOUR BACK ACHE?

Cure the Kidneys and the Pain Will Never Return.



Only one sure way to cure an aching back. Cure the cause, the kidneys. Thousands tell of cures made by Doan's Kidney Pills. John C. Coleman, a prominent merchant of Swainsboro, Ga., says: "For several years my kidneys were affected, and my back ached day and night. I was languid, nervous and lame in the morning. Doan's Kidney Pills helped me right away, and the great relief that followed has been permanent."

Sold by all dealers. 50 cents a box. Foster-McBurn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

Money in Motor Manufacture.
About \$60,000,000 is at present invested in England in the manufacture of motor-wagons. About 250,000 men are employed in them, or as chauffeurs, etc., and their wages aggregate \$75,000,000 a year.

Words Knowing About.
If you need a first-class laxative, there is nothing better nor safer than that old family remedy, Brandreth's Pills. Each pill contains one grain of solid extract of sassafras, which, with other valuable vegetable products, make it a blood purifier of excellent character. If you are troubled with constipation, one pill at night will afford great relief.

Brandreth's Pills are the same fine laxative tonic pill your grandfathers used. They have been in use for over a century, and are for sale everywhere, either plain or sugar-coated.

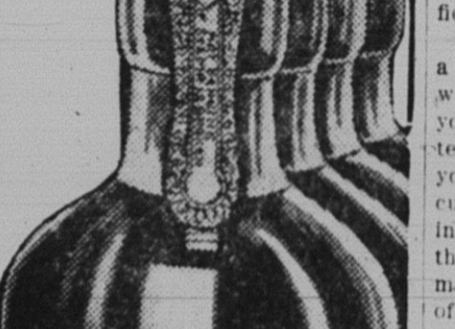
Bank of England.
The Bank of England employs about 1,000 people, pays \$120,000 yearly in wages and \$15,000 yearly in pensions.

Especially worthy of notice is Garfield, Tenn. Xanthine remedy for constipation, rich blood, liver and kidney purgatives. It is made wholly of herbs.

Never Had Picture Taken.
Judge Charles T. Woodard, lately appointed to the Maine supreme court, never had a picture taken.

PILLS CURED IN 6 TO 14 DAYS.
PAZUOINER'S EXTRACT OF SASSAPARILLA, used of 100 years, cures all kinds of urinary ailments. It is made wholly of herbs.

No man ever asks a truthful woman what she thinks of him more than once.



PE-RU-NA
FOR
CATARRH
OF THE
HEAD,
THROAT,
LUNGS,
STOMACH,
KIDNEYS
BLADDER
AND
FEMALE ORGANS.

W. A. Mitchell, dealer in general merchandise, Martin, Ga., writes: "My wife lost in weight from 130 to 68 pounds. We saw she could not live long. She was a skeleton, so we consulted an old physician. He told her to try Peruna. She gradually commenced improving and getting a little strength. She now weighs 106 pounds. She is gaining every day, and does her own housework and cooking."

SICK HEADACHE
CARTER'S
LITTLE
LIVER
PILLS.
regulate the Bowels. Purely Vegetable. SMALL PILL. SMALL DOSE. SMALL PRICE.

CARTER'S
LITTLE
LIVER
PILLS.
Genuine Must Bear Fac-Simile Signature. REFUSE SUBSTITUTES.

SERIAL STORY

THE HOUSE OF A THOUSAND CANDLES

By MEREDITH NICHOLSON
Author of "THE MAIN CHANCE," "ZELDA," "BAMBERN," Etc.

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CHAPTER II.—Continued.

"The big chap in the lead is my friend Pickering," I answered, and Larry turned his head slightly.

"Yes, I supposed you weren't looking at the women," he observed dryly. "I'm sorry I couldn't see the object of your interest. Bah! these men!"

I laughed carelessly enough, but I was already summoning from memory the grave face of the girl in black, her mournful eyes, the slint of gold in her hair. Pickering was certainly finding the pleasant places in this vale of tears, and I felt my heart hot against him. It hurts this seeing a man you have never liked succeeding where you have failed.

"Why didn't you present me?" I'd like to make the acquaintance of a few representative Americans, I may need them to go ball for me."

"Pickering didn't see me, for one thing, and for another he wouldn't go ball for you or me if he did. He is a built that way."

Larry smiled quizzically. "You needn't explain further. The sight of the lady has shaken you. She reminds me of Tennyson:

"The starlike sorrows of immortal stars," and the rest of it ought to be a solemn warning to you—many 'drew swords and died,' and calamity followed in her train. Bah! these women! I thought you were past all that!"

"I don't know why a man should be past it at 27. Besides, Pickering's friends are strangers to me. But what became of that Irish colleen you used to moon over? Her distinguishing feature, as I remember her photograph, was a short upper lip. You used to force her upon me frequently when we were in Africa."

"Humph! When I got back to Dublin I found that she had married a brewer's son—think of it!"

"Put not your faith in a short upper lip. Her face never inspired any confidence in me."

"That will do, thank you. I'll have a bit more of that mayonnaise if the waiter isn't dead. I think you said your grandfather died in June. A letter advising you of the fact reached you at Naples in October. Has it occurred to you that there was quite an interim there? What, may I ask, was the executor doing all that time? You may be sure he was taking advantage of the opportunity to look for the red, red gold. I suppose you didn't give him a sound drubbing for not keeping the cables hot with inquiries for you?"

He eyed me in that disdain for my stolidity which I have never suffered from any other man.

"Well, no; to tell the truth, I was thinking of other things during the interview."

"Your grandfather should have provided a guardian for you, lad. You oughtn't to be trusted with money. Is our bottle empty? Well, if that person with the fat neck was your friend Pickering, I'd have a care of what's coming to me. I'd be quite sure that Mr. Pickering hadn't made away with the old gentleman's boodle, or that it didn't get lost on the way from him to you."

"The time's running now, and I'm in for the year. My grandfather was a fine old gentleman, and I treated him like a dog. I'm going to do what he directs in that will, no matter what the size of the reward may be."

"Certainly; that's the eminently proper thing for you to do. But—keep your wits about you. If a fellow with that neck can't find money where money has been known to exist, it must be buried pretty deep. Your grandfather was a riddle eccentric, I judge, but not a fool by any manner of means. The situation appeals to my imagination, Jack. I like the idea of it—the lost treasure and the whole business. Lord, what a salad that is! Cheer up, comrade! You're as grim as an owl."

Whereupon we fell to talking of people and places we had known in other lands.

We spent the next day together, and in the evening, at my hotel, he criticized my effects while I packed, in his usual ironical vein.

"You're not going to take those things with you, I hope!" He indicated the rifles and several revolvers which I brought from the closet and threw upon the bed. "They make me homesick for the jungle."

He drew from its cover the heavy rifle I had used last on a leopard hunt and tested its weight.

"Precious little use you'll have for this! Better let me take it back to the Sod to use on the landlords. I say, Jack, are we never to seek our fortunes together again? We hit it off pretty well, old man, come to think of it—I don't like to lose you."

He bent over the straps of the rifle-case with unnecessary care, but there was a quaver in his voice that was not like Larry Donovan.

"Come with me now!" I exclaimed, wheeling upon him.

"I'd rather be with you than with

any other living man, Jack Glenarm, but I can't think of it. I have my own troubles; and, moreover, you've got to stick it out there alone. It's part of the game the old gentleman set up for you, as I understand it. Go ahead, collect your fortune, and then, if I haven't been hanged in the meantime, we'll join forces later. There's no chap anywhere with a pleasanter knack at spending money than your old friend L. D."

He grinned, and I smiled ruefully, knowing that we must soon part again, for Larry was one of the few men I had ever called friend, and this meeting had only quickened my old affection for him.

"I suppose," he continued, "you accept as gospel truth what that fellow tells you about the estate. I should be a little wary if I were you. Now, I've been kicking around here for a couple of weeks, dodging the detectives, and incidentally reading the newspapers. Perhaps you don't understand that this estate of John Marshall Glenarm has been talked about a good bit."

"I didn't know it," I said lamely.

"You couldn't know when you were coming from the Mediterranean on a steamer. But the house out there and the mysterious disappearance of the property have been duly discussed. You're evidently an object of some public interest," and he drew from his pocket a newspaper cutting.

"Here's a sample item," he read: "John Marshall Glenarm, the grandson of John Marshall Glenarm, the eccentric millionaire who died suddenly in Vermont last summer, arrived on the Maximine from Naples yesterday. Under the terms of his grandfather's will, Glenarm is required to reside for a year at a curious house established by John Marshall Glenarm near Lake Annandale, Indiana."

"This provision was made, according to friends of the family, to test young Glenarm's staying qualities, as he has, since his graduation from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology five years ago, distributed a considerable

fortune left by his father in contemplating the wonders of the old world. It is reported—"

"That will do! Signs and wonders I have certainly beheld, and if I spent my patrimony I submit that I got my money back."

I paid my bill and took a hansom for the ferry—Larry with his old zest. As the boat drew out into the river a silence fell upon us—the silence that is possible only between old friends. As I looked back at the lights of the city, something beyond the sorrow at parting from a comrade touched me. A sense of foreboding, of coming danger, crept into my heart. But I was going upon the tamed possible excursion; for the first time in my life I was submitting to the direction of another, albeit one who lay in the grave. How like my grandfather it was to die leaving this compulsion upon me! My mood changed suddenly, and as the boat bumped at the pier I laughed.

"Bah! these men!" ejaculated Larry. "What men?" I demanded, giving my bags to a porter.

"These men who are in love," he said. "I know the signs—mooning, silence, sudden inexplicable laughter! I hope I'll not be in jail when you're married."

"You'll be in a long time if they hold you for that. Here's my train."

We talked of old times, and of future meetings, during the few minutes that remained.

"You can write me at my place of rustication," I said, scribbling "Annandale, Wabana county, Indiana," on a card. "Now if you need me at any time I'll come to you wherever you are. You understand that, old man. Good-by."

"Write me, care of my father—he'll have my address, though this last row of mine made him pretty hot."

I passed through the gate and down the long train to my sleeper. Turning

with my foot on the step, I waved a farewell to Larry, who stood outside watching me.

In a moment the heavy train was moving slowly out into the night upon its westward journey.

CHAPTER III.

The House of a Thousand Candles. Annandale derives its chief importance from the fact that two railway lines intersect there. The Chicago express passed only for a moment while the porter deposited my things beside me on the platform. Light streamed from the open door of the station; a few idlers paced the platform, staring into the windows of the cars; the village hackman languidly solicited my business. Suddenly out of the shadows came a tall, curious figure of a man clad in a long ulster. As I write, it is with a quickening of the sensation I received on the occasion of my first meeting with Bates. His lank, gloomy figure rises before me now, and I hear his deep melancholy voice, as, touching his hat respectfully, he said:

"Beg pardon, sir; is this Mr. Glenarm? I am Bates from Glenarm House. Mr. Pickering wired me to meet you, sir."

"Yes; to be sure," I said.

The hackman was already gathering up my traps, and I gave him my trunk checks.

"How far is it?" I asked, my eyes resting, a little regretfully, I must confess, on the rear lights of the vanishing train.

"Two miles, sir," Bates replied. "There's no way over but the hack in winter. In summer the steamer comes right into our dock."

"My legs need stretching; I'll walk," I suggested, drawing the cool air into my lungs. It was a still, starry October night, and its freshness was grateful after the hot sleeper. Bates accepted the suggestion without comment. We walked to the end of the platform, where the hackman was al-

ready tumbling my trunks about, and after we had seen them piled upon his nondescript wagon I followed Bates down through the broad, quiet street of the village. There was more of Annandale than I had imagined, and several tall smokestacks loomed here and there in the thin starlight.

"Brickyards, sir," said Bates, waving his hand at the stacks. "It's a considerable center for that kind of business."

"Bricks without straw?" I asked, as we passed a railroad station that blazed upon the board walk.

"Beg pardon, sir, but such places are the ruin of men"—on which remark I based a mental note that Bates wished to impress me with his own rectitude. He swung beside me, answering questions with dogged brevity. Clear like a man who had reduced human intercourse to a basis of necessity, I was to be shut up with him for a year, and he was not likely to prove a cheerful jailer. My feet struck upon a gravelled highway at the end of the village street, and I heard suddenly the lapping of water.

THE DINING TABLE

CENTERPIECE OF SOME SORT IMPERATIVE.

Flowers, Fruit or Bon-bons Needed to Set Off the Board—Many Pretty Things Not at All Expensive.

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Some people object to forced blooms because they think it spoils the pleasure in natural blooms when their season comes, but there is always an easily distinguishable difference between hot-house and out-door flowers which makes the latter all the more welcome when they come.

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Capt. Coffin's Opportunity

By J. C. Plummer

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On October 1 the Fairfield Beacon contained the following news paragraphs: The schooner Bluebird, Capt. Tom Coffin, sailed yesterday for the Rappahannock to finish discharging. The Bluebird will return to Fairfield and load a cargo of grain for Baltimore.

Next Monday Capt. Holliday will take a party down to Mattaponi Inlet on his fast sailboat for a fishing bout. Fairfield is sure of some big fish or some big stories.

On Monday night Mr. Pounce of Baltimore will deliver the final speech in favor of prohibition in Clark's hall. The election is on Tuesday.

Apparently these items bear no relation. Really, they are links in an important chain of events.

Two days before he sailed Capt. Coffin had been sternly informed by Capt. Holliday in response to an earnest request for his daughter's hand by the former, that his suit was refused and that he would gratify Capt. Holliday by ceasing his visits to Miss Nannie Holliday. Capt. Coffin would have been unworthy of the name of lover had he not disregarded this decree, and he saw Miss Nannie the next night, but was depressed by her refusing to entertain any clandestine methods of attaining their mutual happiness.

She sweetly bade her lover wait until her obstinate father should relax his opposition. She, on her part, would wait for him forever. On his journey to his vessel Capt. Coffin bitterly arraigned his sweetheart as of adamant and entirely heartless, but remorse had him for its prey by the time he had weighed anchor and he sailed down the bay more in love with Nannie than ever.

But early the trim sailboat of Capt. Holliday bent its course to Mattaponi Inlet with a jolly party aboard. With Capt. Holliday went Marjorie Lusk and Wright, Ship Chandler Joyce and Shipbuilder Insley. Last, but not least, was Joe, sable of countenance and wide of grin, the crack cook of the western shore, whose triumphs with the crab, the oyster and the corn pone were discussed with watery mouths by those who had partaken of these dishes. The start was made Monday morning and the programme was as follows: Reach the inlet at ten o'clock, fish all day, sleep in a cabin on the shore, fish until ten the next morning, and arrive in Fairfield by two p. m. Tuesday.

It was highly important that the town be reached before the closing of the polls, as the election was to determine whether Fairfield would go "wet" or "dry" for the coming year. Each year the prohibitionists had sought to get the ascendancy, and while they had been beaten it was by such a small margin that the users of liquor felt uneasy until their victory had been won.

Every man on the sailboat consistently believed in the doctrine that as long as a man had the money to buy a drink should be obtainable, and they were anxious to record their ballots against such oppressive, and, to use the words of Capt. Wright: "un-constitutional interference with man's liberty."

Are you sure you'll get us back in time to vote, William? asked Capt. Wright, swallowing as if his throat was dry.

"I'll get you to Fairfield in time to get your dinner and then vote, Ezzy," replied Capt. Holliday, "and I'll do it if I have to tack every mile of the way. You don't know this hvar boat."

By the time the inlet had been reached and the party were hauling in fish the schooner Bluebird had finished discharging her cargo at a point on the Rappahannock and having taken in sufficient ballast spread her sails to a sou-west wind for Fairfield.

The wind went down with the sun, and Monday night found the Bluebird off Mattaponi Inlet barely making steerway. Capt. Coffin leaned over the spokes of the wheel plunged in deep thought. In fact, the main of the captain had been so melancholy during the voyage that Mr. Wedge, the mate, had several times shifted a jig tune on his lips to "Auld Lang Syne," out of deference to the evident humor of the skipper. Suddenly from his position in the bow he sang out: "Stubbard, hard a stubbard."

The skipper swung the wheel to port and then hailed the mate as to what he saw.

"There's a boat adrift," replied Mr. Wedge. "We nearly busted into her." As the schooner fell off the boat came close enough for a negro sailor to leap into her and pass her trailing painter to the mate.

From the sedge-covered coves of Mattaponi Inlet a hall came to the ears of the crew of the Bluebird: "Schooner, ahoy."

"Ay, ay," replied Capt. Coffin, through his hands, trumpet shaped. "Our sailboat went adrift last night and I think you've picked her up." sang out a voice, recognized by Capt. Coffin as belonging to Capt. Holliday. "Can't you bring her into the inlet? We are marooned here."

"Ay, ay," shouted Capt. Coffin, and in a few minutes the Nannie, rowed by a negro sailor, with Capt. Coffin in the stern, approached the mouth of the inlet.

"Hello, Tom Coffin, is that you?" sung out Capt. Wright.

"It's me," replied Capt. Coffin. "Is Capt. Holliday there?"

"Bring the boat in, Coffin," cried that gentleman, stepping forward. "I'm glad you picked her up."

At a sign from his skipper the negro stopped rowing and the boat lay motionless some 50 yards from the landing.

"Capt. Holliday," said Capt. Coffin, "before I bring in this hvar boat, I want to know if I understand you that Nannie and I were to be married on Thanksgiving eve."

"N-o-o," roared Capt. Holliday, "nor for a thousand Thanksgivings."

"Pull back to the schooner, Bob," commanded Capt. Coffin.

As the boat moved away from the inlet Capt. Holliday's companions became frantic.

"We can't leave this hvar blasted place until to-night, when the Chingoteague steamer passes," groaned Capt. Wright.

"By that time the election will be over, and there won't be a dramshop in Fairfield," moaned Mr. Insley. "They can't beat them temperance people without our five votes."

Capt. Holliday turned pale. It was a 15-mile tramp over the sedge to the nearest village, and barring his own boat it would be necessary to wait for the steamboat. The elimination of his favorite drinking place loomed up before the captain's eyes, and he groaned audibly.

"Come back," he shouted to Coffin, "it's Thanksgiving eve."

As he spoke a ripple on the gilded surface of the bay told of wind coming, and before a glorious south-west breeze the sailboat and the schooner raced to Fairfield. The five men rushed to the voting place and when at night the liquor men had won by three votes Capt. Wright muttered with sweat on his brow: "S'pose we had a missed votine?"

Negro Joe cooked the wedding dinner and Negro Bob waited on the table.

MEXICAN HAD A GRUDGE.

His Ideas of Fair Play Were Outraged in America.

In looking up some mining claims in Mexico I found myself making inquiries of a native gentleman named Don Estanso. His greeting was anything but cordial, and he answered my queries in a way that gave me no information. I was rather surprised at this, and a few days later expressed myself so to a friend of the don's. He couldn't see through it, but said he would find out why things were thus. In a couple of weeks he came to me and said:

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"Why?"

