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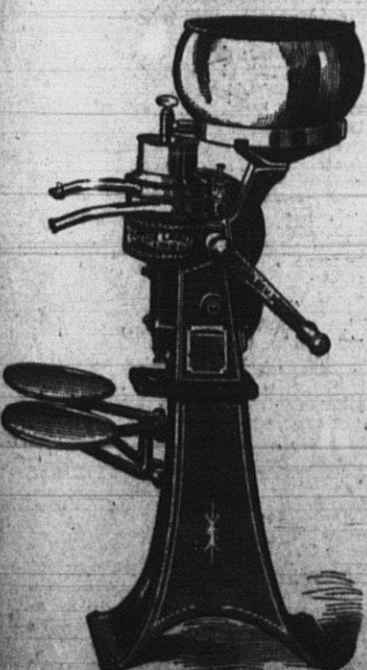
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WE TREAT YOURSIGHT.

Couldn't Stand For It.

Culhane's Comedians, which was booked to give three performances at the Sylvan theatre, gave the first one Monday evening, before a good sized audience. The first was the last, and Manager McLaren served notice on the manager of the company that he could not stand for any more such stuff, and the company left town Tuesday afternoon. Manager McLaren is endeavoring to give the people of Chelsea first-class attractions, and although he may get fooled once in a while, he will not stand for a repetition of the farce by the same company.

To Move Highway.

Supervisor Beckwith, Highway Commissioner Geddes, a civil engineer and the roadmaster of the Michigan Central on Monday drove over the highway from the west Guthrie crossing to the Sylvan crossing on an inspection trip. The Michigan Central is raising their tracks and road bed west from Chelsea to a point near Francisco, and in order to make the change in the grade it will be necessary for the company to have a strip of land about twenty-five feet wide. The officials of the road would like to move the highway to the north twenty-feet, and in order to do so, the railway company will purchase a strip of land off the adjoining farms. The Central company will, if their request is granted, grade the highway, and place everything in proper shape without cost to the township. The township board has not taken any action upon the subject, but they expect to hold a meeting in the near future to take up the matter.

State Pays Deserted Wives.

The state of Michigan is now paying \$115 a month to the wives and children of seven inmates of the prison who are serving time for desertion. A peculiar feature of the law under which this money is disbursed is that none of the money which the deserter may earn by working over-time in prison can go to the state or to his family unless he requests that such disposition be made of it.

Under a statute of the legislature of 1907 the warden of the prison is required to compensate wives and children of men imprisoned for desertion if proof that they are indigent is presented. The proof is presented to county superintendents of the poor and the check is sent to them, payment to the amount of \$1.50 per month being made the widow and 40 cents per month to each minor child. The crime of desertion is thus established on a different basis than any other crime, for the families of men sent up for anything from petty stealing to murder must hustle for themselves.

Circuit Court Busy.

The October term of the circuit court opened Monday with a large docket.

There are ten criminal cases on the docket, 54 issues of fact and 28 chancery cases.

There are also seven cases on the docket against the D. J. & C. company one being the case of Edith Robinson administrator of the estate of the late Bert Robinson who was killed in a collision between a small car and an interurban two years ago last summer. This case was on the May docket and was continued over the term. Another case against the railroad is that of George Meade, the conductor on the limited car which was in the wreck east of Ypsilanti a year ago last April.

There are ten divorces on the docket, two cases of the board of education of the city of Ann Arbor against the Fidelity & Deposit company of Maryland, the case of William J. Knapp against School District No. 3, fractional of Sylvan and Lima which grew out of the troubles of the Chelsea school board; and two cases against Sheriff Sutton growing out of the case in which the latter arrested Ernest Rogers and Joseph Schmid on a charge of cattle stealing.

There is one slander case, that of the Chelsea Horse Breeders' association against James Barth. There are also several suits brought by W. W. Wedemeyer as receiver of the Chelsea Savings bank one against Henrietta M. Glazier, one against Harold P. Glazier, one against Vera Glazier, one against School District No. 3, fractional of Sylvan and Lima, one against Victor D. Hindelang and one against Vera G. Harold R. Emily J. and Henrietta M. Glazier.

CARL S. JONES SEEN IN WASHINGTON STATE

FLOYD WARD, OF CHELSEA, SAW THE WANDERER RECENTLY.

Rev. C. S. Jones, the Detroit minister, who mysteriously disappeared from his home in that city about the first of August, was seen and recognized recently, in Centralia, Lewis county, Washington, by Floyd Ward, of this place, who is with "The Time, The Place and The Girl" company which is touring the west and north-west. As Mr. Ward sang in the choir for five years while Mr. Jones was pastor of the Congregational church here, he could not be mistaken in his identity of the missing pastor, although Jones, who was accompanied by a woman, refused to recognize Ward. The last sight the Chelsea man had of the wanderer was when he and his companion took a train headed for Portland, Oregon.

Corn Shredder Law.

There is a penalty providing for a fine not exceeding \$100, or six months in jail or both prohibiting the use of a corn shredder which is not equipped with automatic feeders and safeguards to protect the operator. The law was passed two years ago but the reports of such accidents which continually come in would show the law is not being lived up to.

New Drain Commissioner Law.

Queries are coming into the capitol relative to act 118 of the laws passed by the legislature of 1909. It prescribes that one drain commissioner shall be elected in each county in 1910, and one every second year thereafter. The next sentence states that the term of office of such commissioner shall continue for four years and drain commissioners and prospective drain commissioners are wondering what the act means. It is said that the ruling probably will be that the legislative intent was to provide for a two-year term, and this will govern.

Lost His Leg.

Several months ago John Hassenzahl received a serious injury to the bones of his leg by the overturning of a straw stack. At first the injury seemed to be healing, but Mr. Hassenzahl had the misfortune to repeatedly bruise the injured limb which finally caused an affection under the kneecap which refused to yield to the treatment of the most skilled physicians. Last Friday the unfortunate man was taken to the University hospital in Ann Arbor where the leg was amputated just above the knee. At last reports he was doing as well as could be expected. Mr. Hassenzahl has a large family to support and commands the sympathy of all.—Grass Lake News.

It Costs a Bit.

Auditor General O. B. Fuller furnishes figures to show what it costs to run the state of Michigan, and these figures will be of great interest to every taxpayer and citizen.

The figures show the average daily expenditure for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1909. There was expended by the state for all purposes, the sum of \$18,670,900 per day, exclusive of primary school money; \$130,696.30 per week; \$567,906.53 per month, and the aggregate for the year reached the total of \$6,814,878.36.

If to this total the primary school money was added, the sum would be over \$32,000 daily and would approximate a million dollars each month.

No Falling Off.

Although the requirements for entrance in the medical department are more rigid than in other years, the present indications are that the entering class will not be materially smaller.

This fall marks the change from a four to a six-year course in this department of the U. of M. Heretofore students might take a six-year course or not, as they chose, but hereafter all medical students must take 90 hours' work in the literary department, thus making his medical course extend through six years.

Michigan is among the first of the colleges to make certain culture work compulsory, and the fact that it does not seem to materially affect her prospects in the number of freshmen about to enter is considered a mark of approval by the U. of M. The change made this year went into effect last September.

Better Sanitary Conditions.

Dr. F. W. Shumway, secretary of the state board of health, reports he will, in the near future, call a meeting of representatives of all the railroads doing business in this state to discuss the provisions of the new law giving the board authority to require certain sanitary precaution on all passenger trains for the protection of the traveling public.

Signed a Decree.

Judge Donovan of Detroit last week signed a decree of divorce in the suit of Perley E. Jones against Maud M. Jones. The case was heard October 5, 1908. Mr. Jones is a brother of Rev. Carl S. Jones, the former pastor of the North Congregational church in Detroit and formerly pastor in the Chelsea Congregational church, who mysteriously disappeared about August 1.

Raised Their Pay.

The Detroit United has announced an increase in the pay of all motormen and conductors on their lines. This increase for the men employed on the Detroit city lines and the interurban lines out of Detroit will increase all but the first year men. According to the old scale first year men received 23 cents per hour, second year men 24 cents and third year men 25 cents per hour. According to the scale being posted first year men will receive 23 cents per hour, second year men 25 cents per hour and third year men 27 cents per hour.

Farmers' Club.

The next meeting of the Western Washtenaw Farmers' Club will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Laird, Friday, October 15, 1909. The following is the program:

Music.
Roll call—Quotations from Josh Billings.
Recitation—Mrs. John F. Waltrous. Should there be a general housecleaning in the autumn? Discussion by the Sisters.
Reading—Mrs. Chas. Fish.
Recitation.
Is the credit system a benefit to the farmer? George Chapman, Wesley Canfield.
Music.
Robert Gibbons, of Detroit, and L. L. Harsh, of Union City, will be present and deliver addresses.
Conveyances will meet the 9:50 and 11:50 electric cars at the west Guthrie crossing.

