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CHELSEA, MICHIGAN, THURSDAY, MARCH 5, 1908.

WHOLE NUMBER 1902

NEW GOODS In All Departments

New Silks { In all the New Patterns and Colorings. }
New Dress Goods { We show all the new shades and weaves }
New Persian Lawns,
New India Linons,
New Waistings,
New Gingham.
New Prints,
New Shoes.

New Brown and
Bleached Cottons
At about the old prices.
Cheaper than they have been during the past year.

Special For Saturday Only
1,000 Yards
Lonsdale Bleached Cotton, in remnants of 1 to 5 yards, Saturday only, at **8c Yard.**

H. S. Holmes Mercantile 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 EPPLER.

BUY ONLY THE
BEST FLOUR:
It costs no more than common flour.
MIKOTA—The Best Spring Wheat Flour.
DIADAM—The Best Winter Wheat Flour.
Made by F. W. Stock & Sons, Hillsdale, Mich. Every Sack
Warranted. Sold in Chelsea only by
JOHN FARRELL, Pure Food Store.
Try it if you want the best results.

WATCHES, CLOCKS,
Rings, Charms and Jewelry of all kinds.
We have a large assortment of Gold Bowed Spectacles and Eye
Glasses. Every pair warranted to give satisfaction.
Repairing of all kinds done on short notice.
A. E. WINANS, Jeweler.

CASH MEAT MARKET
Our leader is fine, fat, juicy roasts of beef—grain fine as silk and
tender. Then there are our superb steaks, chops, poultry, pork and
sausage. We choose nothing but prime stock for our patrons and send it
home prepared appetizingly and ready to be put right in the oven.
Fresh Fish Fridays. Oysters in Season.
SPECIAL PRICE ON LARD in 25 and 50 pound cans. Give us a trial.
Phone 50
Free Delivery.
VAN RIPER & CHANDLER.

RESULT OF THE CAUCUSES

THERE WILL BE TWO TICKETS.

The Citizens and Workingmen's Both
Select Good Men—Election Next
Monday.

CITIZENS PARTY
The Citizens party held their caucus
in the town hall Tuesday evening. The
caucus was called to order by Dr. H. W.
Schmidt. Geo. A. BeGole was chosen
chairman, Dr. H. W. Schmidt, secretary,
B. B. Turnbull and C. H. Young, tellers.
The oath of office was administered by
H. D. Witherell.

D. C. McLaren and Geo. W. Beckwith
were then nominated as candidates for
president. The whole number of votes
cast were 241 of which D.C. McLaren re-
ceived 144 and Geo. W. Beckwith 92, and
Mr. McLaren was declared the choice
of the party. The ticket is as follows:
President—D. C. McLaren.
Clerk—C. W. Maroney.
Trustee for two years—Geo. A. BeGole,
N. H. Cook and L. P. Vogel.
Trustee for one year—W. D. Arnold
Treasurer—A. E. Winans.
Assessor—Wilbur VanRiper.
Committee for the coming year, B. B.
Turnbull, H. W. Schmidt and Geo. A.
BeGole.

WORKINGMEN'S PARTY.
The Workingmen's Party held their
caucus in the town hall Wednesday
evening. The caucus was called to
order by John Kalmbach, and George A.
Runciman was chosen as presiding
officer, George W. Millsbaugh was
selected as secretary, J. E. Weber and
Joseph Kolb were appointed tellers.
The following were named as the
party candidates for the village offices:
President—John Farrell.
Clerk—George W. Millsbaugh.
Trustees for two years—Frank Brooks,
Chauncey Hummel and J. G. Wagner.
Trustee for one year—Charles Car-
penter.
Treasurer—J. Nelson Dancer.
Assessor—George A. Runciman.
Committee for the coming year, A. W.
Wilkinson, John Kalmbach and J. D.
Watson.

Church Circles.
CONGREGATIONAL.
Rev. M. L. Grant, Pastor
The usual services will be held at the
regular hour next Sunday. The morn-
ing discourse will be "The Law and the
Gospel." This is the first of a series of
Lenten sermons on the teachings of
Jesus. The evening subject, "Tragedy
of a Great City."

BAPTIST CHURCH.
Rev. T. D. Denman, Pastor
Rev. Franklin Stiles, of Hudson, will
preach morning and evening.
On Wednesday evening, March 11, the
Young People's Society will give an en-
tertainment in the church. All are
cordially invited. No admission will be
charged but an offering will be taken.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE.
The Christian Science Society will
meet in the G. A. R. hall at the usual
hour next Sunday, March 8, 1908. Sub-
ject, "Man." Golden text, "Beware lest
any man spoil you through philosophy
and vain deceit, after the tradition of
men, after the rudiments of the world,
and not after Christ."

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH.
Rev. A. A. Schoen, Pastor
The usual services will be held next
Sunday. The first of a series of Lenten
sermons will be delivered at the morn-
ing service.
The Ladies' Aid Society will meet at
the home of Mrs. Chas. Steinbach, on
west Middle street, Friday afternoon of
this week.

M. E. CHURCH.
Rev. D. H. Glass, Pastor.
Sunday morning sermon, "The Fourth
Commandment, or Sabbath Observance."
Rev. William Dawe, D. D., will preach
in the evening.
Epworth League social and business
meeting, next week. This is the
annual meeting at which officers will be
elected for the coming year.
Prayer meeting Thursday evening at
the church. Lesson, "Whence did Jesus
get his wisdom?"

The New Pension Law.
Old soldiers state that there are
several widows in Chelsea and vicinity
on the pension roll who are directly af-
fected by the new pension law. The
new law enacts that the rate of pension
for widows, minor children under the
age of 16 years, and helpless minors,
now on the roll or hereafter to be
placed on the pension roll and entitled
to receive a less rate than hereinafter
provided, shall be \$12 per month, and
nothing shall be construed to affect the
existing allowance of \$2 per month for
each child under the age of 16 years

and for each helpless child; and all acts
or parts of acts inconsistent with the
provisions of this act are repealed.

Its second section provides that if
any officer or enlisted man who served
ninety days or more in the army or
navy of the United States during the
late civil war, and who has been hono-
rably discharged therefrom, has died or
shall hereafter die, leaving a widow,
such widow shall, on due proof of her
husband's death without proving his
death to be the result of his army or
navy service, be placed on the pension
roll from the date of the application
therefor under this act at the rate of
\$12 per month during her widowhood,
provided that the widow shall have
married that soldier or sailor prior to
June 27, 1890, and the benefits of this
section shall include those widows
whose husbands are given a pensionable
status under the act of February 15,
1895, and the joint resolutions of July 1,
1902, and June 28, 1906.

Constitutional Amendment.
An amendment to the constitution is
to be submitted to the qualified electors
on the first Monday in April 1908.

The following statement sets forth
the purpose, nature and effect of the
proposed amendment.