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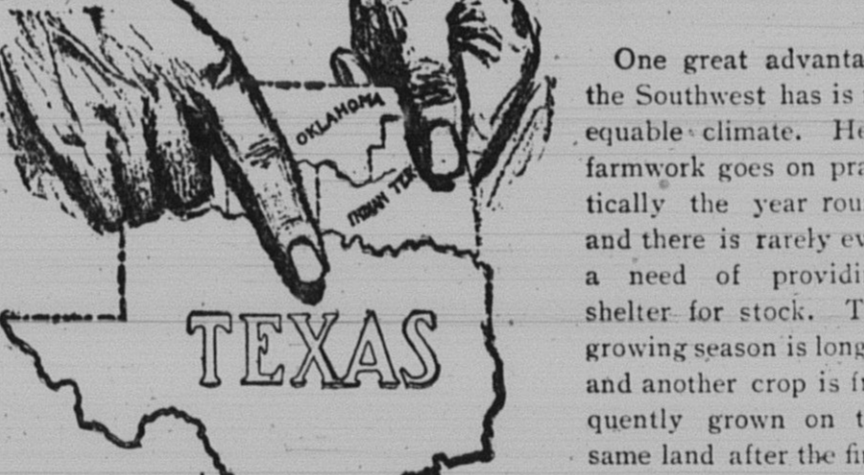
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Treats all diseases of domesticated animals. Special attention given to lameness and horse dentistry. Office and residence Park street, across from M. E. church, Chesapeake.

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Regular meetings for 1907 are as follows: Jan. 29, Feb. 26, Mar. 26, April 23, May 21, June 25, July 22, Aug. 20, Sept. 17, Oct. 15, Nov. 19, annual meeting and election of officers, Dec. 17. St. John's Day, June 24—Dec. 27. Visiting Brothers welcome.
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BREVITIES

Edward Brassam, of Jackson, the young wife murderer, has received a life sentence.

The Brighton Argus is already agitating a Home Corner's day for that village to take place next August.

Deputy Game Warden Smith planted 4,500 trout in streams in and about Grass Lake Monday. Grass Lake News.

Grass Lake Citizens are making preparations for a public observance of Memorial Day. Funds are being raised to secure a speaker and a band.

James Henley is to launch a labor paper in Jackson, called "The Square Deal." The paper will be issued weekly and will be the official organ of 40 labor unions of Jackson.

The Tecumseh Herald appeared last week with a four page insert containing halftones to the number of sixty-two. These were of prominent men and also of the industries of the village.

Ralph Monroe, an Ypsilanti boy of 8 years, was shot and killed by a playmate, Martin Foster, Saturday morning. It was entirely an unfortunate accident. The boy lived but a few hours.

Prof. Claude H. VanTye, the brilliant professor of American History at the U. of M. has been offered that chair at Yale at \$4,000 a year, an increase of \$1,500 over his present salary. He may leave Ann Arbor.

The colored high society of Ann Arbor, Detroit and Jackson, with a sprinkling of Ypsilanti elite, held an elaborate ball at the armory Thursday night, with Whitman's orchestra an elegant supper, favors for all ladies, stunning evening dress, and everything very well. Davey Robinson of Ann Arbor was in charge. Ypsilanti.

Berton L. Hart, prosecuting attorney of this county, gives notice that all slot machines used as gambling devices must go, and that any violators of the law in this instance will not only have the machines seized and destroyed, but will themselves be prosecuted. During the January session of the board of supervisors resolutions were adopted condemning these machines and asking that something be done to remedy the evil, consequently the act of the prosecuting attorney. Adrian Press.

Prepare This Yourself.
For those who have any form of blood disorders, who want new, rich blood and plenty of it, try this:

Fluid Extract Dandelion, one-half ounce; Compound Kargon, one ounce; Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla, three ounces.

Shake well in a bottle and take in teaspoonful doses after each meal and at bedtime. Any good pharmacy can supply the ingredients at small cost.

This is the prescription which, when made up, is called "The Vegetable Blood Purifier." By others, the "Cyclone Blood Purifier." It acts gently and certainly does wonders for some people who are sickly, weak and out of sorts, and is known to relieve serious long-standing cases of rheumatism and chronic backache quickly.

Make some up and try it. 4 10

Card of Thanks.
We most heartily thank our friends and associates who helped us in the play for the benefit of the fire department. By order of FIRE DEPARTMENT. Chesapeake, Mich., March 11, 1907.

Found at Last.
J. A. Hartman, of Lizenore, West Va., says: "At last I have found the perfect pill that never disappoints me; and for the benefit of others afflicted with torpid liver and chronic constipation, will say: take Dr. King's New Life Pills." Guaranteed satisfactory. 25c at the Bank Drug Store.

The Standard Herald want ads bring results. Try them.

An Open Letter.

Dear Parents: Since talking with you four weeks ago we have been honored by the presence of the two mothers whom we were expecting at that time. We are glad to announce that five mothers from the city have visited the grades during the past week. Also a few of the fathers have signified their intention to come and see how the children were being equipped for life's work. May we not report at least a score of visiting parents in the next issue of The Standard-Herald.

I believe I promised to tell you about the interior of the buildings and the equipment in this talk.

Before we can judge anything we must have some standard of judgment or comparison. Hence the necessity of knowing some of the standards for school house construction in order that we may judge intelligently of the value and efficiency of our school buildings. It has become the standard of physicians, health officers, school house architects and other authorities in school house construction that a schoolroom, to be sanitary, must have at least 200 cubic feet of air space per pupil and 15 square feet of floor space per pupil; if lighted from one side it should have one quarter as much window space; if lighted from two sides it should have one-fifth as much lighting area as floor area.

These standards have become so general among authorities upon school house construction that several states have enacted laws making these standards the legal requirements for all school buildings, and making any board of education that does not conform to them amenable to law.

With these standards in mind we will make a tour of the "Plantation." Let's begin our tour by inspecting the first grade room. It is much better within than it appears from without. Its air space is about 248 cubic feet per pupil, with the present enrollment, making 48 cubic feet more than the law requires. The lighting and floor space are ample. The furniture of the room is fair, the heating and ventilation are not bad. If all the rooms were as good as this there would be no occasion for criticism so far as the interior and equipment are concerned. The same may be said for the second grade room, say that the lighting is not so good.

When we enter the third grade room we find conditions much less favorable in fact the conditions fall far short of health or legal requirements. Let it be remembered that this third grade room was until last year the school woodshed. The crowded condition in the main building made more room necessary and the old woodshed was converted into an educational institution by boarding up the sides and ceiling with matched lumber, putting in some windows, and installing a stove to heat the dark and dingy old room.

The room is not only dark and dingy but positively unsanitary. Think of a public room with a ceiling only eight feet high, with only a hundred and twelve cubic feet of air space per pupil, only one ninth as much lighting space as floor space together with inadequate floor space, and you get one view of the shanty where many of your children are getting a fine start toward the ruin of their eyesight. The three east windows of this institution of learning are darkened by Mr. Foster's horse stable which is only four feet distant. This fact is sufficient to give you some idea of the deplorable hygienic conditions and unpleasant odors to be endured in the warm weather, if those windows are opened, and opened they must be if we get proper ventilation. The heating is done by a stove and there is no provision for ventilation save the natural, that is, by the doors and the windows. Much more might be said in condemnation of this converted woodshed but we must hasten on to visit the "jungle."

Perhaps you were not aware that Chelsea has a "jungle." Well, neither were the people of Chicago aware that they had one until after the appearance of Upton Sinclair's famous book. Possibly I shall be accused of exaggeration or untruth in the discussion of this "jungle" here in your beautiful little city. In anticipation of such accusation, I wish to say that I shall stick to the facts strictly, and challenge anyone to refute any statement which I may make in the discussion. The "jungle" of Chelsea is by mistake or through misunderstanding called the kindergarten department. This department which should have the brightest and cheeriest and the most comfortable and artistic quarters of the whole educational system to imbue the children with a love for school and a desire for learning is housed in the former closets of your public schools. Yes, the building was overhauled before moving the kindergarten department in. It was cleaned and renovated as well as a public closet can be: It was painted and more windows put in, but with all this the old hovel bears abundant evidence, both within and without, of its original purpose and use. In warm and humid weather this everyday evidence is re-enforced by the odor of decomposing urea and other organic matter absorbed by the floor and supporting timbers during the period the building served as a closet. To add to this disgraceful and unsanitary condition you have the closets used by the primary children only about ten feet from the

east side of this building, called by mistake, the kindergarten. May I close by asking you if you would submit to these conditions in your private homes. Then why should you tolerate them in your public schools where the health and morals of the rising generation are at stake? Think in this and come and visit the local "jungle" which the teachers will show you with reluctance and humiliation.

Next week I shall discuss the interior and equipment of the main building, which will be a much pleasanter task I assure you.

Hoping to see many of you at school next week, I am,

Yours sincerely,
E. E. GALLUP.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County,

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886.
A. W. GLEASON,
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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
Sold by all druggists, 75c.
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Dyspepsia is America's curse. "Burdock Blood Bitters" conquers dyspepsia every time. It drives out impurities, tones the stomach, restores perfect digestion, normal weight, and good health. Standard-Herald liners bring results.

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Auction.
Howlett Bros. will sell at public auction at their store in the village of Gregory on Thursday, March 21, 1907, commencing at 12 o'clock sharp 14 head of good horses, 3 new carriages, 3 new single harnesses, 1 sterling double cylinder hay loader, second hand 10 horse power steam engine. F. E. Ives, auctioneer.

A DANGEROUS MISTAKE.

Mothers Should Not Neglect Kidney Weakness in Children.
Most children have weak kidneys. The earliest warning is bed-wetting. Later comes backache, headache, lag, and poor school record.

"It is a mistake to neglect these troubles. To blame the child for its own distress. Seek to cure the kidneys. Save the child from deadly kidney ills. Doan's Kidney Pills cure sick kidneys. Mrs. C. H. Zwerger, of Third street, Niles, Mich., says: 'I sincerely believe that Doan's Kidney Pills are a splendid remedy, and I am satisfied with the result of their use in our family. My little boy was troubled with a weakness of his kidneys and bladder for some time, and he was not strong in other ways. I did not know what to do for him, as such cases are very hard to treat, but one day I read about Doan's Kidney Pills and, deciding to try them, got a box. From the very first they seemed to strengthen him, and by the time all the pills in the box were taken he was stronger and healthier than he had been for a long time.'

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Very few people nowadays are free from some form of Rheumatism. In fact, it looks as though the disease was fast crippling our nation. People of means are trying the great specialists, and they go from East to West and to all parts of the earth in search of medical help and relief.

The greatest boon to mankind has recently been brought about, especially to those who suffer with Rheumatic Acid Poisoning. It is a harmless remedy called URIC-O. A treatment for the blood, bladder and kidneys. This marvelous remedy, taken internally, acts in a thorough manner on the blood, relieving those terrible pains that nearly erase the mind. URIC-O is made for Rheumatism only, and it is a positive cure for the disease in all its forms. It is harmless, and pleasant to take, containing no poison, alcohol or whiskey, and if taken as directed, will cure each and every form of Rheumatism, no matter how bad.

Druggists sell URIC-O at \$1.00 per bottle, or it will be sent at above price by the SMITH DRUG COMPANY, SYRACUSE, N. Y. Liberal size samples and circulars will be forwarded free to all who apply for same.

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Energy and Enjoyment.

A marked feature of man's progress is indicated by our broadening view of the value of healthful enjoyment. And it is, indeed, recreation to relax and give ourselves up to simple amusements that bring to the active brain and tired body fresh energy. Men count it as much a duty to give simple entertainment to their families as they do to provide them with necessary food and clothing, and year by year we are coming nearer to this idea of the value of relaxation. With a wise and proper education in thought, this matter of entertainment becomes more and more simple, and gives a greater degree of satisfaction. In the crowds upon our streets and in the busy centers of all material activity, one may read in the faces of the people the story of ambition and alertness. And, as during the closing years of a good man's life, when his work has been successful and he can look back with pride to days of busy effort, he allows himself a restful ease—so we, with all our rush and hurry that have won us success, will begin to take to ourselves the quiet and restful enjoyment of perfected life.

An Example of Unselfishness.

A noteworthy example of high-mindedness and unselfishness was recently set by a southern woman bearing an honored name. A resolution was introduced in the state senate of North Carolina providing a pension of \$100 per month for the by-no-means-rich widow of the famous General "Stonewall" Jackson. Of its passage there would have been little doubt, says Leslie's Weekly, had Mrs. Jackson herself not interposed. But she promptly wrote a letter to the senate, saying that the present state laws limit all pensions to persons who have not \$500 of personal property, and as she possessed more than that she requested that the bill be withdrawn and the money be appropriated for the relief of destitute widows of confederate veterans. Mrs. Jackson's plea was heeded, and now she is held in even higher general esteem than ever before.

There are some oddities in Chili connected with the sphere of woman that deserve mention, says National Magazine. One is that women act as conductors on the street cars. Everywhere the passenger meets the woman conductor armed with her bag and, as Mark Twain had it, "the blue trip slip for a five-cent fare," collecting the coins fully as well as her masculine competitor and much more politely. In the shoe stores all the "salesmen" are girls and women, and in the telegraph offices in city and country young women are invariably found as operators. And they do their work well, too. But to offset this, in a Chilean hotel or boarding house, and in many residences, men do the work of the chambermaid. American ladies are always shocked to find that a man servant "takes care" of the sleeping rooms in the hotels of Chili.

Mrs. Nast, the widow of Thomas Nast, has presented to the New York Historical society several mementoes of the famous cartoonist. They include a bust of Mr. Nast, a quaint jug, a proof of the first cartoon in which the now famous conception of the Tammany tiger was used, and a big artist's pencil. The last of reddish clay was modeled by D'Amore. It was presented to the cartoonist about the time he finished his work with Tweed and Tammany. The cartoon was drawn on boxwood by Mr. Nast, and was afterward cut out by an engraver. This cartoon was the last used by Harpers' Weekly before the fall election of 1871.

Great Britain also has its revenue frauds. The latest device was marked by supreme audacity and extraordinary ingenuity. It had been employed by distillers evaded in a gigantic scheme to cheat the government. These distillers actually used a system of underground pipes by which whisky was conveyed to the warehouses for duty-paid liquor and from which the whisky was distributed to dealers, and in this manner were enabled to avoid paying the tax of \$2.75 per gallon and to reap a corresponding profit. The plan was as daring and reprehensible as the tricks of American "moonshiners."

Out in Iowa there is a man with 27 children and 42 grandchildren who has just married a woman of 22. What his children and grandchildren has done to him is not stated.

Hell is full of people who use tobacco, says a New Jersey preacher, which will be comforting to some of us who occasionally run a little short.

Now it is reported that Castro is dead. But he is not the kind that, under the circumstances, is likely to stay dead.

MICHIGAN EVENTS NOTED

COUPLE MARRIED OUT OF DOORS IN A BLINDING SNOW STORM.

COMPLIED WITH THE LAW

License From Michigan Was Not Good In Wisconsin, So Couple Crossed to Michigan and Returned to Celebrate.

The Wedding Scene. Standing in deep drifts, during a blinding snow storm, the mercury several degrees below zero, Elmer Olson and Miss Agnes Johnson were married on the Michigan shore of the Menominee river.

When Olson presented a Michigan license to marry Miss Johnson at Homestead, Wis., Rev. Swan Magnuson, who went from Iron to tie the knot, threw up his hands. Seventy-five relatives and friends had gathered to witness the ceremony. The minister could not perform it there without a Wisconsin license.

A consultation was held. It was decided to make a flying trip to Michigan, there have the knot tied, and return to celebrate the event.

Into sleighs, bride and groom, minister, the bridesmaid, sister of the groom, and Andrew Wahlstrom, best man, were bundled within a few minutes for the five-mile trip. At 6:30 o'clock they crossed the Menominee river on the ice and were in Michigan. At the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Johnson, a sumptuous dinner awaited their return about 7:30 o'clock in the evening.

WAS ILLEGAL.

How Confession Was Extorted in Wayne County Jail.

Because George Powell and Charles Walker, colored, attempted to escape from the Wayne county jail Sheriff Burns took extraordinary and illegal means to force them to relate the details of their plans. Shackled to iron rings attached to the walls of the dungeon, their arms stretched high above their heads, the men who dared were kept upon the torture rack until they begged for quarter and consented to disclose the manner in which they procured the implements that they employed in the effort to secure their liberty. After the men confessed that a highway confederate, Margaret Anderson, had smuggled saws into the jail in a piece of beefsteak, the sheriff ordered them to be kept in solitary and painful confinement for an indefinite period.

Some of the jail officials said regarding the matter: "There is nothing unusual in this treatment of refractory prisoners in jails. The dungeon and the iron hooks were placed in the jail by the county auditors for that express purpose. There must be restraining influences in institutions where desperate men are employed, and there is plenty of occasion for chastisement. Every once in a while small rebellions develop in wards where troublesome characters are confined, and there must be some way of reminding these men that they cannot do as they please. These men are desperate characters. They admitted that they meant to knock Deputy Poole in the head with pieces of steel bar they saved from their cells, and the sheriff extreme measures to learn their plans and whether other inmates were concerned."

Tried, But Failed.

Joseph Glasgow, who has been working in Lansing, tried to commit suicide in Midland by throwing himself in front of a passenger train on the Pere Marquette. W. L. Stearns and an elderly man tried to drag him away. "Leave me alone; I want to go to heaven; I've got a chance now," shouted Glasgow as he grasped the outer rail and clung on until the wheels severed both hands. A great crowd gathered, as the affair occurred near the bow Chemical works and the main road man was removed to the office of Dr. McCallum, where the stumps were dressed.

This is Glasgow's second attempt to end his life. He has led a rather shiftless life, his mother having been in an asylum for many years. He has served time in Detroit for burglary. His two sisters live in Midland.

Lowered Lake Level.

In compliance with a notice received from the war department, the Michigan Lake Superior Power Co. is shutting off several wheels in the power house and closing other gates, to reduce the flow through their plant, which has reduced the level of Lake Superior beyond the point allowed by the government. The only solution of the problem will be remedial works in the rapids, all of which are owned by the Chandler-Dunbar Co. on the American side. This move looks more like a compromise between the companies that will end the long struggle, than ever before.

County Treasurer Hetcher has paid out over \$500 in the past few months to the slayers of Genesee county sparrows, on which is a bounty of 2 cents per head.

Miss Mamie Zyreel, a leader in Holland-American society in Muskegon, and daughter of a well-connected family, who married Rex, Henry Tellman, will move to Orono, where her husband takes a charge, and will reside in a community where every word is spoken in the Dutch tongue.

Lewis Cummings, an aged man, living between Allendale and Yorkville, could not become reconciled to the loss of several shade trees which the Michigan Traction Co. cut three years ago, and because he lost the suit against the company he has been taken to the Kalamazoo asylum, insane.