Choral Union Concerts.

The concerts offered on the Choral Union and May Festival Series at Ann Arbor, this year have been announced and shows that an unusually interesting series has been arranged.—During the past several years a large number of Chelsea people have been in attendance and the number this year will undoubtedly be greater. Schumann-Heink, the general favorite, will start the series on October 25. The announcement of her appearance immediately called forth the enthusiastic approval of music lovers of this vicinity. November 12, an opportunity will be had to hear one of Hungary's greatest pianists in the personage of Yolanda Mero, who will make her American debut in New York, a few days previously. On December 3, Cecil Fanning, the baritone who has been causing so much enthusiasm in music circles during the past few years, on account of his superb musicianship will give a song recital. On January 31, the old favorites, the Kneisel String Quartet will appear, while the winter series will terminate on March 1, by a violin recital by Kreisler, perhaps the greatest living master of this instrument.

The details of the Festival have not yet been definitely arranged, but many of the more general plans have been decided upon. The Thomas Orchestra will again take part during all of the five concerts. The Wednesday evening concert will be changed somewhat, in that the Choral Union will appear the role of several short popular works. On Thursday evening Wolf-Ferrari's popular work "The New Life" will be given, while the Saturday evening will probably be given over to Bruch's "Odysseus." Negotiations are pending with parties of distinction, and full details will be announced shortly. Chelsea patrons may purchase tickets of Miss Helene Steinbach at the usual price of \$3.00.

Up Before The Bar.

N. H. Brown, an attorney, of Pittsfield, Vt., writes: "We have used Dr. King's New Life Pills for years and find them such a good family medicine we wouldn't be without them for anything. Constipation, biliousness, such headache they cure, and I can't say enough for them."

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PERSONAL MENTION.

William Peck was a Chelsea visitor Saturday.

Walter Kantlehner spent Sunday in Dexter.

Miss Lizzie Wagner was a Jackson visitor Friday.

R. D. Bolster, of Detroit, was in town Tuesday.

Charles H. Stephenson was a Lodi visitor Sunday.

LaMont BeGole was a Chelsea visitor Sunday.

Miss Ella Barber was a Jackson visitor Sunday.

Miss Lizzie Hammond was in Ann Arbor Monday.

Fred Wolf and family were Waterloo visitors Sunday.

F. J. Eisele, of Lansing, visited in Chelsea Sunday.

Miss Mary Eder, of Jackson, was home over Sunday.

Miss Kathryn Hooker was in Detroit on business Tuesday.

Alva Steger, of Detroit, visited his parents here Sunday.

Miss Mary Haab spent Wednesday in Detroit on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Staffan spent Sunday in Grass Lake.

Miss Edna Jones was the guest of Ypsilanti friends Sunday.

Mrs. Otto Schanz spent Sunday with friends in Ypsilanti.

Miss Mabel Olds was a Jackson visitor one day last week.

Miss Florence VanRiper was an Ann Arbor visitor Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wood are visiting their daughter in Niles.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Spiegelburg were Dexter visitors Sunday.

Miss Ella May Schweinfurth visited Francisco friends Sunday.

C. H. Smith and wife, of Detroit, visited relatives here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Springfield Leach were in Battle Creek Sunday.

Mrs. A. C. Yearance, of Dexter, was a Chelsea visitor Tuesday.

W. H. Mapes, of Stockbridge, spent Monday with Chelsea relatives.

Misses Clara and Laura Hieber were Ann Arbor visitors Sunday.

Mrs. F. K. McDowd is spending a few days with Detroit relatives.

Mrs. Nelson Jones and daughter Florence spent Sunday in Pontiac.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Dancer were guests of Francisco relatives Sunday.

Miss Edna Gerstner, of Ann Arbor, spent Friday with Miss Edith Bates.

Mr. and Mrs. Ashley Holden are entertaining their mother this week.

Mrs. Jacob Beeler spent Thursday with her daughter, Mrs. John Forner.

Mrs. L. A. Stephens attended the teachers' institute at Milan Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Smith spent Sunday with D. Heim and family in Sylvan.

Mrs. M. E. Maroney, of Ann Arbor, visited Chelsea friends the first of the week.

Earl Scouten and parents left Wednesday for their home at Niagara Falls.

S. B. Tichenor, of Lansing, is the guest of his parents, L. Tichenor and wife.

Mrs. Claude Beckwith, of Detroit, is visiting at the home of R. J. Beckwith.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Colegrove are visiting at the home of Andrew Sawyer.

Mrs. B. Steinbach was the guest of her mother in Jackson Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Idaline Webb, of Fowlerville, visited Chelsea friends Saturday and Sunday.

S. O. Davis and family, of Scio, visited at the home of Frank Brooks Sunday.

Miss Helene Haag visited her parents in Port Huron Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Willis Soules returned home last week from a few days visit in Detroit.

Miss Emma Schneckenberg was the guest of her parents in Waterloo Sunday.

Miss Lydia and George Maulbetch, of Ann Arbor, were Chelsea visitors Sunday.

Miss Clara Oesterle, of Jackson, was the guest of her mother here Sunday.

Drs. A. L. Steger and H. H. Avery will spend Friday and Saturday in Pittsburg.

Albert Heim, of Rochester, N. Y., is visiting at the home of his parents in Sylvan.

M. J. Guinan, of Freedom, spent Sunday with his sister, Mrs. George Nordman.

Mrs. M. J. Farley, of Pinckney, was the guest of friends here the past week.

Mrs. J. F. Hieber and daughter Mildred visited Jackson relatives the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Colegrove and Miss Mary Sawyer spent Tuesday in Ann Arbor.

Mr. and Mrs. Jackson, spent Sunday at the home of J. A. Gieske, a guest at Sawyer's.

Mrs. Jas. Bachman and daughter Mrs. G. A. Howlett were Jackson visitors Sunday.

C. E. Johnson and family, of Scio, were guests at the home of R. D. Walker Sunday.

Mrs. Jay Page, of Dexter, visited her parents, Dr. and Mrs. E. F. Chase, the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Blackmer, of Fowlerville, visited at the home of T. E. Wood Sunday.

William Curtis and daughter Evelyn, of Grass Lake, spent Sunday with Chelsea friends.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Skinner, sr., visited relatives in Ann Arbor the last of the past week.

Mrs. Charles Hight, of Mt. Pleasant, is visiting her sister, Miss Margaret Skinner, of this place.

Dennis Hayes, of Detroit, was a guest at the home of Mrs. T. McKine Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Canfield, of Jackson, were guests of relatives here Saturday and Sunday.

W. J. Dancer and children, of Stockbridge, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. T. McNamara.

Mrs. J. W. Spiegelberg has returned home, after spending a few days at Charlotte and Lansing.

Mrs. Charles Winans and children were guests at the home of Edward Riemenschneider Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Seckinger, of Manchester, were guests at the home of Jacob Hummel Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Lehman, Mrs. K. Griebach, Lloyd and Nada Hoffman were in Ann Arbor Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ashley Holden enjoyed a pleasant ride to the home of A. Holden at Francisco Sunday.

FRANCISCO NOTES.

Peter Kalmbach is very ill.

Mrs. James Richards is still confined to her home by rheumatism.

Herman and Frank Gieske, of Chelsea, were guests at the home of H. J. Gieske Sunday.

Mrs. Christine Hoppe, who had the misfortune to fall and injure herself quite seriously recently, is much better.

The Cavanaugh Lake Grange held the regular monthly meeting at the home of Chris. Kalmbach on Tuesday evening.

Mrs. F. Mensing and Miss Augusta Benter spent Saturday and Sunday at the home of D. B. McKenzie, of Stockbridge.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the German M. E. church will meet with Miss Ricka Kalmbach, Wednesday, October 13, at 2 p. m. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

MANCHESTER.

Herman Morschtousser has taken Will Kern's place in G. H. Breitenwischer's store.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Freeman are again at home after spending the summer at "the Farm" at Wampers lake.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Case have returned from their eastern visit and Mr. Case is again on duty at the People's bank.

Bernard Maloney, who has been working for some time for William Rehfuß at Elyria, O., is spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Maloney.

Mrs. Fannie Howard, of Jackson, was in town the first of the week attending to some business concerning her place here and the farm in Sharon. She also attended the inspection of the W. R. C. of which she was formerly a member.

An orchestra has been organized among the boys of the high school, the members being: Clarence Dietle, Roland Widmayer, Fred Hauenstein, Clarence Knopp, Alvin Clark, Herman Kuebler and Alonzo Case. Their instructor is W. H. Parkinson of Ann Arbor.