Section 10 of Article 14 of the consti-
tution, as it now reads, refers only to
the assessment of the property of cor-
porations. The object of the proposed
amendment is to authorize the assess-
ment of not only the property of cor-
porations, but also the property of
partnerships, associations, and indi-
viduals engaged in the business of
transporting passengers and freight,
transporting property by express, oper-
ating any union station or depot, trans-
mitting messages by telephone or tele-
graph, loaning cars, operating refrig-
erator cars, fast freight lines, or other
car lines, or operating or running cars
in any manner upon railroads, or en-
gaged in any other similar business.

The amendment if adopted places all
corporations, associations, partnerships
and individuals, engaged in a public
service business above mentioned upon
the same basis as to the assessment of
their property by the State Board of
Assessors.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

(OFFICIAL.)

Chelsea, Mich., March 2, 1908.
Board met in regular session, meeting
called to order by W. J. Knapp presi-
dent pro tem. Roll called by the clerk.
Present: trustees, Burkhardt, Knapp,
Schenk, Sweetland and McKune. Ab-
sent, F. P. Glazier president and trustee
H. I. Stimson.

Chelsea, Mich., February 21, 1908.
To the council of the village of Chelsea,
Gentlemen:

Inasmuch as I am now engaged in
work which makes it impossible for me
to give proper attention to my duties as
a member of the council of the village
of Chelsea, I herewith beg to submit
my resignation as a member of that
body to take immediate effect.

Respectfully,
H. I. STIMSON.

Moved by McKune, seconded by
Schenk that the resignation of H. I.
Stimson be accepted and the office de-
clared vacant. Carried.

Moved by Burkhardt, seconded by
Sweetland that the report of John
Farrell treasurer be accepted and pub-
lished. Carried.

On motion board adjourned.
W. H. HESELSCHWERDT, Clerk.

A New Bank.

The stock for a new bank to be known
as the Saline Savings Bank, of Saline,
has all been taken. The new bank is to
be capitalized at \$25,000 and most of the
stock has been taken by residents of
that village.

Geo. A. Lehman, who is well known to
our citizens, will be the cashier and he
is at work at present perfecting the
new organization. He is being assisted
in the work by W. F. Bradford, of De-
troit.

Mr. Lehman has had considerable ex-
perience in the banking business and
the citizens of Saline will find him a
genial gentleman and well qualified to
fill the responsible position to which he
has been chosen by the organizers of
the new banking house. The Standard
wishes him success in his new position.

Concert.

The Congregational church choir will
give a concert in the church, on Friday
evening, March 13. The following is
the program:

Organ Solo. Miss Helene Steinbach.
Contralto Solo. Miss Vivian Gilpin.
Male Quartet. Messrs. R. Schenk,
Winans, Snyder and Boyd.
Piano Duet. Mrs. Geo. Staffan and
Miss Crane.
Tenor Solo. Elmer Winans.
Contralto Solo. Miss Gilpin.
Organ Solo. Miss Steinbach.
Duet. Miss Crane, Mr. Winans.
Male Quartet.
Double Quartet. Misses W. Bacon,
Crane, Bartch, Maroney, Messrs. R.
Schenk, Winans, C. Schenk, Boyd.

BENEFIT OF MACCABEES

FRIDAY EVENING MARCH 6

A Break For Liberty A Five Act Drama
—Good Specialties Will be Given Be-
tween Acts.

Under the direction of W. D. Jefferson
and wife the five act drama, "A Break
For Liberty" will be given in the Chel-
sea Opera House, Friday evening, March
6, for the benefit of the Chelsea Maccab-
ees.

The cast for the drama is a strong
one and those who will assist Mr.
Jefferson have all had considerable ex-
perience on the stage and they play gives
promise of being one of the best of the
season.

The following is the cast of characters:
Harry Glyndon..... W. S. McLaren
Jack Glyndon..... Lee Young
Sim Lazarous..... W. D. Jefferson
Oliver Glyndon..... R. W. Thacher
Timothy O'Grady..... Fred G. Fuller
Capt. Hoogland..... Bert Steinbach
Searum, (a poet)..... John Reilly
Micky O'Flarety..... George Speer
Miss Worthington..... Flora Atkinson
Edna Sykes..... Josephine Heeselschwerdt
Ned, a cabin boy..... Gladys Jefferson
Topsy Carroll..... Mrs. Josie Johnson
Nomi Bradford..... Marletta Jefferson
The specialties between acts will be
given by the following: Mrs. William
Miller, Misses Winifred Bacon, Hazel
Speer, Mr. E. E. Winans, Ladies'
Quartet, Misses Spiernagle, Rattrey
and Eder.

Admission, children 15 cents, adults
25 cents, reserved seats, 35 cents, on
sale at Holmes & Walker's store. The
doors will open at 7 o'clock and curtain
raise at 8 o'clock standard time.

TOOK CARBOLIC ACID

Mrs. Mary Mayer of Waterloo Com-
mitted Suicide Last Friday Morning
—Funeral Held Monday.

"I have done the best I could, but
they have found fault with me. I can-
not rest. I cannot stand it any longer
and must die."

After writing a note in which she
used the above language, Mrs. Mary
Mayer, of Waterloo township, committed
suicide about 3 o'clock Friday morning
by taking carboic acid. Mrs. Mayer
had evidently been up all night, for she
was dressed. The first that was known
of the tragedy was when she called to
her daughter, Miss Emma Mayer, and
told her she had taken carboic acid.
The girl hurried to her side and asked
if she had taken it by mistake. Her
mother assured her it was not a mistake
but that she had taken it purposely to
die; that she could no longer bear up
under the strain from which she had
suffered for weeks. The daughter went
nearly wild with fright, going into con-
vulsions, but managed to run to her
uncle's house, where she gave the
alarm, and returned to her mother's
side, where she collapsed.

The whole neighborhood was greatly
shocked by the tragedy, and it has
created one of the greatest sensations
there in years. The talk is that section
is that Mrs. Mayer, who was 42 years
old, had become mentally unbalanced.
Relatives and friends who were closest
to her in everyday life had noticed that
she had attacks of despondency and ap-
peared to brood a great deal over her
misfortunes, although it was never
thought by any of them that it would
lead to her taking her life. She was
never considered insane, but from her
age and everything considered it is be-
lieved that she lost control of her
reasoning powers and in a fit of acute
despondency, she ended it all by tip-
ping a bottle of carboic acid to her lips
and dying a horrible death.

There was no one else in the house
but Mrs. Mayer's mother, Mrs. Waltz,
an elderly lady, 82 years of age. The
daughter quickly aroused her, and the
two rushed to her side and tried to re-
lieve her. Emma then managed to get
word to her uncle, and the doctor was
notified, but there was no help for her.
She had taken half an ounce of the
deadly poison, and died within a few
minutes after the doctor arrived.

The daughter, Emma, died early Sat-
urday morning from the shock of her
mother's death. Mrs. Mayer was the
wife of the late Fred Mayer, who died
about three years ago. The family was
in good circumstances and owned one of
the best farms in Waterloo township.
The funeral services of the mother
and daughter were held at 11 o'clock
Monday morning, in Munich.