"I'M TIRED."

Brassam Convicted and Sentenced to Jackson for Life.

Edward T. Brassam, who shot and killed his young wife, Christina, was found guilty of murder in the first degree and was sentenced to life imprisonment in Jackson prison. Brassam took the verdict and the sentence most coolly, and when asked if he had anything to say, replied:

"I have nothing to say, except that, if it pleases your honor, I be sentenced to serve in Jackson prison instead of Marquette."

As Sheriff Barnes pulled out a pair of handcuffs Brassam said: "Oh, it isn't necessary to put those on me; I won't run away."

"I don't intend you will," replied the officer, and the steel bracelets were at once attached.

"Well, I'm glad the trial is over," said Brassam. "I'm tired."

Brassam was not taken to the prison until Monday morning. He had asked as a special favor of Sheriff Barnes not to take him there until then, as he wanted to see Rev. Spiegel, pastor of the German Lutheran church, to intercede for him in an effort to get his bail out of the custody of his dead wife's sister, Mrs. Wilson. It is probable that a guardian will be appointed. The babe was taken to the hospital shortly after the tragedy and for a few days was very ill, when Mrs. Wilson arrived from Maywood, Ill. Mrs. Brassam and Mrs. Wilson resembled each other very much, and as there was but two years difference in their ages, when the babe got a first glimpse of Mrs. Wilson it held out its arms to her, evidently thinking she was its mother. Mrs. Wilson has become greatly attached to the child, and will be sorely disappointed if it is taken from her. She has no children of her own, and is in a position to give the child a good home. The Brassams had had considerable domestic trouble and finally, in December, Mrs. Brassam went to her relatives and refused to return to him. Brassam followed and as his wife held their babe in her arms he shot her three times. He escaped, but was captured in Jersey City on Jan. 16.

Makes a Legal Tangle.

Ten per cent of the retail price of goods was too much for the Eaton County Cooperative society, and their stock of merchandise will be sold to satisfy creditors.

The store has been in operation for a number of years, and farmers had a snap, but the discount was too big, and of late the receipts ran behind the expenses.

A peculiar legal tangle will come up in the winding up of the society affairs. The directors, C. E. Gifford, A. G. Foote, A. L. Freeman, L. Dorman, Alex. Kennedy, Thomas Hull, Fernando Gale and George Young, it is said, borrowed \$700 to put into the business and signed a note to protect the loan, and to protect themselves took a mortgage on the stock. The directors contend that as the money went into the business theirs is a preferred claim, but the stockholders insist that the loan should come in with the rest of the claims and be paid on the same basis that the other debts are paid.

Guests Panic Stricken.

Fire which started in a Kalamazoo restaurant at 9:30 Thursday night spread to the Star novelty store and the Hotel Burdick, the chief hotel of the city, and caused a total loss of \$90,000. For a time the entire business section was apparently in danger. The guests of the hotel were in a panic, many being almost overcome by smoke before they could be rescued by Clerk Frank D. Robinson, who stuck to the elevator as long as there were any people to be brought out. The Star stock is ruined, causing a loss of \$5,000; the building is damaged \$15,000; the hotel is damaged \$10,000; restaurant, \$5,000. The Star building is owned by R. R. Howard, of Detroit.

Buried Alive.

Buried alive, beneath thousands of tons of rock, 800 feet in the bowels of the earth, Mike Dalerio, a miner, lies staring death in the face, while rescuers are working to save him, and hundreds stand helpless about hoping against hope for the life of the entombed man. Tappings on a steam pipe indicate that Dalerio is still alive, but unless sustenance can be gotten to him he may die of starvation. It was in an accident at the Ironstone mine. Mining engineers say that it will take several days at the best to reach the buried miner.

Thrown Out of Work.

Fifty per cent of the power at the plant of the Michigan-Lake Superior Power Co., in Sault Ste. Marie, was shut down because of Col. Davis's order. The plant of the Union Carbide Co. had to limit its operations accordingly. A large number of men are thrown out of employment as a result. This is the only industry using power from the plant except the Clergue's subsidiary concerns.

Horribly Burned.

Her body literally covered by one white blister and her hair burning off, Mrs. Charles Baxter, residing near Vernon, is in a very serious condition. Supposing the fire in the stove had gone out this morning, she put in some kindling and poured kerosene oil on it. There was an explosion which set her clothing on fire. Almost all of it was burned from her body. The flesh dropped off in places.

While endeavoring to adjust a loose belt on a portable saw mill in Loft township, George Heidinger, aged 35 years, was caught and hurled against the side of a sawdust pit and every bone in his body broken. He died instantly. He had been married but six months.

Several years ago Minnie Pentony, of Ithaca, then aged 13 years, ran a needle in one of her legs and though she did not know what it was at the time she always been bothered with that member. By the aid of X-ray photographs and an operation the needle was removed.

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NEWS OF THE NATION

DOWIE, SELF-STYLED ELIJAH, IN DELIRIOUS VISION PASSES AWAY.

DELIRIOUS ON DEATHBED

Broken Old Man's Career Ends With None of His Family, Who Had Deserted Him, Present.

John Alexander Dowie.

In a delirious vision in which he saw himself at the head of an army of restoration, one thousand strong, marching to regain his lost Zion City, John Alexander Dowie, prophet, apostle and Elijah II. (self-styled), passed away at 7:40 Saturday morning.

With him when he died in Shiloh house, Zion, were only Judge D. N. Barnes and a negro attendant, Judge Barnes is a member of Voltaire's council, but has always remained faithful to Dowie.

In Shiloh house all Friday night were over 100 of the faithful Dowie adherents, who had clung to the departed leader in his last days. They prayed all night that their prophet might be spared to them a little longer. They prayed until the dawn came and the spring sunshine cast its first gleams into the bedchamber of the dying old man.

But Dowie himself had given up hope. He knew that his end was near. "God is calling me to Him," said Dowie, as he aroused from an unconscious condition half an hour before he died. "I am going to my reward. I have fought a good fight. I—Here his words trailed off into meaningless mutterings.

Suddenly in a delirium he half rose in his bed and began a vigorous harangue such as he used to give in the days of his prime. He denounced his enemies with all his old-time fire. He ordered his guards to throw out newspapers and other "disturbances" just as he used to do in the old days when he spoke to crowded houses at the Auditorium.

Gradually his talk became weaker and weaker. He gasped for breath and passed away.

All last summer Dowie held Sunday meetings for the 350 followers who remained with him. He always wore his apostolic robes at these meetings and made characteristic addresses. Five weeks ago he ceased to appear at these meetings. But up to Friday night there was no indication that he was on his deathbed. Friday afternoon he received a few followers and prayed for some people. He became quite weak at night and at 1 o'clock in the morning his attendant saw that he was rapidly sinking. He then called Judge Barnes. The suggestion of a physician was rejected by Dowie. It is said that in his last hours Dowie never once mentioned his family, which had deserted him.

In serious condition from protracted illness, Mrs. Jane Dowie was deeply shocked when she heard at her home at Ben McChul at White Lake that her husband, John Alexander Dowie, had died suddenly at Zion City. Restored to health to be given her. She started for Chicago Saturday afternoon, with her son Gladstone.

John Murray Dow, the 31-year-old son of the founder and former ruler of Zion City, is too feeble to view his mother's remains. Only last week Mrs. Dowie heard that her husband was in fairly good health. She and Gladstone had been estranged since Dowie during the past six months.

Gladstone talked for his mother. He said he couldn't estimate what estate his father left.

Dowie's body will be buried in Zion City beside that of his daughter Esther, who was burned to death.

THE THAWS.

Mrs. Thaw's Testimony and Some of Its Results.

"So far as we women are concerned we consider the worst over," said Mrs. Evelyn Thaw. "We are all greatly relieved that Harry's mother's testimony has been given. The suspense of waiting to be called bore very heavily upon her and all of us are happy to know it is over."

Mrs. Thaw called on her husband in the Tombs early Thursday and announced her intention of remaining there as long as the prison rules permitted. Mrs. Wm. Thaw, Mrs. George L. Carnegie, and the countess of Yarmouth also called on Thaw.

Thaw received a number of letters of letters in the early mail today. A number of them came from foreign countries.

Now that Mrs. Thaw has spoken from the witness stand one fact has been made clear. She does not like Evelyn Nesbit Thaw.

Never once did she refer to Evelyn Nesbit Thaw by name. The pronouns "she" and "her" were found quite expressive enough, and once she coolly observed that she had accepted Harry's purpose to marry "the young woman," to use Mr. Delmas's phrase, merely as "the lesser of two evils." What ever effect her story may have had upon the jury, it is hardly calculated to promote harmony in the family circle after the trial is over.

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POORHOUSE BURNED.

Ionia's Model Institution Destroyed—Pathetic Scenes.

Sad scenes were witnessed at the fire which Wednesday destroyed the county house on the poor farm near Ionia.

The 57 inmates, all of them aged, many of them infirm, and several violently insane, were rescued without accident, but their clothing, trinkets and keepsakes, the only relics of the time when they had their youth, and many of them were well to do, were burned.

The aged people hung about the fire, thinly clad and shivering in the snow, watching the work of destruction and bemoaning the loss of their valuables. Even after the fire was out the old people hunted about the debris for relics, until prevailed upon to leave by kind-hearted farmers.

Some difficulty was experienced in rescuing seven demented inmates, and it was necessary to strap them to beds in the yard to prevent them from returning to the burning building. They were later removed to the county jail. All the inmates were well cared for, the farmers opening their homes.

The Ionia county house was recognized as one of the best in the state. The building was of brick, three stories high, and cost \$16,000. It was remodeled in 1901. The appointments were ample and up-to-date, but fire protection was lacking. The building was insured for \$10,500.

SPECIAL BILLS.

Representative Spell introduced a bill prohibiting hunting in Wayne county on Sunday, violations to be punished by a fine of \$25 or thirty days.

The Pontiac asylum wants a special appropriation of \$129,586 for improvements and new buildings, including a new assembly hall, central heating plant and water tower.

Dr. Hal C. Wyman, of the Michigan College of Medicine, has had two bills drafted which greatly modify the present act and takes away from the board much of its present authority.

The house railroad committee was able to agree on one bill, reporting out favorably the measure making railroad companies common carriers of live stock, which was beaten two years ago.

If Gov. Warner signs the bill the Wayne circuit court stenographers will get the salary increase they have been after ten years. The recorder's court stenographers will also ask for an increase to \$2,500 a year.

Representative Alvord's resolution requesting a state fair association to effect a more permanent organization with a view to better supervision of association affairs, passed the house. The association already has secured an appropriation of \$20,000.

Representative Tiffany's bill authorizing the organization of trust companies with capital stock of \$100,000 in cities of less than 10,000 population passed the house Tuesday afternoon by a vote of 70 to 2. At present the law requires the capital stock to be at least \$150,000.

The Eddy Case.

The unexpected news that Irving C. Tomlinson, Mrs. Mary Baker G. Eddy's confidential adviser and president of the Christian Science church organization, had left Concord, N. H., early Saturday on a secret mission to Boston, caused great excitement among the attorneys for the petitioners in the suit for receivership of Mrs. Eddy's estate, who were in conference as for several days past in the Parker house. That some startling development in the campaign of the defense is due is the expectation. It is presumed that Tomlinson went to Boston to consult with Alfred Farlow, head of the publicity bureau of the church, and with Attorney Samuel J. Elder, who represents the defendants in Massachusetts. "Startling developments will occur; I cannot say just what," said Attorney Frederick W. Peabody. "There will be something happen that will not only surprise Mrs. Eddy's advisers, but the public at large. That is all I care to say now."

Archie Improves.

The improvement noted in the condition of Archie Roosevelt Saturday over that of the previous day, when for a time considerable apprehension was felt, has been maintained and in consequence a feeling of great hopefulness pervades the White House. Dr. Lambert has supervision of the case, and occupies a room within easy call in case of emergency. The following bulletin, signed by Drs. Lambert, Rixey, Brewster and Kennedy, was issued Saturday night: "Archie's throat is regaining its normal appearance. He has been suffering recently from some of the sequelae of diphtheria, which have subsided. At present he is in excellent condition, and there are no unfavorable indications."

Hoffmann Paroled.

John T. Hoffmann, ex-convict of Wayne county, will be paroled from Jackson prison. His application was acted on favorably by the advisory board in the matter of pardons at a session in Lansing Tuesday night, and the recommendation will be carried out by Gov. Warner.

While playing with companions in the Walker school yards, Flint, Howard Eddy was struck on the head with a stick by a companion. Spectacles which the Eddy boy wore were shattered, fragments entering his eyes, and it is feared his sight may be impaired.

Hearing a terrific racket in the stable, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Rogenstein, of Oxford, rushed out to find their hired man, Wm. Stitt, trampled under the horse's hoofs. Stitt had fainted while blanketing the animal, which became frightened and tore its manager out trying to get loose.

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SIDE LIGHTS ON MICHIGAN

SLAYER OF CHAS. J. REINDELL IS COMING TO HIMSELF AGAIN.

STRANGE MENTAL STATE

After More Than a Year of Seeming Helpless Imbecility Hamberger Becomes Normal.

Puzzled the Doctors.

Henry Hamberger has emerged from the strange state of being in which he was received at the Ionia asylum for the criminal insane. Hamberger is the Detroit boy who slew Charles J. Reindell, a bicycle repairer, in his little shop on Capitol square, the evening of Dec. 2, 1899, by beating him to death with a piece of iron pipe.

From the moment of his arrest, on his twentieth birthday, it will be remembered, Hamberger became as one dead, sitting with his head lowered, never speaking—apparently insensible to everything. His first show of life was an attempt to cut his throat in the Wayne county jail.

When the boy was received at the asylum he realized absolutely nothing, was undressed and put to bed like an overgrown baby, was dressed by an attendant in the morning and seated in one of the wards, where he would remain all day in the drooping position noticed at his trial. His head bent forward on his breast; his arms hanging listlessly by the side of his chair; never so much as winking an eye for hours at a time. Occasionally an attendant passing his chair would lay Hamberger's hanging arms in his lap, and there they would remain immovable until again moved by the attendant, paying no attention to anyone and when spoken to could not be aroused. It was necessary to feed him with a spoon and occasionally lift him to his feet and walk him around the ward for exercise.

After a year or so of this puzzling condition it was discovered that Hamberger was becoming conscious, in a slight measure, that there was something going on about him. He could move his hands a little, and struggled to change his position. Then almost imperceptibly, from day to day his condition improved. Very slowly his faculties were aroused, and like a babe he began to take notice of things he was interested in what others were doing; joined his companions in playing checkers and other amusements, and as he became able assisted in sweeping and cleaning the ward in which he was confined. Books were given him as gradually his field became larger, and he appeared to enjoy and understand what he read.

All this time and until about a year ago he never spoke a word, and it was thought by some that the vocal cords were severed when he cut his throat in an attempt to commit suicide in Detroit, and that he would never be able to articulate. But one day after many attempts and with painful effort he managed to speak in a whisper, and with constant practice became able to converse fluently in whispers. Another day he was seized with a coughing spell and after recovering from that he started to speak in a whisper to an attendant, and to his astonishment he spoke aloud.

Soon after that his mother visited him, and when her son addressed her in ordinary tones of voice, her joy at his recovered speech was pathetic. She, like all good mothers, continued to love and hope and pray for the ultimate recovery of her boy, during all the weary months his mind was a blank.

Hamberger today, though not in a strictly normal condition, is a fine looking, upright, wide awake young man, intelligent, and energetic, and would attract favorable notice in any crowd. Dr. O. R. Long, superintendent of the asylum, says: "It is possible that Hamberger may in time become entirely normal and fit to be at large. I do not believe that he has now, or would develop criminal tendencies."

As Hamberger was given by the court a life sentence, he can be restored to liberty only by the clemency of the governor.

May Be Rearrested.

H. A. Dibble, the grange store official who, as a witness in case tried in Allegan, told on the witness stand of looting that concern, on Tuesday changed his plea from not guilty to guilty.

He also presented a letter of immunity from former Prosecuting Attorney Cross, which was given him before the conspiracy case by Cross if he would testify against the others and tell the truth. Attorney Kollen pleaded for leniency on the fact that Dibble would repay the grange store all that he had stolen, as far as his means would permit.

Judge Scarle said that in view of these facts he would lighten the sentence. A fine of \$500 or one year in jail was imposed. Dibble paid the fine this afternoon. Prosecuting Attorney Hoffman has issued a warrant for Dibble's arrest now on the charge of perjury, claiming that Dibble swore falsely against the others in the conspiracy case.

Saginaw is preparing to celebrate her semi-centennial with a magnificent jubilee this summer.

Escanaba holds the record for upper peninsula cities in students attending the U. of M. at Ann Arbor. At present there are 40 enrolled there.

During the term of circuit court at Crystal Falls, Judge Stone heard the case of Saloonist Mosher, charged with keeping open on Sunday, took the case away from the jury and said, "You're guilty, Mosher." Judge Stone says he will give Mosher plenty of time to appeal to the supreme court before sentencing him.

TWO-CENT FARES

The Committee Hearing Brings Facts in Favor.

Gov. Warner and Railroad Commissioner Glasgow both appeared at the senate and house railroad committee Thursday morning on behalf of the two-cent fare bill. J. A. and other members of the senate and conductors' brotherhoods appeared to argue against the bill. E. O. Flint, Past President Western, Knights of the Grip, and other men argued in favor of it. Railroad Commissioner Glasgow, lowered and Chairman Seely called for the governor.

The contention of the railroad played was that the two-cent fare meant a loss to the railroads, excursions and extra runs would cut off, the general retrenchment did not mean a cut in wages, but a hope of increase to the employees.

The traveling men showed where cut rates meant more to Mr. Wood showed a 500-mile book had bought in '97 for a flat \$10 and announced the present mileage book. He showed how, when railroads compete with electric lines, they reduced their fares. All the traveling men declared the bill would be contrary to trainmen's interest.

Mr. Glasgow endeavored to meet the objections from Ohio, and showed letters and figures from the governor of Ohio, the railroad mission, the attorney of the Workers, Senator Lang, author of Ohio two-cent fare law. He said that business had increased so the loss was more than compensated. Some lines had been raised; excursions were running as before, after a period there were more trains, passengers, more income and more earnings. Mr. Glasgow's dress was brief, but forceful, and left much data with the committee.

Gov. Warner followed Mr. Glasgow with some illustrations from Michigan roads which had reduced rates, and the G. R. & I. He said the reduction of fares meant increased business, the Michigan roads and those who had been reduced profited there the G. R. & I. showing an increase of \$91,000.

For Ship Subsidy.