Mrs. O. F. Taylor was the recipient Friday of a box of grapes sent by her sister, Mrs. H. S. Clark, from Lodi, Cal. The grapes were grown in a vineyard owned by Mr. and Mrs. Clark and their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Burkholder, about two miles from the city of Lodi.

SYLVAN HAPPENINGS.

Mrs. D. Heim is visiting relatives in Detroit.

Mrs. C. Beckwith, of Detroit, is visiting friends here this week.

Mesdames John Walz and Jacob Kern spent Thursday in Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Icheldinger, of Lima, spent Sunday at D. Heim's.

Joseph Cavanaugh, of Detroit, spent Sunday with his family here.

Miss Phelps, of Gregory, is keeping house for Mrs. Homer Boyd during her absence.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Boyd expect to move to their Chelsea home the coming week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Seckinger, of Manchester, called at the home of S. Weber Sunday.

Mrs. Jacob Lamb and daughter, of Pontiac, were guests of Mrs. Homer Boyd last Thursday.

Misses Blanche and Anna Wortley and David Mohrlock spent Sunday with Miss Celia Weber.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Scouten, of Stockbridge, were guests at the home of M. Heschelwerdt Sunday.

The ball game between Sylvan Stars and Francisco resulted in a score of 4 to 8 in favor of the latter.

Mrs. Homer Boyd left Tuesday for Albany, Troy and other eastern cities where she will spend several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Heim and daughter have returned to their home in Rochester, N. Y., after spending some time at D. Heim's.

Simon Weber has completed gathering his cucumber crop and reports a good yield of seed which he has sold to a Detroit seed house.

WATERLOO DOINGS.

Miss Anna McKune is again working in the store here.

George Rentschler is drying seeds in his apple evaporator.

Mr. Sanford suffered a stroke of paralysis Sunday night.

Mrs. L. L. Gorton entertained a number of relatives Sunday.

Andrew Reithmiller had twenty-five sheep killed by dogs last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Rommel spent Saturday and Sunday in Jackson.

The Waterloo Band furnished music for the Leslie homecoming celebration.

Supervisor Mayer took Jacob Rhodes to the county house Friday.

"Old Jake" had taken to wondering around after dark, had been lost twice and had to be taken home. He is nearly blind.

LYNDON CENTER.

Dr. T. I. Clark, of Jackson, spent Sunday with his father.

Miss Edna Long, of Chelsea, spent Sunday at the home of Frank Lusty.

Clarence Ulrick visited friends in Manchester a couple of days last week.

The Roepcke Bros., of Unadilla, are in this vicinity now threshing beans and clover seed.

Bean threshing is now under way. The quality of the crop is good but the yield per acre is rather small on the average. Not much if any better than last year.

Dr. G. A. Gorman has moved from his father's farm where he has resided since last spring, and is now living in Chelsea. His increasing veterinary practice in and around Chelsea required his living there.

At the meeting of Eureka Grange on Friday evening last, the following named persons were elected delegates to the Grange county convention which was held in Ann Arbor on Tuesday last, Mr. and Mrs. James Howlett, Mrs. M. E. McKune and Miss Rose McIntee.

SHARON NEWS.

Mrs. Olive Herrick moved to Grass Lake last week.

Harry Middlebrook is moving onto the O'Neil place.

H. D. Hewes left Tuesday for Seattle, Washington.

R. Burch, of Massachusetts, is the guest of his parents here.

A number from here attended the fair at Hillsdale last week.

Mrs. M. E. Cole, of Norvell, is the guest of her mother, Mrs. C. C. Dorr.

Mrs. Anna Walz and children, of Ann Arbor, visited her parents here Sunday.

Miss Berla VanAernum, of Grass Lake, visited over Sunday with her cousin here.

We are sorry to learn that Frank Fielder and family have moved to Bridgewater.

Harry Kimball and wife, of Fishville, visited at the home of Clarence Hewes Monday.

Miss Carrie Renz and brother Fred, of Lima, visited at H. Wolfe's Saturday and Sunday.

C. C. Dorr returned home Saturday after spending three weeks at Roswell, New Mexico.

John Troz has bought the Alfred Tuthill farm, formerly owned by Randolph Fellows.

A. G. Cooper and wife were called to Detroit on account of the serious illness of Mr. Cooper's brother, Eli.

Ben Lawrence returned home Saturday after attending Kalamazoo, Detroit, Marshall, Adrian and Hillsdale fairs.

J. Bruestle and wife, of Manchester, and Jacob Schaible and family, of Freedom, spent Sunday at the home of Fred Bruestle.

Sam and Henry Heschelwerdt have been in Grass Lake the past week caring for their brother David, who who is very ill with rheumatism.

Elmer Weinburg and family, Ben Marshall and family, and Miss Augusta Bahnmiller, of Chelsea, were guests at V. Bahnmiller's Sunday and attended the mission festival.

Mrs. Julia Schaible and daughter, of Manchester, August and Caroline Reno, of Freedom, and H. W. Hayes and wife, of Sylvan, were guests at the home of H. Reno Sunday.

The mission festival held Sunday at the Lutheran church was a success in every way. The weather was all that could be desired, the attendance good and the collection was \$80. The ministers present were Rev. A. A. Andrews, of Chelsea, Rev. Aldinger, of Andrews, Indiana, a former pastor, and Rev. Raubengayer the regular pastor.

Notice to Hunters.

No hunting, trapping or trespassing for the purpose of hunting or trapping will be allowed on our farms.

Fred Winkelman William Wheeler

Chris McGuire Edward Stapish

Mrs. Clara Stapish Theodore Buehler

Henry Messner Lewis Stapish

Eugene McKernan A. B. Skinner

Edward Doll Peter Wirker

Lewis Ernst John Doll

Charles Johnson Johnson Bros.

Theo. Mohrlock Charles Stapish

William Marshall Herschel Watts

Lewis Hindelang 18

Swept Over Niagara.

This terrible calamity often happens because a careless boatman ignores the river's warnings growing ripples and faster current. Nature's warnings are kind. That dull pain or ache in the back warns you the kidneys need attention if you would escape fatal maladies—dropsy, diabetes or Bright's disease. Take Electric Bitters at once and see hachache fly and all your best feelings return.

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Without question this is the highest class all-wool clothing made at any price. This is the greatest lot of clothing for men and young men we have ever got together, and appeals irresistibly to men who could afford to have their clothes made to order, but see no reason for doing so.

We ask the pleasure of showing you.

Unequal Values in Suits and Overcoats at **\$10, \$15 and \$20**

Hundreds of new weaves, colors and designs for men and young men that you'll like. At these prices (as well as all others) we guarantee the greatest values possible for your money. The perfect manner in which these garments conform to one's figure plainly indicates that they are the handwork of master tailors. Overcoats in every imaginable color and style in vogue.

Give these a look now before the assortment is all broken up.

Men's Fall Hats This is the only store in Chelsea that can show you all the newest shapes, styles and colors of stiff and soft hats, side by side, and make sure you are choosing the best suited to your face

\$2.00, \$2.50 and \$3.00

The Puritan \$3.00 Hat is head and shoulders above other hats at this price. Come in black and a number of the most popular shades. Come in and try one on

Best Fall Underwear At very reasonable prices. . . .
Shirts and Drawers 50c to \$2.00 each. Men's Unions \$1.00 to \$4.50 each.

New Fall Shirts Are Now In

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Men's New Shoes Now in Stock

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The Packard shoe made in all leathers, Gun Metal, Vici Kid, Patent Leather, all shapes and styles \$3.50 and \$4.00. Better shoes than others ask \$4.00 and \$5.00 for.

Women's Tailored Suits \$25.00

Made of Serges, Wide Wale Diagonals, Broadcloths and Fancy Cloths. Coats are 46 inches long and lined with a guaranteed lining. The skirts are in the new Moyen Age Pleated Styles.

Odd Skirts for Women--Special

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New Fur Scarfs and Muffs **New This Season's Coats**
Ask to see these sure For Children, Misses, and Women

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LOCAL ITEMS.

J. A. Maroney is having his house on McKinley street painted.

Chas. Whitaker has had his residence on south Main street resingled.

The Five Hundred Club was entertained by Mrs. Chas. Martin Wednesday evening.

F. C. Mapes has sold his stock of goods in Stockbridge to W. H. Mapes of that place.

Miss Helene Steinbach entertained the Cytmore Club at her studio last Tuesday evening.

The Ladies' Bridge Whist Club will meet with Mrs. H. L. Stanton Wednesday, October 13.

Dr. Geo. Gorman has moved into the residence on south Main street formerly occupied by H. H. Fenn.

