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## To Our Customers

All who received Flour from us when the mill was first started, which has not proved to be entirely satisfactory, we would be pleased to have them return the same to us, and it will be exchanged for a Flour that is far superior to any we have ever made in Chelsea. Since the contractors turned the mill over to us we have made several changes that has greatly improved the out put of the plant

### BRAN AND MIDDINGS

We have on hand a good stock of bran and middlings which we are selling at \$1.25 per hundred.

Flour and Feed Grinding done on short notice. Give us a trial.

**WHITE MILLING CO.**

## For the Month of February

### We Shall Offer Bargains

In our Furniture Stock that will pay anyone in need of Furniture to investigate. Our stock is complete and well selected.

#### February Bargains In Our Hardware Line.

Special prices on our Harness Stock. A full line of double and single harness.  
All prices reduced on Robes and Blankets.  
Special bargains in our Tin and Granite Iron Ware.

**W. J. KNAPP**



**Mo-Ka**  
COFFEE

its widespread popularity  
is proof of its quality.

**Premium Gifts**  
not necessary to sell Mo-Ka Coffee.

When you buy Mo-Ka you pay only for  
**Coffee That's All Coffee**

Ask your dealer for MO-KA, the high-grade  
Coffee at a popular price.

**20¢**  
THE  
POUND.

FOR SALE IN CHELSEA BY  
**John Farrell, Bacon Co-Operative Co.**

## Central Meat Market

We Have a Complete Stock of  
**Fresh and Salt Meats**  
And Sausage of all Kinds.

Smoked Hams and Bacon, Pure Lard, Fish and Dressed Poultry  
Give us a trial order. Free Delivery. Phone 40.

**ADAM EPFLER.**

Try our Job Department for your Printing.

## AT THE PURE FOOD STORE

You will find the **BEST GROCERIES** that money can buy and at better prices than any cheap price list published. You can also find the **BEST MEN'S FOOTWEAR** cheaper than can be had in central Michigan. Come and see me.

Home of the **FAMOUS OLD TAVERN COFFEE**  
WE ARE NOT IN THE TRUST.

Cats Thread 5c Spool.

**JOHN FARRELL.**

### MARCH JURORS DRAWN.

List of Petit Jurors Which Has Been Summoned to Attend at the Court House on March 3.

The following petit jurors have been summoned to attend the circuit court for the term beginning Monday, March 2, the jurors to be present on the morning of March 3, at 9 o'clock:

Ann Arbor—C. W. Gill, George W. Bailey, George Scott, Charles M. Belding, Eli W. Moore, Benjamin Barker, William McDonald.

Ann Arbor town—William Pardon. Augusta—E. E. Sanderson. Bridgewater—John Anglemire. Dexter—H. K. Wheeler, Louis Stevenson.

Freedom—John Huehl. Lima—Jacob Hinderer. Lodi—Michael Keek. Lyndon—William J. Howlett. Manchester—Christian Marx. Northfield—Charles E. Bard. Pittsfield—George McCalla. Salem—Frank Boyle. Saline—George Klager. Seio—William Cunningham. Sharon—Ashley Parke. Superior—Frank Duris. Sylvan—Philip Broesamle. Webster—Lewis Bennett. York—Frank Ackley. Ypsilanti town—Nelson Watling. Ypsilanti city—W. J. Clark, Stephen Hutchinson.

### New Road Law.

The new highway law which will be in effect next spring is radically different from the old law and farmers and villagers should become familiar with it so as to be able to act intelligently.

The new law abolishes the working out of road taxes and provides for the payment of all highway taxes in cash, the amount to be fixed by the voters at the annual township meeting.

The law provides for the creation of two separate funds:

First, the road repair fund, out of which the work of keeping the roads in repair, heretofore performed by the labor of the farmers, shall be paid. The amount to be raised by tax for this fund may be fixed at the annual town meeting by the voters of the township who reside outside of the village and shall not exceed fifty cents on each one hundred dollars of valuation. The voters of the village, have no voice in fixing the amount of the road repair tax and the amount is spread on the property of the township outside of the village.

Second, the road improvement fund, which shall be expended in permanent improvements on the roads and bridges of the township, the amount to be fixed by the voters of the township including the village, and shall be raised on the entire property of the township.

In case the voters at the annual meeting shall fail to fix the amount of either of said funds, the same shall be fixed by the township board and highway commissioner.

The highway commissioner shall have charge of all work on the highways and bridges of the township.

The law also provides for the election of an overseer of highways who shall work under the direction of the commissioner and may take charge of the work in case of the absence, sickness, resignation or removal of the commissioner. The compensation of these officers shall be fixed by the township board, and in the case of the commissioner shall not be less than two nor more than three dollars per day, and in case of the overseer not less than one dollar and fifty cents nor more than two dollars and fifty cents per day. In each case for the time actually employed.

The road repair tax shall be expended for labor, material and other expenses on the roads and bridges which will directly benefit the property taxed not exceeding one hundred dollars on any mile, unless otherwise directed by the township board. Should the highway or bridges directly adjacent to any property taxed, be in good condition so that no repairs are necessary thereon, then the tax raised on such property may be expended on other highways or bridges in the township where it may be needed.

### Mrs. Anna E. Smith.

Anna E. Allen was born in Livingston county, N. Y., in 1831, and died at her home in Chelsea Saturday, February 15, 1908. She came to Michigan with her parents in 1837, and was united in marriage with Sylvester Smith in 1849. For some years past Mrs. Smith has been in poor health and was a member of the W. R. C. She is survived by two sons, James Smith, of Chelsea, and Frank Smith, of Bay City; three daughters, Mesdames Frank A. Leach, Samuel Trouten and Nettie Smith, of Chelsea; two brothers, C. D. Allen, of Chelsea, and James Allen, of Santa Ana, California; three sisters, Mesdames L. Kanouse, of Santa Ana, California, Nettie Kelley, of Brighton, and Wm. Snow, of Cavanaugh Lake.

The funeral was held from the Congregational church Tuesday afternoon, Rev. M. Lee Grant officiating. Interment Oak Grove cemetery.

## THE GOLDEN ANNIVERSARY

OF MR. AND MRS. FRANK STAFFAN

Celebrated at Their Home Last Saturday—A Family Reunion Held and a Course Dinner Served.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Staffan celebrated their 50th anniversary of marriage last Saturday. A mass was celebrated for them at 8 o'clock a. m. in the Church of Our Lady of the Sacred Heart by their pastor. They held a family reunion, consisting of their children, grandchildren and their brothers and sisters, thirty-five being present. The Rev. W. P. Considine was the guest of honor, and a course dinner was served.

Mr. and Mrs. Staffan were married at Ann Arbor, February 15, 1858 by the Rev. Fr. Collins. Frank Kopp and Miss Katharina Staffan acted as witnesses to the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Staffan took up their residence at once on the same place where they still reside. Having replaced their first house by a modern new residence several years ago. This being the only change of residence during their half century of wedded life.

Mr. Staffan has been engaged in the undertaking business since 1862, and until about 15 years ago was the only funeral director in Chelsea, at this time his son, George, became a partner in the business. Occasionally, by special request, Mr. Staffan is still active in the business. As a contractor and builder, Mr. Staffan is known throughout this entire community. Having followed that business along with the one mentioned until about 18 years ago. Many business places, churches and the present public school building were constructed by him.

Mr. Staffan passed his 76 birthday on February 2d and Mrs. Staffan is in her 72 year. Both are active people, enjoying good health and excellent spirits. Eight children were born to them, four of whom survive. They are Mrs. E. J. Foster, of Grass Lake, Mrs. H. H. Fenn, George P. and Mrs. J. E. McKune, who reside here. Many appropriate and beautiful gifts were presented. Yellow, the favored color, was carried out in the decorations. A poem composed for the occasion was read.

### COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

(OFFICIAL.)

Chelsea, Mich., February 17, 1908.

Board met in regular session, meeting called to order by W. J. Knapp, president pro tem. Roll called by the clerk. Present, trustees, W. J. Knapp, J. W. Schenk, F. H. Sweetland and J. E. McKune. Absent, F. P. Glazier, president, and trustees, O. C. Burkhart and H. L. Stimson. Minutes of the previous meeting read and approved.

Common Council of the Village of Chelsea:

The undersigned, the Electric Light and Water Works Committee to whom was referred resolutions adopted at the regular session of said council held in the council rooms on the 1st day of February 1908 relative to the matters therein referred to between the village of Chelsea, of the one part, and the Detroit Trust Company, Receiver of Glazier Stove Company, of the other part, respectfully report: That your committee took up the matter embodied in said resolutions with the officers of said Detroit Trust Company, Receiver, and after carefully considering the matter satisfactorily terms were adopted by your committee and the officers of said Trust Company. Thereupon said terms were carefully written out in duplicate mutual contracts which are herewith presented and hereto attached marked exhibit H, ready for execution by said village if the same shall be approved by the council, subject, however, to execution on the part of said Detroit Trust Company to the order of the circuit court for the county of Washtenaw, in chancery. All of which is respectfully submitted.

Dated, February 17th A. D. 1908.

W. J. KNAPP,

J. W. SCHENK.

Electric Light and Water Works Committee.

EXHIBIT H.

MUTUAL AGREEMENT, Made and entered into this \_\_\_\_\_ day of February A. D. 1908, by and between the Village of Chelsea, a municipal corporation of the County of Washtenaw, State of Michigan, of the first part, and the Detroit Trust Company, Receiver of the Glazier Stove Company, in the suit of the Detroit Trust Company, Trustees, vs. Glazier Stove Company in the Circuit Court for the County of Washtenaw, in chancery, a corporation, authorized under the laws of the State of Michigan, of the second part.

WITNESSETH, That the party of the first part by virtue and authority of a certain resolution adopted by the common council of said first part, at a regular session thereof held in the council rooms on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of February A. D. 1908, a copy of which resolutions are hereto attached, marked exhibit A, and made a part, thereof thereby.

FIRST—Said first party hereby covenants and agrees to furnish and provide said second party the necessary water needed by said second party for fire protection only on all buildings, machinery and offices owned, used and occupied by said second party, in its business of manufacturing, selling and shipping of its products and said second party to have the right to connect their fire pump with said reservoir herein-after mentioned which reservoir shall be kept full of water by the village of Chelsea for fire protection, for the term of ninety-nine years, from and after February 20th, 1908, in consideration of the free and unrestricted use of land owned by said second party, situated on lots twenty-five and twenty-six, block one, according to the original plat of the village of Chelsea, more particularly described and bounded as follows: Commencing at a point on the south line of North street one hundred fourteen feet west of the north east corner of said block one, running thence southwardly parallel with east line of said lot twenty-five thirty-eight feet, thence westwardly parallel with south line of said North street forty-five and one-half feet thence north parallel with east line of lot twenty-five thirty-eight (38) feet, thence eastwardly along south line of North street forty-five and one-half feet to the place of beginning, situated on the premises and controlled by said second party. Provided, however, that all said supply of water required from said first party under this contract shall be within the capacity of the reservoir herein-after mentioned and within the capacity of the Electric Light and Water Works plant of said first part.

SECOND—In consideration thereof the said second party hereby covenants and agrees and does hereby lease unto said first party the above described land, now occupied by a reservoir, partially completed by said first party, for the purpose of containing said reservoir as though said first party owned said land, to be occupied by said first party for said reservoir while said second party, its successors or assigns shall use and enjoy the said water service heretofore mentioned for the period of ninety-nine years.

THIRD—It is further understood and agreed by and between said parties hereto that said first party shall immediately complete said reservoir now on said lands in a good, workmanlike manner for the storage of water according to the plans and specifications under which said work was begun.

FOURTH—It is further understood and agreed by and between said parties hereto that this contract shall remain in full force and effect for the said period of ninety-nine years from the date aforesaid unless cancelled and set aside by mutual consent of the parties herein named.

FIFTH—This contract executed in duplicate and binding upon the successors and assigns of the parties herein mentioned respectively.

In witness whereof the party of the first part has by its president pro tem and clerk here unto set its hand and affixed the seal of the village by virtue of said resolutions of this council the day and year first above written and the said party of the second part has hereunto by its \_\_\_\_\_ set its hand and affixed its seal this \_\_\_\_\_ day of February A. D. 1908.

Moved by F. H. Sweetland, seconded by J. E. McKune.

Resolved, That the report of William J. Knapp and John W. Schenk, the Electric Light and Water Works Committee, to whom was referred the resolutions of this council relative to the matters therein mentioned between the village of Chelsea, of the one part, and the Detroit Trust Company, Receiver of the Glazier Stove Company, of the other part, be accepted and adopted and the committee discharged from the further consideration of said matters. Yeas, W. J. Knapp, J. W. Schenk, F. H. Sweetland and J. E. McKune. Nays, none.

Moved by McKune seconded by Schenk that this meeting stand adjourned until tomorrow night, February 18, 1908, at 7 o'clock standard time. Carried.

W. H. HESCHSCHWERT, Clerk.  
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### Sudden Death.

Alfred Parsons, of Fossenden, N. D., died suddenly at the home of his sister-in-law, Mrs. Olive Winslow, of Washington street, Monday morning, February 18, 1908, aged 77 years. The deceased came here on a visit Wednesday of last week and was taken ill after his arrival here. His family thought that he was better as he was able to sit up for two hours Sunday. The deceased was born in Saline township and eight years ago moved to his home in North Dakota, but for the past two months has been visiting at the home of his son in Ypsilanti. The deceased is survived by his wife, five sons and two daughters. A short funeral was held at the home of Mrs. Winslow this, Thursday morning, and the remains were taken to Ypsilanti for interment.

## Farmers and Stockmen

### Our Prices on Stock Foods,

Condition Powders, Liniments, disinfectants and Veterinary Remedies are the lowest. We have the kind you want. We don't ask you to pay for what you do not want. We guarantee satisfaction or refund your money.

### We Are Selling

International Stock Food, large pails, \$2.50.  
Fleck's Stock Food, large pails, \$1.50. Small pails, 85c.  
Dr. Holland's Medicated Stock Salt, pail \$1.00.  
Pratt's Stock Food, large packages, 50c.  
Pratt's Stock Food, sack, 50c.  
Pratt's Condition Powders, package, 25c.  
Fleck's Condition Powders, package, 25c.  
Zenoleum, gallon cans, \$1.25.  
Tobacco Dust, 6 pounds for 25c.

### Grocery List.

Sweet Navel Oranges, dozen 17c  
Salted Peanuts, lb. 15c  
Good Mixed Candy, lb. 10c  
Roasted Rio Coffee, lb. 15c  
White Milling Co. Flour, sack 70c  
Fancy Malaga Grapes, lb. 10c  
Good Chocolate Creams, lb. 15c  
Broken Rice, 6 lbs. for 25c.  
Good Japan Tea, lb. 25c  
Jackson Gem Flour, sack, 70c

### Bread is Cheaper—All Kinds.

5c for small, 10c for large loaves.

Brown Sugar, 21 pounds \$1.00.  
Best Buckwheat Flour, 3c pound.  
Red Star Kerosene Oil, gallon 12c.  
Good Baking Molasses, gallon 25c.  
A 1 one at 35c, the best made at 60c gallon.  
Fr. Roasted Peanuts, pound 10c.

### Lowest Prices on Canned Goods.

San Felice Cigars, 3 for 10c. Hemmeter Champion Cigars 3 for 10c  
Don Bravo Cigars, 3 for 10c. Good Finecut Tobacco, pound 25c  
Everything in high-grade cigars and tobacco, pipes, etc.

### Hot Water Bottles.

This is the season for them and you will find the largest assortment of the best grades at very low prices here.

### Highest Market Price Paid for Butter and Eggs.

**FREEMAN & CUMMINGS CO.**



OAK POLE—NOT PINE  
OAK SILLS—NOT PINE

HICKORY  
EVERNERS &  
SINGLE TREES  
DOUBLE OAK  
BOLSTERS

WHEELS TRACK

**COME IN** and we will show and tell you all about our GREAT WESTERN ENDLESS APRON MANURE SPREADER, the very best one on the market.