In announcing that he will discuss ship subsidy legislation on western trip during the last day of May and the first days of June, president reveals something of the President's plan but one objection to this form of legislation on the farmers of the opposition, and the object is to give a realizing sense of the necessity on the part of this country to prepare for a contingency which may arise at any moment. So, it speaks in defense of subsidy legislation in Lansing it will be with purpose of convincing the auditors of the far east, in fact, the future of those interests, may rest on the condition of the navy the near future.

THE MARKETS.

Detroit—Butchers' cattle active; steady; stockers and feeders scarce. Prices ranged as follows: Cows, \$4.00 to \$5.00; calves, \$3.00 to \$4.00; light to good butchers' steers, \$4.50 to \$5.50; heavy butchers' steers, \$4.00 to \$5.00; common to choice hogs, \$3.50 to \$4.50; pigs, \$3.00 to \$4.00; sheep, \$3.00 to \$4.00; lambs, \$3.00 to \$4.00; chickens, \$3.00 to \$4.00; turkeys, \$3.00 to \$4.00; ducks, \$3.00 to \$4.00; geese, \$3.00 to \$4.00; corn, \$1.00 to \$1.50; wheat, \$1.00 to \$1.50; oats, \$1.00 to \$1.50; barley, \$1.00 to \$1.50; rye, \$1.00 to \$1.50; clover, \$1.00 to \$1.50; timothy, \$1.00 to \$1.50; alfalfa, \$1.00 to \$1.50; hay, \$1.00 to \$1.50; straw, \$1.00 to \$1.50; wood, \$1.00 to \$1.50; coal, \$1.00 to \$1.50; oil, \$1.00 to \$1.50; sugar, \$1.00 to \$1.50; flour, \$1.00 to \$1.50; cotton, \$1.00 to \$1.50; wool, \$1.00 to \$1.50; iron, \$1.00 to \$1.50; steel, \$1.00 to \$1.50; copper, \$1.00 to \$1.50; brass, \$1.00 to \$1.50; zinc, \$1.00 to \$1.50; lead, \$1.00 to \$1.50; tin, \$1.00 to \$1.50; silver, \$1.00 to \$1.50; gold, \$1.00 to \$1.50; platinum, \$1.00 to \$1.50; diamonds, \$1.00 to \$1.50; rubies, \$1.00 to \$1.50; sapphires, \$1.00 to \$1.50; emeralds, \$1.0

ON SECRET SERVICE

True Stories of Experiences in the State, War, Treasury and Postoffice Departments.

By COL. JASPER EWING BRADY
(Late Chief of Telegraphs and Chief Signal Officer, U. S. A., Santiago de Cuba.)

THE MEXICAN ONES

Cronin, special agent United States treasury department, was as keen an operative as there is in the secret service. His headquarters were in Chicago, and many of his assignments were in the line of the "Mexican ones." He was called by his friends, "Jimmie," Cronin, as he was known, and "Cronin," as he was known to the public.

He was a man of much the same build as the average man, but his face was a study in itself. It was a face that had seen many things, and it was a face that was always looking for a new challenge. He was a man of many talents, and he was a man of many friends. He was a man who was always ready to help a friend in need, and he was a man who was always ready to stand up for what he believed in.

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so perfect he had correspondents in all the European capitals. In his own mind he was confident Kuhn had a hand in floating the Mexican ones. To make sure, he determined to run him down, if he were on earth. He wrote Cronin in Chicago what had been done and what his suspicions were. Then he waited. Mannheim was some distance from Berlin, and it was three days later when he received a cable saying:

"Emil Kuhn well known in Mannheim. Came back there two years ago, and was married to daughter of the burgher. Health broke shortly afterwards and returned to United States. Letters received from him showed he was living in Los Angeles and painting pictures for a living. His wife still in Mannheim. Kuhn expects to return to Germany next spring. Health has been restored."

"Pretty definite information that," muttered Cheney. He wired Cronin to meet him at the Hallenbeck hotel, Los Angeles, as soon as possible, and the "owl train" to the Southern Pacific that night carried Cheney on his way south. The population of Los Angeles at this time was a heterogeneous crowd of consumptives and tourists. There always was a large number of artists, good, bad and indifferent, located in this city of Los Angeles, and the day following his arrival Cheney began to investigate them. "Not an Emil Kuhn could be found. There was a German artist named Buehlow, but he was married, and as Kuhn had a wife in Europe, Cheney hardly thought Buehlow and Kuhn could be one."

Two days later Cronin came in from Chicago, and Cheney told him all that had transpired since they parted company.

"Very interesting, Cheney, very interesting," commented Cronin, "but nothing very definite. Your telegram from Germany may or may not have been authentic."

"All right, Cronin, cavil and doubt if you want to, but I know Kuhn is the man we want, and I know Kuhn is right here in Los Angeles. Since I wired you to come I have ascertained that several large shipments of Mexican silver have been made to Trujillo, just below here. The coin was delivered to a Dutchman and two other men. They disappeared from Trujillo, and I am thinking they brought the stuff up here and recoupled it."

"Cheney, I hope you're right. Now, what's the lay?"

"You make yourself known at the banks and find out how much of this rotten silver is around here. I'm going on another still hunt for Kuhn. Will meet you here every evening."

"All right, Jack."

Something told Cheney to take another look at Buehlow. He found the German artist lived in a very pretty little cottage on the bank of the Los Angeles river. His wife was a good-looking Mexican, and did the housework. The Buehloes kept to themselves, and were not neighborly at all.

Cheney was disguised. About three o'clock in the afternoon Buehlow left his house and went down town. Cheney followed, and saw him go to the post office general delivery window. There was a crowd around at the time, and Cheney could not hear the name Buehlow gave. In a jiffy he was behind the door, his credentials easily admitting him.

"That man," he said to the astonished clerk, pointing at Buehlow's retreating form, "who is he?"

"Why, sir, his name is Kuhn."

"Kuhn, eh?" said Cheney. "What's his first name?"

"Emil."

"By Jove, I thought so. How often does he get his mail here? and where does it come from?"

The clerk was bewildered but managed to stammer out: "He gets his mail about once a month, and all his letters come from Germany."

"Mannheim?"

"Yes, that's the place."

"All right, my boy. Say nothing about this conversation," and he was gone.

Cronin and Cheney met after supper and Cheney said, "Jimmie, I've run him down. I've got Emil Kuhn."

"The duce you have! How—when—where?"

Cheney told him and continued: "Now we go for him. To-night we begin a spot on him." Off they went and were soon outside the Buehlow cottage. A light was burning in the front room and through the window Buehlow and his wife could be plainly seen, he smoking and reading and she sewing.

"Domestic, ain't it, Jack?" mumbled Cronin.

"Damnably so; yes, but that may be a blind."

At ten o'clock the light in the front room was extinguished; one appeared upstairs for a moment, then the curtain was drawn down and the house was dark. For three nights this followed. Cheney was mad; Cronin disgusted.

"I tell you, Cronin, it may look straight but it isn't. There's a way to get at that man and I'm going to do it. He's got a wife in Germany; this woman here may think she's his wife but she's not. She's a Mexican and once let her get wind that Buehlow is playing fast and loose with her and she'll give him away quick enough. There's always a woman in the case." Senora Buehlow is the one here."

A day or so after this a natty looking stranger appeared at Buehlow's home. He was a connoisseur and had heard of Mr. Buehlow's painting, etc., etc.

The Dutchman really was a good artist; his flower painting was beautiful. Cheney (for he it was) dickered, praised and finally said he would come back next day. He did and the day following Buehlow took to him and they became quite friendly. Cheney bought one or two small pieces. One day while they were having a friendly smoke Cheney said:

"What part of Germany are you from, Buehlow?"

The question was so quickly put, the German was taken quite unawares and answered:

"Mannheim." Then he colored red and white by turns.

"Mannheim, eh. Pretty place that. I've been there several times. Know several families there."

But Buehlow didn't want to pursue the subject further. Cheney saw it and changed the topic.

The next day when Cheney called Buehlow was out, presumably gone for the mail. Senora Buehlow received him. After a few commonplace remarks Cheney said:

"You have known Senor Buehlow long, Senora?"

"No, not long. Senor; only two years. I met him just after he came to Los Angeles."

"A case of love at first sight, eh?"

The Senora's eyes drooped and she softly said, "Si, Senor," using the soft language of Old Mexico. Cheney led the conversation along and gradually approached the subject of bad faith.

"Suppose, Senora, you found Senor Buehlow was false to you, had another wife living in Germany; what would you do?"

The Senora's face hardened, her black eyes glittered, and true to her Spanish blood she said, "I'd kill him!" Her voice was quiet but very tense.

"But killing would be a crime, Senora."

"It is never a crime to avenge a woman's honor."

"That's the unwritten law, Senora, but not God's law; that says 'Thou shalt not kill.' But why talk about such things? I was only fooling, that's all."

"Senor Cheney, you were not fooling."

The Mexican woman was very calm, but very much in earnest. She continued: "You had a purpose in asking me those questions. Now what was it? If you are lying to me I'll kill you. If you are not lying—well, then, I'll kill Buehlow."

Cheney leaned towards her, his manner, too, was very tense and very earnest. "Senora Buehlow, I am not lying. Come with me and I'll give you the proof; then you can do as you will."

Quietly and without a word the woman picked up her mantilla and followed him. Cheney took her to the treasury department secret service office and sent for Cronin. Then he told her what he knew of Kuhn's marriage and life in Germany. He had the proof (they having been sent him at his request). She saw and was convinced and rose to go.

"Wait a moment," said Cheney. The woman, wondering, sat down and gazed at this quiet masterful man.

"Senora Buehlow, you have been wronged, grievously so, and you want revenge. You can have it without a death." Wonderingly the woman looked at him, a faint suspicion was beginning to creep over her. He continued: "Buehlow—or Kuhn—has been violating the law for years. While earning his living ostensibly by his brush he has been coining Mexican pesos into United States dollars. You know he has, Senora; you've helped him; you are an accessory before and after the fact; you will be punished as severely as he."

The woman quailed. Cheney knew he had struck home. "Now if you will do as I say, you will have your revenge for your personal wrongs and you will escape punishment for the counterfeiting crime. Will you do as I want? Will you?"

"Si, Senor, si—what you want?"

"Where is the money made?"

"In a cave just back of the house, right on the river bank."

"How is the cave reached?"

"Two ways, Senor. One through a tunnel leading from our cellar, the other by a door from the river bank. This door is covered with dirt and green plants so it cannot be seen, but on pulling a certain bush it will open." Minutely she described the cave and its approach. Then Cheney said:

"Now, Senora, you go back home and act as if nothing had happened. To-night at midnight the place will be raided, but you will be allowed your freedom. If you fail us it will go mighty hard with you."

"Have no fear, Senor; I won't fail you." Her eyes glittered, her breath came in little gasps, but she would carry out her part. She wanted revenge, and then she could be free, go back to Mexico—and who knows—

She left and Cheney turned to Cronin. "Well, Jimmie, how about it, eh?"

"You're a wonder, Jack. But we've got a fight ahead of us, maybe."

"Isn't a fight in your line?"

"Sure, I won't turn it down."

At 12 that night the cave was raided. Kuhn and two accomplices were turning out some fine work. The surprise was complete. The prisoners were marched to the jail and then Cheney gave Senora Buehlow a chance to say a few things to her supposed husband. The conversation was animated and bitter to a degree. Finally the pair were separated and the next day the woman disappeared. The evidence was complete without her testimony and the gang got 15 years in Folsom prison. Cronin was promoted and Cheney—well, Cheney was satisfied.

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From the State Capital

Information and Gossip Furnished by Special Correspondent at Lansing.

Lansing.—There is now some chance that the change of venue law may be amended so as to enact the old law with a slight modification, but the change will be fought in both the house and senate. The house judiciary committee has had the matter under consideration for some time, and it was only by a vote of five to four that the committee finally decided to report out a substitute. Notwithstanding the fact that the State Bar association favored the repeal of the present law, strong influences have been at work to prevent this being done. Several members of the committee advanced the arguments that the law is the only protection a lawyer has against a prejudiced judge, and that it enables cases to be tried within a reasonable period. The substitute measure enacts the old law giving judges discretion in the matter of granting changes of venue, but it exempts all cases now on the court dockets. Attorney General Bird favored this exception so as not to interfere with the state railroad cases.

Game Warden Did Well.

State Game Warden Chapman, of Sault Ste. Marie, goes out of office with the record of having placed his department on a paying basis. The expenses for 1905 and 1906 were \$49,715.33, and the receipts \$53,914.74, leaving a balance of \$4,199.41 on the right side of the ledger. There were received from deer licenses \$39,558.50 and from fines \$13,902.45. During the two years it is estimated that about 17,000 deer were killed. In his report to the legislature game warden makes the point that it has been the policy to endeavor to make a record in preventing violations in preference to making a showing by a large number of arrests. The warden makes a number of recommendations for the better protection of game and fish. He urges the continued protection of quail and better protection for partridge, the revising of all local acts and repealing those covered by the general law, and the prohibition of spearing fish in rivers. In connection with the recommendation that the law be changed so as to prohibit the killing of all fur-bearing animals from May 15 to November 15, Mr. Chapman takes a decided stand in favor of prohibiting shooting altogether on Sunday. He also suggests that steps be taken looking towards the preservation of timber lands in the northern part of the state in the interests of fish and game. He suggests a gun license, for all game except deer, of one dollar, and a rod license of ten cents to be used for protection from forest fires.

Must Demand Roll Call.

By a vote of 9 to 3 the house committee on revision of the constitution, of which Representative Sam Kelley is chairman, decided to indefinitely postpone further consideration of the initiative and referendum proposition in the interests of which several state organizations have been working. There is now nothing left for those who favor the initiative and referendum but to secure a record vote in the house and find out where they stand. This can be done by moving to discharge the committee and demanding a roll call.

Representative Agens' Joint Resolution.

Representative Agens' joint resolution proposing an amendment to the constitution to give members of the legislature \$800 a year was also pigeonholed, the sentiment of the committee being that this matter should be left to the constitutional convention.

To Guard State Forests.

To place the forests of the state under the control and authority of the state game warden, is the purpose of a bill that has been turned over to Representative L. L. Kelley for introduction. The bill in question not only gives the warden control of the game and fish, but also makes him fire and police warden, so that the forests will have one responsible head. The measure carries an appropriation of \$140,000, which would be in lieu of all other appropriations for the purposes named, of which \$100,000 is to be used for the payment of salaries and expenses of deputies, who are limited to 20. The bill gives the head of the department the title of forest, fire and game warden.

Disagree Over Fare Bill.

Gov. Warner favors the two-cent fare proposition, but there are many members who do not agree with him, and who take the position that the fairest method is to regulate the fare according to the earnings per mile of the various roads. This will be urged by representatives of the railroads, who are preparing statistics showing that conditions in Michigan do not approximate those in Ohio, where the population is more congested than here. The commercial travelers of the state will send a committee here to advocate the passage of the bill, while the employees of the railroads are going to protest against it. The whole matter will be thoroughly discussed, so that it can be decided on its merits.

Large Fire Insurance Business.

Insurance Commissioner Barry reports that there was more fire insurance written in 1906 in Michigan than in any preceding year, the total being \$584,798,389, as against \$541,052,000 the year previous. The premiums aggregated \$7,108,845, and the losses paid were \$3,111,218, leaving a gross profit of 64 per cent to the companies.

One Bill Railroads Won't Fight.

The house railroad committee has reported out the bill making railroads common carriers of livestock within the state. It is understood that the railroads have decided not to fight this measure, though they stopped its passage last session.

Soldiers' Bounties.

An effort is being made during the present session of the legislature to arrange for the payment of back bounties, that were promised by the state of Michigan to men enlisting in the years 1864 and 1865, who have not already been paid.

After State Fair Association.

Representative Alvord is after the State Fair association to the extent that he will insist on having a more tangible organization provided. To bring the matter to a focus he introduced a resolution in the house requesting the officers to formulate and present to the legislature a plan of organization that will provide a permanent basis and include a board of directors made up of a farmer from every congressional district in the state.

Two Memorial Services.

Memorial exercises for the late Senator Alger will be held by the legislature on April 10 and for the late Gov. Bliss on April 24. The speakers at the Alger memorial will be Senators Burrows and Smith, Don M. Dickinson of Detroit; former Gov. Rich, Gov. Warner, Senator Bland and Representative Greusel. Those for the Bliss memorial will be Congressman Gardner, Dr. A. F. Bruske, president of Alma college; Arthur Hill, former Gov. Rich and Gov. Warner.

PAIR OF GOOD DISHES.

Delicious Raisin Dessert and Substitute for Cranberry Sauce.

Glaced raisins are a Russian sweet which makes a delicious dessert. Take two large or three smaller perfect branches of malaga raisins, pour hot water on them to soften them for ten minutes, wipe and lay aside. Peel four or five sharp, sweet best apples, cut them into six or eight sections, according to size, and lay them in a neat-fashion close together in a slightly baking dish, about one and one-half inches high. With the raisins add a quarter of a cup of cold water. Over this sprinkle a handful of brown sugar, but no spices and no butter. Put in a brisk oven for 20 minutes and then cover with apple juice or brown sugar and water.

Instead of cranberry sauce or jelly, cranberry sherbet is recommended to serve with turkey. A pint of water and a pound of sugar to each pint of juice should be frozen in the usual manner; when partly done, stir in the whipped white of one egg for each pint of juice; finish freezing, then add a cupful of chopped crystallized fruit softened by previous soaking; repack the freezer, and let stand for an hour to harden.

Try baking cranberries instead of boiling them. To a quart of berries add two cupfuls of sugar. Do not use any water, and bake in a quick oven until thoroughly soft.

HOUSEHOLD HINTS.

Two tablespoonsful of strong clear coffee added to meat gravies imparts a rich color and fine flavor. The coffee should be added just before removing from the fire.

In steaming dumplings or puddings a cloth should first be placed over the steamer before the lid is put on. It prevents moisture from settling and insures light puffy dumplings.

The rustiest iron sink in existence will yield to a bath of kerosene. Rub it into the entire surface, let it remain for a few hours, then wash in soap and water.

Housekeepers know how quickly lemons lose their freshness and dry or else decay. A simple remedy is to place them in a jar filled with water, the water to be renewed every day or two. By this means this perishable fruit can be kept fresh and sound for several weeks.

Care of Umbrellas.

It is at the joints that umbrellas break first, and it is scarcely surprising, for they are never oiled, and yet are expected to work smoothly and respond easily to the most sudden act of opening.

Most people after using an umbrella on a wet day, even if they do carefully dry it, regard any further process as needless; but there are other means of lengthening their term of usefulness.

To preserve an umbrella and obtain the best possible use out of it, the joints should be carefully oiled with paraffin or kerosene oil, to clean off any possible rust, just as in the case of a bicycle, and then be "touched" with lubricating oil to make them work easily. Thus cared for, the framework will last in excellent order with ordinary use almost indefinitely.

Cherries in Jelly.