Mr. and Mrs. Moule and Miss Lima Mapes, of Queenstown, N. Y., were guests at the home of S. A. Mapes Monday.

Mrs. Pauline Ottmer and daughters, of Jackson, spent the first of the week with her brother, George Mast and family.

Village Treasurer Winans says that the time for paying taxes is rapidly drawing to a close. October 15th is the last day.

Miss McCloy, of Stockbridge, who has spent the past summer with Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Laird, returned to her home this week.

W. F. Riemenschneider has returned from a trip to Ashland, Wis., which he made on the large freighter, Thomas Barlum.

Burnett Steinbach has purchased of Thomas Howe his entire teaming outfit consisting of horses, harness, wagons and sleighs.

Mrs. Pauline Ottmer and daughters, of Jackson, and Miss Lizette Mast were guests at Wm. Paul's and Fred Bahnmiller's in Lima Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Fischer have returned home, after spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Schieferstein, of Charlotte.

Mrs. E. A. Nordman, who has been spending some time with her son, Geo. Nordman and family, has returned to her home in Dexter.

The North Lake band will give a concert at the Grange hall on Friday evening, October 15. Refreshments will be served. Admission 15 cents.

Mrs. Margaret Halzle is spending this week with her brother, Gottlieb Bauer, of Ann Arbor, who is recovering from a few months illness.

Chas. E. Whitaker sold 25 head of choice steers recently to Chas. Binder, of Jackson. The cattle are to be delivered about the last of this month.

In the list officers of the Research Club published last week, the Standard should have given the name of Mrs. Lola Dancer as first vice president.

The services at St. John's German Evangelical church, Francisco, will be held at 2:30 p. m. on Sunday, October 10. Rev. Schoen of Chelsea will conduct the services.

Henry Mohrlock, has made arrangements to work for John G. Bauer, of Lima, the coming year. Mr. and Mrs. Mohrlock expect to move to the farm about November 1st.

The Foreign Missionary Society of the Methodist church will meet at the home of Mrs. G. Kempf Wednesday afternoon, October 13th, at 3 o'clock. Light refreshments will be served.

The Girls' Athletic Association of the Chelsea high school have elected the following officers: President, Dorothy Bacon; vice president, Clara Runciman; secretary and treasurer, Marie Lusty.

The Research Club met at the Old Peoples' Home Monday evening. Mrs. E. I. Taylor on behalf of the Club presented with a picture. Mrs. N. J. Dancer gave a recitation and a musical number was rendered.

Frank Leach, Carl Bagge, Dr. A. L. Steger, Conrad Lehman, A. E. Winans, M. J. Wackenhut, Bert Steinbach and Dr. H. H. Avery are in Pittsburg attending the world's championship series of base ball between Detroit and Pittsburg.

The presentation of "Sherlock Holmes" by the Orpheum Stock Co., at the Sylvan theatre Friday evening, was a good one and pleased the large audience. The company used their own scenery, and the production would rank with many which cost the theatre goer a great deal more to witness.

The Ladies' Study Club held a business meeting Wednesday evening, September 29th at the home of Mrs. E. H. Fenn for the purpose of electing officers and transacting business. The following are the officers for the year 1909-10: President, Katharine McKune; vice president, Evelyn Miller; secretary, Anna Remanti; treasurer, Elizabeth Eder; parliamentarian, Anna Whitaker.

The Lima and Vicinity Farmers' Club will hold their October meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Wood, in Lima, on Wednesday, October 13. Question for discussion: "Resolved, that the recent school law granting pupils the privilege to attend high school at township expense should have the approval of all residents." A chicken pie dinner will be served, and all members are requested to be present.

Milo Shaver has had his residence on west Middle street repainted.

Tuesday, October 12th, Columbus Day, is a legal holiday in Michigan.

Miss Emma Hoffstetter was taken to the hospital in Ann Arbor Saturday.

E. L. Alexander left Tuesday for Flint where he has accepted a position.

Walter Barry has accepted a position with the Clark Motor works at Jackson.

John Kalmbach has been appointed guardian of Mrs. Adeline Muscott of this place.

Miss Helene Steinbach has placed a beautiful new Newman Bros. piano in her studio.

The item in regard to Chas. Merker in last week's Standard should have read "94" days.

The Young Men's Social Club gave a dancing party in their rooms Wednesday evening.

Warren Geddes has purchased of Fred Wagner his one-half interest in the Princess theatre.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Plass, of Detroit, spent several days of the past week with Mrs. Carrie Palmer.

Mrs. Theresa Gerstner and daughter, of Ann Arbor, visited at the home of Mrs. E. Bates Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Schweinfurth and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Notten near Francisco.

Miss Anna Fullerton, of Detroit, was the guest of Miss Helene Steinbach several days of the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Welch, of Pontiac, spent Saturday and Sunday at the home of Mrs. Geo. P. Glazier.

The Chelsea merchants began closing their stores at 7 o'clock (except Saturday nights) Monday evening.

Fred Taylor, of Jackson, was a guest at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. R. Taylor, Saturday.

The new Hudson-Fulton stamps were placed on sale in the Chelsea postoffice Monday, and seem to be very popular.

The school house in Lyndon known as "Pumpkin College," had a new roof placed upon it this week, Hummel Bros. doing the work.

The Chelsea high school football team went to Stockbridge Saturday and in a well played game defeated their opponents by a score of 5 to 0.

N. J. Jones is packing up his household goods preparatory to moving to Pontiac, where he has been employed with the Welch Motor Co. for some time.

Rev. F. A. Stiles, who is pastor of a church in Chicago, was the recipient recently of a fine gold watch, which was presented to him by a member of his church.

E. F. Hoofnagle, of Grass Lake, is employed at the Chelsea Steam Laundry this week. Mr. Mapes has also opened an agency at the Michigan Agricultural college.

Chelsea high school football team met defeat at the hands of a team from Ann Arbor, Wednesday afternoon. Score 22 to 0. The visitors outweighed the Chelsea boys.

Miss Grace Cresson, James Lundy, of Ann Arbor, Mrs. Wm. Richards, of Chicago, and Clayton Richards, of Jackson, N. Y., were guests at the home of J. J. Galatian the past week.

The members of the Ladies' Guild of the Congregational church, who are privileged to wear a red ribbon, will meet at the home of Mrs. E. E. Shaver Monday afternoon, October 11th.

Clayton Schenk, who has been at Sault Ste Marie for the past two years, is at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Schenk, where he is threatened with an attack of typhoid fever.

Fred Baker, who has been employed in the janitor department at the stove works for several years, moved his household goods to Battle Creek this week where he has accepted a position with the A B C Stove Co.

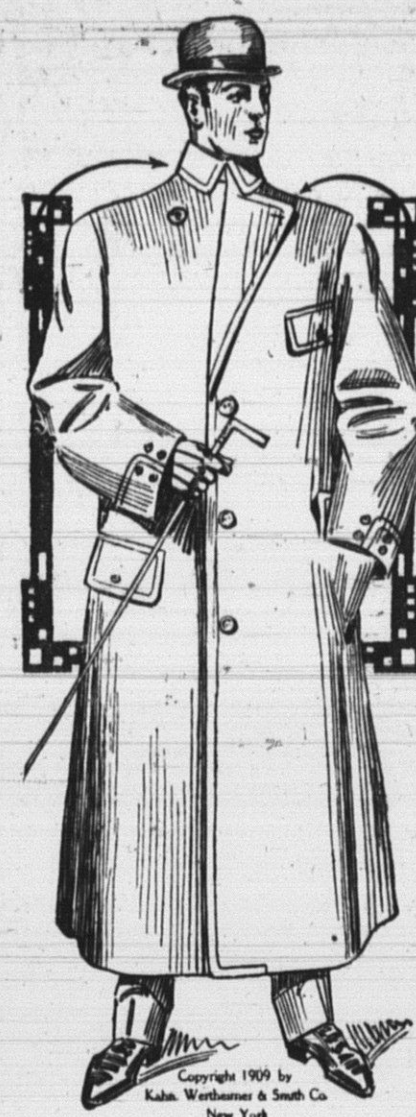
Owing to the numerous attractions billed at the opera house, the committee in charge of "Ye Destructive Skewl," for the benefit of the K. O. T. M. M. fund was to be given Friday evening of this week, have decided to cancel the date and not give the play.

At a recent meeting of the freshman class of the Chelsea high school the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, John Dunn; vice president, Ruth Widmayer; treasurer, Margaret Vogel; secretary, Paul Maroney. The class colors are lavender and white.

The Jolly Sixteen gave Mr. and Mrs. Fred Baker a surprise party Tuesday evening, on the eve of their departure for their new home in Battle Creek. Lunch was served, cards and dancing were indulged in and a jolly good time was had, and the members of the club presented Mr. and Mrs. Baker with a china platter and a souvenir of Chelsea.