February will be Bargain month with us on Blankets, Robes, Harness, Heating Stoves and Ranges. We have the largest stock of Furniture in Chelsea, and the lowest prices. See our Bargain Counter in the Bazaar. 14-quart Dishpans 10 cents. Lamb Wire Fence, the best along the pike, always on hand. See our Dairymaid Cream Separator.

**HOLMES & WALKER**

WE TREAT YOU RIGHT.

## Fall and Winter Showing

### Foreign and Domestic Woolens

All Woolens of exceptional quality and style, all in suitable quantity to judge style and weave. No Sample Book or Cards.

### 300 Different Styles

Of Suits, Trousers, Fancy Vesting, Top Coats and Overcoats. Our assortment of odd trousers ranging from \$4.00 to \$6.00 is the largest ever shown in any city compared to ours. We are also showing a fine line of Woolens suitable for

### Ladies' Tailor Made-to-Order Skirts.

For the next 30 days we shall endeavor to make such prices as to warrant steady employment for our large staff of workers, and to make our clothing manufacturing business the largest in this section of the country.

Yours for Good Clothing and Home Industry.

**RAFTREY, The Tailor.**



# Our Sixth Great Sale of Notions and Remnants

Begins Saturday Morning, Feb. 22, and Ends Wednesday Evening, March 4.

This is the Final Clean-up Sale of Remnants and Odd Lots After Invoicing. Cost Cuts No Figure.

JUST READ EVERY WORD OF THIS ADVERTISEMET.

No other store in Chelsea is continually giving such bargains. You can't afford to skip an item in this list. Look them all over. Every item now in stock.

## Take Notice.

Our Notion Sales have become an event in Dry Goods selling that our customers wait for. Other stores in near-by cities have tried to copy these sales. This store had the first Notion and Remnant Sale ever held in Michigan. We begin preparing for these sales six months in advance of the time the sale is put on. Every Notion is first-class, and is bought especially for this sale and bought in large quantities too.

## Commencing

Saturday, February 22, 1908.

This sale will last

Just Ten Days

AND ENDS

Wednesday Evening, March 4.

It takes time, money and the "know how" to get these goods together at these prices, especially in these times of high prices and we have put forth our best efforts in preparing for this sale. After taking our inventory we find we have

## Wagon Loads of Remnants

that must be sold before we get in our new spring goods. Remnants, if sold at all, we know must be sold at very low prices and we have marked all Remnants for very quick selling. A great many as low as 1-3 and some 1-2 off regular prices. All Remnants have been measured and ticketed, and will be on sale Saturday, piled on the counters throughout the store.

## Notions.

This immense quantity of Notions being sold at regular Wholesale Prices, makes these sales long remembered, and talked of as ahead of anything ever held in Chelsea. We have spent lots of time and money getting ready for this sale, and to serve customers quickly we have priced all items with large price cards. To help our customers in selection of the goods we have arranged all Notions in separate lots at each price as advertised on this page. Every item, Notion or Remnant, is priced and ticketed, so each customer can make their own selection without much help from the clerk.

## All Cloaks and Furs at

## Rummage Sale Prices

We must sell every Fur and every Cloak, bought this season, during this sale. It is not a question of cost, but simply "What price will sell these Furs and Coats now."

Fur Pieces of all kinds go in this Sale at just 1-2 off regular prices.

Every New Cloak (Women's or Misses') at 1-2 Price Five Fur Lined Coats Excepted.

Big lot of Women's and Misses' New, Colored, Long, Loose Coats, were \$12.50 to \$15.00, now \$3.50 and \$4.95

All Children's Coats at 1-3 Off.

These prices are less than the cost of the materials in the garments.

## Suits and Skirts.

We have about 20 New Suits for Women and Misses in Blacks, Blues and Browns, now 1-2 Price

At these Prices you can get a good suit at \$7.50 to \$10.00

During this Sale only, to clean up all ready-made Skirts, we offer every Skirt, including the famous "Korreet" make

At 1-4 Off Regular Prices.

Ask to see our "Altman Voile" Skirts. These are the very best Voile Skirts made, and in all the newest styles. Priced \$10.00 to \$25.00 each, and now

1-4 Off Regular Price.

## Remnants of Silks.

We have a big lot of Silk Remnants and odd pieces to offer at this time, and we appreciate that in order to clean up, the prices must be very low. Every piece is marked from 1-4 to 1-2 off the regular selling prices. A great many are marked at only a small fraction of the original price, and these will sell quick.

Half yard to 5 and 6 yards only.

Big lot of small pieces 1/2 to 4 yards, now 19c yard.

Another lot, were \$1.00 to 75c, now 48c yard.

During This Sale Only.

All 50c Corsets, Now 35c

## Anything in this lot will be sold for 1c

- 1 dozen Pearl Buttons
- 1 gold Beauty Pin
- 1 piece Ironing Wax
- 2 gold Lever Collar Buttons, all sizes
- 1 good Lead Pencil with an eraser
- 1 card 5c Spring Hook and Eyes, black or white
- 1 pair of Shoe Laces
- 1 flat Corset Lacer
- 1 child's colored border HdKf
- 1 paper, 300 Pins
- 1 60-inch Tape Measure
- 1 card fast black Darning Cotton
- 1 card black Darning Worsted
- 1 box Invisible Hairpins
- 1 bunch white cot. Tape, all widths
- 1 card Safety Pins, all sizes
- 1 spring snap Mouse Trap
- 2 papers Wire Hair Pins
- 1 box 5c jet head Mourning Pins
- 1 dozen black or white head, Toilet Pins
- 1 cake of Toilet Soap
- 1 child's Thimble
- 1 women's Aluminum Thimble
- 1 piece Sewing Wax
- 2 Penholders
- 1 steel Crochet Hook
- 1 washable Curtain Loop
- 2 papers Carpet Tacks

## Anything in this lot will be sold for 2c

- 1 box of 1500 Tooth Picks
- 1 card of 12 Shawl Pins, 3 inch
- 1 card nicked Safety Pins, all sizes
- 1 open top Thimble
- 1 bone Crochet Hook
- 1 dozen good Pearl Buttons
- 1 paper Watson's Sewing Needles
- 1 spool Coats' Darning Cotton
- 1 10c Darning Egg with handle
- 6 Ivory Collar Buttons
- 1 Honeycomb Bib
- 1 white Curtain Loop
- 1 good, fringed Wash Cloth
- 4 extra long jet head Hat Pins
- 1 60-inch satin Tape Measure
- 1 Women's Thimble
- 1 cake scented Toilet Soap
- 1 large box of Shoe Polish
- 1 bent wood Coat Hanger
- 1 Woman's white Hemstitched HdKf
- 1 Needle Book and 10 Darners
- 1 set gold Collar Buttons

## Anything in this lot will be sold for 3c

- 1 fancy 10c Hat Pin
- 1 bottle Petroleum Jelly, screw top
- 1 box of 100 Giant Hairpins

## Anything in this lot will be sold for 4c

- 1 card Triumph patent Hooks and Eyes
- 1 Dish Mop
- 1 cake Victoria Glycerine Rose Soap
- 1 man's red Handkerchief
- 3 Shell Hairpins
- 1 Tracing Wheel
- 1 paper 5c Ajax Pins
- 1 dozen assorted Safety Pins
- 1 6-yd piece feather stitched braid
- 1 Sanitary Wash Cloth
- 1 box Scotch Plaid 5c Hairpins
- 1 Woman's Hemstitched HdKf
- 1 Vegetable Scrub Brush
- 1 Embroidery Hoop
- 1 Fine-tooth Rubber Comb
- 1 bottle good Machine Oil
- 1 man's hemstitched white HdKf
- 1 box Talcum Powder
- 1 cake Fairy Soap
- 1 cube of jet head Pins, large or small
- 1 dozen real Kid Curlers
- 1 pair "easy wool" Arm Bands
- 1 Polishing Mitten
- 1 Asbestos Iron Holder
- 1 child's Scissors
- 1 thread cutting Thimble
- 1 box of 150 Wire Hair Pins
- 1 Scrub Brush
- 1 Embroidered Collar Top
- 1 box blue seal Vaseline
- 1 Dressing Comb
- 1 Fine-tooth Comb
- 1 500-yard spool Basting Cotton
- 1 man's navy blue Handkerchief
- 1 dozen good Pearl Buttons
- 1 card of 3 Shell Hair Pins
- 1 "Aer-Cel" Wash Cloth
- 1 women's German Silver Thimble
- 1 cake Toilet Soap
- 1 man's red Handkerchief
- 1 dozen 10c 5-inch Kid Curlers
- 1 14-inch three arm Towel Rack
- 1 white Celluloid Comb
- 1 Tooth Brush
- 1 bottle best Ammonia
- 1 6-yard piece Finishing Braid

## Anything in this lot will be sold for 8c

- 1 Dish Cloth
- 1 Ivory Nail Brush
- 1 dozen genuine Kid Curlers
- 1 Corset Clasp
- 1 Embroidered Collar Top
- 1 man's large red Handkerchiefs
- 1 spring Stocking Darn
- 1 box of 6 shell Hairpins
- 1 Chamois Skin
- 1 metal back Dressing Comb

- 1 6-yard piece Finishing Braid
- 1 good Tooth Brush
- 1 Silk Curtain Loop
- 1 pair boys' Suspenders
- 1 10c cake La Parisienne Soap
- 1 10c cake Cosmo Buttermilk Soap
- 1 15c Embroidery Collar Top
- 1 package, 12 boxes, Parlor Matches
- 1 dozen fancy Pearl Buttons
- 1 pair Side Combs
- 1 Violet Hairpin Cabinet, 200 pins
- 1 Climax Pin Book
- 1 15c Celluloid Dressing Comb
- 1 15c Rubber Dressing Comb
- 1 Photo Top Tape Measure
- 1 large bottle Ammonia

## Anything in this lot will be sold for 13c

- 1 Child's good Bib
- 1 Pearl Buckle
- 1 pair fine Steel Scissors
- 1 pair 25c Pad Hose Supporters
- 1 card fancy Pearl Buttons
- 1 good Steel Shears
- 1 embroidery 3-inch Scissors
- 1 child's large eating Bib
- 1 25c Embroidered Collar Top
- 1 woman's Embroidered HdKf
- 1 Manicure Brush
- 1 bristle Hair Brush
- 1 6-yard piece Finishing Braid
- 1 pair 25c Dress Shield
- 1 good Tooth Brush
- 1 fine, soft, Chamois Skin
- 1 Fancy Belt Buckle Pin

## Anything in this lot will be sold for 18c

- 1 Ladies' 25c Belt
- 1 pair 8-in ball bearing Shears
- 1 Back Comb
- 1 25c or 29c Corset Cover
- 1 Buster Brown Belt
- 1 Ladies' Pocket Book
- 1 pair Children's 35c Wool Hose
- 1 25c Pillow Top
- 1 pair Scissors, all sizes
- 1 25c or 35c Pearl Belt Buckle
- 1 25c Child's fancy Purse
- 1 25c Muslin Corset Cover

## Anything in this lot will be sold for 23c

- 1 Laundry Bag
- 1 pair Men's Suspenders
- 1 Woman's Pocket Book
- 1 Fancy Dressing Comb
- 1 Back Comb, shell or amber
- 1 Woman's 50c Belt
- 1 Clothes Brush worth 40c
- 1 Woman's Hand Bag

## Black and Colored Dress Goods Remnants.

We have one big table full of Dress Goods Remnants ready for Sale. These are all marked at 1-4 to 1-2 off regular prices. There are some very choice remnants among these.

## Cotton Goods Remnants.

We have simply paid no attention at all to the accumulation of Remnants in our Stock of Cottons, Sheetings, Casings, Gingham, Printings or Fleece Goods. Now they must be sold to make way for Spring Goods. Price, and price only, will do the business.

Remnants of 15c Fleece Goods at 10c  
Remnants of 12 1/2c Fleece Goods at 7 1/2c  
Remnants of 19c Fleece Goods at 11c  
Remnants of 10c small check Apron Gingham now 7 1/2c  
Remnants of 15c fancy Gingham now 10c  
Remnants of 20c fancy Gingham now 12 1/2c  
Remnants of heavy dark Shirtings now 9 1/2c  
Remnants of yard-wide bleached or brown Cottons now about 1-4  
Remnants of soiled Pillow Casings and wide Sheetings now at  
than Wholesale Prices.  
Remnants of Best 8c dark or light Prints at 6c  
Remnants of 12 1/2c fancy Outing now 7 1/2c to 9c.

## Great Linen Remnant Sale.

We have a big lot of slightly soiled Linen Table Damask and clean up during this sale.

A big lot of Odd Remnants of Linen Towelings and Crashes, Towels, that will go during this Sale 100.  
\$2.00 bleached Damask Remnants at \$1.35 yard.  
\$1.50 bleached Damask Remnants at \$1.10 yard.  
\$1.25 Bleached Damask Remnants at 90c.  
\$1.00 Bleached and Half Bleached Remnants at 75c.  
All cheaper Table Damask Remnants reduced in same proportion  
Crash Remnants at about 1-4 off.

## Bed Blankets and Comforts.

Too many in stock to carry over summer.

75c Blankets now 55c. \$1.00 Blankets now 75c  
\$1.25 Blankets now 90c. \$1.75 Blankets now \$1.25.  
\$2.00 Blankets now \$1.39. All Wool Blankets 1-3 off.  
All Bath Robe Blankets now 1-4 off.  
All Horse Blankets now 1-4 off. About 20 pairs only left.

## Smyrna Rugs.

During this sale we shall place on sale about 75 of the very quality of double faced Smyrna Rugs at

1-3 Off Regular Prices.

## Petticoats.

We are determined to close out during this sale every Women's Satteen Petticoat now in stock at

1-4 Off Regular Prices.

Some Special Values at 75c to \$1.50, worth double.

## Clothing Department.

We have a great many odds and ends of new goods in this department that we have priced at very interesting prices for this Remnant

Notice These Prices. Prices Talk.

All Men's Fur Coats now 1-3 off.

Every Man's or Boy's New Suit now 1-4

Every Sweater, none excepted, now 1-2 price.

Every Overcoat, now 1-2 Price

Cravenette Coats, now 1-3 off.

Big lot of Men's odd Pants, were \$2.50 to \$3.50, sizes up to 34

only, now 98c.

Special During this Sale Only.

All Men's and Boys' heavy Underwear now 1-4 off.

All Men's or Boys' Leather or Pontiac Gloves or Mittens now 1-4

Exactly the same quality of Men's Neckties for which other de

are now asking you to pay them 50c, we sell during this Sale at 39c.

All Men's Wool Overshirts at 1-4 off.

All Men's and Boys' Caps now 1-4 off.

Why Pay Full Prices?

## Special Deal.

For These Ten Days Only.

We shall place on sale every pair of Children's 25c Pony Stock

at 19c pair. This is the nicest 25c Boy's or Girl's Stocking in America

Big lot of Children's 35c Woolen Ribbed Hose at 18c pair.

Whenever You See It In Our Advertisement, It's So.

We always do as we advertise, and never promise more in an advertisement than we fulfill in the store

We never had such nice, fresh Remnants in any sale as we have this time. No cleaning up of old out-of-style trash, but just fresh, new Remnants of this season's goods, and new Notions just in from New York and Chicago. These Notions are to be sold at wholesale, and the Remnants at prices that will close them out—every one—in the ten days of this Sale. A low price will always sell any good article. We always clean up all goods the season they are bought. It never pays to carry them over until they are old and out of style. First loss is always the least.

## REMEMBER

None of these bargains are to be had of us after this Ten Days' Sale. Ask for any item on this bill and you'll get it at the price advertised, (unless we run out, and we don't believe we will run short of these Notions). Bring this list along with the items checked that you want to buy. You'll get every item if you come early.

Sale Closes Wednesday, March 4, 1908.

# H. S. Holmes Mercantile Company

CHELSEA, MICHIGAN.