To make the cherries in jelly, drain the syrup from a can of red cherries, heat and pour over two tablespoonsful of gelatin that has been dissolved in a little cold water, allowing a pint and a half of liquid to two tablespoonsful gelatin. Strain the mixture into a ring mould and set aside to harden. Do this the day before you wish to serve it. When ready to put on table, turn out on a low glass dish, fill the center with cherries from which the pits have been removed, sweeten slightly if necessary and cover lightly with mounds of whipped cream. If preferred, you may use some of the quickly prepared jellies now in the market, selecting the cherry flavor. Follow directions on the package, but as the jelly begins to "set," drop in Maraschino or preserved cherries. Serve with whip cream.

To Take-Out Tea Stains.

If a tablecloth has been stained by tea or coffee it should be removed as soon as possible and the stained portion placed to soak in lukewarm water. It should then be wrung out, and the cloth laid flat on a deal-table or other unpollished surface, the stains being gone over with a piece of sponge dipped in glycerine. If finally washed in a cold, soapy lather, the dampened part may be dried and the cloth used once more before sending it to the laundry, the want of gloss in the washed portion being hardly noticeable.

Bright Tinware.

If new tinware be rubbed over with fresh lard and thoroughly heated in the oven before it is used, it will never rust afterwards, no matter how much it is put in water. For stained tinware borax produces the best results. If a teapot or coffee pot is discolored on the inside, boil it in a strong solution of borax for a short time, and all its brightness will return.

Mending Broken Corset.

The nicest way to mend a broken corset stay, or a stay in a corset that has pierced through the casing at the top or bottom of the corset, is to bind the top of the stay, or where it may be broken, with a small piece of chamois skin.

In fitting a coat and jacket fit upward from the waist line, as in fitting a bodice.

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REPUBLICAN NOMINATIONS.

State Ticket.

For Justice of the Supreme Court—
WILLIAM L. CARPENTER,
Of Wayne.

AARON V. MCALVAY,
Of Manistee.

For Regent of the University—
JUNIOUS E. BEAL,
Of Washtenaw.

FRANK B. LELAND,
Of Wayne.

For Member of Board of Education—
W. A. COTTON,
Of Delta.

County Ticket.

For County Auditor—
GEORGE H. FISCHER,
Of Ann Arbor.

For Commissioner of Schools—
EVAN ESSERY,
Of Manchester.

A cold heart and hand is more painful than freezing weather.

THE Agricultural Department is trying to introduce into this country a Japanese plant from which is produced an artificial leather. Just think of raising one's shoe timber in one's own garden. People have been planting old shoes from time immemorial, but this is first intimation of a leather harvest.—Ypsilantian.

MONT Reed, of Brighton, was burning some old love letters the other day, when he dropped a nice fat one into the stove—puff! flash! boom! there was an explosion that blew off the top of the stove and scared Reed out of his wits. At first he was at a loss to know what there was so explosive in those love letters. He was puzzled. He had heard of the danger of keeping old love letters around where the wife would find 'em but this was his first hint that they were infernal machines in disguise. Great guns! thought he, what if that whole bunch of 200 infernal love letters should explode at one time—it would blow up the whole state of Michigan! Oh, joy! he was relieved of all his awful predictions when he finally recalled to memory the putting of powder in an old envelope which had got mixed with the letters.

SOME one has figured out that the average boy who is dependent upon his parents for a livelihood until he reaches the age of 21 years, costs them \$4,000.

Those figures are a trifle high for the average boy, we believe; but, supposing they are, if that boy grows to manhood with the lesson well learned that wealth and success grow only on bushes watered by the sweat of one's brow, the parents need not begrudge whatever they have spent on him; if he grows to be truthful, upright, kind and polite, he will be a source of increasing pride to them and the community, and when they grow old and their hands tremble and their steps are slow and faltering, they will have two strong arms to lean upon and help them over the rough places that lie in their twilight path.

But, on the other hand, if that boy turns out to be a cigarette fiend with a breath like a turkey buzzard, a desire for evil associates and a liking for strong drink, those parents might better have buried the boy in infancy and invested that \$4,000 in something that would have been more profitable.

Your son, to which class will he belong? You will be largely responsible for his future. The early training is the strongest possible influence in a boy's life. He may seem to waver for a while and be on the brink of failure and downfall, but that early training, if it has been right, will invariably rescue him.

Addressed Ewing College Students.

The Rev. Joseph Ryerson returned this week from a trip down to the southern part of Illinois. While there he was the guest of the Rev. Dr. Sharpe, of Ewing College. This educational institution, under the leadership of President Leavitt, is doing a great work among the young men and women of the Middle South. About 300 students are enrolled. Mr. Ryerson delivered two lectures to the students and citizens, and was, at the close of his addresses, elected to membership in the Pathegorian Literary Society, and chosen by that body to deliver the oration at the commencement in June.

He was delighted with the large-hearted hospitality of the people, and especially of the ready manner in which an audience adjusts itself to the thought and temperament of a speaker.

Last Friday evening, in company with Dr. Sharpe, Mr. Ryerson journeyed to Murphysboro, the scene of war-time conflicts, and listened to "Billy Sunday," the celebrated evangelist, make war on the devil.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Dr. A. McColgan leaves for Canada next Tuesday morning.

Howard Boyd, of Sylvan, left Monday morning for Brooklyn, N. Y.

A. H. Steadman, of Detroit, was in Chelsea with his family Sunday.

Claire Allen the architect, of Jackson, was in Chelsea on business Tuesday.

Fred M. Freeman, of Manchester, called on his brother here last Friday.

Guy McNamara, of Ann Arbor, spent Saturday and Sunday with his parents.

Mrs. A. McColgan has gone to Stratford, Ca., for a visit with her parents.

N. Stevens, of Kingsville, Ont., spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Holstead.

H. D. Withgell and wife were recent visitors at Austin Yocum's in Manchester.

Misses Mayme and Grace McKernan were guests of friends in Jackson Sunday.

Ran Watkins and wife, of Manchester have been visiting in Chelsea for a few days.

Mrs. Turner visited her sister, Mrs. Lou Bennett, at Dexter the first of the week.

Mrs. Wm. Zinke, of Dexter, was the guest of Miss Edith Boyd, of Sylvan, Sunday.

Ed. Vogel, wife and daughters visited E. G. Hoag and family in Ann Arbor Sunday.

George Keenan, of Ann Arbor, came Saturday to visit his parents until Monday.

Some Chelsea friends are entertaining Miss Lucy Wallace, of Jackson, for a few days.

Miss Celia Ryan was the guest of M. Devine and wife at Dexter the first of the week.

Carl Wagner, of Ann Arbor, was the guest of Hon. and Mrs. F. P. Glazier last Sunday evening.

Frank Stilts and wife, of Ypsilanti, spent Monday and Tuesday with Mrs. Charles Rothman.

Mrs. Myron Stilwell, of Jackson, spent Sunday at the home of her brother Dr. W. S. Hamilton.

Ralph Wagner, a former resident of Chelsea, was in town Sunday visiting relatives and friends.

C. E. Weiss, Ray Cook and Will Ryerson attended the track meet in Ann Arbor last Saturday evening.

Mrs. T. D. Denman returned Saturday from Clare, Mich., where she has been caring for her mother, who was ill.

T. J. Keetch, of Ann Arbor, district manager of the Bell Telephone Co., and Mr. Holland were in town Monday.

Albert Staebler and wife and A. Tice and wife, of Ann Arbor were guests at the home of John Tice and wife Sunday.

On account of the illness of Leigh Palmer at Detroit his parents, Dr. and Mrs. Palmer, were called there Tuesday.

Rev. Monsignor DeBever, of Dexter, spent a few days of the past week as the guest of Rev. Fr. Considine at St. Mary's Rectory.

Herman and Theodore Weber, who have been spending a few weeks with friends in Pittsburg, Pa., returned to their home near Chelsea Tuesday.

Mrs. Sarah Roberts, of St. Louis, Mo., is visiting at the home of J. D. Colton. She is a cousin to Mrs. Colton and this is their first meeting in over 37 years.

Mrs. Seth Reed of the Old People's Home was in Detroit last week attending a meeting of the executive board of the W. H. M. S. of the Detroit conference.

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SOUTHWEST SYLVAN.

Miss Myrtle Weber spent last week in Chelsea.

Leo Merkel has been visiting relatives in Jackson.

Miss Amelia Hummel, of Chelsea, spent Sunday with Mary Weber.

Otto Weber, who has been working in Detroit, has returned home.

Edward Fisk is spending this week with his grandmother, Mrs. W. Fisk.

Misses Louise and Katie Hesel-schwerdt, of Ann Arbor, spent Sunday at home.

Miss Agnes Boyle, of Chelsea, was the guest of Mrs. M. Merkel several days of the past week.

Vernon Lehman, of Williamston, spent the first of the week at the home of Fred Lehman.

Miss Clara Gage is on the sick list.

E. W. Hobert is having his lumber sawed for a new barn.

Miss Lizzie Hesel-schwerdt is visiting relatives in Chelsea.

Geo. Askew, wife and daughter are the guests of A. P. Burch.

Miss Belle Merriman spent Saturday at the home of J. R. Lemm.

John Mon's and Lizzie Hesel-schwerdt spent Saturday in Jackson.

Elmer Gage, wife and daughter spent Sunday at the home of Carlos Dorr.

Walter VanHorn left Saturday for Jackson, where he has accepted a position.

Miss Alta Lemm has returned home after spending a few weeks with her brother in Detroit.

Mrs. Chas. McMahon, of Stony Creek, spent a few days of last week with her mother, Mrs. Hewitt.

Fred Staebler is able to be out.

Stowell Wood is on the sick list.

Abner Beach and wife are on the sick list.

Charles Hawley was in Wayne Sunday evening.

William Coe and wife were Ypsilanti visitors Sunday.

Born, Monday, March 11, to Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Weinman, a son.

Merritt Ward and wife, of Webster, spent Sunday with Mrs. Martha Ward.

D. Dixon and wife, of Dexter, were guests at the home of A. Beach Sunday.

Wm. Foor and family, of Chelsea, spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. A. Streiter.

Mrs. Wade and daughter, Ella, of Chelsea, spent Sunday with Mrs. Mary Freer.

Miss Verna Hawley has gone to Alma to spend a few weeks with her aunt, Mrs. A. Brock.

NORTH LAKE.

Mrs. George Fuller, who has been quite ill is feeling much better.

Up to Saturday night money and promises of help for the church kept coming in.

It has been a fine winter to work in the woods and many big piles will be the result.

Maybe you saved \$5 by not being at the reunion, but you lost more by not being present.

Mrs. John Witty has returned home after a few days stay with her daughter in Isoeo.

Our swift auctioneer, E. W. Daniels, had an auction in Putnam township last Thursday.

If you are fitted for the best place in society the people will soon find you out and have you in it.

Evangelist Cooper has been assisting the resident pastor at Stockbridge. Mr. Cooper will soon leave for his western home.

Chelsea, Pinckney and Unadilla, all suburbs of North Lake came to the aid of the church with their presence and donations, also Dexter, Stockbridge, Mason and Merricourt came to the front with checks and cash.

SHARON.

Mrs. Dan Beutler is seriously ill with pneumonia.

Fred Bruestle was in Ann Arbor on business Friday.

Mrs. Baker, of Trenton, is a guest at the home of Fred Lehman.

Vern Lehman, of Williamston, was the guest of relatives here last week.

Jacob Schaible, of Freedom, was a guest at the home of J. Bruestle Friday.

John Gumper and family moved onto the Adam Oberschmidt farm recently.

Claude Raymond, of Greenburg, Kansas, is visiting friends and relatives here.

Adam Schmidt and family, of Lima, visited at the home of Godfrey Beutler Sunday.

Miss Olga Wolfe, who sustained a fractured arm some time ago is slowly recovering.

George Lehman and wife, Ira Lehman and Mr. Wolf all of Chelsea, spent Sunday at the home of Fred Lehman.

The many friends of Geo. Oberschmidt will be grieved to learn that he died at his home at Riverside, Cal., March 3. He is survived by a wife and two children.

CHURCH CIRCLES

M. E. CHURCH.

Rev. Joseph Ryerson, Pastor
Next Sunday morning the Rev. Joseph Ryerson will preach on "The Things God Puts in the Heart." In the evening the subject will be "The Woman Who Worked."

A men's class will be organized next Sunday and a teacher elected. Every man interested in the church is invited to be present.

The Junior League will be held at 2 p. m. Sunday. Let every boy be present to help in a new stunt.

The men's meeting will be held in the parlors of the church at 3 p. m. Sunday. These meetings will be held here until the Welfare building is finished and then the meeting will be held there.

A week from next Monday and Tuesday about 40 ministers of the Ann Arbor District will charge down upon Chelsea. We expect these ministers will in turn be captured by the open hearted generosity of the town. Full program next week.

The annual thank offering supper of the church will be held next Wednesday evening. The 20th supper will be served in the basement and a good time enjoyed by all.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH.

Rev. A. A. Schoen, Pastor

The confirmation class will have their final examination next Sunday morning at St. Paul's church.

Services in the evening at 7:30 o'clock sun time. This is the fifth of a series of lenten services.

OUR LADY OF THE SACRED HEART.

Rev. Fr. Considine, Pastor

The young ladies' Sodality of the Church of Our Lady of the Sacred Heart will give a progressive pedro social in St. Mary's hall on Friday, March 15, in honor of St. Patrick's Day for the benefit of the parochial school. The admission will be 15 cents and you are cordially invited to attend.

The "Way of the Cross" with benediction of the Blessed Sacrament will be given next Friday, March 15, in the Church of Our Lady of the Sacred Heart at 4 p. m.

Next Sunday, March 17, will be the Feast of St. Patrick, the apostle and patron saint of Ireland. Special services in honor of this great saint will be observed next Sunday in the Church of Our Lady of the Sacred Heart.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE.

The Christian Science Society will meet in the G. A. R. hall at the usual hour next Sunday, March 17, 1907. Subject: "Matter." Golden text: "Thou art my King, O God; command deliverance for Jacob. . . . For I will not trust in my bow, neither shall my sword save me." Psalm 14: 4, 6. Responsive reading: 1 Samuel, 8: 4, 11, 14-20.

CONGREGATIONAL.

Rev. M. L. Grant, Pastor

Remember the concert Friday evening.

Union prayer meeting at the church Thursday evening. The Methodist and Baptist people will assist.

Subject for morning sermon "Belief in God the Essential Condition of National Greatness," for the evening sermon, "The Model Young Woman."

Saved Her Son's Life.

The happiest mother in the little town of Ava, Mo., is Mrs. S. Ruppee. She writes: "One year ago my son was down with such serious lung trouble that our physician was unable to help him; when by our doctor's advice I began giving him Dr. King's New Discovery, and I soon noticed improvements. I kept this treatment up for a few weeks when he was perfectly well. He has worked steadily since at carpenter work. Dr. King's New Discovery saved his life." Guaranteed best cough and cold cure at the Bank Drug Store. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

Doan's Regulents cure constipation without griping, nausea, or any weakening effect. Ask your druggist for them. 25 cents per box.

FOR SALE OR RENT—Small pieces of land. W. K. Guerin.

FOR SALE—A 11 room house on west Middle Street. Chas. J. Depow.

FOR SALE OR RENT—Five acres of onion marsh. W. K. Guerin.

HORSE CLIPPING—I am prepared to clip your horses at any time, also will break colts. Leave orders at Chelsea House phone 75. Della Goodwin. tf

FOR SALE CHEAP—Good second-hand road cart. A. G. Faist. 4tf

FEED GRINDING—I am prepared to grind feed every day. I also have for sale No. 1 cider and cider vinegar, and ground feed. Chas. Meinhold, Jerusalem Mills, phone 144-2s.