William Kean, who has charge of the work on the new school house for the Geo. A. Rickman Sons' Co., who have the contract, informs The Standard that the excavating with teams will be completed tonight, and a force of men are at work digging the trenches. Mr. Kean expects to start the masons at work on the foundation walls Monday. The work is also awarded the contract for the foundation work and gravel, and also for the concrete work, to the Chicago firm.

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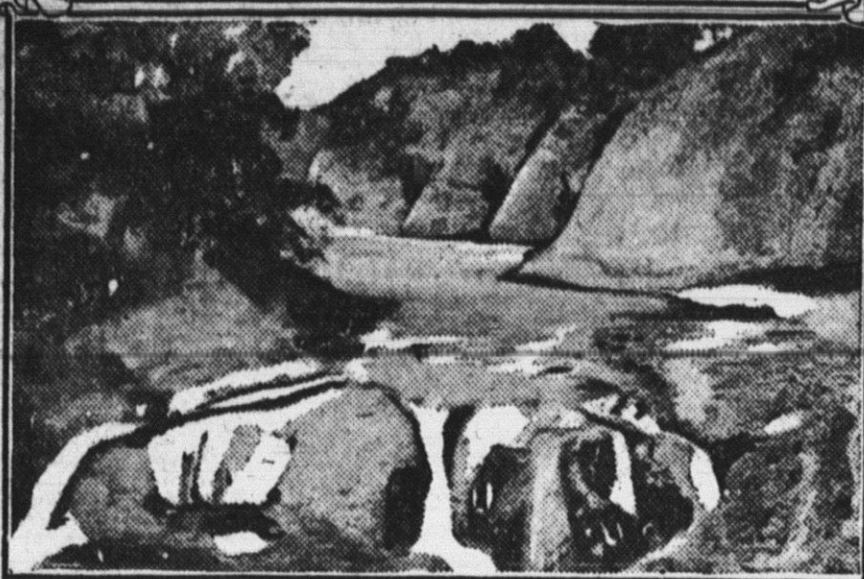
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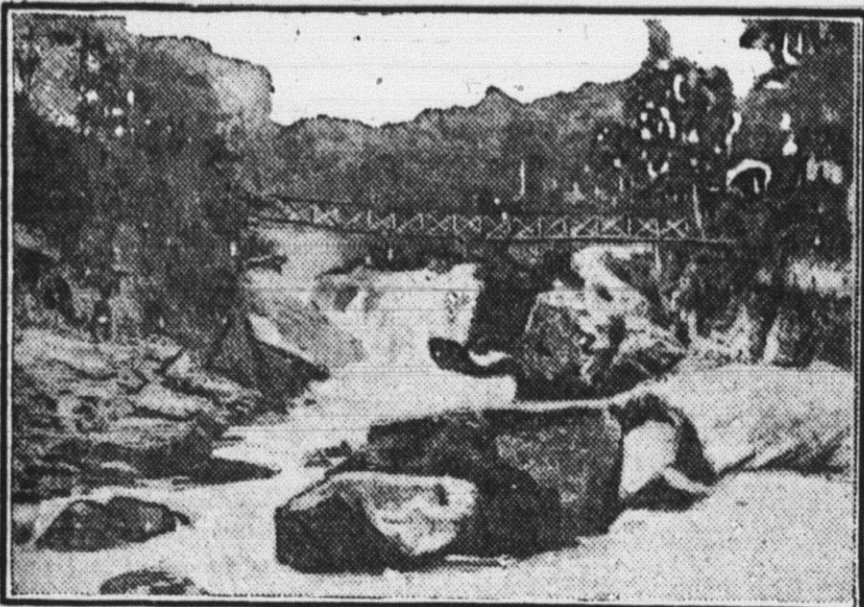
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FALLS OF ROGIE

SOME people imagine that Inverness is the end of the highlands. Nothing could be more untrue. Inverness is the center, and, in many respects, the best and most beautiful portion of the highlands is to be found "farther north." The population in the far north is sparse and there are no manufacturing towns to assist in the prosperity of a railway company. It is not possible, therefore, to have a daily service of express trains to the north; but the Highland company has adopted the system so common in the great tourist countries on the continent and offers express train service on certain days of the week. Time tables should be examined, as changes may be made from time to time, so that the very latest information as to train service may be obtained and passengers will do much for their own comfort and convenience if they will try to arrange their journeys on the days on which special provision is made for them. The "Farther North" express, on Fridays only, was most successful and probably an improvement even on the running of this splendid train will be made in the future. All the way from Inverness to Helmsdale (101 miles) the scenery is simply magnificent. As the train winds round the three great firths of Beaulieu, Cromarty and Dornoch, with the great hills towering above on the opposite side of the line, the scenery seems to grow ever more and more entrancing.

Through the woods of Beaufort castle, across the Beaulieu river and over the neck of land that separates the Beaulieu and the Cromarty firths, the train goes all too quickly for the eye and reaches Dingwall, the capital of Ross-shire, within half an hour of leaving Inverness. On its way it passes, at Muir of Ord, the junction of the Black Isle line and the main line. The Black Isle, which is really a peninsula and not an island at all, contains some of the best agricultural land in the highlands and is famous for the crops it grows as well as for the cattle it rears. There are some interesting historical spots well worth visiting in this part of Ross-shire; but the chief attraction for the summer visitor is the town of Fortrose and its suburb, Rosemarkie, where a fine sandy beach affords excellent facilities for bathing. Excellent hotel and other accommodation is available and Fortrose is worthy of a visit, if it is only for a day, for the purpose of seeing the ruins of the cathedral, which are well preserved.

The difficulty of deciding on the most beautiful scene in the highlands is no small one, but certainly the pass of Killiecrankie has good claims to first place and it is doubtful if there be a stretch of railway line three miles in length in any part of the British islands that can hold its own with the three miles between Pitlochry and the tunnel at Killiecrankie. To see the pass as it ought to be seen, one should walk through it; but a magnificent view of it may be obtained by sitting with one's back to the engine as the train runs north and looking out towards the river. Unfortunately, immediately after reaching the spot where the most beautiful view is obtained, the train runs into a tunnel and the passenger finds himself in darkness. Perhaps the almost dramatic contrast may, however, enable him to even more greatly appreciate the beauty of the scene thus ruthlessly cut off by nature and the artistic though practical mind of the railway engineer.

At Blair-Atholl visitors to the excellent hotel accommodation who are interested in the history of the castle, or want to see the ruins of which the castle was built, will find much to interest them.

NOTES FROM MEADOWBROOK FARM

By William Pitt



Test your cows.

"No waste land on the farm," is a good motto.

The run-down farm is where the sheep are needed most.

The way to enjoy the fair is to have some kind of exhibit there.

Corn can be too ripe for putting in the silo. Guard against it.

Current and gooseberry bushes if set out in the fall should be well mulched.

Easier to keep the hogs healthy than it is to get them well after they are once sick.

The drudgery of the farm can be largely eliminated by planning and systematizing the work.

What was done with the cultivator after the last time through the corn? Hope it was not left out to weather.

When digging potatoes be sure they do not lie in the sun. They will turn green if they do and will have a bitter taste.

Don't let the sheep get wet. Takes a long time to dry out their heavy coats of fleece. Provide shelter. It will pay you.

Last call for the state, county or township fair. Of course you ought to attend. It will do you good and wife will enjoy it.

If the field is not tile drained and is inclined to be a little wet, plow an occasional deep furrow. This will carry off much of the surplus water and make your crops better.

Not the farm work first, but the education of the children. Days taken from the school for work on the farm should be placed on the debit rather than the credit side of the account.

Don't let the long ladder stand against the building after getting through with it for the night. A strong wind might throw it over to the wrecking of the ladder and damage of other things.

Pears are best ripened in doors. The time to pick is determined, first, by their known season of ripening, and, second, by the ease with which the stem parts from the branch when the fruit is slightly lifted. Most pears are marketed in a green, but mature, state.

Cow-testing associations as organized and managed in many of the states now include between 20 and 30 dairy farmers who own 300 or more cows. The purpose is to make an individual study of each cow in the herd. The plan is to secure a competent man to visit the farms once each month and remain there for 24 hours. While there he weighs the feed which the cow eats, also weighs and tests the milk. This is done not merely to see how much milk and butter fat the cows will give in a year, but also to determine the cost of producing that milk and butter fat, and to ascertain the profits. He also makes a study of each herd and suggests improvements. For this work the man whom the association employs usually receives \$1 per cow per year for each cow tested, together with his board and lodging. Besides this expense there is an assessment of from 25 cents to \$1 per member, for covering necessary expenses.