## A New Spanish Navy.

Monarchs, like other men, combine business with pleasure, and sometimes stop on the way to the doctor's to have something sent home which has appealed to them from the shop window. King Alfonso of Spain was supposed to have had no other object in his recent visit to England than the wish to consult a noted English physician in regard to the condition of his lungs. It has since developed, however, that a representative of a Clyde ship-building company was with the king on his shooting excursions, and before he left had succeeded in bagging very considerable game in the shape of a commission to build a new Spanish navy. There has prevailed for some time a feeling that the Spanish navy was not all that it ought to be, or, in fact, all that it used to be. Even the Spaniards themselves have come to see it, and to admit it, and so they have authorized a new navy, at a cost of \$50,000,000, to be completed in 1910. Since modern battleships cost from \$5,000,000 to \$10,000,000 each the Spaniards should be able to secure from eight to a dozen vessels. The question naturally arises: How many of them will be turned over to the United States, to replace those which were captured by the American navy, but which sank, or turned turtle, or blew up before they could be got to port, or proved far inferior to the advertisements after getting to port? It may, of course, be necessary for a special grievance committee to present the matter, says the Youth's Companion; but the Spanish people are so courteous and so generous that they will hardly need so pointed a hint. A simple description of such of their former vessels as fell into our hands, with a brief history of them, quietly forwarded, should be sufficient to bring us half the new Spanish navy as a present.

During the recent fire in New York 45 lengths of hose burst, and it was afterward acknowledged by a member of the fire commission that city that the hose bought under a late contract had not been put to the usual test because it was known not to be up to the standard. Such a condition as this is criminal. With faulty hose even the best water supply is worthless, and consequently not only immense amount of property but human lives may be jeopardized by inefficient means to fight fire. It is to be hoped that the men who are guilty of installing this worthless hose will be severely reprimanded and punished and that there will be no danger of a recurrence of such conditions, remarks the Baltimore American.

Tolstoy's poetic imagination makes him an inspiring prophet even to those who disagree with his opinions. In a recent message to the contentious world, in whose combats he sees no light, he compared the struggling parties to the panic-stricken prisoners in a house from which they are trying to escape. They fight to force the door open, and only seal it more hopelessly, for it opens inward, as the doors of the soul must open to the light.

John D. Rockefeller, Jr., says the command to sell what thou hast, and give to the poor should not be obeyed literally nowadays, lest it should make the poor improvident. Evidently the great benefits which would come to the rich from acquiring the habit of giving would not compensate for the harm it would do to the poor by making them expect gifts, thus ceasing to rustle for a job cutting ice when they had no overhoes.

A bill has been introduced in the New York legislature to the effect that if an automobilist runs a man down he must stop and give his correct name and address. It is a pity that neither the etiquette of the road or plain humanity has made this little courtesy customary, and that it has been found necessary to invoke the law to consider failure to accord it a misdemeanor.

Secretary Straus of the department of commerce and labor has decided that federal inspectors have no right to consider a man's lame legs as a disability when his efficiency does not depend upon legs, but upon eyesight and mental qualifications. Mr. Straus may get into trouble if he insists on substituting common sense for government red tape in this way.

A colored man who claims to have once held George Washington's horse has applied in New York for a marriage license. It is probably only his native gallantry that keeps him from explaining that the lady whom he is to marry used to do Martha's ironing.

Another indication of the fact that the money stringency has ceased to be serious may be found in the attention the people are again giving to murder mysteries, fashionable weddings and charity balls.

## LATEST NEWS OF MICHIGAN

## THE BONDING COMPANIES ARE BEGINNING TO PAY ON GLAZIER'S BOND.

## "PHILIP" IS GOOD NAME

Bits of News Gathered Here and There About the State and Briefly Told For Busy Readers.

Attorney General Bird, who recently notified the surety bondsmen of Frank P. Glazier that they would be held to account for the full amount of the bonds securing the state against loss through irregularities committed by the deceased state treasurer Friday morning received a telegram from the American Surety Co., of New York, that they have shipped the amount called for by their contract. This is \$50,000 with interest. The department expects that the other companies on Glazier's bond will likewise come to the front. The total of the surety is \$200,000.

The Hobo Filled Up. A typical hobo wandered into Homer, became animated with the spirit of war times, and started on a foraging expedition in the business district. First he used a rear window as an entry to a hardware store, where he obtained a revolver and a pocketful of cartridges. His next stop was at a meat market, where he laid in under his belt a goodly supply of sausage. Sausage is a recognized free lunch adjunct, and, thinking of free lunch, made the hobo think of "booze." He filled his footprints in the direction of a drug store. There he emptied a bottle of brandy, where he had stored the lunch. With this load he hit the trail for the wide, wide world, but soon was overcome with a desire for sleep and peaceful dreams. He was found slumbering by the roadside and jailed. He refuses to give his name but the officers call him "Philip."

Who Was She? A woman, who gave the name of Edith Smith, died in Hamburg township, Livingston county, February 5. Secretary Tyrrell, of the poor commission, believed she was the granddaughter of the late Col. Jerome B. Eaton, former mayor of Jackson, and she was buried as such. The story was printed and both Mrs. Edith Smith, now Mrs. Bonnell, of Sturgis, and her divorced husband, A. B. Smith, a Grand Rapids traveling man, read it. Mrs. Bonnell came to deny the report and her husband to look after the body. They met in a telegraph office.

Telephone Franchise. Another fight will come in the constitutional convention on the proposal compelling public utility companies, and especially telephone companies, to have franchise rights in cities, villages and townships. H. P. Stewart, of St. Joseph, will attempt to have townships stricken out. He is attorney for an independent telephone company in the southwestern part of the state.

Fishermen Arrested. Deputy Game Warden Pettit, of Clare; Smith, of Traverse City, and Hoyt, of Grand Haven, have been secretly investigating the fishing industry along the Saginaw river and as a result about 40 arrests have been made. Wholesale violation of fish laws have been found, Deputy Hoyt landing 17 well known Bay City and Saginaw fishermen and another deputy an equal number.

Hillman's Loss. The burning of the Paul Elowski flour and shingle mill and lighting plant was a big loss to Hillman. It not only served for milling purposes, but supplied power for fire protection, and equipment to light the village by electricity was about to be installed. Max Elowski, who was in charge of the plant, barely escaped with his life in an attempt to save the books.

Hard Hearted. "I want William to return home. I know he would come if he knew his two little children were sick and longing for him," said Mrs. William Atcheson. Atcheson recently gave himself up to the Port Huron police, knowing they were on his trail. When tried in the police court he was released and then said "no law could compel him to return to his family."

Frozen to Death. The blizzard has been the cause of the death of three men near Menominee. Henry Larose was found buried under the snow, 16 miles northeast of Cedar River. He lost his way while en route to a lumber camp.

John Kezak, an Indian of the White Rapids settlement, was found frozen near the settlement of his tribe by his squaw. Kezak, after a prolonged spree in one of the nearby villages, was returning to his home with her. On the way he became ill and Mrs. Kezak tipped him off his pony and returned to her home. In a fit of remorse several hours later she returned only to find that he froze to death.

An unidentified man, evidently an Italian by birth, was found frozen near Gourey.

Regent Peter White, of Marquette, has given \$1,000 to the University of Michigan library fund to buy rare medical books.

Julius Billery, employed at the Wagona coal mine, was tamping a shot when the powder prematurely exploded, the charge striking him in the face and injuring him so that he will be disabled for life. Chris. Madden, employed at Wolverine mine No. 8, was caught between a coal car and a mine prop and sustained a crushed shoulder and fractured three ribs.

The greatest depth of snow reported at any point in the United States last week by the United States weather bureau, was at Humboldt, a little station on the South Shore railroad. Official measurements showed a depth of 32 inches on the level.

## STATE NEWS IN BRIEF.

J. Ripley Comings, 92, occupant of the same farm in Comstock township since 1830, is dead.

Karwin C. Smith, Albion saloon-keeper, was convicted by a jury of violating the liquor law.

The Democratic gathering at Holland to meet prospective president Bryan will be a notable one.

The D. & M. station at Pine River, destroyed by fire, will be rebuilt. A box car now serves as a depot.

Except in the business district, no body in Marquette makes any pretense of shoveling snow from sidewalks.

With the thermometer at the decidedly chill point, 2,000 sheep on a farm near Vernon will be sheared this week.

Attorney General Bird is ill with grip and was unable to attend the funeral of his brother, Charles Bird, to be held in Clayton.

Mrs. D. C. Sharp, aged 24, of Sterling, a recent bride, died of diphtheria. The school has closed until danger of an epidemic is past.

The head of James Daniels, aged 17, was crushed between the floor and elevator in the Freeman factory, and he was instantly killed.

Atty. Gen. Bird ruled that deer hides may be shipped to other states for tanning purposes. There are no tanneries in this district.

Frank Tisdale and M. Taylor, well-known upper Michigan woodsmen have killed 4 wolves and two wildcats during the past two months.

It transpires that the Bay City ordinance fixes the saloon closing time at 11 instead of 11:30 and the saloons are now forced to close half an hour earlier.

Harry W. Helmer, an Alma college senior and captain of last year's football team, will become assistant secretary of the Cadillac Y. M. C. A. in July.

The Turner homestead in Morrice, built of logs more than 60 years ago, now on the farm owned by Leonard Crouse, has been torn down for firewood.

Walter Townsend has been fined \$9.30 for cruelty to animals. He left his horse tied to a post in Woodland village during one of the recent cold nights.

The unfinished term of Solomon S. Fox, register of deeds of Alcona county, who died, will be filled by his daughter, Mrs. Nora Newton. She was his deputy.

A famine in fresh meats and vegetables was ended by the arrival in Houghton of 25 carloads of perishable goods which had been stormbound in Milwaukee.

Dr. C. L. Norton, of Adrian, while en route with his family to Daytona, Fla., was robbed of \$500, a gold watch and part of his clothing, while he slept in a Pullman.

Fire destroyed the flour mill, shingle mill and electric light plant of Hillman. The loss was about \$80,000; insurance \$2,000. Paul Elowski, of Alpena, is the owner.

Joseph Beaver, aged 64, a cabinet-maker of Detroit, was found dead in the home of Richard Kent in Muskegon. Heart failure is believed to have been the cause.

Max Dickinson, formerly in the lumber business in Traverse city, prominent in Cheboygan, died suddenly Thursday morning in his hotel. His wife and daughter are in Florida.

Probate Judge Doig has ordered the purchase of books for Alger county prisoners. The next legislature will be asked to divert a part of penal fines to establish jail libraries.

While walking from the passenger to the smoking coach of a train near Menominee, Henry Dumes, of Nathan, slipped from the platform and was cut in two under the wheels.

The farm house of Albert Gergens, of Wilson township, was totally destroyed by fire. The family was driven out into the night and had a narrow escape. There was no insurance.

Fearing a flood, Mayor McKinley, of Flint, ordered the water works moved from the dam so as to lower the water in the river. Dynamite will be used if the situation becomes serious.

An oil stove set fire to the house of Mrs. Henry Reid, of Au Gres. The fire also destroyed her general store and J. Braeberg's harness shop. Mrs. Reid was asleep and was aroused by neighbors.

The four special, making the test run from Minneapolis to New York, had established a new record of 200 miles in less than nine hours when it pulled into Port Huron at 11:30 Wednesday night.

County Clerk Barlow announces that divorces are on the wane in Muskegon county. The records for 1907 show a decrease both in bills filed and decrees granted compared to the records of 1906.

George Russell, aged 51, employed at the Bay City yards of the American Shipbuilding Co., fell 20 feet from the side of a ship on which he was working, crushing his skull. It is not thought that he will live.

C. W. Kennedy, of New York, aged 73, was married to Mrs. Ottilie Turkington, aged 59, of Brooklyn. He was formerly an iron mine superintendent and the couple went to Iron Mountain to be married in Holy Trinity church, which the groom helped to found.

The residence of Perry Hendershott, eight miles east of Niles, was burned to the ground early Monday. Hendershott and wife and two children had a narrow escape, getting out with only sufficient clothes to cover them. A defective chimney caused the \$2,000 loss.

Gertrude, the 15-months old daughter of Rev. Henry Heidel, of Immanuel German Lutheran church, Alpena, died of paralysis of the heart while playing in the house. The parents were in Detroit, where Mrs. Heidel underwent an operation in Harper hospital recently.

It is not likely that any criminal cases will be tried during the March term of the Ann Arbor circuit court. There are five cases on the docket, but the only ones that may be tried are those of Thomas Ellis, the motor-man charged with manslaughter in the collision on Main street last September, and James Hill, charged with statutory offenses.

## From the State Capital

Information and Gossip Furnished by Special Correspondent at Lansing.

Lansing.—A draft of the revised state constitution as it will be presented to the people for the adoption or rejection has been prepared. Article 5 pays attention to the legislative department and among the changes made is the raising of the salaries of the members of the legislature to \$800 per term. The governor is also given the right to disapprove of any distinct items in appropriation bills. In article 7 the provision is included which allows accused persons the rights of assistance in appeals. In article 8, devoted to local government, it is provided that no county shall incur any indebtedness which shall increase its total debt beyond three per cent. of its assessed valuation. No navigable streams shall be bridged or dammed without permission granted by the board of supervisors.

Among the other important provisions are:

State census eliminated, which will save the state \$200,000 every tenth year. Majority of legislature may take matter from committee, which kills committee rule.

All legislation by bill, which prevents legislation by joint and concurrent resolutions.

Referendum on all local acts. Laws must be published within 60 days after legislative adjourns.

Legislature may fix hours of labor for women and children.

Submission of good roads laws made easier and amount that may be raised is increased.

Secretary of state placed in line of succession to governor.

Attorney general made member of state board of auditors.

Legislature may form circles of judicial circuits.

Supreme court clerk placed on salary and fees of office turned into state treasury.

Supervisors may raise one-tenth of one mill on county valuation for repair of public buildings, bridges, etc.

Establishment of county hospitals for infectious diseases and of county infirmaries provided for.

Referendum required on franchise grants in cities, townships and villages.

Cities and villages may sell water, heat, light and power beyond their corporate limits to the extent of 25 per cent. of that furnished within their limits.

Cities, villages and townships given control of their streets, alleys and highways.

Provisions made for taxing the property of express, telephone, telegraph, freight and other car companies.

Surrender of power of taxation by either state or municipal authorities forbidden.

Reformation by the state permitted. Deposits of state money in excess of 50 per cent. of capital and surplus of the bank receiving same prohibited.

Superintendent of public instruction to be elected in spring.

Superintendent of public instruction ex-officio member of U. of M. board of regents and other educational boards of state.

Special rights, privileges and franchises not to be conferred by the legislature.

Trust companies placed under the banking laws.

Two-thirds majority of legislature required to adopt or amend general banking laws.

Legislature may provide for fixing of freight rates by commission.

## Anti-Saloon League Active.

Gratified over the results of the campaign, the Michigan Anti-Saloon league is preparing more strenuous measures. Superintendent George W. Morrow returned from a survey of conditions in Gratiot county and he had that territory covered thoroughly. During one day 17 speakeasies occupied pulpits and platforms in the county.

In all there were 35 public meetings held. Mr. Morrow says that three new men have just been engaged to put in all their time at the work. He says that 200,000 new leaflets have just come from the presses and that 20,000 are now the output of the Michigan issue, the official organ.

## Farmers Get State Twins.

At a meeting of the state prison board at Jackson recently the output of the binder twine plant in the state prison here, estimated to be 1,000,000 pounds for the next year, was awarded to the Order of the Gleaners, an organization of farmers. Representatives of the International Harvester company and other dealers in binder twine had also bid for the output. The Gleaners will pay 8 1/2 cents per pound for the twine.

## Will Reduce Assessment.

The Wisconsin & Michigan Railroad company may get a readjusted assessment of its property which was valued at \$1,500,000. This year the tax commission, after looking over the road, re-used the assessment to \$750,000 and Prof. M. E. Cooley, who made an inspection of the property at the request of Attorney General Bird, reported that the reproduction value of the road is about \$800,000.

## Delegates Back from Vacation.

The Michigan constitutional convention which has been in session here since the middle of October took a recess for a week to give the committee on phraseology time to complete the new constitution, and it was expected that few, if any, changes will be made when the work was resumed and the sections are finally passed on third reading. The convention has reassembled. It is notable that a very large part of the old constitution has been retained, including taxation.