Greatest spring tonic, drives out all
impurities. Makes the blood rich. Fills
you with warm, tingling life. Most re-
liable spring regulator. That's Hol-
mes' Rocky Mountain Tea. 35c. Tea
or Tablets. Freeman & Cummings Co.
Impure blood runs you down—makes
you an easy victim for organic diseases.
Burdock Blood Bitters purifies the
blood, cures the cause—builds you up.

Freeman & Cummings Co.

Offer the best goods at lowest prices; quick service
and a square deal to all

Grocery List.
Fancy Sweet Pickles 34 doz. 25c Large Dill Pickles 2 doz. 25c
Heinz Sauerkraut 5c pound Fancy White Honey 17c pound
Leader Brand Flour, Sack, 68c.
Jackson Gem Flour, sack, 70c Fancy Yellow Peaches, can, 20c
Canned Corn, Peas and Wax Beans, 3 cans for 25c.
Sliced Pine Apples in Syrup, can 17c.
Sweet Navel Oranges, dozen 17c Fancy Malaga Grapes, lb. 15c
Salted Peanuts, lb. 15c Good Chocolate Creams, lb. 15c
Good Mixed Candy, lb. 10c Broken Rice, 6 lbs. for 25c.
Roasted Rio Coffee, lb. 15c Good Japan Tea, lb. 25c
White Milling Co. Best Patent Flour, sack 75c

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 better one at 40c, the best made at 60c gallon.
Fresh 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.

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.

Hot Water Bottles.

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

Highest Market Price Paid for Butter and Eggs.

FREEMAN & CUMMINGS CO.

Buy the Little Things You Need

There are probably many little things in the hard-
ware line that you have felt in urgent need of many
times; but, like the little leak in the roof, they are
forgotten until "it rains."

Perhaps it is frequently a hammer, tack-puller,
chisel, wrench, or some small cooking utensil—some
odd piece—which your wife needs sorely at times when
you have no opportunity to get it for her.

We are making a marked reduction in just such
little things. They don't cost much at our reduced
prices; so, why do without them? Let's work together
and we'll both be better satisfied.

Lamb Wire Fence, the best along the pike, always
on hand.

HOLMES & WALKER
WE TREAT YOU RIGHT.

Fall and Winter Showing

OF
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 Suitings, Trouserings, 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.

From the State Capital

Information and Gossip Furnished by Special Correspondent at Lansing.

THE THAWS.

Harry and Evelyn to Be Separated.
So It Is Said.

Harry Thaw has refused to pay the bills presented to him by his attorneys for their own fees and for the expenses of his last trial. When a bill was presented to him by Attorney Peabody in Matteawan asylum, Thaw angrily exclaimed:

"I made no bargain to be sent to Matteawan, and no lawyer will get any money until I get out of here. I made a bargain to be acquitted, and not to be sent to an insane asylum."

It is currently reported that Evelyn Thaw demands \$1,000,000 to consent to the annulment of her marriage. Thaw says he won't give her a cent. Evelyn, in her Park avenue home, admitted that she had not seen her husband for some time, and said she believed the Thaw family has decided to eliminate her.

"They have no use for me now," she remarked. "But the story that there has been a conference in the Waldorf-Astoria between lawyers for the Thaw family and my lawyer is true. There could not have been such a conference without my knowledge."

"It was reported that a private detective employed by your husband made a report to his family which brought about this conference," she was told.

"That's another lie," she replied. "I have a signed statement from Detective Dougherty denying that he was employed to follow me, or that he had any information against my character."

Bound For Magdalena Bay.

The fleet of American battleships under Admiral Evans sailed from Calicut Saturday. The departing vessels were given a rousing send-off by the people. Several large steamers had been chartered to take out spectators to witness the departure. The fleet was reviewed outside the harbor by President Pardo.

President Pardo was received by Admiral Evans on board the flagship Connecticut and cordial toasts were exchanged, the admiral toasting Peru and everything Peruvian; and the president drinking to the health of everything American from President Roosevelt down.

The next stopping place of the fleet is Magdalena Bay, where, according to the schedule, the vessels will arrive March 14. The distance from Calicut to Magdalena Bay is 3,102 nautical miles.

Attempting suicide for the fourth time, Asa Brandt, of Battle Creek, still lives. It appears that he loved a woman who did not reciprocate his affections and he took chloroform.

THE MARKETS.

Detroit—Cattle: Extra fat, fed steers, 10.00 to 12.00; 1,200 to 1,500 lbs., 12.50 to 14.50; 1,500 to 2,000 lbs., 14.50 to 16.50; 2,000 to 2,500 lbs., 16.50 to 18.50; 2,500 to 3,000 lbs., 18.50 to 20.50; 3,000 to 3,500 lbs., 20.50 to 22.50; 3,500 to 4,000 lbs., 22.50 to 24.50; 4,000 to 4,500 lbs., 24.50 to 26.50; 4,500 to 5,000 lbs., 26.50 to 28.50; 5,000 to 5,500 lbs., 28.50 to 30.50; 5,500 to 6,000 lbs., 30.50 to 32.50; 6,000 to 6,500 lbs., 32.50 to 34.50; 6,500 to 7,000 lbs., 34.50 to 36.50; 7,000 to 7,500 lbs., 36.50 to 38.50; 7,500 to 8,000 lbs., 38.50 to 40.50; 8,000 to 8,500 lbs., 40.50 to 42.50; 8,500 to 9,000 lbs., 42.50 to 44.50; 9,000 to 9,500 lbs., 44.50 to 46.50; 9,500 to 10,000 lbs., 46.50 to 48.50; 10,000 to 10,500 lbs., 48.50 to 50.50; 10,500 to 11,000 lbs., 50.50 to 52.50; 11,000 to 11,500 lbs., 52.50 to 54.50; 11,500 to 12,000 lbs., 54.50 to 56.50; 12,000 to 12,500 lbs., 56.50 to 58.50; 12,500 to 13,000 lbs., 58.50 to 60.50; 13,000 to 13,500 lbs., 60.50 to 62.50; 13,500 to 14,000 lbs., 62.50 to 64.50; 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TO OUR PATRONS

Say, you don't know how glad I am to see all of you once more, and I will take this opportunity of shaking hands with you, and I hope that the pleasure is not all mine.

Laying aside all nonsense, this is just my way of announcing that I have purchased The Chelsea Standard-Herald and will have full charge of it in the future. The name will be changed back to The Chelsea Standard, which is a great deal easier to write and to speak. The Standard will endeavor at all times to give a large proportion of the happenings of Chelsea and vicinity in an impartial manner.

All subscription accounts will be payable to me, while all accounts for advertising and job printing up to March 1st are payable to G. C. Stimson.

O. T. HOOVER.

ADDITIONAL LOCAL EVENTS.

Fred J. Sager will sell at public auction on the Kempf farm 2 1/2 miles south of Chelsea on the Manchester road, on Thursday, March 12, commencing at 10 o'clock a. m. the following personal property, 10 head of horses, 9 head of cattle, 46 sheep, a full line of farm machinery, stoves and a number of household articles. Good lunch and hot coffee served at noon. F. D. Merithew, auctioneer, H. D. Withers, clerk.