Why not plant nut trees? Their product is valuable. The accompanying table shows the imports of nuts for consumption in the United States during the last nine years, and it is evident from the increase each year that nuts are entering more generally into the food consumption of the nation. This may fairly be considered an encouragement for the planting of nut trees. The values in the tables are only those of the imports and does not include the value of nuts raised in this country:

Year	Value
1900	\$3,484,899
1901	2,756,157
1902	4,214,976
1903	5,088,726
1904	5,473,306
1905	6,154,515
1906	7,225,697
1907	8,215,591
1908	9,553,742

In this connection, Robert T. Morris of New York says: "I believe that nut trees are largely to take the place of the useless trees which are at present planted for decorative purposes in public and private grounds. The reason for this belief is, because there are beautiful trees or more beautiful than those which are now planted."

The well-kept tool is the long-lasting tool.

Care and food are the requisites in profitable stock raising.

No profitable winter dairying is possible without a silo.

When the tins begin to show rust discard them from the dairy.

The weed which is allowed to go to seed means a lot of extra trouble next season.

Feeding experiments have proved that silage is good in fattening cattle if properly fed.

The root of a hog like the root of a tree helps it to grow, therefore give the hog a chance to root.

Clean water for the hens should be the rule. Have the water dish so arranged that the chickens cannot foul it.

Cold fall rains never helped put a milk in the udder of the cow or flesh on the backs of steers. Provide proper shelter.

Keep the ground stirred and the weeds out of your strawberry patch. You will reap the rewards of your labor next season.

Even with the flock which has range it is well to provide a box of grits and charcoal so that they can easily help themselves.

Keep the machinery on the farm up to date, but don't go to the foolish extreme of thinking that every new machine is better than the old and tried one.

More dairymen are following the practice of keeping individual records of their cows and of also keeping a debit and credit account of their entire business.

Look over your fields carefully, consider the varying conditions of your soil and then consider if there is not some other layout of fields and crops which would improve the farm and give greater profit.

An old dairyman declares that farmers make a mistake by looking too much at the creamery, the price they are to receive for their milk, and not enough at the farm end—what their milk is to cost them to produce it.

That piece of meadow which is getting thin but which is hardly ready for the plow can be greatly improved by a liberal scattering of seed followed by light harrowing. If this is done just before a rain so much the better will the results be.

Loco disease, which afflicts stock in some sections of the west, has been investigated by the bureau of animal industry and proved to result from eating certain poisonous plants, known as purple loco-weed and rattailweed, which are common in a dozen plain states. The best remedy is to destroy the weeds and remove the stock from access to them. Ordinarily the stock will soon recover when so removed and fed upon alfalfa and other nutritious grasses.

The square or oblong silo are objectionable because it is difficult to build the walls strong enough to stand the pressure caused by the great weight of the silage, and the amount of silage lost in the corners will amount, in a few years, to a considerable value. The best shape is circular. A silo should be more than twice as high as wide. Do not build a silo too large in diameter, as the amount of silage spoiled from day to day will more than pay the interest on the cost of an extra smaller one. The main qualities of a silo are that the walls be strong enough to withstand the pressure and it shall be air-tight. To get this the first step is to build a good, solid foundation, commenced below the frost line.

Hogging down corn saves the labor of harvesting. The hogs become the harvesters and turn the corn into pork right on the field. At some of the experiment stations and on private farms a certain definite acreage of corn has been fenced off and a number of hogs turned in to eat the corn. The hogs were weighed before they were turned in and again weighed when they had cleaned up the corn of a definite area. This gave the exact gains the hogs made on the corn. In most cases cash net gain has amounted to as much or more than the market value of the corn, which makes it an economical method of disposing of corn, since harvesting and marketing are saved. Another value in hogging down corn at maturity in the fall is the enriching of the soil with the droppings of the animals. The value of this fertilizer amounts to much, either when the same land is to be planted to corn the following year, or is to be used for other crops. The manure is well distributed through necessity of the animals feeding evenly over the entire area, and the breaking and tramping down of the stalks places them in a position to be quickly acted upon by the fall and winter rains and to be in an advanced stage of decomposition at plowing-time the following spring. Corn stalks lying on the ground over winter will decay more quickly than when allowed to stand, and flat on the ground they will hold the soil from erosion on sloping or hilly land. The time for hogging down corn is usually when the corn is usually ripe, and the stalks are little or no damaged.

For the Hostess

Chat on Topics of Many Kinds, by a Recognized Authority

An Animal Party.

This clever animal party may be utilized for guests either old or young. It is also adaptable for the needs of church societies, which are always in search of schemes to break the monotony, especially at the very commencement of an evening affair.

As each person enters a slip of paper containing the name of an animal is to be pinned upon his back and he is told he must guess from the conversation of those around him what animal he is supposed to represent. Then pass booklets ornamented with cute little "Teddy" bears and pencils. On a door have a poster of the animals going two by two into the ark and the words, "This Way to the Greatest Show on Earth." Admit the guests in groups to this room, where the cages containing the animals will be found, allowing ten minutes for each group to guess what the cages contain. Here is a list of animals which may be added to by individual hostesses: "Kid" (a glove of kid), "Lynx" (links of a chain), "Rat" (hair rat), "Monkey" (letters M O N and a door key), "Chamois" (a piece of chamois), "Lion" (a doll's pillow), "Goat" (a small piece of butter), "Peacock" (a dried pea and a toy rooster), "Bear" (a tiny undressed doll), "Eagle" (the letter E and a picture of a sea gull).

The cages (boxes crossed with wire) were numbered, and the guests wrote down what they supposed the animal was in the booklet opposite a corresponding number. Animal candy boxes are good for prizes. Then have a contest to see who can come the nearest pinning a goat's whiskers on in the proper place, the contestant to be blindfolded.

Serve an ice, "animal" cookies and barley sugar animals.

Japanese Fan-Tan.

At a Japanese affair this delectable concoction was served. I give the recipe as it came to me feeling sure it will be very welcome, as many calls for just such a dish come to the department.

To make fan-tan, cook half cupful of well-washed rice in a pint of milk until very soft. Stir in a heaping tablespoonful of sugar and one well-beaten egg and remove at once from the fire. Mix in a half cupful of assorted candied fruits, cherries, apricots and pineapple, and turn into a shallow, well-buttered pan to cool. When firm cut into strips about an inch and a half wide and three inches long; dip in egg and breadcrumbs and brown delicately on both sides in butter. Drain, dust with powdered sugar and serve hot.

Announcing an Engagement.

The hostess had asked eight girls to luncheon and no one expected the interesting news that was announced

In this fashion: The centerpiece was a low mound-shaped form of white roses known as "bride," and there was a delicate fringe around them of maid-en-hair ferns and mignonette. Over this from the chandelier swung a cluster of white wedding bells; they were tied with fluffy tulle streamers. The place cards were little standing cards of a bride and bridegroom cut out, and it did not take long to discover that the faces were photographs of the young woman, who was soon discovered to be the honored guest, and the lucky man, who it was discovered, was to lead her to the altar. This menu was served: Chilled carteloup, cream of spinach soup, fillets of fresh fish fried in olive oil, with sauce tartare; creamed sweetbreads, green peas in timbals, finger rolls, fruit salad, with cheese and bar-le-duc, pineapple sherbet, small cakes, coffee.

A Good Guessing Contest.

The answers to each question are words ending in "age."

What is the age of a ship? Voyage.

What is the age of a pocket-book? Coinage.

What is the most musical age? Bandage.

What age is necessary for a soldier? Courage.

What is a railroad's age? Mileage.

What the earliest age to express? Package.

What age is always ahead? Cabage.

What's Uncle Sam's age? Postage.

What age does the ostrich attain? Plumage.

What age do single people never reach? Marriage.

What age does a lady prefer? Manage.

What's the best age for a horse? Carriage.

What is said to be a mean age? Damage.

What age should a king have? Homage.

What age is always before us? Dotage.

MADAME MERRILL

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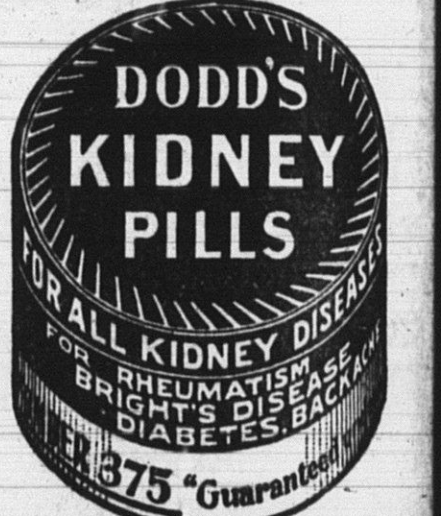
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ITALY'S STORY

LIPS THAT WERE SEALED

By
Alma Martin Estabrook
Author of "My Cousin Patricia"
PICTURES BY A. WEIL

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SYNOPSIS.