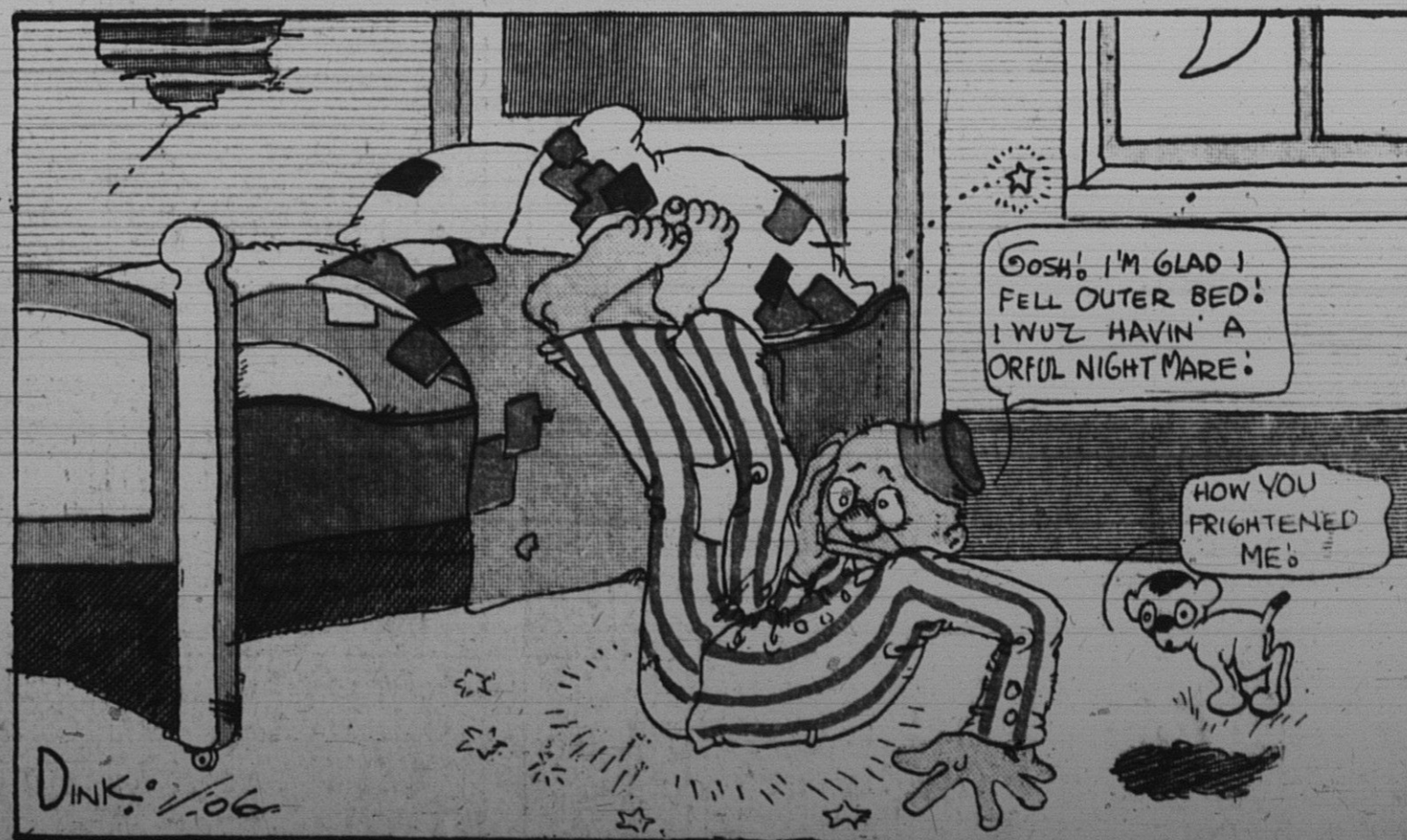
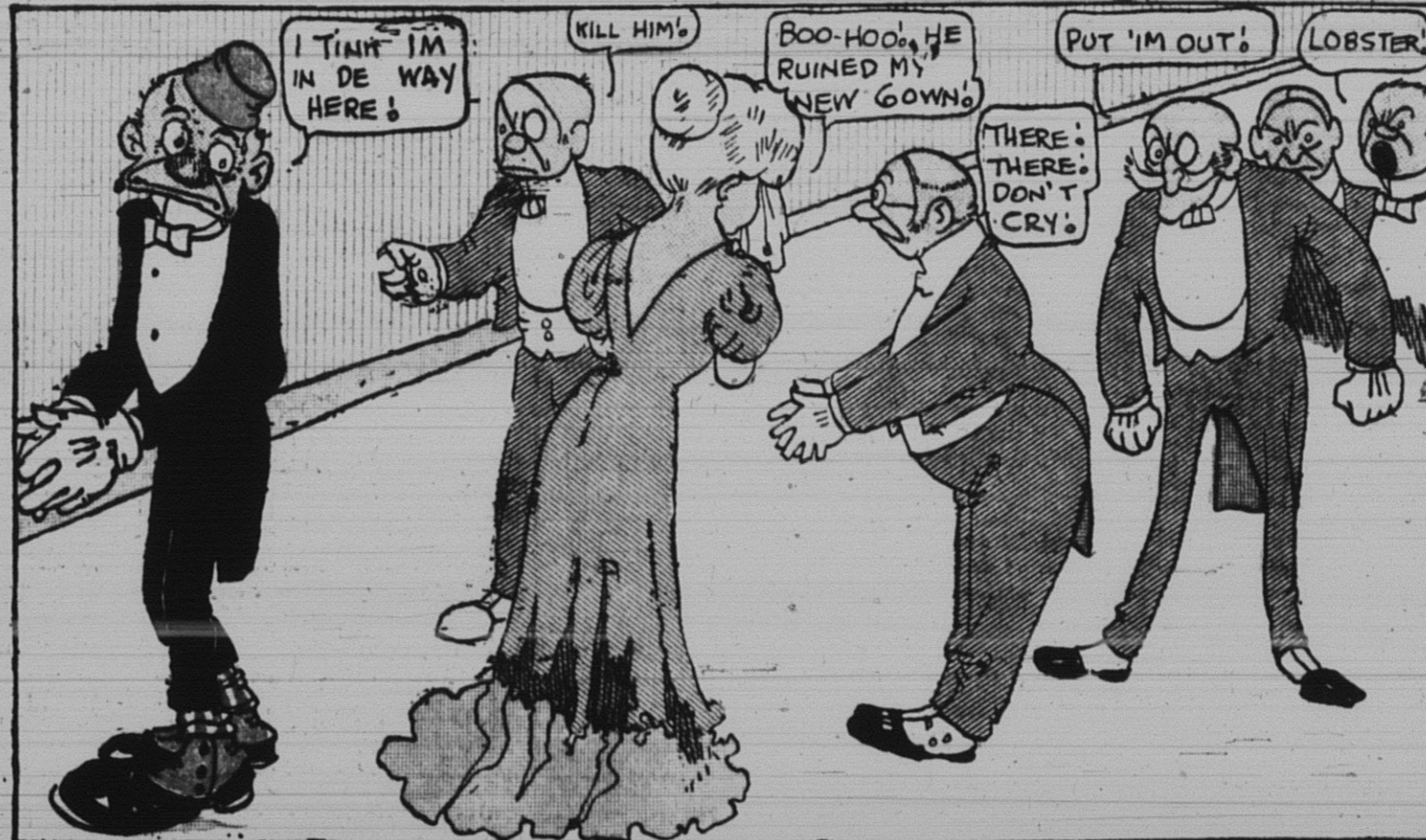
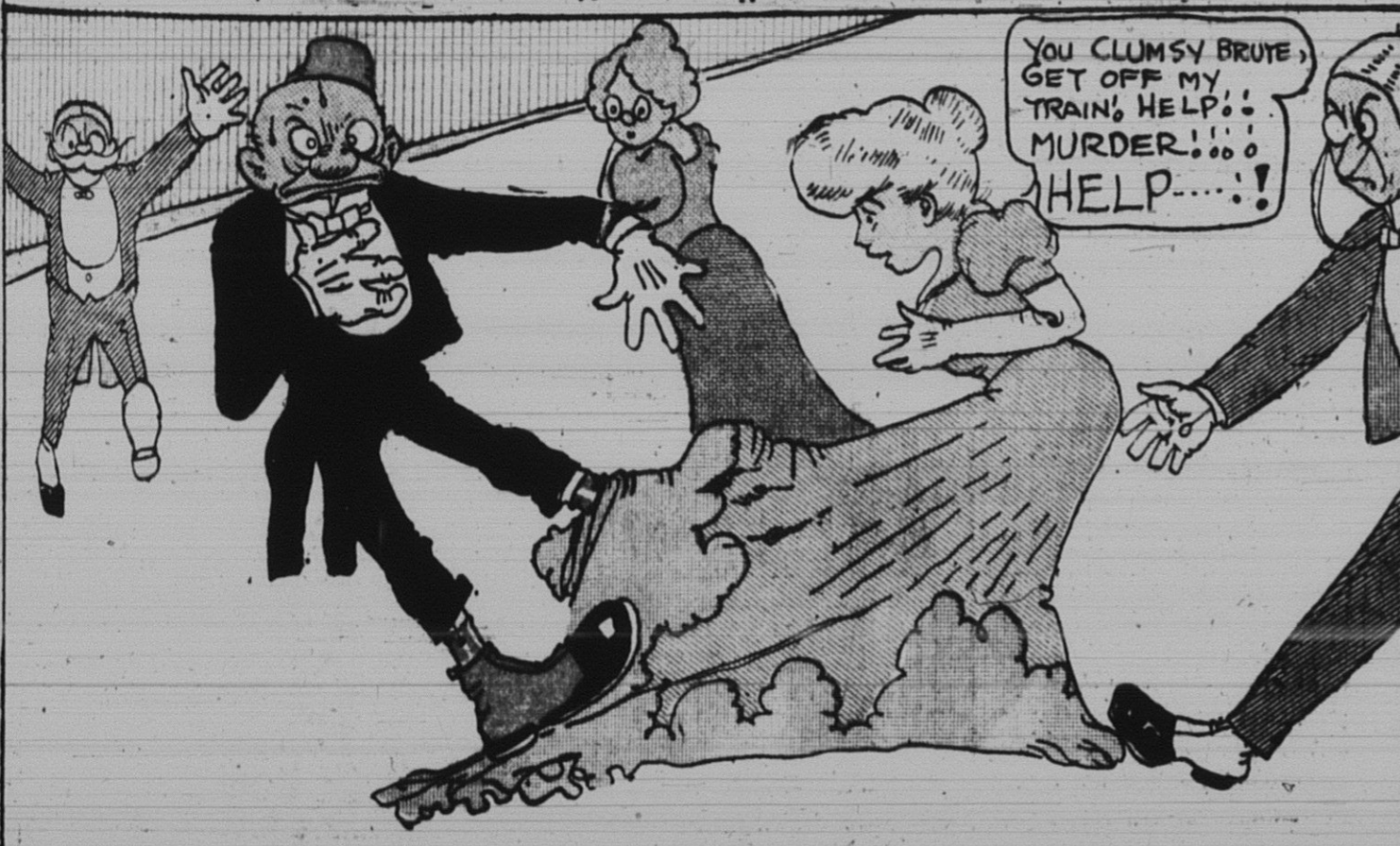
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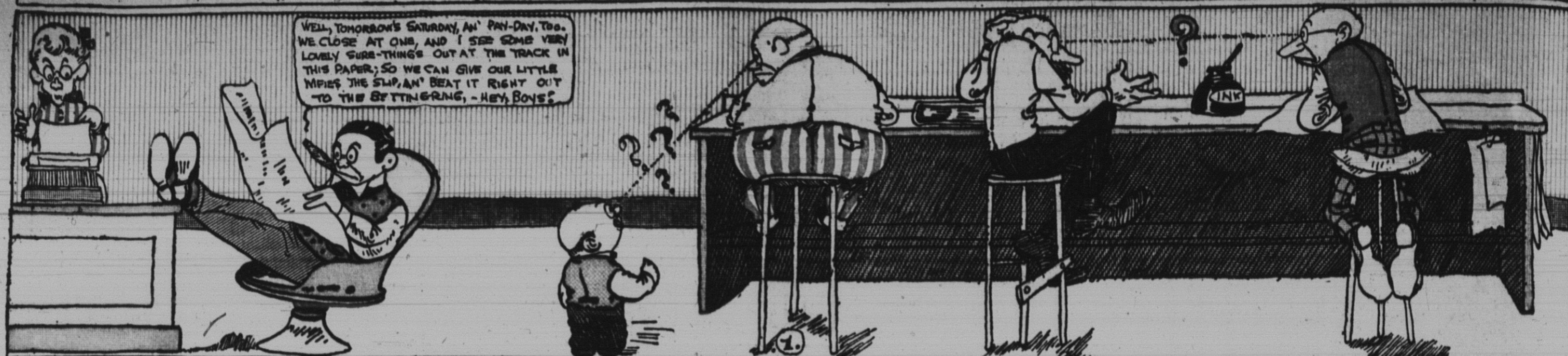
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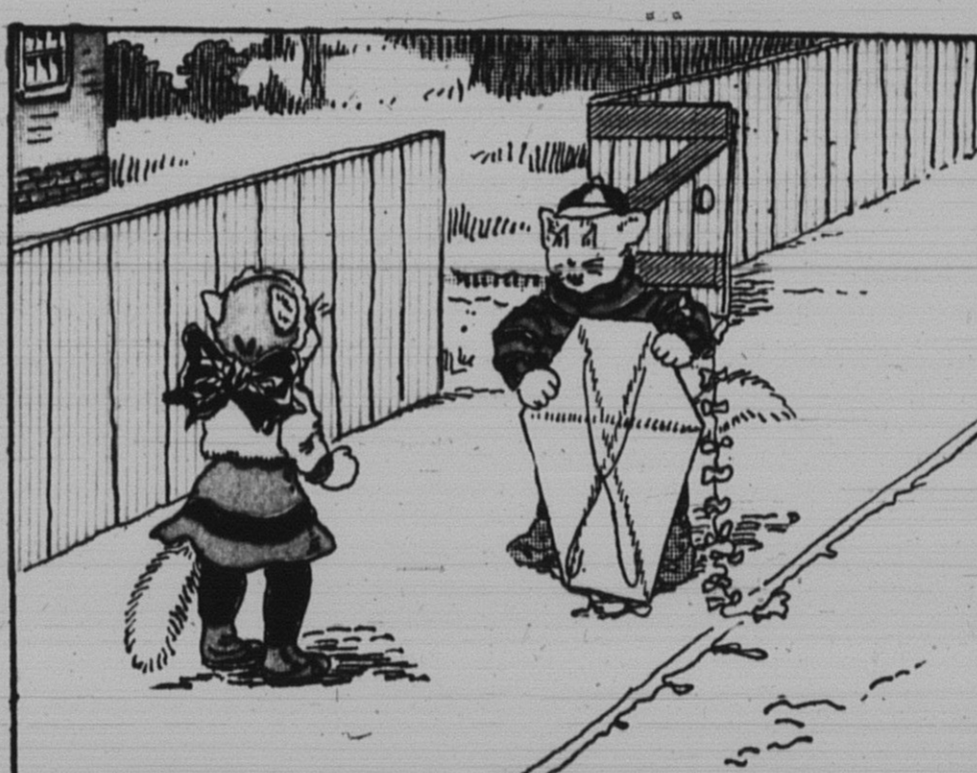
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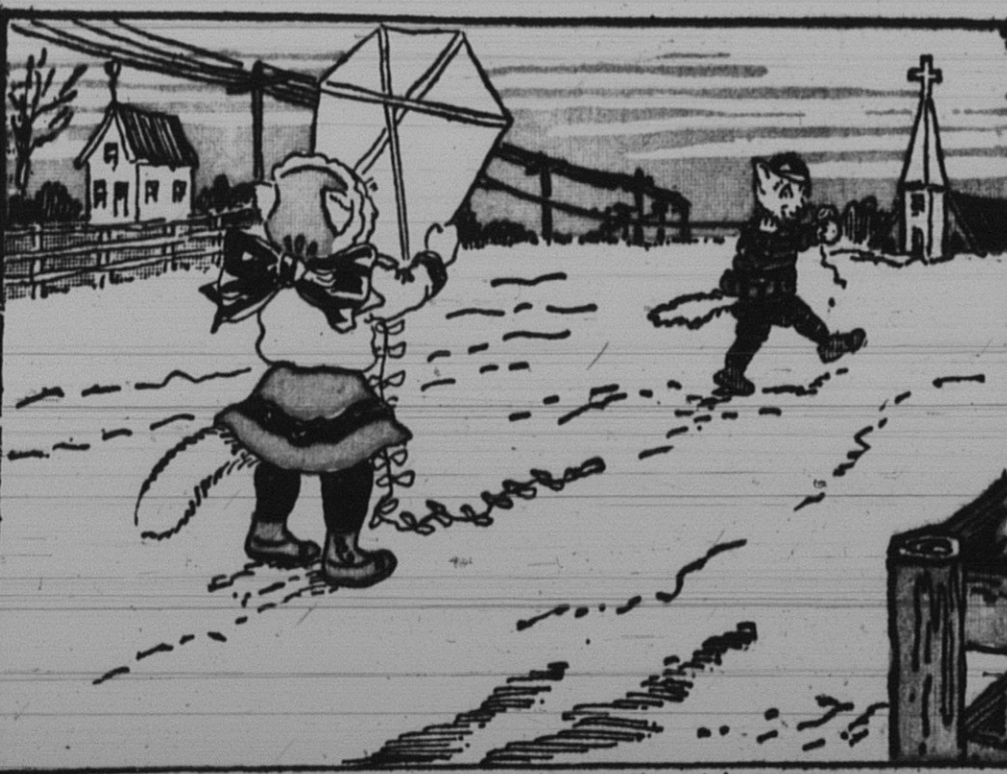
Ev'ry bundle came along,
Well, - Pinkie saved the string:-
Got to saving raveled socks,
And almost anything.



Came a neighbor kid one day,
A-bearing of a kite;
"Wisht I had some string!", said he.
Said Pinkie, "Well, I might



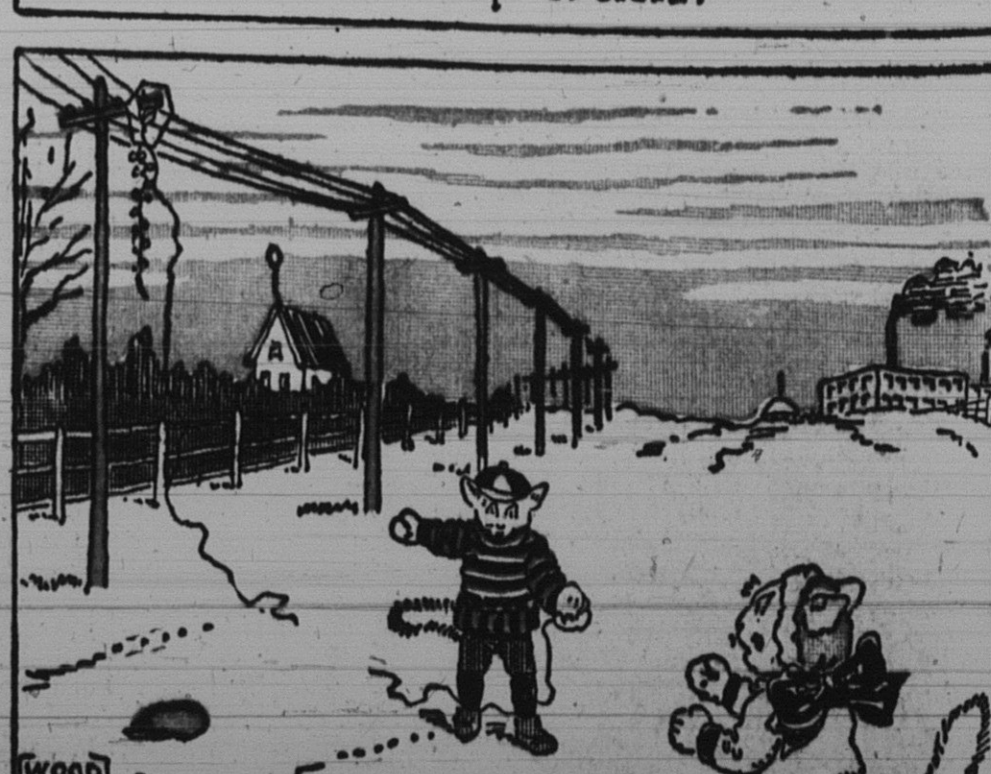
"Let you have a ball or two.
But, I must have it back,
When you're through a-flying kite.
Of all of it keep track!"



Neighbor kid connected up
The string, and set the tail.
Pinkie held it while he ran,
And soon the kite set sail.



High above the trees it soared,
Even high above the oak,
Till the kid struck "raveled sock";
And then the kite-string broke.



In the wires the kite got stuck.
Said Pinkie, "One sure thing!
Either ravel no more socks,
Or else, lend not your string!"