The grand jury at Mason on Tuesday handed down three indictments against F. P. Glazier. In compliance with the statute their contents were not disclosed. The fact that there were three indictments indicates that the jury proceed under three different statutes. Sheriff Cline, of Ingham county, arrived in Chelsea Wednesday afternoon, and later in company with James S. Gorman visited Mr. Glazier's residence, where the warrant which had been issued for his arrest was served.

Mason Bros. claim to have engaged this season the strongest acting company ever secured to present the great play of Uncle Tom's Cabin. By dispensing with the customary street parade and by the employment of only actors and actresses of ability they have been able to present for the first time in the history of the drama a cast capable of giving a correct and capable production. From Uncle Tom down to the most insignificant role, the characters are in the hands of artists. The company makes a feature of its daily band concerts but, there is no street parade, the performance being given in the theaters and not on the streets. The company will appear in the Chelsea Opera House Tuesday evening, March 10.

He Wouldn't Set.

A Washington photographer, now famous, told the other day how in his youth he was practicing his art in Cleveland when Mark Twain visited the town to lecture. Impressed with the humorist's splendid features, the photographer, at the lecture's end, sent up a note asking Mr. Clemens for a sitting. The reply that came back was characteristic. It said: "A sitting? Is thy servant a hen that he should do this thing?"

Chinese Students Abroad.

The Board of education has asked the Chinese to order the Chinese students abroad, who are now maintained at the government expense for a short course of study, to further pursue their studies for another five years and then they will be duly examined, and if they pass they may be granted a suitable title. The appointments of Imperial sanction has been given to the memorial—Shanghai Mercury.

Comparison for Misfortune.

Never repine at misfortune, or envy the happiness of another, since it is impossible for any man to form a right judgment of his neighbor's sufferings, for which reason determine never to think too highly of another's complaints, but regard the sorrows of one's fellow creatures with sentiments of humanity and compassion—Addison.

Center of Needle Industry.

In the English town of Redditch about 2,000 men and women earn comfortable wages as needlemakers. They work about 50 hours a week in model factories. Redditch's yearly output of needles is in excess of 2,000,000,000.

Wicked New York.

"The police dogs are honest," reads a heading in the New York World. Well, that's something. But it must be remembered that those dogs are new to New York yet. Wait.

Cultivate Patience.

Patience is a bitter seed, but it yields sweet fruit.—Latin Proverb.

CORRESPONDENCE.

JERUSALEM.

Miss Ida Seitz, of Freedom, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. C. Koch. George Koenigster and wife entertained company from Detroit, Sunday.

Several from here attended the Schaible-Dintle wedding in Lodi, Wednesday.

Walter Paul, of Northfield, is spending some time at the home of Charles Barth.

Miss Louise Barth, of Ann Arbor, attended the funeral of her grandmother, Sunday.

Emanuel Eisenman and Albert Koch expect to move on the Walter Dancer farm in the near future.

The funeral of Mrs. Gottlob Koch, who died suddenly Saturday noon, was held from Zion church Tuesday.

LIMA CENTER.

Mrs. Fannie Freer has been ill for several days.

Mrs. Edith Stocking has been the guest of relatives in Ionia.

Arl Guerin was an Ypsilanti visitor one day last week.

Mrs. Emily Boynton, of Sylvan, has been spending a few days with Mrs. Fannie Ward.

Omig Stocking and wife, of Detroit, spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. Etta Stocking.

Jacob Staebler, of Ann Arbor, and Michael Paul, of Dexter, spent Monday with Fred Wenk.

Wm. Coe and wife and Arl and Estella Guerin attended the K. of P. party at Chelsea, Friday night.

O. C. Burkhardt, wife and daughter, Cora, Frank Storms and family were guests at the home of Mrs. Fannie Ward, Saturday afternoon.

SOUTHWEST MANCHESTER.

The W. F. M. society met with Mrs. S. O. Clark, Wednesday.

Wm. Johnson and wife returned from their northern trip Monday.

Mrs. Bessie Green is selling her household goods preparatory to moving to Los Angeles, California.

A party was given in honor of John Loucks and wife Tuesday evening but on account of the bad weather only a few could attend.

Edwin Gilbert Jr. had the misfortune while returning from a dance to be thrown from his cutter. The cutter was damaged, the horse ran away and "Teddy" was left rubbing his bruised head.

The Kappa Kappa Gamma met with Mrs. Margaret English, Saturday evening. The program was as follows: General song, recitation, Allan Stantz, instrumental solo, Minnie Grossman, essay, Will Coglan, recitation, Ruth Herman, general song.

NORTH SHARON.

John Monks began work for Wm. Aber, Monday.

Miss Edith Lawrence spent Saturday in Chelsea.

Hattie Ordway and daughters spent Saturday in Chelsea.

Mrs. Clarence Gage spent last Thursday with her mother, who is ill.

The box social for the school Friday night was well attended. Receipts over \$17.

Ashley Holden and wife visited at the home of their uncle, W. K. Guerin at Chelsea, Saturday.

Wm. Wolf moved his household goods to Grass Lake, Monday, where he will make his future home. His sister, Lydia, will keep house for him.

The Grass Lake and North Sharon Telephone Co. held their annual election at the home of A. P. Burch last Wednesday evening and elected the following officers: President, A. L. Holden; manager, C. Gage; secretary and treasurer, Wm. Dor.

Spring freshets are near at hand and with the amount of snow there is on the ground it is altogether likely when they do come much inconvenience and some loss will be caused by the water. At any rate if you live on low ground no harm can result from arranging your produce high and dry and within reach in your cellars so in case of a backing up of the water you may suffer no inconvenience.—Hillsdale Democrat.

SHARON.

Ruth Trolz has been on the sick list.

Rex Dorr, of Grass Lake, spent Sunday at home.

Ida and Homer Lehman are reported as being ill.

Mrs. Matt Kusterer and son are reported as being ill.

Mrs. C. C. Dorr is reported as being very much better.

Henry Lehman spent Sunday with John Bohner and family.

H. J. Reno and wife spent Saturday with relatives in Freedom.

Elmer Gage and family visited at the home of Wm. Dorr, Sunday.

Jacob Lehman and family were guests at the home of John Bristle, Sunday.

The new cheese factory at Sharon Hollow expect to begin operations this week.

Mrs. Clara O'Neil and son, Harry, visited at the home of H. P. O'Neil last week.

Wm. Heschelwerdt and wife, who have been quite ill with the grip are recovering.

Adam Oberschmidt purchased a new driving horse at the R. Cooper sale Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. O'Neil, of Adrian, are the proud parents of a ten pound girl.

Joe Schmidt, of Ann Arbor, a former resident of this place visited friends here last week.

Miss Marie Reno was a guest at the home of Mrs. Godfrey Beutler, Tuesday of last week.

LYNDON.

Wm. Alexander spent Tuesday in Detroit on business.

Born, February 29, to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Young, a son.