## Indictments for Glazier?

Some of the persons in authority at the grand jury investigation of former State Treasurer Frank P. Glazier asserted that two indictments will be brought against the Chelsea man, as a result of the findings. It was declared that the true bills will embody embezzlement and fraud. However, Glazier's friends staunchly refused to take cognizance of that talk and up to the wind-up of the inquiry looked for no sensations.

While nothing came out of the jury room, everything was so matter of fact and perfunctory that it seemed to be all over but the filing of the important papers.

Judge West in his charge specifically pointed out actions which would constitute violations of laws and witnesses have testified that Mr. Glazier committed these acts. Therefore an indictment was said to be the only logical conclusion.

Under the statute the jury can return indictments at any time while it is sitting. It is customary to wait until just before the closing sessions and then return the indictments in a bunch. But a different course may be pursued with reference to Glazier. The case is well known, and it is not likely that Glazier will attempt to avoid facing a court if indicted.

Gov. Warner was a witness before the grand jury investigating the alleged attempt of the binder twine trust to bribe Michigan senators, and which also is inquiring into the official conduct of ex-State Treasurer Frank P. Glazier. He was fortified with letters, figures and papers to substantiate his statements. He had copies of letters written to Glazier in regard to state deposits, some of which have been published. As a result of the governor's testimony, it is said, subpoenas were issued for prominent men the following day.

Auditor General Bradley, Secretary of State Prescott and State Land Commissioner Rose testified regarding their knowledge of the handling of state funds during the term of office of former State Treasurer Glazier, who recently failed in business and who resigned upon demand of Gov. Warner.

## Content to Remain in State.

Every once in awhile some enthusiast of the idea revives the time-honored proposition of detaching the upper peninsula from the rest of Michigan and forming a separate state to be known as "Superior." The great bulk of the people of the territory north and west of the Straits of Mackinac are well content to continue as residents of the Wolverine commonwealth. The overwhelming sentiment was given expression in the constitutional convention when in the course of an eloquent speech Attorney R. C. Flannigan of Norway, one of the three delegates from the Marquette senatorial district, offered the suggestion that the words "upper peninsula" be forever eliminated from the constitution. There are some believers in the statehood idea, particularly in the eastern end of the peninsula, but the whole population considered their numbers constitute a very meager proportion. In any event, the people of lower Michigan would never consent to the secession these advocates suggest. As far as the territory is concerned, the upper peninsula is amply big enough for a state. The area of its 15 counties, which contain in all some 18,000 square miles, is larger than that of four of the smaller eastern states put together. Marquette county alone is greater in extent than Rhode Island. But in all the region there are only 300,000 people.

## Did Wheat Suffer in January?

Crop correspondents do not agree as to whether wheat suffered injury from any cause during January. Replies to this question received by the secretary of state from the southern counties disagree, 128 answering "yes" and 21 "no." A majority of the correspondents from northern counties report damage to wheat. The crop report says that the average condition of live stock in the state is good.

## Mount Pleasant School Safe.

Pending the result of the investigation to be made by the commissioner of Indian affairs into the subject of disposing of the non-reservation schools, the house voted to restore the appropriations for the next fiscal year for the Indian schools at Fort Lewis, Col.; Carson City, Nev., and Mount Pleasant, Mich., which were eliminated from the original draft of the bill.

## Wants Wife's Death Probed.

Alfred Spaulding of Portland interviewed Gov. Warner concerning the death of his wife, who was recently sent to the Traverse City asylum and met a violent death there a few days ago. The woman's hands and wrists showed evidence of bruises, and relatives were of the opinion that she had been mistreated at the asylum. Superintendent Munson reports that the woman was violently insane and frequently attempted to do herself bodily harm. Her death is supposed to have resulted from these efforts.

## MICHIGAN BREVITIES.

Joseph Tyborski, of Waters, was crushed between logs and will die.

Ray Stannard Baker, author was elected a member of the East Lansing school board.

Charles Bradish, aged 32, a Maple Island farmer, blew off his head with a shotgun while demented.

The Western Michigan insane asylum has reached a record mark, with 1,834 patients, of which \$80 are women.

Leroy Manley, once a prominent Plainwell merchant, was sent to the Detroit house of correction for 90 days for beating his paralytic wife.

In a divorce petition Mrs. Rose Hale of York township, charges that her husband forced her to clean out the hog pens. They have been married 25 years.

T. W. Davis, operators' mining commissioner for Michigan and former editor of the Mineworkers' Journal has resigned to move to his fruit farm near Yakima, Wash.

George Olney, a crippled Ann Arbor boy, did small favors for Miss Amelia Long, aged 56, deceased, and she left him \$100. She also left \$100 to Mary Leavy, a Dexter cripple.

Treasurer E. A. Merriam's report to the Michigan Advertiser conference showed a balance of \$2,889.90. In titles \$34,369.93 was collected in 1907. Another school will be opened in Otsego.

Unfavorable conditions in the lumber market forced the Escanaba Woodware Co. into a receiver's hands. The liabilities approximate \$400,000 and the assets are estimated to be about \$600,000.

Albert Kester, of Columbus township, has been notified that he is heir to \$10,000, left to him by a wealthy uncle. Kester had seen him only a few times and was practically a stranger to his relative.

Leo C. Thorson, who murdered Walter P. Dolson, son of an upper peninsula minister, in Virginia, and will be hanged for the crime March 13, has made a full confession. Dolson was his roommate and former companion in the United States marine corps.

Senator William Alden Smith has announced his withdrawal as a candidate for a place as delegate-at-large to the Republican national convention in favor of John W. Blodgett, national committeeman from Michigan.

Warren Wilson, a well-to-do resident of Carleton, Ont., has refused to take care of his brother, Augustus V. Wilson, who is seriously ill at the hospital in Port Huron. The former told the guardian of his brother that he would only pay to bury the latter.

The Port Huron man, who was once well off, will be taken to the poor farm.

## THE MARKETS.

Detroit.—Cattle.—Extra dry-fed steers and heifers, \$5; steers and heifers, 1,000 to 1,200 lbs., \$4.50; 65¢ steers and heifers, 800 to 1,000 lbs., \$3.75; 40¢ steers and heifers, 600 to 800 lbs., \$3.25; 35¢ steers and heifers, 400 to 600 lbs., \$2.75; 30¢ steers and heifers, 200 to 400 lbs., \$2.25; 25¢ steers and heifers, 100 to 200 lbs., \$1.75; 20¢ steers and heifers, 50 to 100 lbs., \$1.25; 15¢ steers and heifers, 25 to 50 lbs., \$0.75; 10¢ steers and heifers, 10 to 25 lbs., \$0.25; 5¢ steers and heifers, 5 to 10 lbs., \$0.10; 2¢ steers and heifers, 2 to 5 lbs., \$0.05; 1¢ steers and heifers, 1 to 2 lbs., \$0.02; 50¢ pigs, 100 to 150 lbs., \$0.50; 40¢ pigs, 80 to 100 lbs., \$0.40; 30¢ pigs, 60 to 80 lbs., \$0.30; 20¢ pigs, 40 to 60 lbs., \$0.20; 10¢ pigs, 20 to 40 lbs., \$0.10; 5¢ pigs, 10 to 20 lbs., \$0.05; 2¢ pigs, 5 to 10 lbs., \$0.02; 1¢ pigs, 2 to 5 lbs., \$0.01.

East Buffalo.—Cattle.—Export steers, \$3.50; best shipping steers, \$4.00; 500 to 1,000 lbs., \$4.50; 400 to 500 lbs., \$4.00; 300 to 400 lbs., \$3.50; 200 to 300 lbs., \$3.00; 100 to 200 lbs., \$2.50; 50 to 100 lbs., \$2.00; 25 to 50 lbs., \$1.50; 10 to 25 lbs., \$1.00; 5 to 10 lbs., \$0.50; 2 to 5 lbs., \$0.25; 1 to 2 lbs., \$0.10; 50¢ pigs, 100 to 150 lbs., \$0.50; 40¢ pigs, 80 to 100 lbs., \$0.40; 30¢ pigs, 60 to 80 lbs., \$0.30; 20¢ pigs, 40 to 60 lbs., \$0.20; 10¢ pigs, 20 to 40 lbs., \$0.10; 5¢ pigs, 10 to 20 lbs., \$0.05; 2¢ pigs, 5 to 10 lbs., \$0.02; 1¢ pigs, 2 to 5 lbs., \$0.01.

Hogs.—Lower, heavy, \$4.65; 470 lbs., \$4.70; 475 lbs., \$4.75; 480 lbs., \$4.80; 485 lbs., \$4.85; 490 lbs., \$4.90; 495 lbs., \$4.95; 500 lbs., \$5.00; 505 lbs., \$5.05; 510 lbs., \$5.10; 515 lbs., \$5.15; 520 lbs., \$5.20; 525 lbs., \$5.25; 530 lbs., \$5.30; 535 lbs., \$5.35; 540 lbs., \$5.40; 545 lbs., \$5.45; 550 lbs., \$5.50; 555 lbs., \$5.55; 560 lbs., \$5.60; 565 lbs., \$5.65; 570 lbs., \$5.70; 575 lbs., \$5.75; 580 lbs., \$5.80; 585 lbs., \$5.85; 590 lbs., \$5.90; 595 lbs., \$5.95; 600 lbs., \$6.00; 605 lbs., \$6.05; 610 lbs., \$6.10; 615 lbs., \$6.15; 620 lbs., \$6.20; 625 lbs., \$6.25; 630 lbs., \$6.30; 635 lbs., \$6.35; 640 lbs., \$6.40; 645 lbs., \$6.45; 650 lbs., \$6.50; 655 lbs., \$6.55; 660 lbs., \$6.60; 665 lbs., \$6.65; 670 lbs., \$6.70; 675 lbs., \$6.75; 680 lbs., \$6.80; 685 lbs., \$6.85; 690 lbs., \$6.90; 695 lbs., \$6.95; 700 lbs., \$7.00; 705 lbs., \$7.05; 710 lbs., \$7.10; 715 lbs., \$7.15; 720 lbs., \$7.20; 725 lbs., \$7.25; 730 lbs., \$7.30; 735 lbs., \$7.35; 740 lbs., \$7.40; 745 lbs., \$7.45; 750 lbs., \$7.50; 755 lbs., \$7.55; 760 lbs., \$7.60; 765 lbs., \$7.65; 770 lbs., \$7.70; 775 lbs., \$7.75; 780 lbs., \$7.80; 785 lbs., \$7.85; 790 lbs., \$7.90; 795 lbs., \$7.95; 800 lbs., \$8.00; 805 lbs., \$8.05; 810 lbs., \$8.10; 815 lbs., \$8.15; 820 lbs., \$

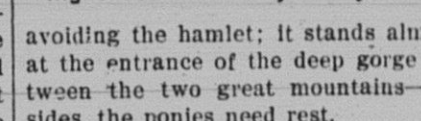


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was hurried by the Corsicans. He learns that the party followed the party on their way to the boat, was Saliceti, a nephew of the count and a friend of the king. He is told to wait for some time prior to the party's arrival. The count was hurried by Barnes not to marry. End unless he is involved in the vendetta. The count is a derisive feud. Barnes and End are married. Soon after their wedding Barnes has been kidnapped and taken to Corsica. The groom secures a fishing vessel and goes to the island. He is told by the captors when he hears a scream from the villa and rushes back to hear that Barnes is being taken away. Barnes is compelled to depart for Corsica without delay, and so he leaves. Barnes is told by the king that he is while he goes to hunt for End. Just before Barnes' boat lands on Corsica, he is told by the king that the king is the corner of the vessel. She explains her action by saying she has come to help Barnes rescue his wife from the Corsicans. With Barnes' help, the king is told in Corsica he is given a note written by End informing him that the kidnapping was a vendetta which the king and Barnes on the vendetta may kill him.

"Who is this Rochini?" asks Barnes to take Mrs. Anstruther's thoughts happier things.

All this has been said as they hurried through the dust and sun three more miles. They enter the lagoon of Guagno. There is no way



"Oh, none to-day; there are enough invalids at the baths; the season is too early. Besides, young

"Cospetto, if Saliceti does it, he has my vote also!" cries the wool trader. "The crafty politicians must have their way."

foaming Llamone, which, contracted in its banks, has become a torrent. Marina thinks a moment; then she says: "Oh, yes; I remember a mountain trail often travelled as a girl. But

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He is also told, in the original letter, that a personal interview will be necessary and is invited to come to the

After the man who is looking capital carefully explains the nature and condition of business and of the field of its operation he is carefully questioned by the capitalist. The

any, and in the elegant private  
of the president he tells about  
business and the offer of the ca-  
list. The president contrives, if pos-  
sible, incidentally to learn how  
money he has on his person or  
bank in the city or near the city.  
he succeeds in drawing out this in-  
formation and learns that the sum is  
\$1,000. he eventually makes his p-

cence. He presses a button and instructs the "secretary" responding to the summons to bring the report of the special examiner who handled the manufacturer's case. This report is read to the manufacturer who is

are hundreds of thousands of dollars in the country at large and have been particularly successful in Chicago. However, a very considerable number

thoroughly investigate before he part  
with his money.

JOHN M. GLENN,

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Uncertain.

"Has your employer any degree  
perspicacity?"

"He has some queer kind of fits, b  
I dunno what the doctor calls it."  
Baltimore American.

face. She's the ugliest cow in seven states and if yeou can make her pretty I'll agree that yeou be a 'beauty doctor' an' give yeou a dollar."—Chicago Daily News.

"Splendid. Why we sold every cent of the stock before we found the mine."—Life.

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**Bridget's Place.**  
Book Agent—Good morning! And you the lady of the house?  
Bridget—I wan o' thim.—Life.

place in Los Angeles and then will be carried to the United States supreme court.

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**Tornado Torn.**

A tornado swept through Tyler, Tex., and cut a wide swath through the main residence section of the city. Four were killed, forty injured and twelve buildings demolished.

Peter Yansan, an unmarried Finn employed in the Jamestown mine, is in a critical condition with a hole in his neck and breast. Yansan placed a stick of dynamite, but it would not go into the hole he prepared, and he used a drill to draw it out again. It exploded.



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## PERSONAL MENTION.

Miss Vera Graham is spending some time in Detroit.

J. D. Watson was in Detroit on business Wednesday.

D. B. Taylor, of Lansing, was a Chelsea visitor Monday.

Mrs. Harvey Spiegelburg was a Detroit visitor Monday.

J. H. Hollis spent the first of this week at his Chelsea home.

D. S. Duffield, of Lansing, was in town on business Tuesday.

Rev. and Mrs. T. D. Denman spent last Sunday in Hudson.

Lewis Chamberlain, of Dexter, was a Chelsea visitor Tuesday.

G. H. Gay, of Stockbridge, spent Monday with Chelsea friends.

Harry Andrews, of Detroit, spent last week at the home of W. J. Ross.

Miss Mamie Keelan is spending a short time in Lansing in Jackson.

Erwin Richardson, of Ann Arbor, spent Monday evening with friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin, of Dexter, are guests at the home of D. H. Wurster and family.

Miss Minnie Merriman, of Grass Lake, was the guest of Chelsea friends Monday.

Carl Sykes, of Pinckney, was a guest at the home of Wm. Arnold the first of the week.

Miss Kate Gorman, of Detroit, was a guest of friends here several days of the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Hough, of Kalamazoo, were guests of friends here several days of the past week.

Miss Henrietta Wurster was the guest of her cousin, Miss Emilie Steinbach, a few days last week.

Miss Gertrude Lawrence, of New York City, is a guest at the home of her sister, Mrs. M. Lee Grant, this week.

Geo. A. Runciman and daughter, Edna, left Tuesday morning for a week's visit with friends in Lansing and Williamston.

Mrs. E. W. Cowlishaw and daughters, of Grand Rapids, spent Sunday and Monday with her mother, Mrs. Edward Winters.

J. B. Cole, who is employed as salesman for the Glazier Stove Co., spent several days of the past week at his home here.

Harry Andrews, of Detroit, Rose Zullo, Mary Carey, Mrs. J. Ross, Mary and mes Ross spent Wednesday evening with Miss Mary Byrnes, of Ann Arbor.

## COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

(OFFICIAL.)

Continued from 1st page.