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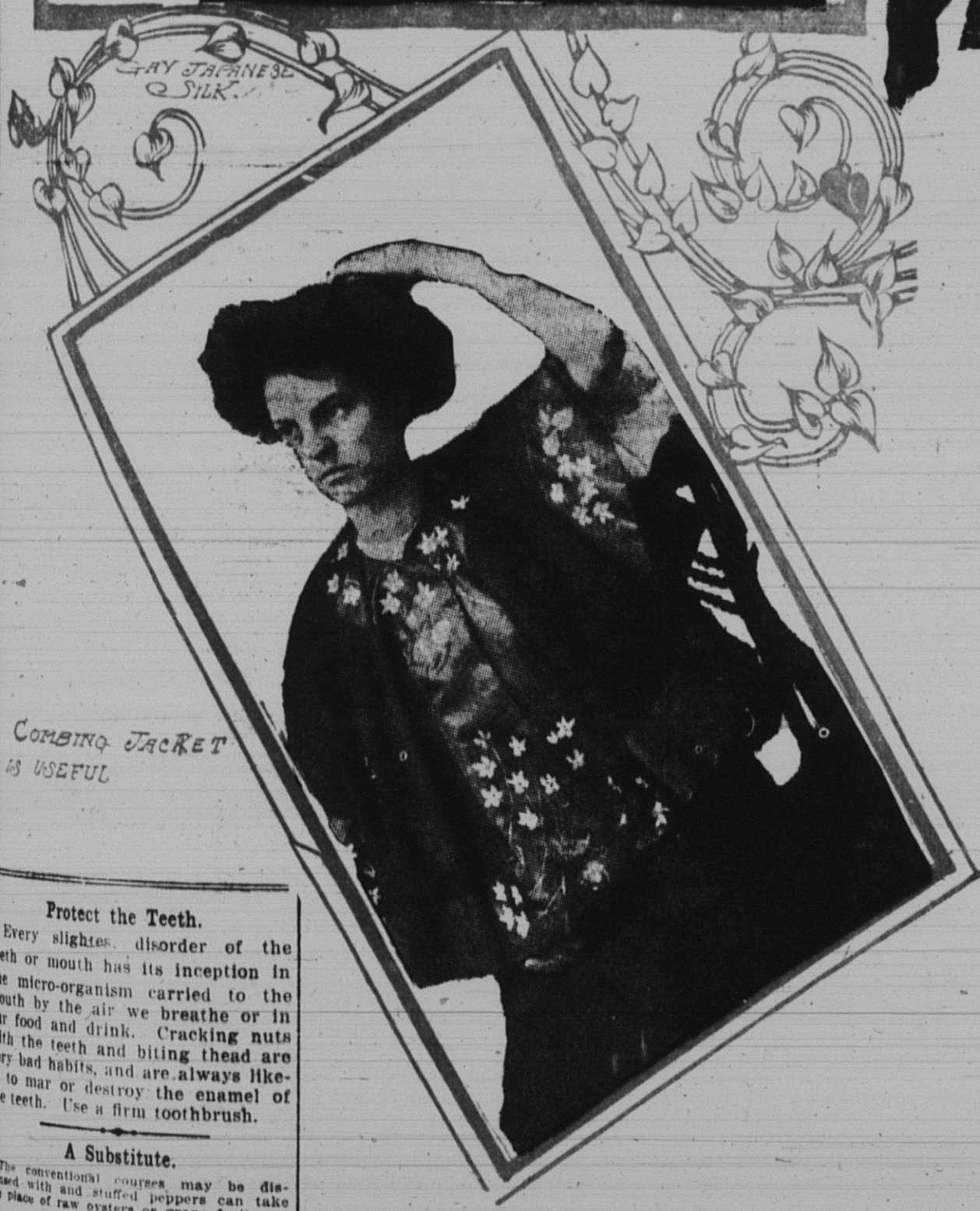
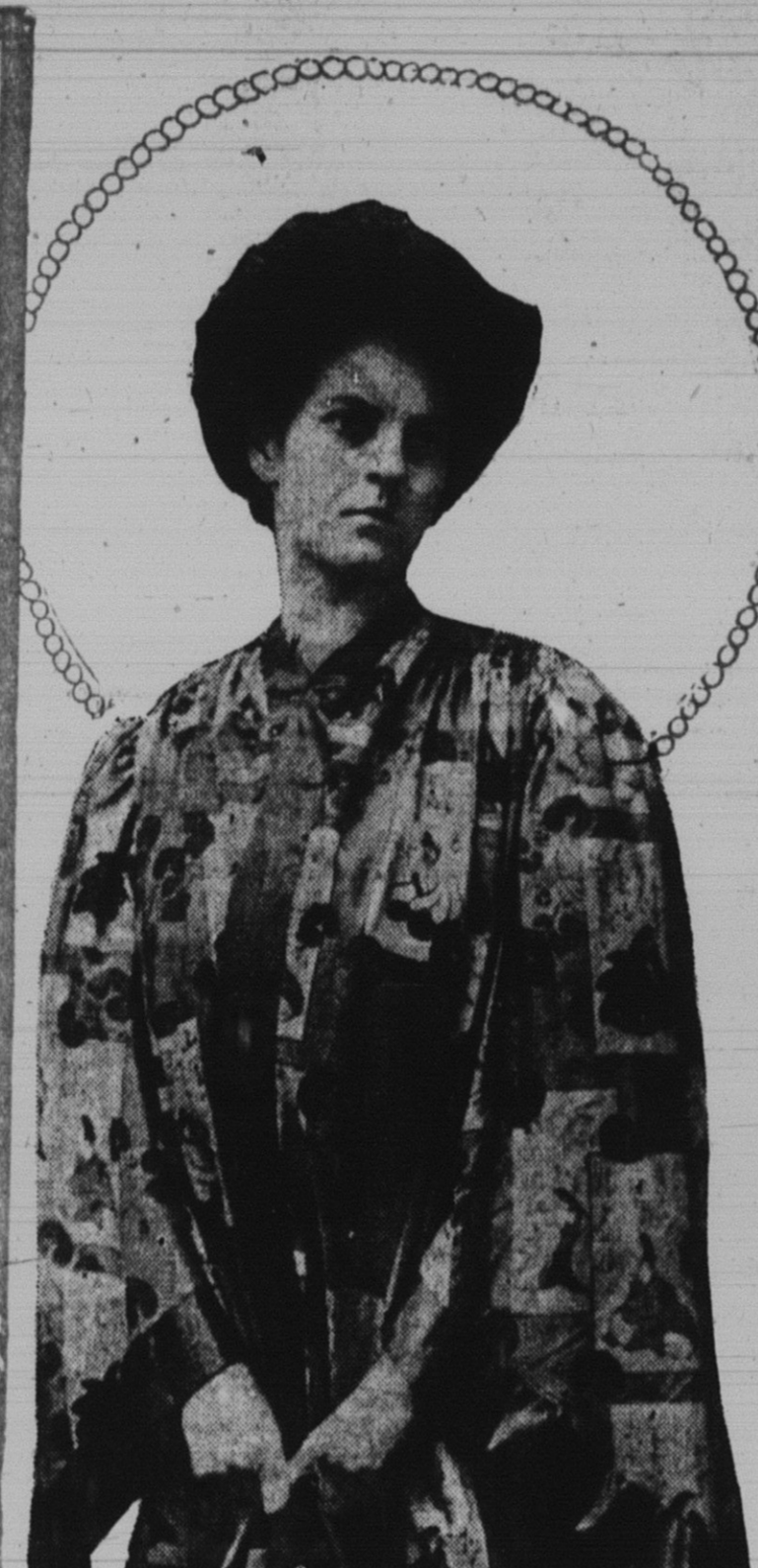
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WOMEN AND THE HOUSEHOLD

NEW MODES IN NEGLIGEE GOWNS



NEGLIGEEES FOR INFORMAL USE

Lives there a woman who can resist the fascination of the fluffy, frilly negligee?

If there be such a woman, set it down for a fact that she is not truly feminine, for the dainty house gown has ever been dear to the womanly heart, and now that the tea gown has taken a new lease on popular fashion, it is more firmly entrenched than ever in popular favor.

The tea gown is no longer restricted to the uses of one's own room. It is worn for the afternoon, and the hostess who receives an intimate friend in the late afternoon often wears her tea gown to the den where the tea table is in operation.

Since the negligee has taken its old place in popular favor, now and becoming styles have been fashioned, and the informal gown is often trimmed more beautifully than the more formal evening gown. The empire effects are in the lead just now, and they are pretty enough to justify the distinction that is bestowed upon them.

These empire effects are to be

WHEN YOU GO VISITING.

Do not stay too long. It is a great thing to break into the life of any family even for a few days. Pay no attention to requests to stay longer, however sincere they seem. Set a time to go when you arrive and stick to it.

Conform absolutely to the household arrangements, especially as to the hours of rising, going to meals and retiring. Be ready in ample time for drives or excursions.

Carry with you all requisite toilet supplies, that you may not be obliged to mortify your hostess by pointing out possible deficiencies in the room you occupy, such as a clothesbrush, the article most commonly lacking.

It is almost always wise in the middle of your visit to go off somewhere by yourself for a day, to rest your entertainers.

CHAFING-DISH LUNCHEONS.

A luncheon for a few friends with the chafing dish as the central point of interest is one of the fads of the day, and to the hostess who has a taste for dainty cooking it offers an opportunity to display her attainments in that direction. If she has mastered the fundamental rules of art and is able to originate some special combination of seasonings or flavorings she is sure to attain a reputation making her the envy of the circle.

At a meal in which such table cookery is emphasized at least two dishes should be prepared before the guests and, if desired, a portion of each course may be wholly or partly cooked in this way. For the hostess who wishes to serve a pretty luncheon for half a dozen guests the following menu is suggested:

Oyster cocktails.
Scrambled eggs a la Creole.
Finger rolls.
Chicken livers a la supreme.
Saratoga potatoes.
Cream cheese salad. Bar le duo.
Orange ice. Fancy cakes.

EASY TO MAKE.

There is no one article of clothing so easily, quickly and satisfactorily made as a corset cover. It is sure to fit much better than one you buy. It is the finest thing for a young girl to start on when she has in mind to make her own clothes. Therefore a few points may not be amiss, and several corset covers, comfortably fitted, neatly made and lastly trimmed may be the result.

For the stock to start with, buy one piece of good longcloth, one piece of bias tape or one piece of fine feather-edge braid, one piece of beading, one reel of narrow white ribbon, one piece of tape, for shirr strings. For three covers buy one and one-eighth yards of insertion, about one and one-half inches wide, two and two-thirds yards of edging of about the same width and a 10-cent pattern of a corset cover with only two pieces back and front.

SING AND WORK.

Singing while doing your housework will help you through many an unpleasant task. It is the best tonic for the spirit and the body, too. The lungs are filled and the vocal exercises, freshened by the housework, will tire one twice as quickly as taking your tasks in a methodical manner.

Housework can be utter drudgery or it can be a pleasurable occupation, the difference is found in the worker's viewpoint. When washing, do not stoop over the sink; this tires the shoulders.

When sweeping, have every window open. You won't take cold; your exercise will keep you warm and safe from chills. If you can spare the time, have a little nap every afternoon. Some women do their housework as if they were carrying the weight of a nation upon their shoulders. Such will grow old while they are still young.

Passing of Pompadour.

Slowly but surely is the pompadour roll in the front of the hair losing its hold on fashionable favor. The front and side locks must certainly stand out around the face but the hard, stiff and uncompromising line of the pompadour is no longer thought smart, and the hair must be in soft waves over the forehead.

Get Plenty of Sleep.

The sleep lost the night before can never be regained. The body is worn out just that much and life's finish brought just so many moments

ODDS AND ENDS

Use for Old Boots.

Worn-out boots are useful for the sake of their upper leather. Cut from the back of the boot a piece of leather of convenient size, and shape for an iron or kettle holder, place it between two or three pieces of cloth and sew around in the usual way. The leather will keep all the heat from the hands.

Soiling Soiled Clothes.

In sorting clothes to send to the laundry look carefully over each article, taking care to remove every pin, which may seriously injure the laundress, and seeing that no studs, shields or cuff buttons are left in the blouses and shirts.

Useful to Know.

Add a little milk to the water in which potatoes are boiled and they will when done look very white and taste well. Jet passementerie may be cleaned by rubbing it with a cloth dipped in equal parts of alcohol and water. Dry afterward with a clean cloth.

Never throw away scraps large enough to be made use of. Old pieces of flannel and linens are useful for bandages, scouring cloths and the like. Corks will come in when a upper is lost, and empty preserve jars, if cleaned, will do another year.

A Canton flannel bag made up with the downy side out, is a great convenience on sweeping days. Slip it over the broom and dust the walls and woodwork with it.

For Book-Cases.

When a book case has no back the dust that collects on the shelves and gets into the books is annoying and harmful. A piece of heavy denim in a dark shade can be stretched tight across the back of the

shelves, however, and tacked so firmly into place that the dust trouble is all done away with.

Cleaning Stoves.

The kitchen stove can be cleaned with newspapers, but when cleaning do it thoroughly. Many tops of stoves receive a daily polish and yet the sides are covered with dirt and grease.

To Clean Oil Paintings.

Oil paintings may be cleaned thoroughly by taking them out of their frames and rubbing the surface with half a raw potato. The rubbing should be circular, gentle and firm.

Let the oven be thoroughly cleaned with a brush kept for that purpose, then nicely washed, and your bread and cake will have a purer flavor.

To Clean Looking Glasses.

Take part of a newspaper, fold it small, dip it in cold water, and when thoroughly wet squeeze it out like a sponge and then rub it hard over the face of the glass, taking care that it is not so wet as to run down in streams. After rubbing the glass well with the wet paper let it rest a few minutes, and then go over it with a fresh, dry newspaper till it looks clean and bright.

Good Soft Soap.

Cut fine four pounds of white bar soap, and dissolve this by heating in five gallons of soft water, to which add, while on the fire, two pounds of sal soda. When the soap and the sal soda are all dissolved, stir the mixture well and remove from the fire to cool. It will look thin and watery at the time, but will be a beautiful white jelly when cool.

HOW TO CARE FOR FLOWERS

For worms on petunias apply a weak solution of hellebore.

The easiest way to make a kerosene emulsion is to dissolve a good tobacco soap, a bar to two quarts of boiling water, then stir in one teaspoonful of kerosene. Use this occasionally to sprinkle the flowers with.

Throw away bulbs which have been forced. They are lacking in vitality and seldom give a good crop of flowers the second season.

Here is a very good method of making a liquid manure fertilizer. Take a small sack like the one salt comes in, put the manure in dry, tie it up and put it in a can or bucket and pour boiling water over it. Let it set until it looks as strong as tea, and then water the flowers with it. One should remember, however, not to apply a fertilizer to any kind until the plants show signs of growth.

Begonias are well worth cultivating. They are in some respects among our most beautiful flowers—picturesque, free-blooming, and not difficult to raise if only care is bestowed.

It seems to be a general opinion that young geranium plants will

isfaction. The fact is that old plants in a healthy condition, are far preferable to young plants for winter blooming. It takes at least a year to make a geranium into a fine plant, and on this account it will be readily understood that it is impossible to get much returns florally while it is under training.

SOME PECULIAR OCCUPATIONS OF WOMEN.

Work in the hop fields is the latest "rest cure" for London's smart set, and the luxurious society "hoppers" claim that a week's hopping is far better and more pleasant than a rest at any well-known health resort.

The tents of these well-to-do pickers are expensively furnished, and easy chairs, soft beds, and up-to-date camping outfits are among their hopping appliances.

In Berlin there is a woman veterinary surgeon who is an official inspector of animals. She rides through the streets on the lookout for animals suffering from any disablement, and before reporting a horse as unfit for work, she examines its injuries and whenever possible applies remedies to alleviate its pain. She carries a leather case filled with bandages and other

Protect the Teeth.

Every slightest disorder of the teeth or mouth has its inception in the micro-organism carried to the mouth by the air we breathe or in our food and drink. Cracking nuts with the teeth and biting thread are very bad habits, and are always likely to mar or destroy the enamel of the teeth. Use a firm toothbrush.

A Substitute.

The conventional courses may be discarded with and stuffed peppers can take the place of raw oysters or grape fruit.

HEALTH AND STRENGTH MOST ADMIRABLE

Thank goodness the day is past when delicacy was supposed to add to a girl's charm.

There was a time when the more wild, clinging and fragile a girl was, the more feminine and delightful she appeared in man's eyes.

To go into hysterics at the sight of a mouse, to faint at the sight of blood, to dissolve into tears on all occasions were all signs of a highly sensitive temperament.

All the heroines in old-fashioned novels were of that ilk, and a very shy, bashful, smoky-pammy lot they must have been.

Nowadays the athletic girl is to the fore. Of course there is danger that in the reaction of types, the modern girl may grow a trifle too Amazonian and independent, but eventually she will settle into a sensible, charming woman.

friend, for example, he doesn't care how independent she is.

He thinks it perfectly proper when his sweetheart is afraid to walk a few blocks alone at night.

When his sister asks him to take her friend the same distance he wonders what on earth she is afraid of.

However, I'm not criticising him for that; it's a fair and normal state of affairs; no man will judge the girl he loves by the same standard he applies to other girls. He will excuse things in her that he would not tolerate in his sister.

But to get back to the athletic girl. No matter how healthy and strong and wholesome she is she must not depart from her fluffs and frills of feminine apparel.

There is nothing that men dislike more than to see girls dressed mannishly. They may make fun of women's dress, but they like it just the same.

is one of woman's greatest charms. She can be healthy and strong and yet not lose one atom of femininity.

Plenty of sleep, fresh air, wholesome food, exercise and freedom from tight lacing is the best recipe for health that I know of.

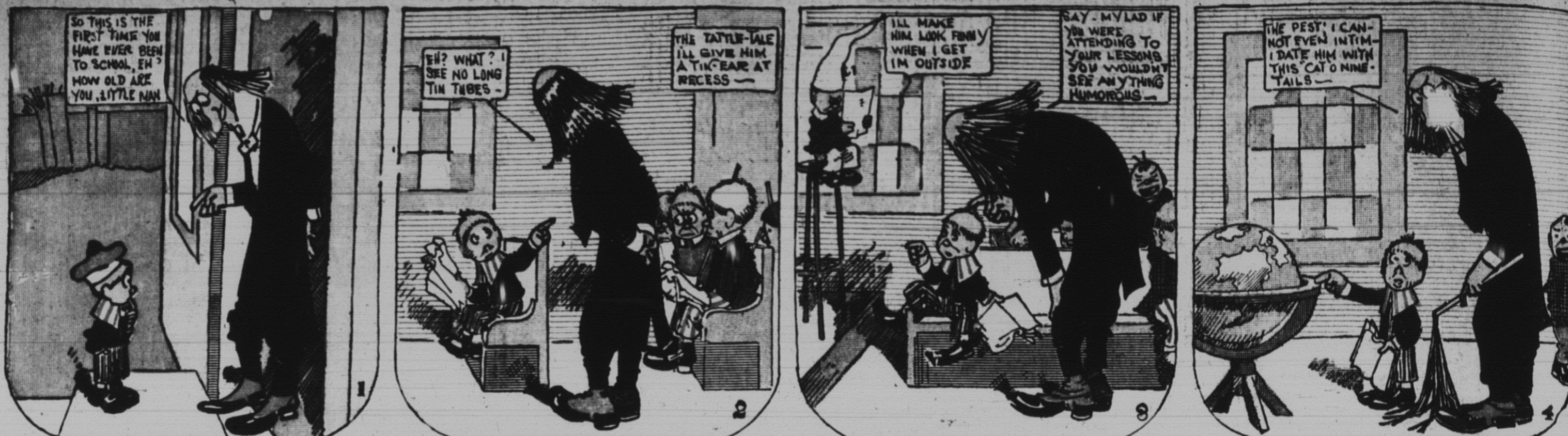
It's a good idea not to talk about your small ailments. If you talk about them people will get the impression that you are delicate. That will damage your matrimonial chances, for no man of any sense will want to burden himself with a delicate wife.