Vincent Young visited the school of District No. 12, Tuesday.

Geo. Reilly spent part of last week visiting friends at Bunker Hill.

C. Straith, of Detroit, spent part of last week with H. S. Barton and family.

Edward Fallen returned home Sunday from Wheeling, West Virginia.

Edward Cooper spent part of last week at Mason visiting friends and relatives.

Robert B. Howlett, of Ann Arbor, spent last Sunday with A. J. Boyce and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Clark are visiting at the home of their daughter, Myra, at Howell.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Young spent Sunday at Dexter visiting friends and relatives.

Mrs. Clara Stapish, of Dexter, spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. Michael Stapish.

Thomas Heatley spent Thursday of last week at the home of his mother, Mrs. M. A. Heatley.

Miss Frances McIntee, of Detroit, is visiting at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Eugene McIntee.

James Smith, who spent the past week with L. W. McKune, returned to his home in Ann Arbor last Sunday.

Various kinds of birds have arrived from their winter homes. Judging from that, spring will soon be here.

W. J. Howlett left Tuesday for Ann Arbor to act as juror from Lyndon for the March term of the circuit court.

The Messrs. Frank, Frederick and Thomas Stapish spent part of last week at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Stapish.

The Young People's Social Club gave their final social hop of the season at the hall Monday evening. About thirty couples were present and all report a good time. Alexander & Clark's Orchestra furnished the music.

Rev. Silas P. Warner, 87 years old, was found dead Saturday night at the home of City Assessor John S. Porter, his son-in-law of Saginaw. He was a Methodist minister, and formerly held many charges in Michigan, three in Detroit. In 1861 he raised a company for the Civil war at Grass Lake. He had been ailing for several days.

The Livingston Democratic Club will hold a banquet at the opera house in Howell, on Thursday evening, March 12. Senator Thomas P. Gore, "The Blind Senator," of Oklahoma, has been secured as the principal speaker.

NORTH LAKE.

Two sleighloads went to Unadilla Wednesday evening to attend the band social.

Wm. Long and young daughter took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Hinkley Saturday.

News reaches here that Mrs. Mattie Griffith is down with the grip in California; that healthy country.

The re-opening exercises of the church here, which has been in the hands of the workmen for some time, will take place Saturday and Sunday, March 7 and 8.

Saturday evening last the Unadilla band and the North Lake band and their ladies met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Glenn and enjoyed a musical treat and substantial lunch before leaving for home.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Webb and family, Miss Mary Whelan, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Hinkley called on Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Johnson and Hershall Watts the first of the week.

Death of Sister De Pazzi.

In our last issue we briefly announced the demise of good Sister Mary Magdalen De Pazzi, O. S. D. who died at St. Joseph's Academy, Adrian, February 9, aged 41 years. Deceased was formerly Miss Cora Burns, of Portland, Me., and she entered the convent 18 years ago. She was one of the most zealous members of her beloved community and was esteemed for her excellent mind and rare wisdom as well as for her gentler virtues. When the Sisters opened St. Mary's convent, Chelsea, she was appointed its first superior, and during her stay there earned the love and respect of all who had the happiness of forming her acquaintance. She was devoted to her work and until illness seized her, kept her school well in front by her painstaking care and skillful management. The children of the parish were devoted to her and mourn her deeply. Sister De Pazzi was a true religious, living only to foster the growth of God's church and seeking ever to inculcate Catholic doctrines into the hearts of little ones placed under her care. In her brief life she accomplished a great deal and wide regret is felt that God saw fit to call her to Himself when so much more could have been done, for she was one of those rare women, who always saw to it that every movement, every year of her life would be as a harvest rich with golden deeds and profit to the faith of which she was a glorious example.

The funeral was held from St. Joseph's Academy chapel, February 11, at 9:30 a. m. with solemn high mass, Rev. Wm. P. Considine, of Chelsea, was celebrant and he was assisted by the following: Deacon, Rev. F. W. Schaefer, C. P. S.; Rev. Adrian; sub-deacon, Rev. James Goe; master of ceremonies, Rev. M. J. Fleming; Adrian, Rev. H. D. Sullivan; Adrian, gave the absolution. Rev. P. Dwan, of Gagetown, preached a most eloquent and impressive sermon and in gentle, kindly tone spoke of the worth of the departed Sister and her loss to the community. Six pupils of the academy were pall-bearers and Rev. M. J. Fleming officiated at the grave.—Michigan Catholic.

Mrs. Harriett Irwin the administratrix will sell at public auction on the premises known as the Irwin blacksmith shop north Main street, Chelsea, on Saturday, March 7, commencing at 10 o'clock p. m. two buggies, blacksmith tools and a quantity of household goods. Geo. H. Foster, auctioneer.

How's This?

We offer one hundred dollars reward for any case of catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by him.

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Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Have One Doctor

No sense in running from one doctor to another. Select the best one, then stand by him. Do not delay, but consult him in time when you are sick. Ask his opinion of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral for coughs and colds. Then use it or not, just as he says.

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Baby won't suffer five minutes with croup if you apply Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil at once. It acts like magic.

Registration Notice.

Notice is hereby given, that the Board of Registration of the Village of Chelsea, Michigan, will meet for the purpose of completing the list of qualified voters of said Village, and of registering the names of all persons who shall be possessed of the necessary qualifications of electors, and who may apply for that purpose, on Saturday, the seventh day of March, A. D. 1908, at the place designated below: Council Room of Town. And that said Board of Registration will be in session on the day and at the place above mentioned, from 9 o'clock in the forenoon until 8 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, for the purpose above specified.

By Order of the Board of Registration of the Village of Chelsea.

Dated, at Chelsea, Mich., February 20, A. D. 1908.

W. H. HESELSCHWERDT, Village Clerk.

Notice of Election.

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held in the Village of Chelsea, County of Washtenaw, State of Michigan, on Monday, the Ninth day of March, A. D. 1908, for the purpose of electing the following officers:

One Clerk for one year. One Assessor for one year. One Treasurer for one year. Three Trustees for two years. One Trustee for one year.

The Polls of the Election in the said Village will be held at the place designated below: Main floor of Town Hall. The Polls will be open at 7 o'clock in the forenoon of said Ninth day of March, A. D. 1908, or as soon thereafter as may be, and will be closed at 5 o'clock in the afternoon of that day.

Dated, at Chelsea, Mich., February 20, A. D. 1908.

W. H. HESELSCHWERDT, Village Clerk.

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The Struggle Discourages Many a Citizen of Michigan.

Around all day with an aching back; Can't rest at night; Enough to make any one "give out." Doan's Kidney Pills will give renewed life.

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Wheat, red or white.....	93 to 95
Rye.....	80
Oats.....	50
Barley per hundred.....	\$1 35
Beans.....	1 30
Steers, heavy.....	4 25
Stockers.....	3 00 to 3 50
Cows, good.....	3 00
Veals.....	6 00
Hogs.....	4 15
Sheep, wethers.....	3 00 to 4 50
Sheep, ewes.....	3 00 to 3 50
Chickens, spring.....	08
Butter.....	18 to 20
Eggs.....	18
Potatoes.....	50
Onions.....	50 to 75
Apples.....	60 to 75
Cabbage per dozen.....	40

Alderman Max, of Ypsilanti, is having trouble because he kept his saloon open February 22, a legal holiday.