Chelsea, Mich., February 18, 1908.

Pursuant to a regular adjourned meeting of February 17th, 1908. Board met in regular session. Meeting called to order by W. J. Knapp, president pro tem.

Roll called by the clerk. Present, trustee, W. J. Knapp, J. W. Schenk, F. H. Sweetland and J. E. McKune. Absent, F. P. Glazier, president, and trustees, O. C. Burkhardt and H. L. Stimson.

Moved by McKune seconded by Schenk that the clerk be instructed to post the proper notices of the coming annual election to be held March 9th, 1908. Carried.

The following boards were then appointed by W. J. Knapp, president pro tem. Registration board, W. H. Heselwood, J. E. McKune and F. H. Sweetland. Inspectors of election, John Schenk, J. E. McKune, F. H. Sweetland, O. C. Burkhardt and W. H. Heselwood.

Election commissioners, A. S. Gorman, John Kalmbach and J. S. Gorman.

Moved by McKune seconded by Schenk that we hereby approve the appointment of the above boards. Carried.

Moved by F. H. Sweetland seconded by J. E. McKune

Resolved, That the village of Chelsea, by its president pro tem and clerk be hereto directed under their hands and seals of the village to execute the duplicate mutual contracts submitted and referred to in the report of the special committee marked exhibit H, as amended, wherein the said village is a party of the first part and the Detroit Trust Company, a corporation, receiver of the Glazier Stove Company, is a party of the second part, now during this section of the council to the end that this council may approve said duplicate mutual contracts after their said execution which contracts are in the words and figures following.

MUTUAL AGREEMENT, Made and entered into this eighteenth day of

February A. D. 1908, by and between the Village of Chelsea, a municipal corporation of the County of Washtenaw, State of Michigan, of the first part, and the Detroit Trust Company, Receiver of the Glazier Stove Company, in the suit of the Detroit Trust Company, Trustee, vs. Glazier Stove Company, in the Circuit Court for the County of Washtenaw, in chancery, a corporation, authorized under the laws of the State of Michigan, of the second part.

WITNESSETH, That the party of the first part by virtue and authority of a certain resolution adopted by the common council of said first part, at a regular session thereof held in the council rooms on the 18th day of February A. D. 1908, a copy of which resolutions are hereto attached, marked exhibit A, and made a part thereof thereby.

FIRST—Said first party hereby covenants and agrees to furnish and provide said second party the necessary water needed by said second party for fire protection only on all buildings, machinery and offices owned, used and occupied by said second party, in its business of manufacturing, selling and shipping of its products and said second party to have the right to connect their fire pump with said reservoir herein-after mentioned which reservoir shall be kept full of water by the village of Chelsea for fire protection, for the term of ninety-nine years, from and after February 20th, 1908, in consideration of the free and unrestricted use of land owned by said second party, situated on lots twenty-five and twenty-six, block one, according to the original plat of the village of Chelsea, more particularly described and bounded as follows: Commencing at a point on the south line of North street one hundred fourteen feet west of the north east corner of said block one, running thence southwardly parallel with east line of said lot twenty-five thirty-eight feet, thence westwardly parallel with south line of said North street forty-five and one-half feet thence north parallel with east line of lot twenty-five thirty-eight (38) feet, thence eastwardly along south line of North street forty-five and one-half feet to the place of beginning, situated on the premises and controlled by said second party. Provided, however, that all said supply of water required from said first party under this contract shall be within the capacity of the reservoir herein-after mentioned and within the capacity of the Electric Light and Water Works plant of said first party.

FIRST AND ONE-HALF—It is further agreed that the said party of the first part shall have the right to terminate this lease at any time after fifteen years from date by giving the said second party six months notice and in case said first party shall terminate this lease it shall surrender all rights to said reservoir or land.

SECOND—In consideration thereof the said second party hereby covenants and agrees and does hereby lease unto said first party the above described land, now occupied by a reservoir, partially completed by said first party, for the purpose of containing said reservoir as though said first party owned said land, to be occupied by said first party for said reservoir while said second party, its successors or assigns shall use and enjoy the said water service heretofore mentioned for the period of ninety-nine years.

THIRD—It is further understood and agreed by and between said parties hereto that said first party shall immediately complete said reservoir now on said lands in a good, workmanlike manner for the storage of water according to the plans and specifications under which said work was begun.

FOURTH—It is further understood and agreed by and between said parties hereto that this contract shall remain in full force and effect for the said period of ninety-nine years from the date aforesaid unless cancelled and set aside by mutual consent of the parties herein named.

FIFTH—This contract executed in duplicate and binding upon the successors and assigns of the parties herein mentioned respectively.

In witness whereof the party of the first part has by its president pro tem and clerk hereunto set its hand and affixed its seal of the village of Chelsea of said resolutions of this council the day and year first above written and the said party of the second part has hereunto set its hand and affixed its seal this day of February A. D. 1908.

Yeas, W. J. Knapp, J. W. Schenk, F. H. Sweetland and J. E. McKune. Nays, none. Carried.

Thereupon in conformity with said resolutions the village of Chelsea by W. J. Knapp president pro tem, and W. H. Heselwood clerk executed said duplicate contracts.

Moved by McKune seconded by Schenk that the minutes of this meeting stand approved as read by the clerk. Carried.

On motion of trustee F. H. Sweetland seconded by J. W. Schenk.

Resolved, That this council do hereby approve the within mutual contracts executed in duplicate.

Yeas, W. J. Knapp, J. W. Schenk, F. H. Sweetland and J. E. McKune. Nays, none. Carried.

W. J. KNAPP, President pro tem.

J. W. SCHENK, J. E. MCKUNE, F. H. SWEETLAND, Trustees.

W. H. HESLWOOD, Clerk.

On motion board adjourned.

W. H. HESLWOOD, Clerk.

## CORRESPONDENCE.

## LIMA CENTER.

Jacob Steinbach was in Detroit, Monday.

Mrs. A. Strieter was in Ann Arbor Sunday.

Mrs. Amy Staebler, of Wisconsin, is the guest of her father, T. Morse.

Allen Rockwell, of Grand Rapids, Millie and David Rockwell, of Detroit, spent Sunday with their father David Rockwell.

## NORTH SHARON.

Mrs. Randolph Cooke is on the sick list.

Ashley Holden and wife spent Sunday at the home of B. Whitaker.

Wm. Alber, who has been ill for the past two weeks, is again able to be out.

Mrs. C. Gage returned home Monday after spending the past week with her mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Burtch, of Jackson, A. A. Welch and wife, R. Burtch and wife, of Grass Lake, and Geo. Askew and family were entertained at the home of A. P. Burtch one day last week, the occasion being the sixtieth birthday of A. P. Burtch.

## SHARON.

Mrs. Wm. Stipe is ill with appendicitis.

Eli Cooper, of Detroit, is visiting his brother, A. G. Cooper this week.

The W. H. M. S. met with Mrs. Chas. Raymond, of Grass Lake, last Thursday.

Claude Raymond and wife, of Greensburg, Kansas, are visiting friends here.

Miss Lydia Wolfe spent part of last week with her sister, Mrs. Reuben Kappler.

Mrs. Wm. Troltz was the guest of her mother, Mrs. Wolpert, of Manchester, who is ill.

Word was received here last week that the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gage, of Colton, Cal., had the small-pox in light form.

## SOUTHWEST MANCHESTER.

Mrs. A. Johnson was in Norvell, Sunday.

Mrs. A. E. Bowens has been on the sick list.

There is no hopes of Mrs. R. Green's recovery.

Jacob Schaible and wife are house-keeping in Norvell now.

John Loucks and bride are spending their honeymoon in Blissfield.

Claude Fielder, of Grass Lake was the guest of his parents here Sunday.

Mrs. Edith Kingsberry and child left here Saturday to join her husband in California.

Adam Schaible and wife, of Manchester, visited at the home of C. Frey, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Taylor and daughter of Traverse City, are guests at the home of Frank Troltz.

## NORTH LAKE.

Mrs. L. M. Wood is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. S. Leach.

Miss Edna Reade, of Grand Rapids, visited her parents here for a few days last week.

James Hyde takes a wife back to his home in Dakota. She was a playmate in his younger days.

C. M. Glenn and wife, of Dakota, will return home next Monday. They spent last Sunday in Ann Arbor.

John Webb bought the farm bell at the Riley auction. John don't want meal time to go by without being on hand.

Elder Wright stayed at the home of P. E. Noah Sunday night, not caring to drive nights after his experience in the day time.

Rev. Wright and horse had a narrow escape from drowning last Sunday this side of north Stockbridge. The horse shied to the side of the road onto the ice over a pond six feet deep. After a struggle the horse scrambled out well soaked. The elder escaped with wet feet and a good scare.

Last Friday a surprise party was given Mrs. P. E. Noah by her husband, all the street being invited. The friends found Mrs. Noah safe in bed taking a nooning. The new band was out and gave several selections. A beautiful dinner was served, oysters being the first course after which Mrs. E. W. Daniels in a few well chosen words presented Mrs. Noah with a small purse of money instructing her to purchase an appropriate memento of the occasion.

## EAST SYLVAN.

L. Loomis and wife, of Grass Lake, are visiting their daughter, Mrs. R. B. Waltrous.

Sam Bertke and Mrs. Emma Kleinsmith, of Freedom, spent Sunday with their brother, Henry Bertke and wife.

Jas. Scouter, sr. was surprised last Thursday evening it being his birthday. Refreshments were served and a social time enjoyed by all. A willow rocking chair was left as a remembrance. They are soon to move to their new home near Stockbridge.

Little Miss Rowena Waltrous entertained a merry crowd of little folks last Saturday afternoon it being her fourth birthday. A dainty supper was served after which they returned to their homes wishing the little hostess many more happy birthdays.

## FRANCISCO.

Mrs. Christine Hoppe is on the sick list.

Mrs. H. Main, who has been very ill is some better.

Carrie Schroeder spent last week with Mrs. F. Mensing.

Mr. Beal, of Ohio, is visiting his son, Rev. J. E. Beal of this place.

Myrtle Schweinfurth, of Jackson, visited friends here over Sunday.

Little Irene Richards, who has been ill with scarlet fever is rapidly improving.

P. Schweinfurth and wife were the guests of Jackson friends several days of the past week.

Geo. Havens and wife, who have been visiting friends here for some time returned to their home in Barry county last Thursday.

## LIMA.

School social was postponed.

Snow is more welcome than rain.

Teddy bears are popular so are matches.

Cutter bells jingle through here every Sunday evening.

Mrs. Delight Staebler, who has been ill, is some what better.

Warren Guerin, of Chelsea, visited with relatives here Sunday.

Earl Hatfield, of Ann Arbor, spent Sunday with Miss Eva Freer.

There are meetings at the church every Sunday evening at 7 o'clock. We would like to see more attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Hough, of Kalamazoo, Miss Millie and David Rockwell, of Detroit, and Allen Rockwell, of Grand Rapids are guests at the home of David Rockwell, who is very ill.

## Death Rate Increased.

There were 3,097 deaths returned in the state in January, which corresponds to an annual death rate of 12.4 per 1,000 estimated population. The number is an increase of 330 over December, but a decrease of 238 from the number for the corresponding month of 1907. There were two deaths from smallpox, one in Maple Valley township, Montcalm county, and one in Buell township, Oscoda county. Tetanus claimed three victims. There was also one death returned from hydrophobia, in Buchanan, Berrien county.

There were 3,331 births returned to the department, which gives an annual birth rate of 15.7 per 1,000 population. The number is a decrease of 36 from the number returned for December.

## Purpose.

Did you ever hear of a man who had striven all his life faithfully at a single toward an object and in no measure obtained it? If a man constantly aspires, is he not elevated? Did ever a man try heroism, truth, sincerity and find that there was no advantage in them—that is was a vain endeavor?—H. D. Thoreau.

## First Aid for Poisoned Dogs.

In case of poisoning, salad oil given immediately in liberal quantities will counteract the poison until you can get a doctor. A quart of oil is not too much for a large dog, and it can be given without assistance by using a long necked wine bottle. Follow this with a strong emetic. Country Life in America.

## Era of the Goose Quill.

Until about 1850, writing was taught in the schools of the United States from copies that were written by the teacher, who also made from goose quills the pens which the pupils used. A pen knife with a keen blade was an essential part of the teacher's equipment.

## Advice to a Theorist.

"What kind of views would you advise me to set forth in my next lecture tour?" Inquired the habitual orator. "Well," answered the coldly practical theorist, "if I were you I'd get some stereopticon views."

## Too Serious.

"Aren't you going to include Mr. Peddett in your traveling party?" "No," answered the indolent person. "He is one of those people whose idea of a good time is to try to learn the guide book by heart."



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## CHURCH CIRCLES.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH, Rev. A. A. Schoen, Pastor. Regular services at the usual hour next Sunday morning.

CONGREGATIONAL, Rev. M. L. Grant, Pastor. The morning subject will be "The Gospel of Gladness" next Sunday. The evening topic "The Rewards of the Merciful and the Pure in Heart."

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE, The Christian Science Society will meet in the G. A. R. hall at the usual hour next Sunday, February 23, 1908. Subject, "Mind." Golden text, "Finally be ye all of one mind, having compassion one of another, love as brethren, be pitiful, be courteous."

BAPTIST CHURCH, Rev. T. D. Denman, Pastor. The subject next Sunday morning will be "Christian Stewardship." The evening services will be conducted by the Young People's Society.

M. E. CHURCH, Rev. D. H. Glass, Pastor. Morning sermon, the third commandment—"Profanity Forbidden." Americans have the reputation of being the most profane people on earth.

Evening sermon, George Washington—"The Joshua of America." Junior League at 3 p. m. Sunday.

Epworth League, 6 p. m., D. H. Glass, leader. Topic, "The Power House of Faith."

Prayer meeting Thursday evening at the parsonage. Lesson, "Christ Not Indifferent to Human Suffering," Matt. 8, 23-34.

The eighth anniversary of the dedication of the church will be celebrated Tuesday evening, February 25. Supper will be served from 5:30 to 7:30. The public program will commence at half past seven sharp. Rev. A. W. Stalker, pastor of the Methodist church, Ann Arbor, will make the principal address.

We wish to thank our friends and neighbors who so kindly assisted us during the sickness and death of our beloved mother.

JAMES SMITH, NETTIE SMITH, MRS. F. A. LEACH, MRS. J. S. TROUTEN.

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## Probate Order.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw, ss. At a session of the Probate Court for said County of Washtenaw, held at the Probate Office, in the City of Ann Arbor, on the 11th day of February, in the year one thousand nine hundred and eight.

Present, Emory E. Leland, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Clayton F. Ward, minor.

On reading and filing the petition of Francis S. Ward, guardian of said minor, praying that she may be licensed to sell certain real estate described therein at private sale for the purpose of investing proceeds.

It is ordered, that the 25th day of March next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, be appointed for hearing said petition.

And it is further ordered, that a copy of this order be published three successive weeks previous to said time of hearing, in the Chelsea Standard-Herald, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Washtenaw.

EMORY E. LELAND, Judge of Probate. A true copy. H. WIRT NEWKIRK, Register.

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## Probate Order.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw, ss. At a session of the Probate Court for said County of Washtenaw, held at the Probate Office, in the City of Ann Arbor, on the 6th day of Feb. in the year one thousand nine hundred and eight.

Present, Emory E. Leland, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Paul Martin, minor.

W. J. Knapp, guardian of said minor, having filed in this court his annual account, and praying that the same may be heard and allowed.

It is ordered, that the 10th day of March next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, be appointed for hearing said account.

And it is further ordered, that a copy of this order be published three successive weeks previous to said time of hearing, in the Chelsea Standard-Herald, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Washtenaw.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw, ss. At a session of the Probate Court for said County of Washtenaw, held at the Probate Office, in the City of Ann Arbor, on the 6th day of Feb. in the year one thousand nine hundred and eight.

Present, Emory E. Leland, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Francis M. Martin, minor.

W. J. Knapp, trustee of said estate, having filed in this court his annual account, and praying that the same may be heard and allowed.

It is ordered, that the 10th day of March next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, be appointed for hearing said account.