You can't half enjoy life if you continually have to stop and ask yourself, "Am I strong enough to do this? Will it hurt me to do that? Be strong and feminine at the same time. By strength and health you compel admiration; by femininity you compel love.

How to Choose a Carpet.

In choosing a carpet that will have a great deal of wear and that you wish to last well, decide on one with a small design as they are generally the best goods, and more easily patched and turned about without waste of material.

INQUISITIVE CLARENCE



I'M OVER SEVEN YEARS OLD, BUT MA TOLD ME TO SAY I WAS ONLY SIX - WHY DID MA WANT ME TO SAY THAT?

SAY, MR. TEACHER, WHY DO THE BOYS ALL HAVE LONG TIN TUBES IN THEIR POCKETS? I HAVEN'T ANY - DO I HAVE TO GET ONE TOO?

WHAT'S THAT LITTLE BOY WEARING THAT ON HIS HEAD FOR? CAN'T HE AFFORD TO BUY A HAT? IS THAT A CORNUCOPIA HE GOT FOR CHRISTMAS? HE'S FUNNY, ISN'T HE?

WHY DO THEY CALL THAT A "CAT O' NINE TAILS"? OUR CAT HAS NINE LIVES BUT SHE HASN'T NINE TAILS - DOES OUR WORLD STAND ON LEGS LIKE THAT ONE DOES?



OH! TEACHER, DID YOU SEE THE GOOD PICTURE WILLIE BROWN MADE OF YOU? JOHNNY JONES SAYS HE PUT RED PEPPER IN THE APPLE HE GAVE YOU - DID YOU EAT THE APPLE YET?

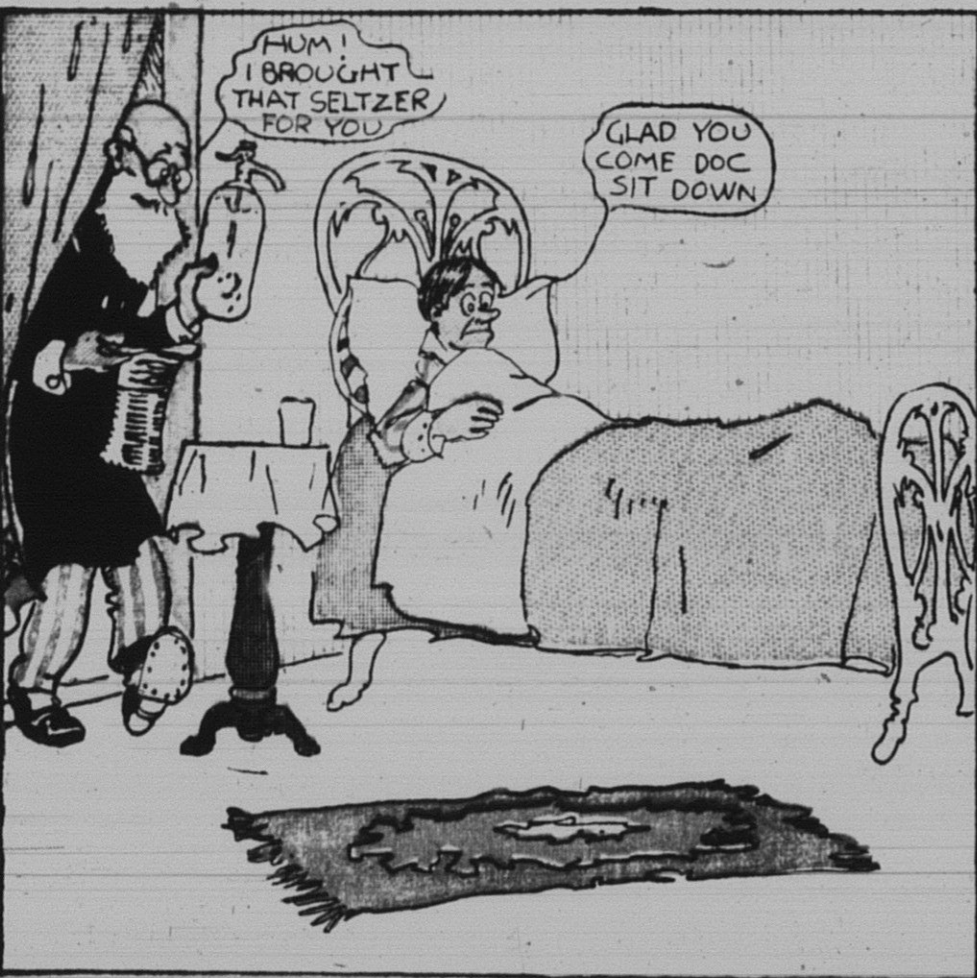


OWCH! -
WOW! -
BING!



SAY, PAPA, EVERY SCHOLAR IN SCHOOL HIT ME WHY DID THEY DO THAT?

ROSY POSY---MAMMA'S GIRL



STERLING

MILLINERY OPENING.

You are cordially invited to attend the opening
Friday and Saturday, March 22 and 23.

A fine display of all the Leading Novelties and Staple
Millinery.

MARY H. HAAB.

A FEW MORE

\$1.50 Ladies' Moca Gloves.....88c
25c and 50c Ladies' Underwear at 19c and 38c
25c and 50c Misses' Underwear at 19c and 38c
25c and 50c Men's Underwear...at 19c and 38c
25c and 50c Men's Caps.....at 13c and 25c
Children's Underwear.....One-half off

AT J. S. CUMMINGS'
THE BUSY CORNER.

For a Short Time...

We Shall Make Attractive Prices on

FURNITURE

Of which we have a full line in NEW DESIGNS

Woven Wire Fence

For the month of March we wish to reach
the farmers with our Superior Woven Wire
Fence at prices that will defy competition.

Harness

A full line of heavy and light, bouble and
single harness at the right price.

Dairy Pans

Six-quart pressed dairy pans for a few days
only at 60c per dozen.

W. J. KNAPP

LOCAL ITEMS.

Don't fail to see the Scenes in a Union
Depot.

Dr. W. S. Hamilton has been confined
to his home by illness.

Around Ann Arbor the peach crop
promises to be a failure this year.

Rev. Jacob Graber, of Francisco, who
has been quite ill is feeling much bet-
ter.

Be sure you see the Country Bridal
Party who figure in the "Scenes in a
Union Depot."

Miss Mary Haab will have a display
of millinery goods Friday and Saturday
March 22 and 23.

The L. O. T. M. will sell fried cakes
at their hall next Saturday afternoon.
Public is invited to buy.

The Miller sisters announce a show-
ing of spring millinery for Thursday
and Friday, March 21 and 22.

Wm. Wheeler, of Dexter township, sold
a fine driving horse to Detroit parties
for \$200 the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Burt Taylor have moved
their household goods to Dexter, where
they will make their future home.

Reports being circulated in state
papers that another big wolf has been
killed near Chelsea are erroneous.

The D. U. R. has not purchased the
Jackson city lines. It was reported
some time ago that the purchase was
made.

Rev. T. D. Denman and wife were
called to Wyandotte, Tuesday, to the
bedside of an uncle who was on the
verge of death.

Cheap rides to the west, northwest,
California and Mexico every day during
March and April on the Michigan
Central. Information furnished by
ticket agent.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Palmer, of Man-
chester, on Monday, March 4, celebrated
the fiftieth anniversary of their wed-
ding. Relatives from far and near
joined in the merry-making.

At the social meeting of the Epworth
League in the church parlors last Friday
night about fifty were present and had
a most enjoyable time at games, conclud-
ing the evening with a dainty luncheon.

J. Kinney, who has been working in
the creamery here, goes to Seefeld,
Mich., where he takes the position of
superintendent of the creamery there.
His place here will be filled by A. Hesel-
schwerdt.

The Young Women's Christian As-
sociation of Ann Arbor has now paid
\$1,500 on its home and the members
have pledged themselves to secure an
additional \$1,000 for a payment on
November 1.

A regular meeting of Chelsea Legion
No. 312 will be held at Woodman hall
March 19, 1907, for election of officers.
Every member is requested to be pre-
sent, as business of importance comes
before the meeting. Clara A. Hammond,
secretary.

Last Saturday forenoon the first Novo
range, a stove manufactured by the
Glazier Stove Co., was placed on sale at
Knapp's hardware store. Shortly after
dinner a pleased customer ordered it
sent to his home. They are beautiful
stoves and are as good as they look.

Henry Wilsey, sixty four years of age,
a resident of Dexter township, passed
away Sunday on the farm where he was
born. Funeral was held from the home
Wednesday at two o'clock p. m., Rev. C.
S. Jones, of Detroit, officiating. He is
survived by a wife and two children.

The Detroit News-Tribune is conduct-
ing a "beauty contest." Photographs
from all over the country are being sent
in, and the News-Tribune especially
desires Michigan women to win the
prizes. Chelsea ladies certainly stand
a good chance if their friends will only
see to it that they participate.

Gottlob Hieber will sell at public
auction, on the premises known as the
Rha Johnson farm, 4 miles north and 1
mile east of Chelsea, and 5 miles west of
Dexter on Wednesday, March 20, com-
mencing at 10 o'clock a. m. the following:
8 horses, 12 head of cattle, 62 sheep, 10
head of swine, farming tools and grain
and many articles too numerous to
mention. Lunch at noon. E. W. Daniels
auctioneer.

On a charge of being drunk and dis-
orderly, Chris. Sweikert, of Lyndon, was
arrested, Friday, by deputy sheriff
Leach and brought before Justice James
Wood, who gave him a week to decide
whether he would pay a fine of \$11.10, or
spent 65 days in the Detroit work house.
Sweikert was in Chelsea Thursday even-
ing, and conducted himself in a decid-
edly ungentlemanly manner toward
ladies and other people upon our streets.
He declared, when arrested, that he was
so drunk at the time that he had no
recollection of what his conduct was.

An afternoon paper for Jackson, to be
sold a cent a copy, is one of the proba-
bilities of the near future.

Robt. Leach caught 20 pickerel in
North Lake Saturday, the largest of
which weighed fifteen pounds.

Scenes in a Union Depot at the town
hall on Friday, March 22, under the
auspices of the seniors of the Chelsea
high school.

A chicken ordinance has been passed
at Ann Arbor. People who let their
poultry run at large will be liable to
fine or imprisonment if the fowls do
damage.

As before announced, Ed. Weiss has
leased the new Chelsea House livery
barn. His advertisement appears in this
paper, and he wishes it stated that his
phone number is 101.

Born, March 11, 1907, to Dr. and Mrs.
T. L. Thomson, of Torrington, Connecti-
cut, twin girls. Mrs. Thomson (nee Miss
Ella Louise Morton) was at one time a
local writer on The Chelsea Standard
and developed ability as a short story
writer, later doing work of that nature
in New York City.

Fred Houchen was hammering a piece
of metal upon the anvil in the Glazier
Stove Co. machine shop Monday, and
his hammer missed the metal, struck
the anvil and rebounding hit him on
the forehead knocking him unconscious.
He went later to a surgeon who took
several stitches in the wound.

Dan Shell has an injured hand as the
result of an unpleasant experience with
an emery wheel Monday. He was
sharpening a pick when his hand came
in contact with the wheel and the flesh
on his right hand was torn away nearly
to the bone in an instant. He was
taken to a doctor's office and the wound
dressed.

A company calling themselves the
International Amusement Company ap-
peared here and played before a large
and disgusted audience Saturday night.
Of all shows that ever gulled the public
this one was the limit. Only two actors
appeared on the stage and they were
not prepared with anything to amuse
the public.

Millen Welch, grandson of C. H.
Millen, proprietor of Millen's hotel,
Wolf Lake, was accidentally shot and
killed, Monday. The little fellow was
at play about the house, while his uncle
Schuyler Millen, was handling a revolver.
The weapon was discharged, the
bullet striking the little fellow, causing
his death.—Citizen.

An example of what advertising will
do can be seen in J. S. Townsend's big
sale at Clinton. He has advertised ex-
tensively in nearly all the papers in the
territory surrounding Clinton, and on
the opening day of the sale his receipts
were over \$400 an hour. Of course, it
cost him money and effort to get such a
patronage as that. He knows the value
of judicious advertising.

Scenes in a Union Depot, to be given
under the auspices of the seniors of the
Chelsea high school, on Friday, March
22, at the town hall, is a one-act comedy.
It is to be directed by Freeda L. Fergu-
son, reader and impersonator, who makes
a specialty of this work. This play has
been given very successfully throughout
Ohio and in Michigan since early fall.
If you enjoy a good hearty laugh, don't
fail to see this.

Mrs. Catherine Doll, a pioneer resi-
dent of Dexter township died at her
home Tuesday, March 12, 1907, aged 72
years. The deceased is survived by
three sons, four daughters and a number
of brothers and sisters. The funeral
services will be held at 10 o'clock Fri-
day morning in the Church of Our Lady
of the Sacred Heart, her pastor, Rev.
Fr. Considine officiating. Interment
Mt. Olivet cemetery, Chelsea.

It is said that a new plan is to be
adopted by Ypsi-Ann, and that under
the new management "stop" stations are
to be established along the line, and
cars will not stop on signal as heretofore
at every house. Surely, this change will
be objectionable to the farmers. Extra
fares, too, are to be done away with and
a half-hour service restored later. If
this idea is put into practice, the road
will have to build comfortable waiting
rooms at every station, and this will
necessitate considerable expense.

Wednesday evening Kempf's Com-
mercial and Savings Bank located in its
beautiful new building on Main street
threw open its doors to the public for
the first time. Visitors found it to be a
delightful place, modern in every re-
spect. About the building were beau-
tiful bouquets of flowers, gifts from
patrons and friends of the bank. Thurs-
day morning the first depositor in the
savings department was little Mary
Howe, daughter of Nate Howe; Kant-
lehner Bros. first depositors in com-
mercial department; A. W. Wilkinson
had the first check cashed. In the de-
lightful rooms over the bank are situat-
ed Dr. A. L. Steger, dentist; J. G.
Webster, tailor and Kalmbach & Watson,
attorneys. It is exceedingly doubtful
if another town of 2000 population in a
circle of hundreds of miles can boast
two such magnificent banks as Chelsea
claims.

Dr. McColgan would like those having
accounts with him to call on or before
Monday next and arrange a settlement
of the same.

NEW DRESS GOODS

The New Spring Styles Are Now On Sale. . . .

The latest in Black, Colored and Novelty Suitings is shown
here, and at prices guaranteed the lowest.

Voile, Panama, Mohair, Batiste and Lansdown Suitings in
Black and colors. Novelty Suitings
that are swell.

A large assortment at	\$.25
A large assortment at	.39
A large assortment at	.50
A large assortment at	.65
A large assortment at	.85
A large assortment at	1.00
A large assortment at	1.25
A large assortment at	1.50

Our dry goods department is larger than ever before. More
new goods than you would expect to see in Chelsea.

Complete assortment of Ladies' three-quarter and elbow
length Gloves.

Silk, black and white, at	75c and \$1.00
Kid, black and white, at	\$2.00, \$2.50 and \$3.00

W. P. SCHENK & COMPANY

Worked Like a Charm.

Mr. D. N. Walker, editor of that spicy
journal, the Enterprise, Louisa, Va.,
says: 'I ran a nail in my foot last week
and at once applied Bucklen's Arnica
Salve. No inflammation followed; the
salve simply healed the wound.' He is
every sure, burn and skin disease.
Guaranteed at the Bank Drug Store.
25c.

The Chelsea Markets.]

Chelsea buyers offer today, the follow- ing prices:	
Wheat, red or white.....	71
Oats.....	66
Barley.....	40
Beans.....	1 10
Steers, heavy.....	4 00 to 5 00
Steers, light.....	3 50 to 4 00
Stockers.....	2 50 to 3 50
Cows, good.....	2 00 to 3 00
Cows, common.....	1 50 to 2 00
Veals.....	4 00
Veals, heavy.....	6 75
Hogs.....	3 00 to 5 00
Sheep, wethers.....	2 00 to 3 00
Chickens, spring.....	69
Fowls.....	18 to 22
Butter.....	15
Eggs.....	40
Potatoes.....	40

How to Remain Young.

To continue young in health and
strength, do as Mrs. N. F. Rowan,
McDonough, Ga., did. She says: "Three
bottles of Electric Bitters cured me of
chronic liver and stomach trouble,
complicated with such an unhealthy
condition of the blood that my skin
turned red as flannel. I am now prac-
tically 20 years younger than before I
took Electric Bitters. I can now do all
my work with ease and assist in my
husband's store." Guaranteed at the
Bank Drug Store. Price 50c.

Cheap Rates

to the
West
Northwest
and Mexico

Every day during
March and April 1907

Via the
MICHIGAN CENTRAL

"The Niagara Falls Route."

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General Passenger Agent.

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We have a complete assortment of
Watches, Clocks, Rings, Chains,
Charms and Society Emblems.

We also have a fine line of
Gold-Bowed Spectacles and Eye Glasses

We do all kinds of repairing.
A. E. WINANS,
THE JEWELER.
Sheet Music and Periodicals.

It Is Not
Necessary to
Pay a High Price
For Tailoring.

Trade Here
We Treat You
Right.
Webster
The Tailor.

Try our liner ads.

Chelsea Green House

Extra fine Cineraria in every shade of
red and purple.....25c
Hyacinths, very beautiful, 20c each, or
three for.....50c
Daffodils (bright yellow).....50c per doz.
Calla Lilies.....\$2.00 per doz.
Plants.....50c each
Sweet Peas.....\$1.00 per 100
The very finest carnations you can buy
at.....50c per doz.

ELVIRA CLARK,
Phone 103-2-1, 1-s. (Florist)



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with a bank, once you've placed your
ready cash in its care. Its officers honor
your checks, keep a close watch against
the forging of your signature, and, by
the method of your paying bills by
checks, allow you the backing of their
splendid business reputation. No busi-
ness man should fail to seize the fine
chances to advance himself in life.

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C. H. KEMPF, Vice Pres.
Geo. A. BeGole, Cashier,
JOHN L. FLETCHER, Asst. Cashier.

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JACKSON, MICH.
THURSDAY, MARCH 21
LIEBLER & CO.
Present

THE SQUAWMAN

250 performances at Wallack's Theatre,
New York.
Prices—25 to \$1.50.

SATURDAY, MARCH 23

Only appearance of the famous English
Actor,

MR. E. S. WILLARD

In Charles Dickens' Play,

TOM PINCH

Prices, 50 to \$2.00.

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OF

THEIR NEW BANKING ROOM.

Where they are now located, and invite all to call and see them and
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J. L. FLETCHER, Assistant Cashier.

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