WANT COLUMN

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HORSE CLIPPING I am prepared to clip horses at the Chelsea House Barn. Telephone, 101, Della Goodwin.

WANTED—A girl or woman for general housework, in family of three. Address, Mrs. D. C. McLaren, Chelsea.

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WANTED—A good heavy four year old work horse. Inquire of W. K. Guerin.

TO RENT—A farm of 300 acres for cash or on shares, located 2 1/2 miles from Grass Lake. A fine chance for the right man. Address, lock box 356, Jackson, Mich.

WANTED—An experienced single, farm hand for eight months. Telephone Webster exchange phone No. 2-1-1, S. O. Davis, Dexter, Mich.

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.

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

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A. L. STEGER, DENTIST. Office—Kempf Bank Block. CHELSEA, MICHIGAN. Phone 82.

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Spring Shirts, largest assortment we have ever displayed, pleated effects, no ugly band at the bottom of the bosoms, pleated the full length of the shirt. Some with plain bosoms and all coat styles, \$1.00 to \$2.00.

New Spring Gloves for dress, walking, riding, driving or automobiling but then, after all is said and done, the retailer's claims do not weigh it's what the goods prove. On this basis we are very proud of our glove stock. \$1.00 to \$5.00 the pair, and we fit you.

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LOCAL ITEMS.

Miss Mame Ross left Tuesday for Detroit, where she will spend some time.

J. R. Gates was confined to his home several days of the past week by illness.

John Mohrlock and family have moved from Francisco, to the Ed. Easton farm, in Lima.

Gilbert Bronson and wife, of Detroit, visited at the home of Archie Clark, Sunday.

John Lingane spent a few days of last week with relatives and friends in Jackson.

There will be a regular meeting of Olive Chapter, O. E. S. Wednesday evening, March 11th.

Hollis Freeman gave an enjoyable sleighride party to number of his friends Friday evening.

A number of the young people of Chelsea attended a dance at Grass Lake Tuesday evening.

Ed. Vogel and wife left Wednesday for New York, where they will purchase goods for the H. S. Holmes Mercantile Company.

D. John Schenk has been appointed by Judge Leland administrator of the estate of the late Katherine Schenk, of Freedom.

Every Maccabee should attend the play in the Chelsea opera house, Friday evening of this week, as it is given for their benefit.

G. J. Heller of Scio will work the Kempf farm the coming year. This is the farm that Fred Sager has had charge of for many years.

The Bacon Co-Operative Co. has moved their stock of goods into the new store building recently completed by the Merkel Bros.

John McRlock, of Sylvan, has sold to Mrs. Carrie Palmer, lots 3 and 4, blocks 7, of Elisha Congdon's first addition to the village of Chelsea.

James Beasley and L. L. Winans and their crews were called to Michigan City to repair the telegraph lines which were broken down by the sleet storm.

Jacob Zang has in his possession a copy of the Democratic Free Press and Michigan Intelligencer, Vol. 1, No. 1, which was issued in Detroit May 5, 1831.

The Cavanaugh Lake Grange will hold a poverty social at the home of Herman J. Kruse, on Thursday evening, March 12th. Everybody cordially invited to be present.

About forty of the young people of St. Paul's church were very pleasantly entertained at the home of Fred Gross and family, of Lima, Tuesday evening. Refreshments were served.

The Young Ladies' Social Club gave a very enjoyable leap year dancing party in the rooms of the Young Men's Social Club, Tuesday evening. Several young people were present from Jackson.

In the Detroit Junior Journal of last Saturday, Max Roedel, a pupil in the seventh grade of the Chelsea public schools, received an honorable mention and his story was published in the paper.

There will be a meeting of R. P. Carpenter Post at the Post rooms Wednesday, March 11, at 2 p. m. All members are requested to be present, business of importance to come before the meeting.

A number of the pupils of the ninth grade of the Chelsea schools took a sleighride Tuesday evening to the residence of Eugene Smith at Cavanaugh Lake, where they spent a very enjoyable evening.

Mrs. L. Krum, of Leslie, fell one day the past week and broke both bones of her right arm. Mrs. Krum is the mother of Mrs. L. Tichenor, of Chelsea, and is 94 years of age. Mrs. Krum was for many years a resident of Sylvan.

Died, Thursday morning, March 5, 1908, Wm. W. Corwin, aged 30 years. The deceased has conducted a livery business in Chelsea for several years. He is survived by his wife, one child, his aged father, one brother and one sister.

The announcement at the time of the introduction of Miss Kidder at the M. E. church Monday evening, that that would be the last number of the lecture course, was an error. Better save your tickets, as the next number will be announced in a short time.

Fred Artz, sr., of Waterloo, died suddenly Wednesday morning, March 5, 1908. Mr. Artz has been in poor health for some months past. He has been a resident of that township for many years, and has been supervisor of the township a number of times.

Miss Lillie Wackenhut is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Adolph Eisen, of Detroit.

Frank Leahy and Thomas Dunnigan, of Indiana, were Chelsea visitors Wednesday.

There will be a school officers meeting in the court house at Ann Arbor, Thursday, March 12th.

The eighth grade of the Chelsea public schools will have a sleighride party this evening.

Mrs. W. H. Housman, of Eaton Rapids was the guest of Rev. and Mrs. T. D. Dennan, Wednesday.

The donation at the Congregational church Wednesday evening resulted in the receipt of about \$80.

The officers of the L. O. T. M. M. had a very enjoyable scrub lunch at the home of Mrs. Jas. Speer, Tuesday evening.

John Sullivan, of Lyndon, who has been attending assumption college, Sandwich, Ontario, returned to his home Wednesday.

The next regular meeting of Cavanaugh Lake Grange, will be held Tuesday evening, March 10th, at the home of John Killmer, jr.

The Waterloo Cemetery Association will hold their annual meeting at the store of Henry Gorton & Son, at 2 o'clock on Saturday afternoon of this week.

The \$100,000 stock of merchandise of the A. E. Fletcher Co. of Jackson has been placed in the hands of trustees to be sold for the benefit of the creditors.

The funeral of Mrs. Katherine Braun, a pioneer resident of Freedom was held last Saturday. The deceased was the mother of Mrs. Peter Lehman, of Ann Arbor.

The M. C. wrecking crew was called here Sunday morning to replace a coal car on the rails. The car was derailed at the switch east of the local passenger station.

There were 60 deaths and 54 births in Washtenaw county during the month of January, according to that newsy state publication, The Michigan Monthly Bulletin of Vital Statistics.

Receiver Wedemeyer, of the Chelsea Savings Bank, requests that all who have not proved their claims shall call at the bank and do so within the coming two weeks, that is, not later than March 19.

The reader and impersonator, Miss Hutchinson, accompanied by two young ladies of Chelsea, visited St. Mary's parochial school, last Thursday. Miss Hutchinson rendered several fine selections which were enjoyed by the Sisters and pupils.

Alvin Baldwin has two government land grants for the farm which he owns in Lima township. One of them was given January 3, 1831, to John Fabrique for 80 acres and the other to Durias Pierce, September 10, 1834, for 160 acres. Mr. Baldwin is the third owner of the 160 acres of land.

Valery Fenn, the little two year old son of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Fenn, of Jackson, died Sunday morning from scarlet fever. Besides the parents, two brothers and one sister survive him. The deceased was a grandson of Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Fenn, of Chelsea. The funeral was held from the family home Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

The supreme court in a decision handed down last October, in the Helme case at Adrian, having decided that voting machines in their present form are illegal, when more than one man is to be elected for the same office, like village trustees, the election commissioners for the village have decided to use the old ballot system for village election Monday.

Mrs. Christina Barth, died at the home of her son, Charles Barth, of Lima, Friday, February 28, 1908, aged 84 years, 7 months and 15 days. The deceased is survived by two sons, Charles Barth of Lima and George Barth, of Stockbridge, and one daughter, Mrs. Christina Kuhn, of Freedom. The funeral was held from her late home last Sunday morning, Rev. Lemster officiating. Interment Rogers Corners, Freedom.

Fred A. Howlett and wife Martin E. Kuhn and wife, Fred Marshall and wife, Mrs. Jas. Burden and Delbert Braley, of Gregory, made up a sleigh ride party, and were the guests of J. D. Watson and wife Tuesday evening. They found a number of the Chelsea friends of Mr. and Mrs. Watson helping the former celebrate his birthday, and they joined in the festivities in a hearty manner. The evening was spent in playing games and partaking of a fine lunch.

Among the old deeds from the government, J. P. Wood has two that were given to his father, Ed Wood, one is dated January 3, 1841, and is signed by President Jackson, and the other one was granted by President VanBuren, May 5, 1837. The first deed was for 160 acres of land in Ann Arbor township, and the second grant is for land on which a portion of Stockbridge is built. Mr. Wood also has in his possession a land grant to his father in 1827 which is signed by President, John Q. Adams.

Winding-Up Sale of Winter Goods

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during February resulted in reducing our stock beyond expectation, but we can't stop at that, this is our final effort to close out everything in Heavy Weight Goods. As the season advances we realize the necessity of still

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Therefore, during the month of March we will offer greater values than ever before. Not a dollar worth of seasonable goods that can possibly be turned into money will be carried over. Not old plunder, but high-grade desirable merchandise that you can't get away from, especially at the prices we now ask.

OVERCOATS.

All Men's and Boys' Overcoats now on hand will be cleaned out quick. Price cuts no figure. Only a few Men's Fur Coats, Ulsters and Reefer Coats left, and the prices away down. Men's and Boys' Heavy Weight Suits and Odd Pants share in the cut.

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At the close of business, February 14, 1908, as called for by the Commissioner of the Banking Department.

RESOURCES.	
Loans and discounts	\$ 77,625 95
Bonds, mortgages and securities	351,273 36
Premiums paid on bonds	593 33
Overdrafts	2,158 57
Banking house	15,000 00
Furniture and fixtures	5,000 00
Other real estate	4,165 80
Due from other banks and bankers	237 00
Items in transit	11 25
U. S. bonds	\$ 2,560 00
Due from banks in reserve cities	57,762 86
U. S. and National bank currency	12,130 00
Gold coin	17,215 00
Silver coin	3,123 35
Nickels and cents	344 60
Checks, and other cash items	271 04
Total	\$549,412 11

LIABILITIES	
Capital stock paid in	\$ 40,000 00
Surplus	15,000 00
Undivided profits, net	6,748 89
Dividends unpaid	64 00
Commercial deposits	85,630 11
Certificates of deposit	30,263 90
Certified checks	457 67
Cashier's checks	330,771 67
Savings deposits	40,486 47
Savings certificates	487,003 22
Total	\$549,412 11

State of Michigan, County of Washtenaw, ss.
I, Geo. A. BeGole, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.GEO. A. BEGOLE, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24th day of Feb., 1908.My commission expires Feb. 5, 1911.
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OST TEMPER WAS COSTLY.

Poet Banker Threw Away and Bought Back His Own Property.

Edmund Clarence Stedman, the poet banker, had a high temper and was exceedingly sensitive. One day, exasperated by the crass stupidity of a servant, he threw a book at his head. The book struck the servant on the forehead and the book sailed out of the window. After it hurried to the ground, he was too late; a passerby had picked it up and walked off with it. Stedman began to wonder what book he had thrown away, and to his horror discovered that it was a quaint and rare little volume for which he had paid \$50. His chagrin was intense, as the work was almost unique and the prospects of replacing it were remote.

Some time afterward, when browsing in a second-hand book shop, our splendid poet banker perceived to his great delight a copy of the very book he had lost. He asked the price. "It's very rare," replied the dealer, "but as you are an old customer I'll let you have it for \$10; nobody else could have it for less than \$50." Stedman gladly paid the \$10, got home with his treasure as soon as possible, and sat down to read it. A card dropped out of the leaves. It was his own. Further examination showed that he had bought back his property. It cured him of casting books at servants' heads.—New York Press.

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An Impromptu Bull-Fight

By MAIA BURNHAM

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It was within a fortnight of the opening of the Plaza de Toros in the capital, and agents had been scouring the immediate suburbs in search of bulls—young and sufficiently untamed to meet the requirements of the Corrida. The principal source of supply was drawn from one Maximino Gomez, a half-breed cattle owner.

This season, however, had been an unusually unlucky one, inasmuch as disease had killed off a very large number of the cattle in that region, and Gomez had been one of the heaviest losers. Standing under the one shade-tree that his corral afforded he took a last despondent inventory of the thin and drooping animals browsing outside, and turned over in his hand the agent's letter.

The man seemed to take a dismal satisfaction in reading and re-reading a document that promised prompt payment for the immediate delivery of several first-class bulls. He had spent the entire day in a vain endeavor to convince himself that he could fill the order, at least in part, and he had finally been forced to admit that he did not possess a single animal that any self-respecting matador would tolerate in the ring. And what was worse, none of his neighbors had any bulls to sell. The only man who might, if he would, help him out of the predicament was Don Pedro Benavente, a rich rancher, whose territory ran parallel with Gomez' at the western boundary.

Stooping, he caught up the lasso that he had thrown down in final disgust, and was about to leave the corral when a short, deep bellow in the distance attracted his attention. He stopped and listened. Presently he heard it again, this time a little nearer.

He walked toward the gateway and waited. In a few moments the animal appeared, crashing through the shrubbery that bordered the clearing, and Gomez saw that it was not one of his. It was a young bull that had evidently strayed through some break in a neighbor's fence and, attracted by the lowing of the nearby cattle, had found its way to Gomez' corral.