The story opens with a scene at a box party. Miss Henrietta Winstanley, sister of Bishop Winstanley, overheard Banker Ankonny propose to Barbara Hemingway, whose brother Dan was in his employ. Dan was one of the town's popular young men. He showed some nervousness when Attorney Tom Twining told him Barbara refused Ankonny. Ankonny refused to prosecute. Barbara persuaded Ankonny to postpone starting prosecution. Twining learned of the engagement of Ankonny and Barbara. He visited Miss Hemingway and found her almost in tears. He told her he had loved her, but feared prematurely announcing his affection. By actions alone she told him she reciprocated. Mrs. Anson Dines, wealthy widow, proposed a marriage by proxy with Bishop Winstanley. The latter consulted with Twining. The bishop had been paying attention to Miss Streeter. Dan consulted Twining, saying his sister was determined to marry Ankonny, declaring she actually loved the banker, though he could not help believing she was making a sacrifice to save him from jail.

CHAPTER VI.—Continued.

"Then I don't see anything for it but for you to leave things as they are," I admitted.

He was not satisfied, however, to do that on his own judgment.

"If I could only be sure she isn't playing a part," he mused.

"Then you're not sure?"

"One minute I think I am and the next I think I'm not. If there wasn't so much at stake, I'd risk my own opinion more readily. As it is, I'm afraid to do it." He looked at me with a sudden wistfulness. "Twining, do you—do you care a little for her, don't you?" he asked frankly.

"Not a little," said I grimly.

"Then will you help me to make sure?"

"How?"

"Go to her and find out."

I took a turn or two up and down the room.

"I'll go," I said.

"Maybe you'll be able to make her out better than I. I don't deny it seems to me she loves him. But pin her down. Don't let her wriggle away, whatever you do. You know she'll try to. And here, Twining, I don't want her to know that you know about—about the money. She thinks nobody knows but Ankonny, and it'd kill her to find out that he'd told it, even to you—or rather, to you of all others. Remember you must keep that from her if you can."

"Trust me," I said, as I took up my hat.

"Oh, you're not going now, are you? I've just come from her, you know, and she'll be suspicious. Why not give her time to forget a little? It isn't easy to wait, but I believe it's better. Mrs. Ankonny gives her dinner to-night. You'd have a chance to talk with her then, wouldn't you?"

"You're right," I said; "I'll wait."

Mrs. Ankonny was in high and becoming feather that evening. She managed to veil her complacency until it missed being objectionable. This, however, was one of the few occasions which had come her way upon which she could distinctly congratulate herself: a dinner in compliment to "my dear Barbara"; a perfectly appointed dinner, too, and one I think most of her guests enjoyed. For myself, I thought it would never end.

Most of Barbara's friends were there, and but few of Ankonny's. The Forlorn Hope was there to a man, seeking to present an unbattered front. I had a kindred feeling for them. Dan was not there. He simply would not go. Bishop Winstanley sat on the left of the hostess, beside Miss Streeter. He was delightfully fluent, and she sympathetically attendant. The soft light of the candles fell on her hair, on her pure contour, on her ivory skin and her pale shimmering gown. She ate, as the rest of us, but to a little exactly as if a Correggio or a Botticelli had leaned from her frame to nibble a sweet wafer or trifle with a salad. Occasionally she spoke, but I did not hear what she said. I seem never, somehow, to hear her say anything, but when one looks as she does what one says is immaterial.

Barbara was radiant, with all her old charm illuminated, as it were, by something new and vivifying within. I watched her with a sinking heart; surely she cared for Ankonny or she could not look like this. I told myself, so half a hundred times through dinner, and after, finding her with only three men dancing attendance upon her, I promptly put them all to rout that I might carry her off and have it over.

"Come out and see the roses," I said.

"Mr. Ankonny showed me them before dinner. They are beautiful. I wish he didn't show you the roses."



"There Must Be Something Else. What Is It?"

don't answer hastily nor with evasion. I am not to be evaded. You must understand how serious I am to have put such a question to you."

"It is certainly the most extraordinary behavior," she remarked coldly. She was looking at me with widely questioning eyes, and she had grown suddenly white. Did I know what Dan had done? That was what she was asking herself, I am sure. "I am entirely at a loss to explain why you should have dared to ask me this."

"I owe it to myself to make sure, Barbara," I told her. "Will you answer me?"

"This is not the real reason for your most unheard-of behavior," she said in a tense voice. "There must be something else. What is it?"

"Shall I tell you?"

"You must."

"Ankonny is not the man you could have been expected to love," I blundered, not knowing how to find my way beneath her eyes. "Do you love him? If you tell me that you do, I will not distress you further."

"Are you intimating, with other kind friends, that I am marrying him for reasons other than those of affection, that—oh, it is unthinkable! And from you!"

"Barbara, listen to me," I cried.

"No, not a word. You have said too much now. Can't you see that it makes me rise in a kind of vicious protest to have my happiness inspected on every side as if it were some wretched vagrant seeking shelter where nobody had any faith in it?"

"Have you faith in it yourself?" I asked.

She lifted her head and faced me.

"All the faith in the world," she declared.

And then she saw Ankonny, who had come at the moment searching for her, and held out her hand to him. As he approached and took it, she leaned for an instant against his arm with an indescribable movement that had nothing of defiance in it, it seemed to me, but only affection.

"I have been telling Mr. Twining how happy I am," she said to him, in a soft voice that must have moved a wooden man to adoration. "I hope you don't mind my being so foolish, do you?"

Still holding her hand, Ankonny bent and touched her hair with his lips.

"I should mind it if you were unhappy and told him that," he said with a laugh. "They want you in there. Will you come? I promised to bring you."

She stood up and laid her fingers on his arm.

"Will you come along, Mr. Twining?" she asked.

"Thank you, not now," I replied.

I watched them as they moved away. At the window he stood aside for her to enter, and I saw her smile into his face in the way women have with the men they love.

As soon as I could find Mrs. Ankonny I said good-night.

Dan was waiting for me.

"Well?" he questioned eagerly, as I went in.

"You were right," I said dully; "she loves him."

He looked at me pityingly and said nothing.

After a while he came over and stood by the mantel, staring down at the hearth.

"I suppose I might as well get back to Jack Ankonny," he said; "he needs me, if I'm going to stay with them; and there doesn't seem to be anything else for it just now."

I nodded absently.

"There's nothing I can do, I guess," he muttered hopelessly.

"No, there's nothing."

"It's a confounded shame, Tom," he declared, and I read the sympathy in his eyes.

"We won't talk about it," said I.

"I know . . . Talking's no good."

I lit a cigar, and he found one to suit him in the box on the table.

"Sit down," I said.

He threw himself down opposite me, and we finished two cigars in silence, he on his side of the hearth, I on mine.

"I'll be off in the morning," he said, at the end of his second.

CHAPTER VII.

It was a wretched night two weeks later, gloomy and wintry, although spring was old enough to have done much better. I was dining alone and rather forlornly when I heard Kim open the outer door of my apartment and admit some one. There was the click of brisk heels along the hall, and Miss Winstanley beckoning me through the glass doors of the dining room to go on with my dinner.

"Don't get up," she cried, as Kim threw open the doors and I hurried to meet her; "do let me be unceremonious, won't you? Go on with your dinner; I'll sit by you till you've finished. I've dined."

"I have just finished," I insisted.

"Then come into my sitting room. I've a great deal to say."

"Welcome home," said I, warmly, as I closed the sitting room door behind us.

"It's quite time I got here. I'm sure. Such things as have been doing while I was away! What do you suppose I found in a memorandum book on my dressing table?—my brother had been using my rooms, you know. A pressed rose!"

The scorn in her voice made me laugh heartily.

"I'm glad you find it amusing. I didn't," she declared.

"But the right sort of a memorandum book always has a rose in it," I contended.

"Nonsense! Has yours?"

"I think it probable," I admitted, without humility.

"What foolishness! I can tell you that mine has not."

"Your heart holds your roses, dear lady."

She unfasted her fluff black boa and smiled at me with a twinkle in her eyes—the twinkle that I like so much.

"Your pretty speeches won't throw me off the scent, Mr. Twining. I am going to find out whose rose that is in Charles' book. Think of it! At his age."

"At any age a man is sure to have something wrong with him if he never purloins a rose," I insisted. "He is lacking in something as certainly as the fellow who never sees a rose on a bush."

"There are plenty of them who don't know they grow on bushes," she said quickly. "They think they grow only on pretty girls' corsages."