And it is further ordered, that a copy of this order be published three successive weeks previous to said time of hearing, in the Chelsea Standard-Herald, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Washtenaw.

EMORY E. LELAND, Judge of Probate. A true copy. H. WIRT NEWKIRK, Register.

## Notice

To the Creditors of the Chelsea Savings Bank: Whereas, William W. Wedemeyer, of Ann Arbor, Washtenaw County, Michigan, by the Circuit Court of said County, was on the 8th day of December, 1907, under the provisions of section 614 of the Compiled Laws of Michigan, 1907, appointed receiver of the Chelsea Savings Bank of Chelsea, county and state aforesaid; that on the 11th day of December, 1907, he filed his bond as such receiver as required by said Court; and that on the 26th day of December, 1907, there was turned over to said receiver all the books, records, property and assets of every description of said bank, in compliance with the order of said Court appointing said receiver, therefore:

Notice is hereby given as required of section 614 of said Compiled Laws to all persons who may have claims against said Chelsea Savings Bank to present the same to said receiver and make legal proof thereof.

It is directed by me that the foregoing notice be given by advertising the same in the Chelsea Standard-Herald and the Ann Arbor Times, newspapers published and circulated in Washtenaw County, Michigan; and that said notices appear once in each week for twelve successive weeks from









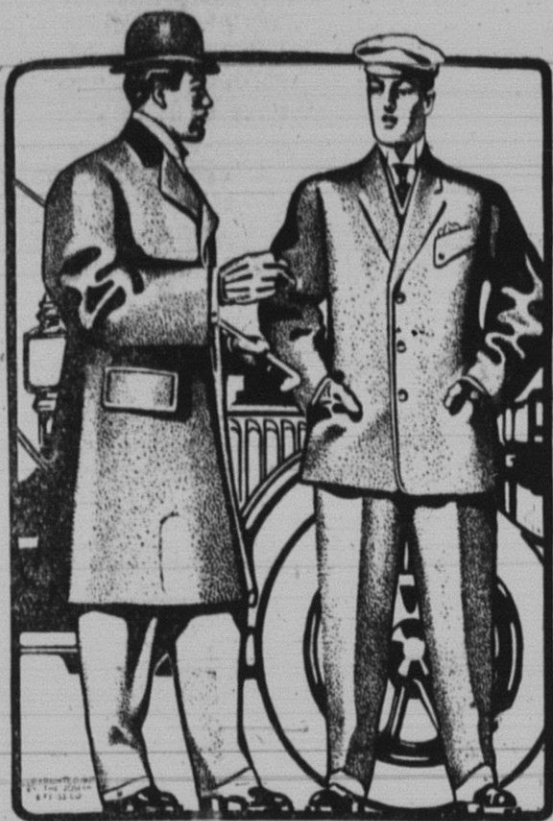


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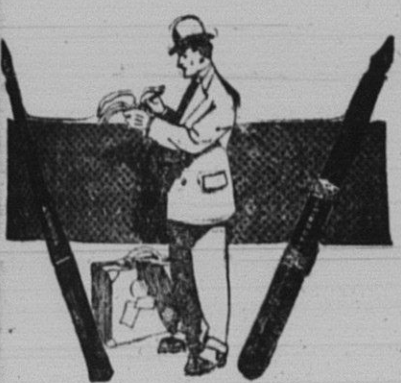
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## LOCAL ITEMS.

Saturday, February 22, is Washington birthday and is a legal holiday.

Born, Friday, February 14, 1908, to Mr. and Mrs. Herman Dancer a daughter.

The K. of P. Lodge of Chelsea is making arrangements for a party in the near future.

George Eisele has sold his farm in Freedom to Charles F. Lamparter. Consideration \$2,800.

Wm. Rothfuss, of Sharon, reports seeing a robin near his residence on Tuesday, February 11.

M. B. Millsbaugh is making arrangements to move from Sylvan to the Irwin residence on South street.

A number of telephone poles about about town were blown down by the high wind last Friday night.

Rev. Fr. Considine was in Marshall Tuesday, where he attended the obsequies of the Rev. Fr. Peter A. Baart.

The blizzard of the past twenty-four hours was the most severe one of the season, and the railroad service is badly crippled.

Geo. Webb, of North Lake has just had placed in his residence a 16 light Colts gas plant. The work was done by E. L. Hadley.

O. C. Burkhardt and L. T. Freeman spent several days of the past week in northern Michigan, where they purchased a car load of horses.

Milo A. Shaver, who recently opened a shoe shop in the rear of Shaver's barber shop, has placed in stock a line of shoe dressing and ice creepers.

Next Tuesday evening will be the regular meeting of the L. O. T. M. M. Every member is requested to be present as an old-fashioned spelling match will be held.

Michael Keppler has rented the H. C. Pierce farm on the Manchester road. Mr. Keppler has worked the Wheeler farm north of Chelsea for the last five years.

Misses Anna and Margaret Miller will leave the last of this week for Cleveland and Buffalo, where they will purchase their stock of millinery for the spring and summer trade.

Thomas Fallon, of Wheeling, West Virginia, died at his home in that city Wednesday, February 19, 1908. Mr. Fallon was a former well-known resident of this place and has a number of near relatives who are residents of this community.

A sleigh load of the members of the Junior class of the Chelsea public school spent last Saturday evening at the home of E. S. Spaulding and family. The evening was spent in games and music and at the close of the festivities refreshments were served to about 25 members of the class.

W. J. Small, of Flint, a carriage painter, has accepted a position with A. G. Faist and will have charge of the painting department. Mr. Small has rented one of the houses owned by J. A. Maroney, on McKinley street and will move his family to Chelsea.

Fred Koch, who has been spending the past three months with his parents in Sylvan, left Saturday to join his regiment at Fort Wayne. He expects to go to the Philippines in a short time as his regiment leaves for Francisco from Detroit about March 1.

Mrs. Elizabeth Walsh, of Dexter township, died Monday, February 17, 1908, aged 60 years. The deceased was a sister-in-law of Mrs. John Kelly, of Chelsea. The funeral will be held Saturday morning from St. Mary's church, Pinckney, Rev. Fr. Comerford officiating.

Dancer &amp; Kendall the first of this week purchased of Max Pierce twelve head of young cattle that averaged in weight 1,350 each. The animals will be shipped to the eastern market this week and is said to be the finest bunch of beef animals that have been bought here this season.

Died, Saturday, February 15, 1908, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Fischer, of Lima. The child was born September 13, 1907. The funeral was held from the home of the parents Tuesday, Rev. Koehler, of Manchester, officiating. The remains were interred in the cemetery at Dexter.

Thursday, February 27, the senior class will present Miss M. C. Hutchinson dramatic reader and impersonator at the opera house. Her repertoire consists of pathetic and humorous selections from the best literature of the day. The musical part of the program will consist of vocal solos by Misses Crane and Bacon, and instrumental music by Miss Wright and Mr. Pierce, drum. Admission children and high school students 15 cents, adults 25 cents.

Mrs. Geo. W. Irwin is making arrangements to move to Lansing.

Miss Helene Steinbach is again studying piano at the school of music in Ann Arbor.

The Misses Kate and Alice Gorman, of Detroit, have sold their farm in Lyndon to Henry Stoffer.

The H. S. Holmes Mercantile Co. will hold a ten days sale of notions commencing Saturday of this week.

Adam Eppler had to kill one of the best horses he owned this morning. The animal was kicked by another horse Wednesday night.

E. W. Daniels, the auctioneer, informs The Standard-Herald, that the auction sale of Henry C. Pierce, on Tuesday amounted to over \$4,000.

Martin Schaible, who has occupied the W. H. Dancer farm in Lima for some years past will move to a farm one mile south of Francisco about March 1st.

There will be a progressive pedro social held in St. Mary's hall, Friday evening of this week. Admission, 15 cents. All are invited to be present.

There will be a regular review of Chelsea Macabees on Friday evening of this week. A full attendance is desired as there will be "something doing."

Fred Sager is making arrangements to sell at public auction, on March 12th his personal property, on the Kempf farm, south of Chelsea. F. D. Merithew, auctioneer.

County Treasurer Otto Luick sent a check Saturday of \$30,000 to the auditor general, representing the state taxes collected since the 15th of last month. The settlement with the township treasurer will not be made until March.

At the annual meeting of the school teachers of Washtenaw county the following officers were elected: President, Supt. Ausbaugh, Ypsilanti; secretary, Mrs. Trussell, Milan; executive committee, Supt. E. E. Gallup, Chelsea; Miss Lulu Fairbanks, Saline; Supt. Washburn, Dexter; Miss Carrie Dicken, Ann Arbor; Evan Essary, Ann Arbor.

About 35 of the friends of Mr. and Mrs. Michael O'Connor, of south Main street, met at their home last Saturday evening. The event was a surprise party in honor of the 45th anniversary of the birth of Mr. O'Connor. The guests left a number of presents as a reminder of the evening. Refreshments were served and all present report an enjoyable evening.

The dramatic entertainment, Lights and Shadows of the Great Rebellion, given by home talent, for the benefit of St. Mary's parochial schools, was repeated in the opera house Monday evening to a well filled house. The different parts were handled with considerable ability and the specialties between acts were all well rendered. The drama was one of the best ever given by home talent and the proceeds went to a worthy cause, the education of the children.

Mrs. Mary D. Ives, of Unadilla died at Ionia, Tuesday evening, February 18, 1908. Mrs. Ives was a guest at the home of her niece and was shopping when she was stricken down with apoplexy and was removed to the home where she passed away some three hours later. The deceased was the widow of the late S. G. Ives, who was a prominent resident of Chelsea for a number of years. The remains were brought to Gregory Wednesday and the funeral will be held at that place Friday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock. The interment will be at Williamsville.

It may interest our readers, and especially the old soldiers, who possibly are not informed, that there has been published by the state a series of regimental records giving the name and address and other information of each soldier in a Michigan regiment during the civil war. These records are printed in book form, a book to a regiment, forty-four in all, and may be obtained by writing to the adjutant-general at Lansing, giving the name of the soldier whose record is wanted, stating the regiment. Each soldier is entitled to one book, and the widow, eldest son or daughter, if the soldier is dead.

Attorneys for the Chicago sausage makers who are engaged in a lawsuit with the state to determine what ingredients may lawfully be used in the manufacture of sausage are desirous of having the attorney-general's department join them in taking testimony in various states of the union as to the popular understanding of what sausage is. It is also desired that the attorney-general's department cause a suspension of prosecutions for violating the pure food laws until the case can be finally disposed of. Attorney-General Bird will not consent to either arrangement. He will advise the dairy and food department to continue its prosecutions of local dealers for selling sausages containing cereals and water.

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Continued into February.

Bargains during January will be followed by still greater bargains during February. All warm winter goods especially must be disposed of in order to reduce our stock to normal. Right now when needed most we offer you an opportunity to secure suitable wearing apparel for zero weather at a saving of from twenty-five to fifty per cent. No disappointment here. Nothing old or out of date. No shoddy plunder, but the highest of high grade wearing apparel, made to our order by the largest and most reliable manufacturers in the land, can be had here, now at less than cost of material.

## CLOAK DEPARTMENT.

All Women's, Misses' and Children's Winter Coats, now on hand, will be disposed of this month. Price cuts no figure. We have marked them down to almost nothing. Think of it, Misses' and Children's Coats at \$1.00, \$2.00 and \$3.00. Ladies' Jackets and Long Coats at \$3.50, \$5.00 and \$7.50. Fur Collars and Muffs reduced to 1-2 regular prices.

## SPECIALS.

Ladies' Waists 1-4 off. Ladies' Skirts 1-4 off. Ladies' Shawls 1-4 off. Woolen Underwear 1-4 off. Sweaters 1-4 off. Men's Overshirts 1-4 off. All warm, lined, Gloves and Mittens 1-4 off. Winter Caps 1-4 off. Horse Blankets 1-4 off. Woolen and Cotton Bed Blankets 1-4 off.

## DRY GOODS DEPT.

Dress Goods 1-4 off. Eiderdowns 1-4 off. Shirting Flannels 1-4 off. Knit Fascinators 1-4 off. Regular 8c Outings now 5c yard. Regular 10c to 12c Outings now 8c yard. Lonsdale and Fruit Bleached Cotton 10c yard. Best quality yard wide Percales 12 1-2c yard. Best quality Prints from 6c to 7c yard. Children's Hosiery 10c worth 15c. Ladies' Fleece Lined Underwear 25c worth 40c.

## CLOTHING DEPARTMENT.

All Men's Boys' and Children's Cloth Overcoats 1-3 off. Every garment new this season. Look at them. You can't resist buying when you see the values. Fur Coats reduced to less than wholesale prices. All Men's Boys' and Children's Suits and Odd Pants 1-4 off.

Reduced Prices on Carpets and Rugs this month.

Bargains in the Shoe and Rubber Goods Dept.

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## Michigan Indians.

From four to five thousand Michigan Indians are to receive about \$30 apiece from an appropriation of about \$150,000 carried by the urgent deficiency bill and immediately available as soon as the bill is signed by the president.

Senator Burrows Tuesday offered an amendment to the bill providing that the interior department undertake the distribution of the money, which is to pay up a balance of long standing under certain treaties and annuities due the Michigan Ottawas and Chippewas.

Without other provision the distribution would have to be made by the court of claims and as that court has no roster and record of the Indians it would have to go to the expense of making an Indian census of Michigan which would cost a considerable sum, which would be paid out of the appropriation, thus cutting down the amount of each Indian.

The Burrows amendment places the business in the hands of the interior department which already has a list of the Indians and can therefore quickly and cheaply pay out the money.

## Redwood Canyon.

Redwood Canyon, an area of 295 acres comprising several fine groves of redwoods, situated near Mill Valley, Marin county, California, has been presented by its owner, William Kent, to the nation, and has been accepted by the federal government as a national park. This was done at the suggestion of a member of the United States Forestry Department, in order to preserve the canyon from a water company, which proposed to strip it of its beauty and convert it into a reservoir. A condemnation suit to compel Mr. Kent to sell his property had already been begun, when he decided the land to the United States and begged that the gift be accepted. The owner retains some adjacent ridges covered with brush and will use them to protect the canyon from destruction by fire—Scientific American.

## Notice to Taxpayers.

Taxes are now due and must be paid on or before February 29, 1908. Ralph Freeman, Treas.

## Auction Sales.

John R. Gates having sold his farm he will sell the following personal property at public auction, on the premises one-half mile east of Chelsea, on Tuesday, February 25, 1908, commencing at 10:30 o'clock a. m., 31 head of cattle, consisting of 11 Jersey cows—9 of them new milk; 8 Durham cows—4 new milk; 2 Holstein cows and several head of young cattle. This herd of milk cows is one of the best in the county. Their test being from 4.5 to 5.1, an average of 4.6, which is considered a No. 1 test. The animals are all well bred and in fine condition. 125 breeding ewes, 2 Shropshire rams, good work horse, 6 tons of tame hay, 50 bushels of oats, 12 milk cans, Good lunch and hot coffee served at noon. Plenty of good barn room. In case of storm the sale will be conducted under shelter. E. W. Daniels, auctioneer. D. E. Beach, clerk.

Mrs. M. A. Heatley will sell at public auction on the Heatley farm in Lyndon, seven miles north of Chelsea and one mile west of North Lake on Thursday, February 27, commencing at one o'clock p. m., the following: Seven cows, three of which are new milk with calves by their sides, two good work horses, 75 good sheep, 11 hogs, line of farm tools, 10 tons tame hay, and 50 bushels of corn. E. W. Daniels, auctioneer, Geo. Doody, clerk.

## The Chelsea Markets.

Chelsea buyers offer today, the following prices: Wheat, red or white..... 86 Rye..... 78 Oats..... 50 Barley per hundred..... \$1.35 Beans..... 1.80 Steers, heavy..... 4.25 Stockers..... \$ 0.00 to 3.50 Cows, good..... 3.00 Veals..... 4.15 Hogs, wethers..... \$ 0.00 to 4.50 Sheep, ewes..... \$ 0.00 to 3.50 Chickens, spring..... .08 Fowls..... .07 Butter..... 18 to 23 Eggs..... .20 Potatoes..... .40 Onions..... .50 to .60 Apples..... .50 to 1.00 Cabbage per dozen..... .45

## WANT COLUMN

## RENTS, REAL ESTATE, FOUND LOST WANTED ETC.

FOR SALE—A poney, buggy, harness, a 10 egg incubator almost new. Inquire of Mrs. Nancy LaBar, R. F. D. 3, Chelsea.

LOST—Monday, February 10, between North Lake and Chelsea a genuine buffalo robe. Finder return to The Standard-Herald office or myself and receive reward. John Schiller. 4

TO RENT—A farm of 80 acres in good state of cultivation, good buildings. Also for sale a good work horse and a kitchen range. Inquire of Alvin Baldwin, Chelsea, R. F. D. 5. 2tf

FOR RENT on easy terms the Junius Beal farm situated one and a half miles west of Chelsea on the territorial road. John Kalmbach. 3

FOR SALE—Holstein Friesian herd bull of fashionable breeding and true dairy type. T. G. Riemenschneider, Grass Lake, R. F. D. 4. 1tf

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## READ SOMETHING LIKE CIPHER.

Fearful and Wonderful Memorandum of Baltimore Cook.

In the family of a former Baltimorean now residing in Providence, R. I., there is a middle-aged German woman—a relative of the family—who, though having lived in this country over a quarter of a century, has not yet thoroughly mastered the English tongue. The expressions of this relative, who keeps house for the family, sometimes afford much amusement to those unaccustomed to her peculiarly characteristic "pigeon English."

Happening to visit the kitchen several days ago the head of the house discovered tucked up against the wall a crude memorandum pad. Inquiry developed the fact that it was a reminder of the day's culinary needs. This is what was written in combination English-German chirography on the little sheet:

Tapoca  
pruns  
corn Starsh  
Shradded Wieth  
Sardien  
saman  
Egg i cle  
Salse  
sallerie

The memorandum was confiscated and sent to friends of the family in Baltimore. It is being preserved as a classic.—Baltimore News.

## How It Was Done.

Mother (examining school report)—How did you come to have such good marks in arithmetic this week?  
Tommy—Well, you see, it was this way: We had ten examples, a day, and I got the teacher to help me to do five, and Eric Jones got her to help him on the other five. Then we swapped helps, see?—Harper's Bazar.

## Betrayed by His Language.

"Have you any visible means of support?" asked the policeman sternly.  
"Me? Yes, sah, I sure has. As a wash lady mah wife is out of sight."  
"Then she's not visible," rejoined the policeman, and the march to the patrol box began.



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## VOLUMES MIGHT BE WRITTEN

Of the Success That Awaits the Farmer in Western Canada.

The story of wheat farming in Western Canada (that portion of Canada lying north of Dakota and Montana) has been frequently told, but it will stand a lot of telling, and still retain its touch of interest. During the year just closed 277,376 persons made their homes in Canada as compared with 215,912 for the year 1906, an increase of 61,464. Those from the United States numbered 56,551. A writer in "Industry" recently said: "To-day the Dominion of Canada is witnessing a 'mighty movement of population' than ever stimulated a Biblical writer to pen a chapter of Scripture." The same writer says: "From 'he Rhine' and the Rhone river valleys; from the port cities of Germany and the 'farms of the Fatherland, from the 'peasant soil of Russia; and over from the grimy Lancashire and out-populated Yorkshire, the discontented and ambitious of every clime are seeking to take advantage of the 'opportunities afforded by the fertile soil and exhilarating climate of the 'Empire of the North.'"

Continuing the same writer says: "While a million human beings throng the shores of the United States every year, the smaller number arriving in 'Canada come with a more well-defined purpose.' The question has been asked why do these people come to Canada? The available land between the Mississippi and the Pacific has been exhausted, and the farmers within that territory find that their sons have to seek newer climes. Canada offers one hundred and sixty acres of land free to each. This land yields from 20 to 40 bushels of wheat to the acre. In Southern Alberta, the winter wheat belt of Canada, as high as 60 bushels per acre have been harvested. Less yields than the one mentioned have netted the farmer as much as \$35 per acre. There are no words that tell the tale so effectively as those of the farmer himself, the man who has ploughed the fields, sowed the grain, and with folded hands rests while nature, bounteous in that country, in less than three months, placed at his disposal hundreds of acres of ripened grain, now waiting the arrival of the reaper, and therefore we reproduce the following letter.

Any agent of the Canadian government will be pleased to give information regarding the district mentioned or any of any other that may be desired.

E. T. Holmes, Esq.,  
Canadian Government Agent,  
St. Paul, Minn.

Dear Sir:—  
In 1905 I located on a claim about 30 miles from the town of Wadena, on the Canadian Northern Railroad, have lived on my claim most of the time since. I consider this to be one of the best districts in the country for grain growing. In 1906 wheat averaged from 30 to 51 bushels per acre on some of my neighbors' farms, within 4 miles of my claim. Oats go from 75 to 100 bushels. It is also a good country for stock. Where I am there is plenty of fuel. Homesteads nearly all taken the settlement being largely Germans, and Americans, all well-to-do. I left Wadena in February, 1907, returning April 25, so that I missed part of the winter, which the old settlers tell me was one of the worst they ever saw, but there was no suffering, as the people are pretty well fixed, and there are no blizzards in that country, at least there never has been known to be one. Wild land sells at from \$10 to \$15; closer to town it is higher.

In the summer we have all sorts of wild fruits very plentiful, and I never saw better vegetables, and game is so plentiful a man need not starve for want of something to eat. Plenty of good water too. You need not hesitate to recommend this district, but the homesteaders are nearly all taken, most of the homesteaders are living right on their claims.

(Signed), FRANK MORREY,  
Kelvington, Sask.

As He Understood It.  
A youngster who has been living with his grandmother in Nutley, N. J., was brought to the city for a visit a short time ago, and while here was taken to the theater for the first time in his life. In one of the scenes a butler comes on the stage and announces, "My lord, the carriage waits."

"When the little fellow returned to his grandmother's home he started in at once to describe to her the play he had seen.

"And then, Granny," he said, in his excited description, a big man with gold buttons on his coat came on the stage and said: 'My God, there's a hack outside!'"—N. Y. Times.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury,  
as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surface. Such articles should never be used except on prescription from a regular physician, as the damage they will do is too great to give you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free. Sold by Druggists. Price, 75c. per bottle. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Their One Meeting.  
They met by chance;  
They'd never met before;  
They met but once.  
And she was smitten sore.  
They never met again.  
Don't care to, I allow;  
They met but once—  
The auto and the cow.

The Alternative.  
He was growling because his wife wore waists buttoned down the back.  
"But you know, dear," she said sweetly, "you wouldn't like it at all if I wore one unbuttoned down the back."—Harper's Bazar.

## AS IN WASHINGTON'S DAY

Fraunce's Tavern Restored to Its Old-Time Aspect



WASHINGTON might recognize the exterior of Fraunce's Tavern should he ride down Broad street, New York, in these days, but once inside there would be a number of details which would be novel to him. As he entered the "Colonial" hall he would see waiters in modern bob-tailed evening coats flitting about earning honest tips. Instead of being permitted to climb the stairs to the "Long Room," where he bade farewell to his officers after the close of the revolution, he might be invited to go up in an elevator. Passing the "tap room" on his way to the elevator, possibly he would be urged to try a cigar, "best Virginia leaf." His eyes, accustomed to guttering candles, would be astonished at the steady glow of electric lights, and, doubtless, he would want to know more about the way in which Franklin's lightning could be secured on a clear day for use in lighting. His quick ear would detect the click of the typewriter as he stepped through the passage toward the "Long Room," although he might not recognize the origin of the peculiar noise, and he would be mystified at the spectacle of a man talking into a telephone receiver.

Fraunce's Tavern, "the oldest landmark" in New York city, comes into the public eye now more because on December 4, 1907, the 124th anniversary of Washington's farewell to his officers in the big dining room of the old inn, the restored building was formally turned over by the committee having the restoration in charge to the owners, the Sons of the Revolution, and two tablets were unveiled. The reception to the guests was held in the hall of the Chamber of Commerce after the tablets were unveiled. One of the tablets was attached to the wall of the famous "Long Room," in which Washington's historic and touching farewell to his comrades and assistants occurred, and the other affixed to the exterior.

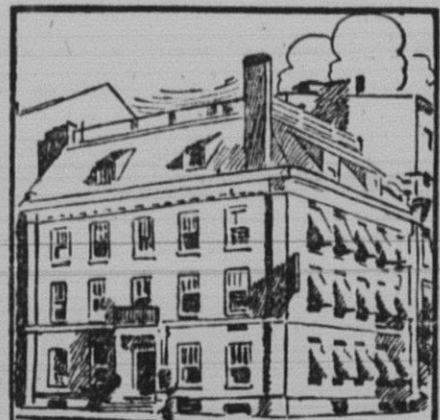
The history of the building is concisely told on the tablet placed in the "Long Room." It reads:  
"Fraunce's Tavern, erected 1719; Queen's Head Tavern, 1762; Chamber of Commerce founded here, 1768; headquarters of Committee of Correspondence of 51, 1774; this room the scene of the farewell of Gen. Washington to his officers, December 4, 1783; Sons of the Revolution reorganized here December 4, 1883; the property purchased by the Sons of the Revolution in the state of New York, 1904; formal occupation taken by the Sons of the Revolution, December 4, 1907."

W. H. Mersereau, the architect who made the restoration, after much investigation of all the evidence drew the design which has been realized in the building as it stands to-day. It is now supposed to look as it appeared when Washington visited it, and all of the bricks and timbers remaining of the building which was known as Fraunce's Tavern are still in the places they then occupied. All of the "improvements" of after years, including the "ginmill" of recent times, have been removed.

The restoration is based on an advertisement printed in 1775 in which Fraunce offered his inn for sale and described it as "three-stories high

with a tile and lead roof, has 14 fire places, a most excellent large kitchen, fine dry cellars, with good and convenient offices, etc." The earliest picture of it is dated 1854. This showed the building as it appeared after its recovery from the damage caused by the "great fire" of 1835. In the same year it was again visited by fire. This time the "Long Room" was burned out, and the wall on the Pearl street side above the second story fell outward. When the building was restored this time it was made five stories high with a flat roof, and, barring the saloon on the ground floor, looked as it did until the recent restoration. Fifteen years ago the building was shored up and, with the exception of the corner piers, the walls of the first story were replaced with plate glass.

When the building was dismantled for restoration the lines of the old



Fraunce's Tavern, Restored.

roof indicating the top of the walls and the slope and height of the roof were found in the walls. The difference in the bricks in the walls also helped to determine what portion was old and what modern. It will be observed that the wall fronting on Broad street is of thin yellow bricks. These are the same kind as are found in the old Dutch church in Tarrytown. In order to secure an additional supply to fill up the opening on the first floor they had to be made to order in a yard in Holland where bricks of the same size and kind are still made. The bricks on the Pearl street side are red. As they are an inch longer and somewhat thinner than the bricks made to-day it was only by searching through many yards, tape measure in hand, and picking up abnormal bricks that enough could be secured to "piece out" the original wall. By such means the old building was put back into a shape that would probably be recognized by "Black Sam" Fraunce if he should appear to-day.

The property, which is now used as the headquarters of the Sons of the Revolution in New York, represents an expenditure of nearly \$150,000, the restoration alone having cost nearly \$60,000. It is looked upon as a memorial of Frederick S. Tallmadge, who was the president of the society, and bequeathed to it a sum sufficient to pay the cost of restoration. The tablet on the outside of the building commemorates his name and contains his portrait, as well as a history of the building.

## Washington the Friend of Peace.

The friends of humanity will deprecate war whosoever it may appear. My first wish is to see this plague of mankind banished from the earth and the sons and daughters of this world employed in more pleasing and innocent amusements, than in preparing implements, and exercising them for the destruction of mankind.—Washington.



Fraunce's Tavern as It Appeared in Washington's Time—Across the Street Are Shown the Ruins of the Fire of 1778.

## PROBLEM OF ROAST OF BEEF.

Economical Way of Preparing Meat for Two People.

A roast of beef is about the hardest of all meats to buy for two people, for if cut too thin it does not roast well, yet we want one once in a while. A six-pound rib roast is about the smallest that will roast good.

Now, if you get that have the butcher cut off the long thin end and you put it in a brine of salt water (as much salt as will dissolve) for a few days, and you will have a nice little piece of corned beef for a boiled dinner. Cabbages are usually too large to be all eaten, so do not cook and throw away. Just cook a part of it with the corned beef and make a creamed cabbage of the other part; that is, chop very coarse and cook in salted water uncovered until tender. Drain off the water and pour over it a sauce of milk thickened with flour seasoned with butter, pepper and salt. It is very nice and can be served with your warmed-over roast or any other meat.

Hot stew is nice for a change, too, very nice served with cold ham. Raw cabbage chopped fine with spiced vinegar poured over it makes a nice relish. That tough end of the beef will also make a nice stew or soup, or if you have a meat chopper trim off the fat and try out for dripping and put the lean meat through the chopper, and you have hamburger steak. A chopper should be about the first instrument if you have use for it.

## SAVES THE WINDOW CURTAINS.

Simple Device That Also Acts as a Good Ventilator.

To protect window curtains from rain try this simple device, which not only shields the curtains but also serves as a good ventilator. Secure a half-inch board about 12 or 14 inches wide and as long as is required to fit snugly between the side casings of the window. In the upper corners of the board have screws, one on each end. On each side of the window casing put a screw, in which tie cords about two feet long, and on the ends of the cords tie the small hoops. Ordinarily these cords hang down by the side of the window and are concealed by the curtains. The board may be kept out of sight also. When ready for use the hooks on the cords fit into the screws on the sides of the board and the board is tilted back from the window. The window may then be opened as wide as the board is high. The slanting of the board pushes back the curtains and, while allowing air to enter, prevents the rain or snow from coming into the room.—Ladies' Home Journal.

## German Cabbage.

Remove all the loose leaves from a medium sized head of red cabbage, divide into fourths, and shred as finely as possible. Remove all the hard white part. Wash in a sieve and put in a kettle with one pint of water and two heaping tablespoonsful nice bacon fat. Cover and let it cook slowly for an hour. Add one-half cupful white wine vinegar, three heaping tablespoonsful sugar, a small piece stick cinnamon, a pinch of pepper, salt to taste, and three or four good sized tart apples, peeled and sliced. Cover and cook slowly for two hours longer. Stir often to prevent burning. It must not be too moist. This is nice to serve with roast goose or turkey.

## Almond Biscuits.

Take two whites of eggs, seven ounces castor sugar, two ounces of almonds. Blanch, shell, and chop the almonds. Put the whites of eggs into a perfectly dry basin; beat until quite stiff. Add the castor sugar and continue beating until the mixture once more becomes stiff and will stand stiffly. Lightly stir in the almonds. Place in teaspoonfuls on clear white paper on a baking sheet, and bake in a moderate oven until firm and cooked through. They will come easily away from the paper when cooked, and if they color before being sufficiently cooked, they should be covered with paper. They keep well in a tin box.

## Hot Potato Salad.

Cut one-fourth pound of sliced breakfast bacon into one-eighth inch strips crosswise. Fry until a nice brown and remove them from the pan. Add to the fat one good-sized slice of onion finely chopped. Cook two minutes. Add one-fourth level teaspoon pepper and vinegar to taste. Slice hot boiled potatoes. Stir the vinegar and fat until well blended, and add the potato. Serve on a bed of lettuce and sprinkle with the scraps of bacon.

## Croquettes for Luncheon.

Hominy, rice and macaroni croquettes make acceptable dishes, and may well be resorted to for varying the midday bill-of-fare. Since they are hot and nourishing, they replace some of the meat, and so lessen the bills. Cold macaroni cooked with cheese is easily made into croquettes. Season well with red pepper; dip them in egg and crumbs and fry in a deep fat.

## Liver Dumplings.

One quart bread crumbs, one-half pound beef liver, three eggs, one teaspoon salt and pepper, one-half teaspoon soda dissolved in a little water, two onions. Add enough flour to make a stiff batter. Drop spoonfuls of the batter in strained meat broth and let boil about 15 minutes.

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Spanish Proverb.  
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Where the Trouble Is.  
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Winter Tourist's Woe.  
A Boston young girl saw the scenery. Which in Florida's all to the greenery. But with tears in her eyes. She sighed in surprise. "Why, nowhere I look is a beanyery."

His Idea.  
Casey—What is this game called golf that I do be readin' about?  
Sullivan—Well, Mike, it's me own beleaf that it is hockey wid a college education.

Irrefutable Tramp Evidence.  
Tramp—I understand that a pocket-book, containing \$20,000 has been found on the street and you got it here. I lost it.

Police Justice—What proof have you got that you lost it?  
Tramp—This big hole in my pocket.

The Old Lady Was Willing.  
The delinquent subscriber who had been "dunned" beyond all endurance wrote the assistant editor:  
"Do let me know when I kin Ketch yer editor-in-chief in his office. Every time I stop that they tell me he's out. What I want to do is to beat hell outen him!"

The assistant editor replied:  
"Come right away. His wife says he's got both the devil and the other place in him, and she wants you to keep your word and beat 'em out of him. Come on."

Case for an Expert.  
"Have you fixed up my will just the way I told you?" asked the sick man, who was the possessor of many needy relatives and some well-to-do grasping ones.

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"A pleasant little surprise for you," responded Mrs. Brown. "You know you study this morning that you ought to study astronomy. I went to a bookstore and bought everything I could find on the subject."

"It was some minutes before he spoke," he then said, slowly, his face busy with emotion, "I never knew we must study astronomy; I said we must study economy."

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## THE SOFT ANSWER.



She—I will have the last word! He—You have the last line, my dear, that's a better game.

One to Three at Whist. The late Senator Hoar was extremely fond of whist, which he played with remarkable skill.

A friend says that the only time he ever knew the usually placid and mild man from Massachusetts to be absolutely impatient was when on the occasion at which the senator had an unusually stupid partner. Notwithstanding this handicap, the pair were playing right along even against good players.

In the middle of one game, some one paused behind the senator's chair and asked, "Well, senator, how are you getting on?"

"Very well, indeed," was the reply, in view of the fact that I have three adversaries."—Sunday Magazine.

## COFFEE DRINKING

Doctor Says it Weakens the Heart. "In my opinion," says a well known German physician, "no one can truthfully say that coffee agrees with him, if it has long since been proven that caffeine, contained in coffee, is an invigorant, poisonous substance which weakens and degenerates the heart muscles."

"For this reason the regular use of coffee, soon or late, causes a condition of undernourishment, which leads to various kinds of organic disease. "Convinced of this fact, I have often sought for some healthful beverage to use instead of coffee. At last I found the thing desired in Postum. Having occasion to forbid people using coffee, whose hearts were affected, I recommended Postum as a beverage, since it is free from all injurious or exciting substances. I know from results in my own family, and among patients."

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## THE LUST FOR GOLD

By EDWIN BLISS

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Supremacy satisfaction reposed on Joe's face as he closed the door of the Milton hotel behind him and meditatively drew a coat sleeve across his mouth.

"Relief wagon!" the old man muttered softly to himself. "Wa-al, I'm dummed! Relief wagon for Joe Milton, and his withered form was doubled up in gales of silent laughter. Slowly the old man walked up the crooked street with its ramshackle little frame dwellings leaning toward their counterparts across the way. Down the long, narrow grass-grown street running from the hotel to the foothills not a vestige of life was visible. Not a sound broke the stillness of the little mountain village; not a sign of human activity anywhere in the whole town.

He was a man of not much over 50 who looked 70—albeit a hale and hearty 70, with his snow-white hair gracefully framing a gentle, determined face. All the spirit of the unfamed west was in that face plus the refinement of the man who knows things and moreover knows that he knows them. His form was sturdy—yet not so rugged as it should have been to endure the hardships his solitude had forced upon him. For Joseph Milton was the sole inhabitant of Milton, Wyoming.

Twenty years before, he—then a prospector young at the game—had struck a pocket of high free gold. It was a rare fine vein and the farther he went the more it broadened and smiled at him. Not being a western man, he immediately hoisted it to the nearest town and invited his friends back east to share the bonanza. But even telegraph wires forsake the inane dash-and-dot system when loaded with messages of this sort and the magic word GOLD fairly sizzled from the ticker, so that all might hear. Suffice it, that immediately upon sending the message the Fremont operator forsook his keys and tollingly led the procession to Milton. Led the way—for he was followed by a vast concourse from all over the west. How they knew no one can say, but GOLD is written on men's foreheads in that country, and their boot heels spell out the magic word on the very ground they tread. By the time the easterners arrived, Milton—named for its discoverer—was a booming hell-hole of 10,000 souls, working like mad by day and playing like mad at night. Shanties were speedily erected; a hotel was built; stores went up; then came the local newspaper—The Thunderer; but all followed the gambling houses and saloons.

That was Milton's big day. It always is in a mining town—the time before the greed fever is satiated. Then came the reaction. The fever was on again. Mines thinned; veins mysteriously disappeared; always a foot from where the toilers stopped, discouraged, did they reap. Disappointment followed disappointment. Glade, 20 miles east, was booming. The gambling houses were thinning out. Then men began to move to later strikes—leaving good claims behind.

For a long time Joe Milton failed to realize the change—so sudden had the shock been. When he did, there was no brooding; only a mighty yearning to get them back, and a terrible hatred for the town that had called them. He set about his work in a slow, plodding way, getting out The Thunderer once a month now, instead of weekly; swung open the postoffice window just half as often, but fully as religiously; regularly went to the Mining Exchange, and, clanging the big gong over the clerk's desk, solemnly announced the suspension of business for the day; prepared his breakfast at the hotel, and ceremoniously ate it in the big dining room; bought all his goods from the deserted stocks, entered the purchase in the books, and deposited its value in the cash drawer. Never for one moment did he allow himself to regard his old townpeople as other than away on a visit. He had made Milton once; now he would remake it. So with pick and hammer every day the old man prospected.

And then one wonderful day—marvelously like another 20 years ago—he lit on a beautiful bit of rock, and that same day—irony of fate—the relief wagon called on the crazy inhabitant of Milton—for crazy, Joe had been dubbed for years. Frank Peters drove the wagon clear from Glade, and Joe received him, radiantly happy at his assay, on the steps of the hotel. Courteous as ever, he prepared a hospitable dinner for the man who had come to relieve his want; showed him over the old town with childish glee—the Exchange, stores, the latest copy of The Thunderer, with the notice of his latest strike, and gently saw him on his way back to Glade nonplussed. There was much mirth in Pete's that night as Peters told of his experience—mirth mixed with sadness as they thought of the plight of their erstwhile comrade. Crazy or sane—something in the very word "Gold" in that far western region has a power to send a chill over men's hearts and numb their brains. Gold—gold—gold—gold—gold—they had given the lives to the cabalistic word.

At midnight sat at the table where The Thunderer lay, glancing now and then at its tiresome repetitions. Suddenly he became as stone. "Boys!" he huskily called. A few men glanced from the bar in his direction, then turned away. Eagerly he traced some words out with his finger, then jumping from his seat, waved the paper aloft. Drummond seemed choking with excitement. His mouth opened and shut in a most alarming manner. Finally he fairly burst forth: "Look at ole Doc Barile!"

He threw the paper in their midst and lo! Do you suffer from rheumatism? Do not be discouraged because— Joe Milton assayed his strike of last Monday in Lone Gulch at 9 a. ton. Dr. Barile will cure you.

Twice they read. A moment they looked at each other in dismay and chagrin. Pellmell, helter-skelter they made for the door. No interchange of courtesies now. The gold thirst was upon them all and they fairly fought their way out.

"Cross country, ignoring the road, dashed the mad cavalcade—cross country—short cuts, anything to be first, on—on—on—while the sweat of horse and man blended in an indescribable steam. At last the town was in sight. The ponies were flecked with bloody foam and still they plied the quirt. Men dismounted and ran—ran like sprinters, notwithstanding their clumsy boots, up the grass-covered street of the town.

An old man stood in his shirt sleeves before the postoffice—the only placid figure in the world that day. Steadfastly he watched the crazy mob dashing up the street, some afoot, some horseback. They caught sight of him and a roar of joy went up to the heavens. An old smile curved the corners of his mouth as he slowly withdrew within the building and double barred the doors. The first man sprang forward and threw his weight against them, but not an iota of give was in their solid portals. Old Joe was not in sight, but peacefully sorting over the mail within the inclosure, just as he had sorted that same mail for five years. The whole mad mob was outside. Again and again they tested the door. It would not give. Boom! Crash, and it flew off its hinges under the mighty impact of their concerted weight. A mad surge forward and then—the mob halted under the muzzles of two nasty looking revolvers. Like a bit of steel came the old man's tones, every word distinct as the crack of a whip.

"Consarn ye, whad'd ye bust my door fer? This yer postoffice ain't never opened till three o'clock an' it ain't agoin' ter be."

"Come out, Joe! Come on out!" a lone man in the rear called. "Ye've waited five years for yer mail; reckon ye can wait till three o'clock," and click went the shutter right in the face of the nonplused mob.

Every second an hour, they stood. Waited when gold was in the very air about them. At last the shutter flew open with a snap and again the men sprang forward. "Where's the strike?" pleadingly. "Where's the strike, Joe?"

"Hold yer hosses an' get in line," This man was trifling with them. Maybe he was lying about the strike after all. Pete sprang forward, an ugly look on his face.

"Joe, ye're all right, but we want ter know 'bout that strike. Wuz ye joshin' us?"

A threatening murmur at the very suggestion arose. "Pete Browning, git in line, damn ye! Ye git in line now, I'm postmaster hyar, an' ye'll get yer mail fast er I'll know the reason why. They hain't agoin' ter be no disorderly conduct in my postoffice 'cordin' to the rules and regulations er the United States er Ameriky. Git in line!"

Sullenly the mob aligned itself before the little window and again it stretched its serpentine length through the building, down the street clear to the foothills. Silently they received their mail or asked for it, and sulkily ignored his pleasantries. Finally the last man was through and he emerged from his shelter.

"Naow, boys, come along. Postmaster show y' somethin' that'll—Hello! Hello! Silm! Hello, Jake! Hello! Hello! Hello! No! Wa-al, ye'll git it!"

The procession slowly followed his chuckling lead down the grass-grown main street of the town of Milton out into the foothills.

All that day did Joe show them his strike and help them stake claims around him. Merrily he showed them assays he had taken of deserted claims that now looked extremely good.

But at night when the tired, glad men assembled in Danny Callahan's, the old man seemed to lose his gaiety. The eager throng, pressing about, could drag from him nothing save monosyllables. Finally he looked up and said very softly, so that only those immediately around heard:

"Waal, boys, it's tough work for an ole man—this hyar minin'. Jes' let me watch ye, an' tend postoffice." A moment he paused at the door. "Don't ye reckon ye'd better see 'yer relief waggin back ter Glade? If ye stays a little while, ye won't need it ne more."

And as he slowly left the room, not a man but knew what he meant.

## AN OPPORTUNE TIME

\$571,225.00 a Year.

Fortune is said to knock at one's door but once in a life time, and opportunity is very often lost to the man or woman who waits until to-morrow to consider, and then forgets. Most of the great men of our country gained fame and wealth by arriving at conclusions and grasping the opportunity of a proffered fortune, before others could get in ahead of them. Such an opportunity is now offered to you and you should not turn it aside lightly. IT IS YOUR TIME. What we offer you is an investment as safe as any bank can give you and with much greater earning powers. GOLD IS THE STANDARD MONEY OF THE WORLD.

The Nevada Empress Gold Mines and Milling Company owns 140 acres of Nevada's richest mineral lands, there has been expended in cash on the property upwards of forty thousand dollars in opening up the vast rich ore bodies by great tunnels and shafts, and several tons of rich ore have been taken out ready for the mill, and many thousands tons are in sight in the great mine ready to be taken out, the average value of which by actual mill test is twenty dollars per ton.

The following figures are a conservative estimate of earnings of a forty-ton mill such as we shall install:

Capacity of mill per day...40 tons  
Value of ore per ton.....\$20.00  
Gross value per day.....\$800.00  
Cost of mining 40 tons.....\$60.00  
Mill expense per day.....15.00 \$95.00  
Net earnings per day....\$705.00  
Working days per year...313

Net earnings per year...\$220,665.00

Just consider these vast earnings for a moment and ask yourself if you can afford to let this opportunity go by, this is not all, we will increase our mill facilities to 100 tons within a few months, which will have an annual earning capacity of \$571,225.00. Here is a profit of over one hundred (100%) per cent on the outstanding capitalization. Can you conceive of anything so vastly rich?

We have an option on 50,000 shares of the Nevada Empress stock which we offer you at fifty (50) cents per share, par value one dollar fully paid and forever non-assessable. Don't let this opportunity to get some of this stock get away from you, you will never get another chance like this one. Don't wait until to-morrow lest you forget, but buy now or you may be forever too late.

We expect an over-subscription of this stock, therefore those that come first will be sure to get the stock and share the profits of this great company. All over-subscriptions will be returned with the money. The price of Nevada Empress shares will be advanced to \$1.00 after the closing of the sale of this 50,000 shares and there will be no more for sale after this issue. It is the company's intention to pay a dividend this year. No orders will be accepted for less than 100 shares. Remit by postoffice order or bank draft. Mail your order to us today, it may be too late to-morrow.

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SAFE TIP.  
Willie — Say, dad, I'll bet you there won't be any more plaster falling off the ceiling under the nursery.

Dad — Why, Billy? Willie — 'Cause they ain't no more left. We bumped it all off yesterday.

Out of the Usual. "Guess where I've been," said a man at the noonday lunch counter. "It is a city where in at least two churches they have little cuspidors which match the decorations of the church in the corners of the pews. In the vestibule of one of the large churches hangs a sign to this effect: 'No Spitting Allowed Inside the Church. Throw Away Your Tobacco as You Enter the Vestibule.' This is a fact. I can prove it!"

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It Was a Stage Brand. Gertrude, aged four, had been to the matinee. Later she tried to describe the play to a grown-up friend.

"They drank wine," said Gertrude, "and then they all went out."

"Well," said the friend, expectantly, "and what happened next?" Gertrude worked her small brain hard.

"I guess," she said, "they spit it out."

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## THEIR DEGREES OF HAPPINESS.

Marital Relations of Rural Postmasters Not All Serene.

The chief clerk of the post office department at Washington recently sent to all the postmasters in the country a list of questions asking for certain information, says the New York Sun, to be used in the preparation of the government Blue Book. One of the questions in the list was, "What are your marital relations?"

The object of this particular question was to find out whether the postmasters are married, single, widowed or divorced. But some of the rural postmasters did not understand, and many answers were received in which the persons addressed endeavored to give a clear and lucid explanation of the status of their married life. One postmaster briefly stated that his domestic affairs were "Fine and dandy." Another, not so fortunate, replied: "Fairly middling," while a third filled in the blank space with two words: "The worst."

## HIS ONE AVAILABLE ASSET.

Mr. Johnson Willing to Give Well-Written Note of Hand.

The financial prospects of Mr. Washington Lafayette Johnson were decidedly clouded, but he still preserved a sanguine spirit, which his friends did not always appreciate.

"I'd like to borrow jes' a little money ob you," said Mr. Johnson, confidentially, to a friend. "I—I wouldn't ax you fo' it, but I ain't got a single cent left in de world."

"What security can you gib me?" asked his friend, without any enthusiasm.

"Why, I gib you my note ob hand!" and Mr. Johnson looked pained and amazed at such a question. "I reckon you don't know what a good, clear handwriting I got in de evening school."—"Youth's Companion.

## Important to Mothers.

Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it Bears the Signature of *Wm. L. Douglas*.

In Use For Over 30 Years. The Kind You Have Always Bought.

## Where He Hung Out Most.

She was sulking over a broken resolution anent late hours, but forgetting this for one the nonce, he said: "Do you know, darling, I never tire of looking at this snapshot of you?"

"You might have it framed and hung up in the lodge, then," she answered tartly.

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