The man stood perfectly still until it came near enough, then his arm flashed upward and the noose described three circles over his head, falling neatly around the neck of the startled animal. He tied the rope to a fence-bail and inspected his prize. It was a splendid animal, and, as he had suspected, it bore the curious and unmistakable brand of Benavente. For a long while he stood considering, and pulling nervously at his black moustache. Not that he was harassed by any conscientious scruples, nor that he was wasting any thought on the ethics of the case, but he knew that a convicted cattle-thief was dealt with summarily and most unpleasantly in that region, and so he weighed most carefully his chances of eluding discovery. By leaving the ranch at dawn he could have the animal well out of the district before it would be even missed, and once delivered to the agent, who was not abnormally curious in matters of this kind, all trace of the bull would be speedily lost.

The sound of his horse's retreating hoofs had scarcely died away when the scattered cattle turned their heads in the opposite direction, where a great disturbance in the underbrush had suddenly begun. With much crackling of broken twigs and swaying of foliage, a horse and rider emerged into the open. The horse was an ordinary broncho, but the rider could not have been duplicated anywhere between that ranch and the frontier. It was a fact, a remarkably pretty girl, in a fashionable shirt-waist and corset riding skirt, gloves and hatless, her heavy golden braids coiled round and round on her shapely head.

She immediately spied the solitary bull in the corral. "Oh, you young sinner!" she called out gayly. "What a chase you've given me! But you see, these people have found out and shut you up in there to keep you for us; and now I am going to take you home!"

Riding round to the gate, she dismounted, and managed, with some difficulty, to lower the bars; the imprisoned bull, meanwhile, standing with irritably twitching tail, and watching the proceedings with a suspicious and unfriendly eye. His neck still smarted from the viciously tightening tug of Gomez' lasso, and he was in a mood to resist any further bullying.

When the newcomer rode into the corral he faced about and tore angrily at the earth with his horns. The girl instantly drew rein. She had not seen a bull do this before and she felt the first twinge of alarm. Before she had time to turn back he had rushed almost upon them, with head lowered for battle.

The rider struggled with all her young might to regain control of an animal that had no better instinct, in fending for himself, than to run wildly in the wrong direction. It was useless. Then, her wits returning to her, she remembered her pistol, and with a quick wrenching open of the holster, and an aim that was fairly steady, she fired, cutting a red furrow

in the thick skin of the bull's neck. This was for a moment, effective. He stopped short, bellowed furiously, and tossed up a cloud of dust. She fired again—and missed. Suddenly, in the confusion, just how she never remembered—everything was different. The desperate horse had wheeled—not quite in time. The bull had caught him on one horn, a blow glancing but deadly, tearing a hideous gash in his sides. The poor animal sank to its knees with a groan. Her face distorted with terror, the girl kicked away the stirrup, clutched the saddle-horn with both hands, and swung to her feet. At the same moment her horse lurched heavily forward and rolled over. The next instant a lasso flashed before her eyes, and she saw the bull serve aside. A reassuring voice called out to her, and she turned to see Maximino Gomez making fast the rope. But she was too frightened to realize just what had happened.

"Oh, help me over!" she gasped; "I shall be killed!"

"I've got him!" called the man. "He is tied fast. Wait there. I will come in and look at your horse. It seems to be badly hurt."

He dismounted and climbed lightly over the bars.

"It may not die," he said, after examining the wound. "But it will be quite useless for a long time. Have you furs to go?"

"I am visiting the family of Senor Benavente. I am a stranger here. Can you lend me some kind of an animal to carry me home?"

"Assuredly, Senorita." He turned again to the wounded horse, which lay passively on its side, breathing heavily. With several quick slashes the girl fell away, and the man removed the saddle.

"You must wait a little," he said, spreading the small blanket on the ground beside her, "until I can get your saddle patched up. Will you rest here while I work at it?" He crossed the fence again, and presently returned with the girl strap from his own saddle. He seated himself on the ground, a short distance away, and set about securing the slender leather thongs to the smaller saddle.

The girl, hugging her knees, watched him curiously. After awhile she asked: "Do you not wonder how it is that I came to be fighting a bull in your corral?"

"Well, Senorita, I will own that it does not happen every day. His keen eyes rested on her in a strangely wistful manner. "You had a narrow escape. I came pretty fast when I heard the pistol shots."

The girl turned her glance for an instant toward the wounded horse, and shivered. "It was fairly close. I was never so frightened in all my life. Senor Benavente's vaqueros are rounding up the stragglers, and I have been on the hills with them every day. It is great sport. To-day I let one get away. I saw him go through a break in the fence, and I followed, but lost track of him for awhile in the thick underbrush by the river. Then I heard your cattle, and knew he must have come over here."

Gomez' fingers were still busy with the saddle straps, but his eyes scarcely left the fair young face before him. When he had repaired the saddle Gomez stood up. "I am going to put your saddle on my horse now," he said. A few moments later he led his animal into the corral.

He helped her mount and she gathered up the reins, beaming upon him. "You will receive your horse to-morrow, when we send for the bull. I leave for New York in a very few days, but I shall never forget that you saved my life this afternoon; and if you ever need a friend I hope you will write to me, to the address I will send you." She held out her hand. "Good-bye!"

Gomez felt the touch of her cool fingers for a bewildered instant, and then he knew that she was gone and he would never see her again. He went over to the wounded horse and lifted its head. It was dead. Lying on the ground, where it had been hidden by the thick mane, lay a small pistol. He picked it up. It was an ordinary revolver of no great value, but he jerked off the silk handkerchief that was knotted about his throat and rolled the pistol in it. As he did this his eye fell upon a small yellow object shining near his foot—a small gold hairpin, curiously wrought—a fragment of the aureole! The pistol he would return, but this—this she surely would not miss! Surely the young saint with the heavy gold braids had many more such! Recently he turned it over in his hand, as he might a blessed relic of the church, and felt in his pocket for something to hide it in. He pulled out the agent's letter. Very carefully he shaped a neat little packet about his treasure. Taking out his old tobacco pouch he spilled the brown powder on the ground, slapping it against his knee to be sure that every particle of the ill-smelling stuff was dislodged. When the paper packet had been securely fitted into this he thrust it into his breast. Then, in the soft gray light of the swiftly-dying day, Maximino Gomez left the corral.

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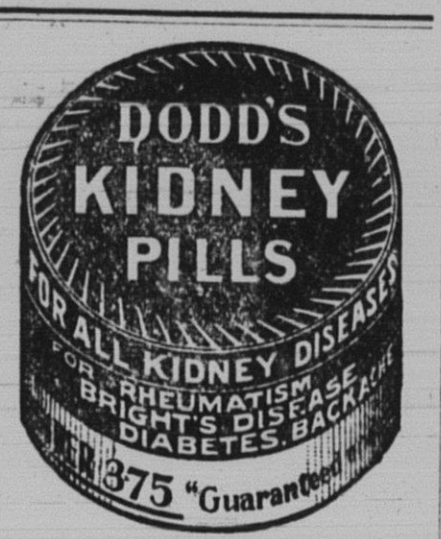
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