I placed her a chair and she sank into it, but slipped quickly out to its edge and sat perched there, looking at me with her keen, eager old eyes.

"I came to talk to you about Barbara Hemingway," she said at once.

"This engagement of her to Ankonny is monstrous. There can be but one reason for it, and that is that Dan has been getting himself into some sort of trouble that she has to get him out of, and could find no other way. Isn't that it? You know of course."

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Corn Products Entrained.

The president of a western railroad system was spending the weekend at the country house of a friend in New York, when one evening some reference was made by a layman touching the commercial greatness of the country as evidenced by railroad operations.

"What you say is quite true," observed the head of the big system. "Do you know that if the corn products in this country for the year just ended were loaded into one train, the engine thereof would be entering the state of New Jersey just as the caboose was leaving Los Angeles."

At this remark a woman present could not suppress her astonishment and incredulity.

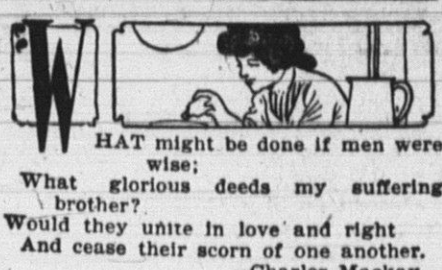
"How you men do exaggerate!" she exclaimed. "You know very well that even two engines could not pull such a train!"—The Sunday Magazine.

Huckleberry Finn.

D. A. McDaniel of Chicago, arrived in the city recently. He asked the first thing about his old playmate, Dr. R. A. Gardner, and was nonplussed when he learned that the doctor died just a year ago.

"The doctor," said Mr. McDaniel, "together with my brother James, Harry Hunstock, Clarence and Frank Crout, were the five boys lost in the Hannibal cave along in the early seventies, on which Mark Twain based one of his famous stories. My brother James was the inspiration of the famous author's character of Huckleberry Finn."—Quincy (Ill.) Whig.

The Kitchen Cabinet



HAT might be done if men were wise.

What glorious deeds my suffering brother?

Would they unite in love and right

And cease their scorn of one another.

—Charles Mackay.

We were all brought up under the old adage: "A stitch in time saves nine," but how heedless have we become. The girl or woman who finds the hook loose, the button gone or the braid ripped and immediately puts in the needed stitch, thankfully puts on the garment feeling well dressed.

On ironing day it is a good plan to put all garments needing mending on one side of the rack so that nothing may be put away overlooked. A still better plan is to make all repairs before sending to the laundry, as they usually become worse after passing through the washing. Hosiery, of course, is preferably darned after washing.

Shoe heels may be the means of much destruction to fine petticoats of lace and embroidery. See that the corners of the heels are trimmed and avoid being tripped or being mortified with a dangling piece of lace. A handy little convenience that may save many a disturbed moment is a cushion containing a few needles threaded, of different kinds of thread, and silk, hung where one may reach it easily when dressing. These threaded needles are real temper savers.

One of the valuable talks given us as college girls was one which has proved invaluable in ordinary daily life; it is this: Decide the night before what you are to wear the following day (if you are a business woman this is invaluable advice), lay out the garments, see that there is nothing to repair, and in the morning you will be ready for a busy day with the satisfied feeling of a well-dressed woman, untroubled and happy.

Home Ideas.

To keep a thick frosting in place bind the cake with a wide band of greased paper, pin it closely, then put on the frosting as thick as desired. Two or three colors may be used easily by putting it on this way after each layer hardens.

A pair of shears in the kitchen to use for cutting raisins will be found very useful. The raisins are never as pesty as when chopped.



When you art working in the furrows—

Or wedding in the sacred hour of dawn.

It is a comely fashion to be glad.

Joy is the grace we sing to God."

Elbert Hubbard said: "Happiness is a habit; cultivate it." Dispositions differ we know, but there are none who may not be improved by taking the right view of things. Turn up the corners of the mouth and laugh a little. It will make everything go smoother. A cheerful view of life can be cultivated and the meal times when all the family are gathered should be the happiest, merriest time of the whole day. It belongs to the housewife to see that the meal is properly prepared; but accidents will happen and instead of making all miserable because the stew is burned, promise them something better for the next meal and bring something of interest to talk about so that all may forget the unpleasant things. Children may be taught early to contribute to the cheer and information of the family, and such training is of inestimable value in later life. A child that is always curbed and never allowed to express himself is not likely to make a brilliant talker when he goes out into the world. Let them feel that they have a part and are a part of the family. This does not mean that they may monopolize the conversation for little people are prone to do that. They may be taught deference and consideration for others more by example than precept. If the rights of the child are respected, he will most naturally respect the rights of others.

TRIFLES.

"Trifles make perfection, but perfection is no trifle."

It is the daily little things that make up character.

When life flows by like a song.

But the woman worth while is the one who will smile

When everything goes dead wrong.

To make a marshmallow frosting.

cut the mallow into four pieces with shears and drop them into the boiled frosting while beating it, after having poured it over the egg.

Nellie Maxwell.

Banana Pie.

Bake a rich crust by covering the bottom of a pie pan, inverted, with pastry. When cool, remove and fill with sliced bananas, sprinkle with sugar and a teaspoonful of lemon juice, and cover with a pint of vanilla ice cream, garnish with a few fresh berries and serve at once.

Well!

It's well to have a key in your heart. If you haven't, keep it there.—Chicago N.Y.

WHERE THEY LEARN ECONOMY

Matron Knew What She Was About When She Went to Engage Maid.

The manager of the employment agency was used to hearing women in search of maids ask applicants all sorts of queer questions, says the New York Tribune, but this matron made him mildly curious. Of 14 girls in turn she had inquired: "Have you worked in a minister's family?" None of them had. "Too bad," said the matron to the manager. "None of these girls will do."

"May I ask," said the manager, "why you are anxious to know if these girls have worked in ministers' families?"

"Why, the fact is, we're very hard up just now," said the matron, candidly; "I want a girl who knows how to economize, and those who have worked in clergymen's families, I've discovered, have learned that lesson."

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And He Suffered.

Little Willie, suffering from an attack of toothache, had paid his first visit to the dentist, accompanied by his mother. Father, on his return from the office that evening, was naturally much interested.

"Didn't it hurt?" asked father.

"Sure, it hurt," replied Willie.

"Weren't you scared when the dentist put you in that big chair and started all those zizz-zizz-zizz things?"

"Oh, not so much."

"Of course I suffered. But I just kept repeating over and over the golden text we had in Sunday school last Sunday."

"The golden text? What was it?"

"Why, 'suffer little children to come unto me,' replied Willie, glibly. "I kept saying that over and over to myself, and the first thing I knew it didn't hurt any more."

WEAKENED BY ALCOHOL.

Dr. Bertillon, the eminent French tubercularist, has shown that tuberculosis is twice as prevalent among the retail liquor dealers of France as among other shopkeepers. He attributes it to the fact that the alcohol which they handle and use all day long weakens their bodies and thus renders them more susceptible to the disease germ.

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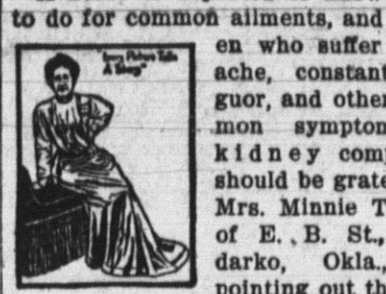
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THE DANGER SIGNAL



"Yes, Freddy, I'm a sick man!"

"Wot's der matter?"

"Why, I'm gettin' that restless an' wakeful, dat I can't sleep, only at night!"

On a Time Limitation.

In spite of the reputation for latitudinarianism he gained from his early trial for heresy, the late Prof. Jowett of Oxford was intolerant of pretentiousness and shallow conceit. One self-satisfied undergraduate met the master one day. "Master," he said, "I have searched everywhere in all philosophies, ancient and modern, and nowhere do I find the evidence of a God."

"Mr. —," replied the master, after a shorter pause than usual, "if you don't find a God by five o'clock this afternoon you must leave this college."

Come Home, Mother.

Mother, dear mother, come home from the club, and rustle some supper for me; 'tis time you were here working over the grub and getting things ready for tea. The table's not set nor the teakettle boiled, the vegetables are not prepared; no wonder my temper and feelings are rolled, though 'tis doubtful, indeed, if you cared. Come home, come home, come home! Yes, cut your symposium down a wee bit, dear mother, and hustle right home!—Los Angeles Express.

A Work of Supererogation.

Henry dislikes being bathed and argues with his mother over every square inch of his four-year-old anatomy.

One night, when his patience was especially tried by what he considered wholly unnecessary work, he exclaimed:

