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Jacob Stierle Hanged Himself Tuesday While Despondent

Jacob Stierle, of Lima township committed suicide Tuesday afternoon by hanging. For more than a year Mr. Stierle has been suffering from a nervous trouble, and for two months has been in the hospital at Ann Arbor, being treated by Dr. Klingman. About three weeks ago he returned to his home, but there was not much change in his condition.

On Tuesday he complained of being extremely nervous, and appeared to be very despondent. About one o'clock he went to the home of Wm. Holzappel, who lives but a short distance from the Stierle home. Mr. Holzappel says that he appeared to be worried, and was indisposed to talk. He soon left for home.

About 5 o'clock Mrs. Stierle, becoming worried by his absence, went to the barn, and the first sight that met her eyes was that of her husband hanging dead. He had taken a piece of rope about ten feet long and tied one end of it to a rafter and the other about his neck, jumping from the hay mow.

Coroner Johnson, of Ann Arbor, was called and after looking over the case decided that an inquest was unnecessary.

Besides the wife there is a family of nine children, the youngest three years old and the oldest, a son, nineteen.

Mr. Stierle was a member of Chelsea Tent, K. O. T. M. M., holding a certificate for \$1,000, and was 45 years of age.

The funeral will be held from his late residence Friday afternoon.

Discharged Old Mortgage.

Ann Arbor Times News: Judge Kinne Monday morning granted Attorney William H. Murray an order discharging a mortgage that was nearly 80 years old.

It was given by Eli Gates of York township to Arden H. Ballard, H. V. Disbrow and James Williams for \$20 on January 19, 1832. The mortgages all died 40 years ago and no claim has ever been presented.

There are probably thousands of cases of this kind in this county. The expense of having mortgages discharged is not very great, but in the good old days folks sometimes cared more for a few dollars than an absolutely clean title to property. An undischarged mortgage of this kind, while not a very serious matter still is a cloud on the title, and people are coming more and more to demand absolutely clear titles when property is transferred. It is also practically certain that there were many pieces of land granted by the government the patent to which has never been recorded. Certified copies of such a patent can be obtained from Washington at an expense not exceeding \$2.50.

Post Office Department Insists That Roads Be Kept in Repair

Postmaster Hoover received the following communication from the Fourth Assistant Postmaster General, who has supervision of the Division of Rural Delivery:

"You are directed to inform yourself with reference to the condition of roads and bridges on the rural routes out of your office, and if you find that they require improvement you should present the matter in the strongest and most positive way to the patrons and road officials, informing them that improvements must be made as soon as practicable. If, after a reasonable time has elapsed, the improvements have not been made or started, you will report the fact to this office in order that action may be taken looking to the discontinuance of the service.

"The Department is not immediately concerned in elaborate road improvements, but in the interest of the best service to the largest number of patrons it must insist upon roads being kept in good repair, the lack of which is usually due to improper drainage, and unsuitable grading and surface work, which can be easily and cheaply accomplished by timely work and the regular use of the split-log drag or similar device."

Clears Up Tax Questions.

In an opinion handed down last week Attorney-General Bird settles several questions regarding the law which exempts from tax the homesteads of soldiers, or sailors or their

SCHOOL CENSUS.

There Are 754,000 Children in the State Entitled to School Fund.

There are 754,000 school children in the state entitled to participate in the apportionment of primary school funds money this spring, according to figures furnished Auditor General Fuller Tuesday by the state public instruction department. This is the largest school census in the history of the state by 7,000. On the basis of \$5 per capita, as estimated at the time the amount of corporation tax was announced, the total apportionment would be \$3,774,950, but there is not sufficient money on hand at present to pay even \$2 per capita and this is the last week the corporations have to pay their tax before the apportionment is made, according to the amount on hand May 1.

Buds Uninjured.

Notwithstanding the awful wall that went up the first of the week in regard to the bad weather killing all of the chances for a fruit crop, many fruit growers about Chelsea state that the reverse is true, and that no harm was done, and that if any harm was done it was to the foes of the crop. Sunday morning a strange sight greeted the eyes, when the biceps peeped forth from a coating of snow.

Weary Walkers Were Chelsea Visitors Several Days This Week

William J. Shaw, of Rochester, N. Y., walked into Chelsea Saturday morning, dragging a child's express wagon after him in which was seated his wife. Shaw and his wife are making a trip around the world on foot, and claim that they are to receive a diamond medal and \$12,000 in cash if he stunts is completed inside of three and one-half years. They left Rochester March 28th and have accumulated a fine coat of tan. At the same time that they started on the trip another couple started on the same journey, but the latter man is suffering from corns and is a few hundred miles in the rear.

The couple remained in Chelsea until Monday morning when they started out in the rain for the west.

The travelers started out without a cent and have to make their way without begging, but they come as close to the line as possible.

The couple only got as far as the home of Conrad Haefner, about two miles west of Chelsea, Monday, remaining there until some time Tuesday.

At the rate the Michigan mud is holding them up they will need the time limit.

CURVES REDUCED.

Railroad Board Acts to Lessen Wrecks on D., J. & C. Line.

The state railroad commission has ordered the Detroit United Railway Company to reduce the curves on the line from Jackson in the hope that such action will reduce the number of wrecks which have caused the loss of several lives recently.

According to Chairman C. L. Glasgow of the railroad commission the D. U. R. officials have acted willingly on this order and are already making preparations for straightening the line. In some places the land owners have heard of this order and are boasting the price of their property accordingly. One farmer wanted the D. U. R. to pay \$18,000 for the privilege of crossing three acres of his land.

Can Revise Assessments.

The state tax commission has power to review general assessments upon its own initiative, according to a written opinion just rendered by Attorney General Bird. The opinion is given for the construction of the ad valorem tax law as amended by the Copley act, passed by the last legislature.

It is expected that this opinion will cause a stir throughout the state. The corporations have already threatened an attack upon the system, claiming exorbitant rates because the commission had no power to review general assessments except upon complaint by a taxpayer.

John Kalmbach For Representative.

Last week's Ann Arbor papers favorably mentioned John Kalmbach of this place as a candidate on the republican ticket for representative in the state legislature from this district.

John has always been a worker in the party, having lead several for-jorn hopes in the past, and is certainly entitled to the nomination if he can be persuaded to allow his name to be placed on the September primary ballot.

He is honest, has ability and is a hard worker and would be a credit to the district in the legislature.

Besides, it is certainly time that Sylvan should be represented on the republican ticket unless it is desired that the county should go democratic this fall. This township in the past two years has changed from about 250 republican to about 100 democratic and the party certainly ought to take a brace in the division of offices according to locality if it wants to stand a fighting chance of winning.

Birthday Surprise.

Last Friday was the ninetieth anniversary of the birth of Mrs. Fonda, who has been a member of the Methodist Home at this place for some time. Several of her friends in Detroit planned a surprise for her, and it was complete. These friends visited her and brought with them a huge birthday cake, which was surrounded with 91 candles. When the time for supper arrived this cake occupied the center of the table and the candles were lighted presenting a beautiful appearance. Mrs. Fonda was also the recipient of many post card souvenirs from her friends who were unable to be present.

Patrick Corwin.

Patrick Corwin, aged 86 years died at the home of his daughter-in-law, Mrs. Katherine Corwin, Wednesday morning, April 27, 1910, from a stroke of paralysis. Mr. Corwin was a former resident of Sharon, but for the past few years has made his home in Chelsea. He is survived by three sons and one daughter. The funeral will be held from the Church of Our Lady of the Sacred Heart, at 9 o'clock Friday morning, Rev. Fr. Considine officiating.

Real Estate Transfers.

Charles Steinbach to Martha Steinbach, Chelsea, \$1.

Charles M. Davis and wife to Samuel A. Mapes, Chelsea, \$1.

Samuel A. Mapes to Elizabeth Runciman, Chelsea, \$1.

Charles J. Bailey and wife to Leroy M. Odell and wife, Bridgewater, \$2,200.

Ida M. Palmer to Julius F. Barth, Sylvan, \$1.

E. J. McNamara to Anna Remnant, Chelsea, \$1.

Mary Dolan to Gottlieb Luick, Dexter, \$250.

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SERIAL STORY THE LITTLE BROWN JUG AT KILDARE

By MEREDITH NICHOLSON Illustrations by RAY WALTERS

Thomas Ardmore, bored millionaire, and Henry Maine Griswold, professor in the University of Virginia, take trains out of Atlanta. Griswold to his college, Ardmore in pursuit of a girl who had winked at him. Mistaken for Gov. Osborne of South Carolina, Griswold's life is threatened. He goes to Columbia to warn the governor and meets Barbara Osborne. Ardmore learns that his winking lady is the daughter of Gov. Dangerfield of North Carolina. He follows her to Raleigh, and on the way is given a brown jug at Kildare. In Raleigh he discovers that the jug bears a message threatening Dangerfield unless Applegate becomes allied with Jerry Dangerfield in running the affairs of the state in the absence of the governor. A scathing telegram is sent to Gov. Osborne.

CHAPTER VI. Mr. Griswold Forsakes the Academic Life.

Miss Osborne had asked Griswold to await the outcome of the day, and, finding himself thus possessed of a vacation, he indulged his antiquarian instincts by exploring Columbia. The late afternoon found him in the lovely cathedral churchyard, where an aged negro, tending the graves of an illustrious family, leaned upon his spade and recited the achievements and virtues of the dead.

As the shadows lengthened, Griswold walked back to the hotel, where he ate supper, then, calling for a horse, he rode through the streets in a mood of more complete alienation than he had ever experienced in a foreign country; yet the very scents of the summer night, stealing out from old gardens, the voices that reached him from open doorways, spoke of home.

As he reached the outskirts of town and rode on toward the governor's mansion, his mood changed, and he laughed softly, for he remembered Ardmore, and Ardmore was beyond question the most amusing person he knew. It was unfortunate, he generously reflected, that Ardmore, rather than himself, had not been plunged into this present undertaking, which was much more in Ardmore's line than his own. There would, however, be a great satisfaction in telling Ardmore of his unexpected visit to Columbia, in exchange for his friend's report of his pursuit of the winking eye. He only regretted that in the nature of things Columbia is a modern city, a seat of commerce as well as of government, a place where bank clearings are seriously computed, and where the jaunty adventurer with sword and ruffles is quite likely to run afoul of the police. Yet his own imagination was far more fertile than Ardmore's, and he would have hailed a troop of mail-clad men as joyfully as his friend had met them clanking in the highway. Thus, modern as we think ourselves, the least venturesome among us dreams that some day some turn of a street corner will bring him face to face with what we please to call our fate; and this is the manifestation of our last drop of medieval blood. The grimmest seeker after reality looks out of the corner of his eye for the flutter of a white handkerchief from the tower he affects to ignore; and, in spite of himself, he is buoyed by the hope that some day a horn will sound for him over the nearest hill.

Miss Osborne met him at the veranda steps. Indoors a mandolin and piano struck up the merry chords of "The Entaw Girl."

"My young sisters have company. We'll sit here, if you don't mind." She led the way to a quiet corner, and after they were seated she was silent a moment, while the light from the windows showed clearly that her perplexity of the morning was not yet at an end. He felt that she was seriously anxious and troubled, and he wished to hearten her if he could. The soft dusk of the faintly lighted corner folded her in. "He heard whispered in his heart a man's first word of the woman he is destined to love, in which he sets her apart; above and beyond all other women—she is different; she is not like other women."

"It is nearly nine," she said, her voice thrilling through him. "My father should have been here an hour ago. We have heard nothing from him. The newspapers have telephoned repeatedly to know his whereabouts. I have put them off by intimating that he is away on important public business, and that his purpose might be defeated if his exact whereabouts were known."

"I have no doubt in the world that the explanation you gave the newspapers is the truth of the matter. Your father must be absent a great deal—it is part of a governor's business to keep in motion. But we may as well

face the fact that his absence just now is most embarrassing. This Applegate matter has reached a crisis, and a failure to handle it properly may injure your father's future as a public man. If you will pardon me, I would suggest that there must be some one whom you can take into your confidence—some friend, some one in your father's administration that you can rely on?"

"Yes; father has many friends; but I cannot consider acknowledging to any one that father has disappeared when such a matter as this Applegate case is an issue through the state. No; I have thought of every one this afternoon. It would be a painful thing for his best friends to know what is—what seems to be the truth." Her voice wavered a little, but she was brave, and he was aware that she strayed, and he was aware that when wayward gleams of light fell upon her face, that her lips were set resolutely.

"You saw the attorney general this morning," she went on. "As you suggested, he would naturally be the one to whom I should turn, but I cannot do it. There is a reason—and she faltered a moment—"there are seasons why I cannot appeal to Mr. Bosworth at this time."

She shrugged her shoulders as though throwing off a disagreeable topic, and he saw that there was nothing more to be said on this point. His heart-beats quickened as he realized that she was appealing to him; that, though he was only the most casual acquaintance, she trusted him. As he pondered for a moment, a messenger rode into the grounds, and Miss Osborne slipped away and met the boy at the steps. She came back and opened a telegram, reading the message at one of the windows. An indignant exclamation escaped her, and she crumpled the paper in her hand.

"The impudence of it!" she exclaimed. He had risen, and she now turned to him with anger and scorn deepening her beautiful color. Her breath came quickly; her head was lifted imperiously; her lips quivered slightly as she spoke.

"This is from Gov. Dangerfield. Can you imagine a man of any character or decency sending such a message to the governor of another state?" She watched him as he read: "The Honorable Charles Osborne, Governor of South Carolina, Columbia, S. C. Have written by to-night's mail in Applegate matter. Your vacillating course not understood."

WILLIAM DANGERFIELD, Governor of North Carolina. "What do you think of that?" she demanded. "I think it's impertinent, to say the least," he replied guardedly. "Impertinent? It's the most contemptible, outrageous thing I ever heard of in my life! Gov. Dangerfield has dilly-dallied with that case for two years. His administration has been marked from the beginning by the worst kind of incompetence. Why, this man Applegate and his gang of outlaws only come into South Carolina now and then to hide and steal."

CHAPTER VII. An Affair at the Statehouse. Barbara filed the messages herself with the manager of the telegraph company, who lifted the green shade from his eyes and smiled upon her. "We'll rush them, Miss Osborne. Shall I telephone the answers if they come to-night? No; your father likes his telegrams delivered, I remember."

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"This is Maj. Griswold," said Barbara, conferring the title with a vague feeling that it strengthened her cause. "Major," repeated the manager, and he nodded to Griswold with an air that implied his familiarity with official secrets. "You will call? In a couple of hours, major."

NOTABLE CEREMONY IN SIAM Presentation by the King of Yellow Robes to Priests of Buddhist Temples. Once a year, says a writer in the Wide World Magazine, all the Buddhist temples in Siam are visited by the king, or his deputies, bearing the Phra Kathin (yellow robes), in conformity with an ancient custom by which the priests were made to seek their apparel for the ensuing year. During the lifetime of Buddha, monks and priests were sent out to beg for old, cast-off garments, which were afterward dyed yellow and patched together to form the required robes. This ancient mendicant custom gradually gave place to the present one of making the garments from new cloth of a bright canary yellow, provided by joint contributions of king, princes, nobles and commoners. When the king goes in the royal throne barge to present the robes in person he does so with great pomp and ceremony. The priestly garments, folded in bundles, are carried to the door of the temple to await the appearance of his majesty and his suite. The king, on arriving, takes a priestly robe and places it on a decorated altar. The chief priest then lays his hands on the garment and chants an acknowledgment.

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"Excellent. It's bound to irritate, and it leaves him in the dark as to our—I mean Gov. Osborne's—intentions. And those intentions—" During this by-play he had reached a decision as to what should be done, and he was prepared to answer when she asked, with an employment of the pronoun that pleasantly emphasized their relationship: "What are our intentions?"

"We are going to catch Applegate, that's the first thing—and until we get him we're going to keep our own counsel. Let me have a telegraph blank and I will try my hand at being governor." He sat down in the governor's chair, asked the name of the county seat of Mingo and wrote without erasure or hesitation this message: To the Sheriff of Mingo County, Turner Court House, S. C. Make every possible effort to capture Applegate and any of his gang who are abroad in your county. Swear in all the deputies you need, and if friendliness of citizens to outlaws makes this impossible wire me immediately, and I will send militia. Any delay on your part will be visited with severest penalties. Answer immediately by telegraph. CHARLES OSBORNE, Governor of South Carolina.

"That's quite within the law," said Griswold, handing Barbara the message; "and we might as well put the thing through at a gallop. I'll get the telegraph company to hold open the line to Turner Court House until the sheriff answers."

As Barbara read the message he saw her pleasure. In the quick compression of her lips, the glow in her cheeks, and then the bright glint of her bronze-brown eyes as she finished. "There must be no mistake, no failure," she said quietly. "We are not going to fail; we are going to carry this through! Within three days we'll have Applegate in a North Carolina jail or a flying fugitive in Gov. Dangerfield's territory. And now these telegrams must be sent. It might be better for you to go to the telegraph office with me. You must remember that I am a pilgrim and a stranger and they might question my filing official messages."

"That is perfectly true. I will go into town with you." "And if there's an official coach that everybody knows as yours, it would allay suspicions to have it," and while he was still speaking she vanished to order the carriage. In five minutes it was at the side door, and Griswold and Barbara, fortified by the presence of Phoebe, left the governor's study.

"If they don't know me, everybody in South Carolina knows Phoebe," said Barbara. "A capital idea. I can see by her eye that she's built for conspiracy." Griswold's horse was to be returned to town by a boy; and when this had been arranged the three entered the carriage. "The telegraph office, Tom; and hurry."

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PLEASES SCHURMAN

Cornell President Sees Good in Big Philanthropy Scheme.

Believes Congress Should Grant Request for National Charter—Would Change Only One Small Detail.

Ithaca, N. Y.—In an address before the Council congress on Friday night President Jacob Gould Schurman of Cornell commended the scheme for the Rockefeller foundation for which congress has been asked for a national charter. President Schurman devoted his entire speech of several thousand words to this subject and in summing up he said: "I recognize that section No. 2 of the bill, which defines the object of the Rockefeller foundation, authorizes and empowers that foundation to do anything and everything which may promote and advance human civilization, that is to say, morals and religion, art and science, manners and social intercourse, and all that concerns the political, economic, and material well-being of individuals and communities. This is a vast field for the exercise of philanthropy."

"But Mr. Rockefeller has conceived a vast scheme of philanthropy, for the benefit of his fellow citizens and mankind. His character, ability and organizing skill are adequate guarantees that he will carry out his scheme wisely and successfully, with incalculable benefit and blessing to mankind. It is in the interest of the nation that he be given a free hand in the exercise of his colossal beneficence. So long as he is active or his influence remains it would be wise and safe to give the foundation the sort of organization he desires. Neither now nor hereafter does it seem necessary to limit the scope of his beneficence, which is coextensive with the efforts of mankind to attain a higher civilization."

"The only change I would desire to see in the proposed bill is the total or partial elimination of the method of selecting trustees by co-operation. The organization might well be left a close corporation, if Mr. Rockefeller so desires, for a generation. But after that time I am confident that it would inure both to the efficiency of the foundation and to the public welfare—to say nothing of the satisfaction of the sentiment of a democracy—if the majority of the trustees were appointed by the president of the United States, with the advice and consent of the senate, or selected by some other high abiding, governmental agencies that may fairly be regarded as representing the people of the United States, whose welfare is the primary object of the immense and glorious beneficence."

AIRSHIP RUNS AWAY TO DOOM Zeppelin II, Belonging to German Army Post, is Wrecked in Gale.

Limburg-an-der-Lahn.—The Zeppelin II, one of the three dirigible balloons of the German government's aerial fleet, ran away and was destroyed. The airship, which was forced to descend here, owing to a storm, encountered while attempting a return trip from Homburg to Cologne, broke its moorings and without a crew drifted in a northeasterly direction. A half hour after its escape the dirigible dropped at Wellburg and was smashed to pieces.

Saves Train From Disaster. Spokane, Wash.—Because the engineer put on brakes after his engine struck a defective switch near North Yakima a Burlington passenger train over the Northern Pacific railroad was saved from disaster. Engineer Gordon of Ellensburg and Fireman Meyers of Pasco were killed.

GIRL IS HELD AS DYNAMITER Suspected of Wrecking Residence Occupied by Her Former Fiance and His Bride.

Prairie City, Ia.—Suspected of having exploded dynamite which tore almost to atoms the magnificent \$12,000 residence of Jesse A. Quick, wealthy farmer, three miles east, Miss Mary Guthrie of Carthage, Ill., has been arrested. Occupants of the house escaped injury. In the home were Dr. Alexander Hall of Colfax, a former suitor of Miss Guthrie, and his bride, formerly Miss Myrtle Quick.

Runs for Ball; D. owns. New York, April 25.—Louis Rose, a ten-year-old boy of Jersey City, running valiantly to catch a foul tip in a baseball game, fell head foremost into a shallow pond and stuck in the mud bottom. He was dead when pulled out.

AUTOS TO CROSS CASCADES State of Washington to Complete Link in Highway Through Snoqualmie Pass. Seattle, Wash.—Orders will be given immediately by the state highway commission for the construction of Snoqualmie pass road across the Cascade mountains, connecting the eastern and western sections of the state and completing a transcontinental automobile road. A gap of 15 miles is all that needs to be covered.

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SYLVAN HAPPENINGS.

Earl Lowry went to Detroit on business Monday. Miss Roena Waltrous was on the sick list a few days. Mrs. Henry Bertke and son, Clark, attended the W. C. T. U. convention at Grass Lake Thursday and Friday. The hum of Koebbe's saw mill is heard from the woods at Frank Leach's in Lima, on the old Widmayer farm. A car load of western cattle were bought by M. J. Noyes, of Chelsea, and brought out to his farm Thursday and another carload Tuesday of this week. M. and Mrs. Geo. Chapman and son, Leon, went to Grass Lake Friday for a visit and on Saturday evening Leon was taken sick with what is thought to be scarlet fever.

WATERLOO DOINGS.

Benjamin Barber sold ten head of cattle this week for \$810. Dr. F. R. Gorton of the Ypsilanti Normal spent Sunday with L. L. Gorton. Miss Clara Runciman, of Chelsea, visited at Lynn Gorton's the last of the past week. Aaron T. Gorton and family returned to northwest Canada Wednesday morning. Rev. Seymour will talk on a subject especially for young people next Sunday morning, May 1st, at the U. B. church, it being the 20th anniversary of the organization of the Y. P. C. U. in the U. B. conference. Everybody is invited to come, young people in particular. Miss Mary Gorton will lead the Y. P. C. U. meeting in the evening. There will be an extra program.

FREEDOM NEWS.

Rev. G. Eisen preached at Sharon Sunday afternoon. Miss Flora Breitenwischer is slowly recovering from her sickness. Miss Lena Lemster was visiting with her brother Carl, a week ago Sunday. John Feldkamp of Pleasant Lake, had a stroke of paralysis a week ago Wednesday. Miss Amanda Grau is at home since a week ago Monday and has been sick with erysipelas. Edna Koenegeter has not been able to attend school the past week on account of sickness. Miss Amanda Niehaus is still confined to her bed with rheumatism. Her condition is somewhat better. Miss Ida is at home since Friday. The Young People's Society expect to be represented at the convention at Lansing on the 7th and 8th of May by three delegates. Besides these delegates several other members will attend the convention.

FRANCISCO NOTES.

Florence Moore is ill with measles. Rev. J. E. Beal was a Detroit visitor one day last week. Lewis Lambert was a guest of friends here a few days. Carl Kalmbach, of Detroit, was the guest of his parent over Sunday. Louise Straub spent a few days with her sister, Mrs. Maurer in Clinton. Born, Thursday, April 21, 1910, to Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Loveland, a son. Thomas Sattler, county school commissioner, visited schools in this vicinity Tuesday. Algernon Richards, of Ypsilanti, was a guest of Wm. Locher and family the latter part of last week. Clayton Vicory and Loyal Broesamle of Waterloo were guests of the latter's grandmother here over Sunday. The German M. E. Ladies' Aid Society will meet at the home of Mrs. Geo. Heilauff the first Wednesday in May in the afternoon. Napoleon Bonaparte had to admit defeat when he met Wellington. Most paints meet their Waterloo when compared with Bradley & Vroom Pure Paint. Sold by Fred H. Belser.

STOCKBRIDGE.

Andrew Jackson called here Monday forenoon and talked of old times and folks. Mrs. Grimes was buried here Monday afternoon. She lived a little west of the village. Some farmers have their oats in and up, others partly done and anxious for a dry up. The Stedman Brothers, of Chelsea, visited relatives and others here the last of the past week. Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Glenn and son Lyle visited Harvey Singleton at his new farm near Gregory. The auto bus line started from Stockbridge to Mason on Monday morning to make daily trips in the future. The family of R. W. Webb arrived from California home to enjoy a rousing snow blizzard, a great change from the land of flowers. Frank Wright has purchased a fine auto at Flint. It is finely finished and capable of doing good service with five or more passengers aboard. The ball game here Saturday between the high school club and Grass Lake club resulted in a double header game both in favor of the home club, Grass Lake not getting a score in either game. Horace Mapes, nearing his eightieth year, rides out and superintends his large farm besides several small tracts in and about the village of Stockbridge. His life partner is a close second, interested in all the activities of life, a thorough home maker.

SHARON NEWS.

Ernest Smith is building a new barn. The W. H. M. S. met with Mesdames J. E. and Max Irwin Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Dorr spent last Friday at John Horning's in Norvell township. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Middlebrook visited the latter's mother, Mrs. Ed. Wyer, of Leoni over Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. John Gumper, of Manchester, spent last week with the latter's mother, Mrs. Oberschmidt. Misses Mayme and Florence Reno spent Saturday night with their sister, Mrs. H. W. Hayes, of Sylvan. H. P. O'Neil has had the wind mill on his farm, which has done service for thirty-five years, replaced by a new one. Mrs. Miner, of Ann Arbor, visited her sister Mrs. Keeler, last week and was accompanied to Ann Arbor by Mrs. Keeler. Miss Alta Lemm, teacher of music in the Grass Lake schools, had the misfortune to sprain her ankle one day last week. A number of the young people from here attended services at the Evangelical church in Manchester Sunday evening to hear Rev. Wilkie's farewell sermon.

PERSONALS.

Simon Weber was in Ann Arbor Sunday. Conrad Lehman was in Ann Arbor, Wednesday. Elmer Beach was in Leslie Friday on business. Miss Anna McCover is visiting Jackson relatives. B. B. Turnbull spent the first of the week in Detroit. Miss Ruby Jedele was in Ann Arbor Monday evening. Albert Steinbach, of Jackson, was home over Sunday. Dr. and Mrs. A. L. Steger were in Detroit Wednesday. Miss Martha French was a Detroit visitor Wednesday. Louis Watkins, of Grass Lake, was in town Wednesday. Leo Paul, of Detroit, spent Sunday with his father here. J. G. Webster was in Jackson on business Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Archie Clark were in Ann Arbor Sunday. E. V. Chilson, of Lansing, was a Chelsea visitor Friday. Miss Julia Wagner was an Ann Arbor visitor Tuesday. Miss Alice Savage, of Ypsilanti, was home over Sunday. Dr. Rhode, of Ann Arbor, was a Chelsea visitor Tuesday. Frank Davidson, of Ann Arbor, is a Chelsea visitor today. Mrs. E. A. Williams, of Wayne, is visiting Chelsea friends. Mrs. George Blach, of Ann Arbor, is visiting relatives here. Mrs. R. D. Walker and children were in Ypsilanti Sunday. Ed. Craft, of Grass Lake, visited relatives here Wednesday. Wm. Freer, of Jackson, spent Wednesday with his parents here. Miss Beattie Allen, of Ypsilanti, visited relatives here Sunday.

Miss Minnie Schumacher visited relatives in Ann Arbor Sunday. Miss Mayme McKernan spent Sunday with her sister in Union City. Miss Minnie Marrison, of Grass Lake, visited friends here Sunday. Miss Lou Wilson, of Ann Arbor, spent Sunday with Chelsea friends. Miss Bernice Hoag, of Ann Arbor, spent Sunday with Chelsea friends. W. F. Riemenschneider was in Detroit several days of the past week. Miss Louise Lawrence returned to her home in Springfield, Ohio, Monday. Dr. McNamara and Herbert Mitchell of Detroit, were Chelsea visitors Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Chauncey Freeman visited relatives in Ann Arbor Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. John Gallagher, of Detroit, were Chelsea visitors Sunday. John Faber and family of Grass Lake were Chelsea visitors Wednesday. Misses Mary and Margaret Miller were in Detroit on business Wednesday. Mrs. J. J. Tuomey, of Ann Arbor, was the guest of friends here Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Chan Gregory, of Jackson, spent Sunday with friends here. L. P. Fessig, of Ionia, was the guest of his sister, Mrs. F. H. Belser last week. Mr. and Mrs. Herman Fletcher and son were guests of Detroit relatives Sunday. Mrs. Esther Crafts, of Grass Lake, is the guest of her daughter Mrs. G. Crowell. Mrs. Jay Page, of Dexter, is the guest of her parents, Dr. and Mrs. E. F. Chase. Miss Helene Steinbach attended a Phi party at Ann Arbor Wednesday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Love, of Jackson, were guests at the home of Wm. Atkinson Sunday. Emmet Donahue and William McGreevy, of Detroit, spent Sunday with Chelsea friends. Arthur Corwin and family, of Toledo, were called here by the death of Mr. Corwin's father. Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Savage and daughter Nellie attended the funeral of a relative in Jackson Sunday. John Fletcher and Miss Mabel Olds, of Detroit, were guests of Rev. and Mrs. D. H. Glass of Pontiac Sunday. William J. Knapp and son Rudolph returned Saturday from the west where they spent several months. Mrs. Willis Benton and daughter Winifred visited relatives and friends in Toledo several days of the past week. Mrs. F. M. Lillbridge of Detroit, spent part of last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. McMillen, of Lima. Mrs. F. K. McEldowpey was in Detroit last week where she attended the funeral of her mother, Mrs. John Andrews. Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Wishman and Miss Amelia Schrader, of Detroit spent Monday at the home of C. E. Kanteleher. Mrs. Arthur Douglas Huff and son, of Ottawa, Ont., are the guests of Mrs. Huff's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Grant of south Main street. Jurors For May. The following men will act as jurors during the May term of the circuit court: Ann Arbor City—First Ward—Albert Feigel. Second Ward—Gottlieb Schneider. Third Ward—Edwin Wooley. Fourth Ward—H. B. Dodsley. Fifth Ward—William F. Knapp. Sixth Ward—Royal Jenny. Seventh Ward—Richard Judson. Ann Arbor Township—John Fischer. Augusta—George Russell. Bridgewater—Henry Troiz. Dexter—Clifton Green. Freedom—Jacob Schneider. Lima—J. Stierle. Lodi—John Schauble. Lyndon—Griffin Palmer. Manchester—G. Breitenwischer. Northfield—Gottlieb Schmidt. Pittsfield—George Smith. Salem—Cal Wheeler. Saline—Phillip Stierle and Michael Zahn. Scio—D. E. Quish. Sharon—Geo. F. Alber. Superior—Herbert Shock. Sylvan—Homer Boyd. Webster—Jacob Bruckner. York—Henry Walker. Ypsilanti Township—Howard Colby. Ypsilanti City—First District—Hiram Eaton. Second District—Thomas Creech. It's The World's Best. No one has ever made a salve, ointment or balm to compare with Buckle's Arnica Salve. It's the one perfect healer of cuts, burns, bruises, sores, scalds, boils, ulcers, eczema, salt rheum. For sore eyes, cold sores, chapped hands, or sprains, it's supreme. Infallible for piles. Only 25c at L. T. Freeman Co., H. H. Fenn Co and L. P. Vogel.

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DANCER BROTHERS.

LOCAL ITEMS.

Mrs. Charles Martin is confined to her home by illness.

Cone Lighthall has begun the erection of a new residence on Dewey avenue.

Ten new members were added to the membership of the Methodist church Sunday.

Mrs. Geo. P. Staffan entertained the Bridge Whist Club at her home on Park street this evening.

Mrs. Ada Steinbach is preparing to make some improvements to her residence on west Middle street.

The Ladies' Aid Society of St. Paul's church took in \$125 at their supper at the town hall Saturday afternoon.

Lewis Yager, jr., of Lima expects to move to Chelsea the coming week. Frank Buss will move to Mr. Yager's farm.

Ann Arbor is awful cocky this week. A cousin of one of that city's residents was a guest at the recent Gould-Drexel wedding; hence this lofty feeling.

The Maccabees will give a social dance in their hall on Wednesday evening, May 4th. All Maccabees, their friends, and the public are invited. Good music.

Victor D. Hindelang has purchased the Whitcomb property on East Porter street, two houses which he will repair and fit up for rent.—Albion Leader.

F. H. Belsler attended the Grand Lodge of the Royal Arcanum at Detroit last week, and was honored by his election to the office of grand treasurer of the organization.

The Michigan State Telephone Co. has installed two free phones for the village; one, No. 234, in the council room, the other, No. 232, in the residence of Fire Chief Howard Brooks.

Dr. and Mrs. E. F. Chase will move to Ann Arbor next week. The doctor and his gracious wife have made many friends during their residence in Chelsea who will regret their departure.

The Michigan State Telephone Co. has installed phones for Geo. Seltz, ice cream parlor, No. 253; C. J. Hesel-schwerdt, No. 204 2-1 2-s; Chas. H. Young, No. 151 5-s. Albert Eisele and A. L. Baldwin will soon have their residences connected with line No. 154.

The poor old comet is in the dumps. For a time it was quite chirped up over the fact that it was receiving the credit for the fine weather that we enjoyed. Now things have changed, and it is receiving all of the credit for the bad weather of the past two weeks.

The copy for the docket for the May term of the circuit court is in the hands of the printer. There are 6 criminal cases, 38 issues of fact, 66 chancery cases of the first class and 15 of the second class. The total is 65. Of these nine are divorce cases and five of these nine will not be contested.

An increase in wages has been granted all telegraph operators of the main line of the Michigan Central, the increase to take effect next Friday. The new scale also provides that operators working over ten hours shall receive overtime, and operators at stations where only one operator is provided for shall receive an annual vacation of fifteen days duration on pay.

At the last meeting of the Chelsea Business Men's Association it was decided to hold a smoker to which all of the members are invited. The date for the same has been set for next Tuesday evening, May 3d, and the place is the Young Men's Social Club rooms. The entertainment committee has arranged for a smoker and the serving of a lunch. It is expected that there will be a number of stunts pulled off at this time which will be of interest to all of the members, and it is hoped that every member will be present.

The question of building a cement walk to the cemetery is being agitated, and a petition is being circulated requesting the village board to have the work done. W. K. Guerin is circulating a subscription paper among those interested, who live outside of the village, and is meeting with gratifying success. The amount raised is to be used to make the road on the village treasury as light as possible. This improvement is one that is absolutely necessary, as ever since the old wooden walk was removed visitors to our beautiful cemetery have been compelled to either walk through mud or dust up to their ankles.

William Wheeler is having an addition built to his residence on south Main street.

Michael Staffan is making a number of improvements to his residence on south Main street.

John S. Hathaway has had a number of improvements made to his residence on east Middle street.

There will be services on Ascension Day, May 5th, at St. John's church, Francisco, at 2:30 p. m.

Born, on Saturday, April 23, 1910, to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Murphy, of Wilkinson street, a son.

Mrs. E. F. Chase entertained the Cytherian Circle at her home on west Middle street this afternoon.

Daniel Shell has been absent from his job on the Main street crossing of the Michigan Central this week on account of illness. Rush Green has been taking his place.

The annual business meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society of St. Paul's church, will be held at the church Friday, May 6th. All members are requested to be present.

Home G. Ives and son Roy have made arrangements to start a milk route in this village, and the latter has given up his position at the store of W. P. Schenk & Company.

A big initiation banquet and fish feed was given by the Ann Arbor lodge of Elks Wednesday evening. Among the candidates to receive the degree was Herbert McKune of this place.

Sarah J. LaTour, editor of the Lady Maccabee, was the guest of Columbian Hive, L. O. T. M. M. Tuesday evening. Refreshments were served, and later in the evening dancing was on the program.

About thirty of the friends of Mrs. Adam Eppler gave her a surprise at her home on Orchard street last Thursday evening. A five course dinner was served. The guests presented Mrs. Eppler with a beautiful hand painted plate as a memento of the occasion.

Physicians have discovered a serious result of the sidewalk roller skating craze, especially among young girls. The constant stretching of the neck, leaning forward and the jerking ahead at breakneck speed induces an overdevelopment of the muscles of the front of the neck, and an unsightly "big neck" results that may lead to permanent disfigurement.

In accordance with an act passed at the last session of the legislature, the state dairy and food department will assume complete charge of the inspection of Michigan drug stores after the first day of July. Registered pharmacists will be appointed as drug inspectors and a competent analyst named by the dairy and food commissioner to take charge of the work.

The Baptist society of this place gave a reception to their new pastor, Rev. F. I. Blanchard and family, at the church parlors Wednesday evening. There was a large attendance, over two hundred being present. Speeches were delivered by George Staffan, president of the village, and by George Millsbaugh on behalf of the society. Light refreshments were served and a very enjoyable time had.

Jacob F. Fahrner, of Ann Arbor has announced that he will be a candidate for nomination for prosecuting attorney on the Republican ticket at the primary in September. Mr. Fahrner is a native of Sylvan township and is a son of Christian Fahrner, sr. He is a graduate of the law department of the University of Michigan and since his graduation has been actively engaged in the practice of his profession in the city of Ann Arbor.

Deputy Sheriff Leach went to Newark, Ohio, last week, and brought back Lloyd Priest who was charged with stealing a watch and \$10 in cash from a border at the Bell House. Priest was engaged with a gang of linemen who are repairing the line of the Postal Telegraph Co., and made up his mind to leave for his home in Ohio. After his departure the watch and money were missing. He was taken before Justice Witherell, but complaining witness withdrew the complaint, and on the advice of the advice of the prosecuting attorney the charges were withdrawn.

Group spelling contests will be held next Friday afternoon beginning at 1 p. m. at the following high schools: Ann Arbor, Ypsilanti, Chelsea, Dexter, Manchester, Milan and Salline. There will be 250 words to spell and all perfect spellers will be eligible to attend the final contest at Ann Arbor, Friday, May 13. The perfect spellers of the group contest will be awarded honor certificates. There are five premiums for the final contest, Webster's new international with reference history, Webster's collegiate dictionary and three fountain pens as third, fourth and fifth premiums respectively.



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Swiss Gatekeeper's Absurd Reward for Saving Train With Its Sixty Passengers.

During the heavy rains and floods in the cantons of Geneva and Vaud at the end of last January, a Swiss railway gatekeeper at a level crossing named Allaman, hearing an unusual hissing sound, walked along the line, having a presentiment that there was something wrong. He found that a stream flowing from the Jura mountains into Lake Geneva had become a torrent, and overflowing its banks had swept away about 30 yards of the permanent way, leaving the rails suspended in the air.

As the Geneva-Lausanne express traveling at 60 miles an hour was due in a few minutes and would be precipitated into the torrent with its 60 passengers Allaman ran to his little house for a red flag and stopped the express 50 yards from the suspended rails and then returned home pleased with the fact that he had prevented a terrible accident. Some days ago the news of the affair arrived at the Bern headquarters of the Federal Railway company and the Swiss managers thought that such an act on the part of a gatekeeper should be rewarded.

Allaman received his reward for saving the express and its 60 travelers from destruction. The reward was \$8, which works out at 14¢ a life. The Swiss press is indignant at the ridiculous reward for a great service, and several papers state that if the accident had occurred the Federal Railway company would have been obliged to pay between \$3,000 and \$10,000 damages.

Power of Growing Trees.

Those who wish to see the enormous power of a growing tree can do so by going to the north side of Albert street. Two trees that were inclosed by the cement sidewalk when it was built many years ago have split the slabs into fragments by huge cracks extending in several directions.

The breaking tensile strength of neat cement as used for the city is 500 pounds per square inch. With the mixture as used in the sidewalks an expert estimated it would be about 160 pounds per square inch. There are several of these cracks, so the pressure must have been still more than for one fracture. The trees are a chestnut and a soft maple. A point worthy of note in this connection is that when healthy trees are inclosed by concrete walks space should be left for expansion at least equal to the average size of the full growth of the tree.—Ottawa Citizen.

Square Miles of Dead Birds.

It may be asserted with considerable degree of probability that there is no natural factor more destructive to bird life than the migratory habit. Here is a well-known recent instance: One night in March there was an immense migration of Lapland longspurs over Minnesota. A wet snowstorm came on, chilling and bewildering the birds. Over an area estimated at hundreds of square miles dead birds were found. In the towns and cities they swept them up and carted them off. On wide-lakes the ice was dotted with them in all directions about a foot or two apart. The number that perished at that one time was doubtless in the millions—Outing.

Pathos in Lives of Poets.

In a little restaurant in Soho the other evening I heard W. B. Yeats narrate the pathetic, gradual dissolution of a coterie of poets existing in London ten years ago under the style of the Rhymesters' club. For the 12 poets who had formed the club, Mr. Yeats claimed the sincerity which marks the true artist. Several of them had gained distinction, yet of the little party two had succumbed to drink, a third had committed suicide, and two others had lost their reason.

"A poet's life must almost necessarily be troubled," said Mr. Yeats. "All songs are those of victories won in the poet's mind. If you could find a perfectly steady nature, you would find a silent one."—Exchange.

Their Different Views.

The Paris Feminists are appealing for funds to complete a half-finished monument to Mme. de Staël. Their interest in her is most natural, for she was the first of the Feminists. The second was George Sand, and the difference between their points of view is neatly put by Rene Doumic in his book of essays on the latter authoress:

"In order to be pitied by Mme. de Staël, it was absolutely necessary to be a woman of genius. For a woman to be defended by George Sand it was only necessary that she should not love her husband and this was a more general thing."

Surprised.

"I never was so surprised in my life." "What's the matter?" "I saw that great man at breakfast yesterday morning, and he ate his grape fruit the way I do."—Detroit Free Press.

Accelerating the Game.

"I will play bridge with you on condition that you adopt a certain rule." "What is it?" "The dealer must not tell aces notes."

MARK TWAIN, GREAT HUMORIST, IS DEAD

EXPIRES UNEXPECTEDLY AT 6:30 THURSDAY EVENING AFTER DAY OF UNUSUAL COMFORT.

GREAT WRITER WAS 75 YEARS OLD; ONE DAUGHTER, MRS. GABRILOWITSCH, SURVIVES.

Angina Pectoris the Cause of Death; Daughter Jean's Demise Behind the Great Humorist's Illness.

Samuel Langhorne Clemens, "Mark Twain," died peacefully at 6:30 Thursday night at Redding, Ct., of angina pectoris. He lapsed into coma at 3 o'clock in the afternoon and never recovered consciousness. It was the end of a man worn out by grief and acute agony of body. He was 75 years old.

All hope of recovery was abandoned when it was evident to the physicians attendant upon him that the patient was gradually losing ground. He had been conscious through practically all of his illness and had considerable knowledge of his condition and of the fight that was in progress.

His spirits kept up to the last, and he tried to joke a little with those about him. The physicians scarcely expected that he would live through the night, but in the early morning he dropped off to sleep. The morning hours gave him the best sleep he had had since he returned home, and he woke much refreshed.

Because of the benefit he had derived from the night's few hours rest, hope revived that after all he might rally sufficiently to prolong his life by a few days at any rate, even though ultimate recovery seemed impossible. His condition remained improved until early in the afternoon. Throughout the forenoon he was partially conscious, now and then realizing his surroundings and occasionally speaking a few words to express some wish or to ask a question as to his own condition or matters about his place.

At the death-bed were only Mrs. Gabrielowitsch (Clara Clemens), her husband, Dr. Robert Halsey, Dr. Quintard, Albert Bigelow Paine, who will write Mark Twain's biography and is his literary executor, and the two trained nurses. Restoratives—digitalis, strychnine and camphor—were administered but the patient failed to respond.

Mark Twain did not die in anguish. Sedatives soothed his pain, but in his moments of consciousness the mental depression persisted. Angina pectoris is a paroxysmal affection of the chest of baffling and obscure origin, characterized by severe pain, faintness and deep depression of the spirits. The pain is severe and of an oppressive crushing or stabbing character. The attacks progress in frequency and severity with certain intermissions, sometimes of long duration, to a fatal termination.

Services in New York as simple as his wholesome life attended the tributes paid to Samuel L. Clemens (Mark Twain), author, humorist, philosopher and citizen of the world. New York city was but a stopping place in the dead author's last journey, as his body was brought from his home at Redding, Conn., where he died, to be taken to Elmira, N. Y., for burial, where lie the bodies of his wife, his two daughters, Susan and Jean, and his infant son, Langhorne.

Hughes to Have Brewer's Place. It can be stated on authority that President Taft has decided to offer the vacancy on the supreme court bench, caused by Justice Brewer's death, to Gov. Hughes, of New York.

Members of the New York state delegation in congress, whether Gov. Hughes will accept, and it is reported the assurance also may be given to the governor that in the event of a vacancy in the chief justiceship in President Taft's administration, he would be appointed to that place. But reports have been carried to the president that Gov. Hughes probably would accept an offer of this character. Chief Justice Fuller is eligible to retire, but he enjoys good health, and so far as can be learned has no thought of leaving the bench.

The Gould-Drexel Wedding. In a denouement of rain Miss Marjorie Gould was married to Anthony J. Drexel, Jr., in New York, this uniting fortunes totaling \$40,000,000 and bringing into relationship two of the richest families of the United States.

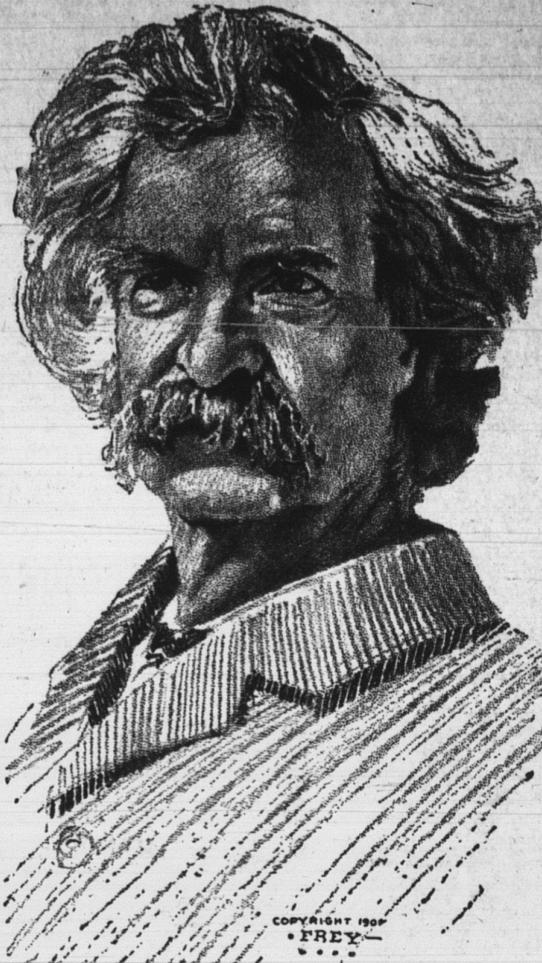
Few weddings had attracted a larger or more eagerly curious street crowd. Thousands of women and some hundreds of men were so intent in taking a peep at Miss Gould and the society folk that they stood for hours in a steady downpour. They endured the sodden weather for three hours, and occasionally rushed the police lines.

Mrs. Hetty Green to Retire. Mrs. Hetty Green, celebrated for years as the richest and shrewdest business woman in the world, soon will retire from active business life. It is understood, and will turn over the handling of her immense fortune, estimated at \$50,000,000, to her daughter Sylvia, now Mrs. Matthew Astor Wilks.

Twelve firemen were overcome by smoke while fighting a fire which destroyed the department store of Geo. B. Davis & Co. at Philadelphia. The loss is estimated at \$160,000; covered by insurance.

The navy department has directed that upon the completion of the work now in progress upon the monitors Ozark, Tonopah and Cheyenne, they be placed in commission in reserve and used for training the naval militia, the Ozark at Washington, the Tonopah at Hoboken, N. J., and the Cheyenne at Bremerton on Puget Sound, Washington.

SAMUEL LANGHORNE CLEMENS "MARK TWAIN"



LIFE OF "MARK TWAIN," THE GREAT AMERICAN HUMORIST

Early Struggles and Adventures, Followed by Years of Successful Literary Work--Later Days Saddened by Deaths and Financial Reverses.

Samuel Langhorne Clemens, America's foremost humorist and known the world over as "Mark Twain" was born in the little town of Hannibal, Mo., on November 30, 1835.

His father, John Marshall Clemens, came from an old Virginia family, and with his young wife, Elizabeth Lampton, a descendant of the early settlers of Kentucky, he joined the sturdy band of pioneers who pushed over the Alleghenies in the early part of the last century and settled along the banks of the Mississippi river.

In the uncouth environment of the then little frontier town of Hannibal the famous author spent his boyhood days. Here he fished, hunted and lounged along the river banks with his sturdy companions, living a healthy outdoor existence, which undoubtedly accounted for his long life, in the face of his many afflictions.

He attended the little school, but not being of a very studious disposition, he learned far more from contact with the rough companions whom he immortalized in later years as "Huckleberry Finn" and "Tom Sawyer," and others of that type.

At the age of twelve his meager school education was brought to a sudden close by the death of his father.

His older brother, Orion S. Clemens, was the proprietor of a printing shop in the village, and young Sam Clemens began his journalistic career there as a printer's devil. In the course of a few years he learned the trade as a compositor, and in 1853 he left his native town, and began a wandering existence. He journeyed from place to place, working at his trade in New York and the principal cities of the middle west.

But while he gained a vast amount of experience during his travels, which proved of the greatest value in the preparation of some of his works in later years, this period was rather unprofitable from a financial standpoint, and he was finally compelled to return to his home along the banks of the great river, in rather straitened circumstances.

The life of a steamboat pilot had always appealed to his youthful imagination, and now that he had grown to manhood, he resolved to realize his ambition. He was fortunate enough to become a pupil of Horace Bixby, and he was soon guiding the awkward river craft along the tortuous channel of the muddy stream.

The idea of his becoming an author had never entered his mind at that time, but he absorbed enough of the pilot life to enable him to describe the boat along the great river in his "Life on the Mississippi River," which he wrote many years later.

In 1862 he began his first regular literary work on the staff of the Virginia City Enterprise. He wrote a column daily, dealing with the political situation in the state, that attracted wide attention. These articles he signed with the nom de plume "Mark Twain," which he had heard sung out on the Mississippi steamers to let the pilot know that the sounding showed two fathoms of water.

In March of 1867, "Twain" published his first book, "The Jumping Frog of Calaveras County." The book made quite a stir in that part of the country, but only 4,000 copies were sold. It attracted the attention, however, of the editor of the Alta California, who sent the author out as a newspaper correspondent on a steamboat excursion to southern Europe and the Orient.

His letters were published from time to time, and in 1869 the author revised them and published them in book form under the title of "The Innocents Abroad." This work made "Mark Twain" famous and compelled his recognition as America's foremost humorist. In the first 16 months, 85,000 volumes were sold, and many more subsequently. This was a record sale for those days.

Marries Miss Langdon. It was on his trip in the Mediterranean that "Mark Twain" met Olivia L. Langdon of Elmira, N. Y. They fell in love with each other, and in 1870 were married. Their married life was one of perfect harmony and four children blessed their union. Mr. Clemens resided in Buffalo for

two of the World's Natures. There are in this world two kinds of natures—those that have wings, and those that have feet—the winged and the walking spirits. The walking are the legions; the winged are the instinctive and poetic.—Harriet Beecher Stowe.

Beware! Beware of the man who talks of the solemn truth. Truth wears many colored and joyous rainbows; she of mournful hue is hypocrisy.—Life.

Sleeps in English Churchyard. Elihu Yale, from whom the college in New Haven took its name, sleeps in the graveyard at Wrexham church, near Chester, England.

Teacher Should Rank High. If education is to do what we hope for our children, it is imperative that the best and most gifted men and women should be attracted into the ranks of teachers and that they should be regarded as filling one of the most highly honored positions in the land.

A Reason. "Do be quiet. Don't you know that there's a visitor in the next room?" said Frances to her little brother. "How do you know? You haven't been in." "But," said Frances, "I heard mamma saying 'My dear' to

Gaily Colored Baboon. In the Berlin zoo is a baboon with a bright blue and purple face, bright red nose and grayish-white beard and whiskers.

a year after his marriage, and was nominally the editor of the Buffalo Express. In 1871 he joined the literary colony at Hartford, Conn., where he lived for a great many years, and where he did the greater part of the work that has made his name immortal.

In 1872 "Roughing It" appeared, and in the same year "The Gilded Age," written in collaboration with Charles Dudley Warner, was published. "Tom Sawyer" came in 1876, and "Huckleberry Finn" nine years later. Of the stories with an historical setting "The Prince and the Pauper," "A Connecticut Yankee at the Court of King Arthur," and "Personal Recollections of Joan of Arc," appeared in 1882, 1890 and 1894 respectively. In 1893 that curious philosopher, "Pudd'nhead Wilson," made his bow.

Misfortune Dogs Him. But while the great humorist was meeting with well-deserved success from a literary standpoint, the imps of misfortune seemed to dog his very footsteps.

In 1884 he conceived the idea of reaping the publisher's as well as the author's profits from some of his works. Accordingly he organized a stock company known as C. L. Webster & Co., in which he was the largest stockholder, to publish his works. He had accumulated considerable wealth and was rated as a millionaire.

His financial ability, however, was none of the best, and in 1894 his entire fortune was swept away by the failure of the publishing house. Mr. Clemens was abroad at the time, and although 60 years of age, he started out on a tour of the globe, delivering lectures and writing articles in order to pay the debts of the defunct firm.

He had scarcely begun his great task when fate struck him another hard blow. This was the death of his eldest and most accomplished daughter, Miss Olivia S. Clemens, who died in August, 1896, at the age of 24. Broken in spirit, he continued his great task and in two years he had paid off his debts.

Wife Passes Away. As if in sympathy with her husband's misfortunes, his wife's health began to fail. He moved to Florence, Italy, in the hope that the mild climate would restore her, but it proved of no avail, and on November 6, 1904, she died in that far off land.

About this time the humorist met H. H. Rogers, the Standard Oil magnate, and the men became fast friends. Rogers gave his literary friend the aid of his financial experience, and Clemens was soon in possession of a comfortable income.

And now misfortune selected another weapon with which to attack the white-haired author. Heretofore his books had escaped harsh criticisms, but in November, 1907, "Tom Sawyer" and "Huckleberry Finn," his boy masterpieces, were withheld from youths by the Brooklyn public libraries, as "unfit for young minds." Comptroller Joy of Detroit, Mich., declared his work, "A Double-Barreled Detective Story," was "literary junk, unfit for a public library," and a Massachusetts public library refused to give shelf room to his "Eve's Diary," declaring that the book was "shocking."

Worn out by his lectures, after dinner speeches and misfortunes, "Twain" purchased a farm in Redding, Conn., and erected a \$40,000 villa, which he called "Stormfield." With his two daughters, Clara and Jean, he moved there in 1908, and settled down to a life of ease.

But a series of fresh misfortunes was in store for him. He had vigorously denounced the rule of the late King Leopold II. in the Congo Free State, and just when the reform movement was at its height, his ill health compelled him to abandon his work.

The "Children's Theater," which was founded by "Mark Twain" in New York, and which represented one of his life-long ambitions, was forced to close through lack of funds.

Then the humorist and his daughter Clara became involved in a lawsuit over a farm which he had presented to his former secretary, Mrs. Ralph Ashcroft, on her wedding day; and which he later attached on the advice of his daughter.

The facts regarding this disagreeable affair were aired in the press, much to the humiliation of the veteran humorist.

In the early part of 1909 his staunch friend and adviser, H. H. Rogers, died suddenly at his New York home. This great financier and the white haired humorist had been inseparable companions for a number of years. They had made trips to Bermuda together, and when Rogers opened his railroad in Virginia, "Twain" was one of the guests of honor. The author was greatly affected by the financier's sudden death.

In the latter part of 1909, "Twain" made another trip to Bermuda, and on his return his feeble appearance attracted a great deal of attention. Then the last crushing blow came the day before Christmas, when his youngest daughter, Jean, was found dead in the bath tub at his Redding home. The young woman had been a victim of epileptic fits.

CROP LOSS \$30,000,000.

Frost and Storm Damage in Middle West is Most Disastrous.

In the most disastrous and far-reaching storm experienced in a generation, damage to budding crops, fruits and vegetables amounting to more than \$30,000,000 has been wrought in the middle west.

The Michigan fruit belt—the backbone of the fruit district—is described as almost wiped out for the season. Freezing temperature in Illinois not only has killed buds, flowers and fruits, but threatens to ruin oats. The Chicago commission men agree that the middle west will have the greatest loss it ever has experienced because of the storm. They also say that high prices automatically will begin at once.

Experts estimate the losses in 10 states as follows: Illinois, \$6,000,000; Iowa, \$10,000,000; Indiana, \$2,000,000; Michigan, \$4,000,000; Wisconsin, \$2,000,000; Kansas, \$1,000,000; Kentucky, \$1,500,000; Missouri, \$2,000,000; Ohio, \$500,000; Nebraska, \$1,500,000.

Reports from nearly every section of the fruit belt of southwestern Michigan show that the crop is almost totally ruined. The freezing temperature of Friday night continued all day Saturday, weather conditions ameliorating through the night.

Plum, cherry, pear and apple yield is totally ruined. Some reports indicate that here and there in the districts contiguous to Lake Michigan some part of the peach buds have been spared. Ninety per cent of the grape yield is lost and the same is true of all berries with the possible exception of the strawberries, of which a larger percentage retains life. Not more than one-tenth of the vegetable crop was ruined, as only a small proportion of this class of vegetation was above ground.

The estimated loss in Berrien county will be \$2,000,000, with an added \$1,000,000 loss to the grape crop in Van Buren county.

25,000 Cheer Roosevelt. Theodore Roosevelt delivered his eagerly awaited lecture on "Citizenship in a Republic," in the Sorbonne in Paris. He received a remarkable ovation. Every bit of room in the big amphitheater was occupied and the lecturer was repeatedly and enthusiastically applauded. Outside the building fully 25,000 people, massed in the streets, acclaimed the former president as he arrived and again when he took his departure.

His audience was composed of all of the members of the French cabinet, 900 students selected from the University of Paris and many distinguished guests, by whom the occasion was regarded as the most important feature of the distinguished American's visit to France.

In the course of his address Mr. Roosevelt made reference to the subject of human rights and property rights in the following paragraphs: "My position as regards the moneyed interests can be put in a few words. In every civilized society property rights must be carefully safeguarded. Ordinarily and in the great majority of cases human rights and property rights are fundamentally and, in the long run, identical; but when it clearly appears that there is a real conflict between them, human rights must have the upper hand; for property belongs to man and not man to property."

The nineteenth continental congress of the Daughters of the American Revolution came to a close in Washington, after having been in session five days.

THE MARKETS

Detroit—Cattle—Market strong at last week's prices. Extra dry-fed steers and heifers, 1,000 to 1,200, \$4.75 to \$5.50; grass steers and heifers, 800 to 1,000, \$4.75 to \$5.50; grass steers and heifers, 400 to 600, \$4.50 to \$5.25; choice fat cows, \$4.50 to \$5.25; good fat cows, \$4.50 to \$5.25; common cows, \$3.50 to \$4.50; choice heavy bulks, \$5.50; stock bulks, \$4.50; milkers, large, young medium age, \$4.00 to \$5.00; common, \$3.50 to \$4.50. Veal calves—Market steady; nice to 50 higher; best \$8 to \$8.50; others \$4 to \$7; milk cows—Market higher; sheep and lambs—Market higher; than last week for good grades; best \$7.75 to \$8.25; light sheep, \$6.00 to \$7; culls and common, \$3.50 to \$4. Hogs—Market 65 to 70 cents lower than last week's close. Light to good butchers, \$9.10 to \$9.20; pigs, \$9 to \$9.10; light yorkers, \$9.10 to \$9.15; stags, 1-3 off.

East Buffalo, N. Y.—Cattle—Steady. Hogs—Steady; all grades, \$9.50 to \$9.55. Sheep—Slow; clipped lambs, \$9 to \$9.50; wethers, \$6.50 to \$7.50; ewes, \$6.50 to \$7. Calves—\$5 to \$9.50.

Grain, Etc. WHEAT—Cash No. 2, 1.07; May wheat, opened without change at 1.06 1/2, declined to 1.05 1/2 and advanced to 1.07 1/2; July opened at 1.01 1/2, September opened at 1.01 1/2, closed at 1.00 1/2 and advanced to 1.01 1/2. No. 1 white, \$1.01; No. 2 white, \$1.00; No. 3 white, \$0.99. CORN—Cash No. 3, 58 1/2; No. 3 yellow, 1 car at 60c, closing at 59 1/2. OATS—Standard, 44c; No. 3 white, 2 cars at 43 1/2c. RYE—Cash No. 2, 80c. BEANS—Cash No. 2, 80c. CLOVERSEED—Prime spot, 50 bags at \$7; October, 100 bags at \$6.50; sample, 5 bags at \$6; prime alike, \$7; sample alike, 5 bags at \$6.75. TIMOTHY SEED—Prime spot, \$1.85; choice, \$2.

FEED—In 100-lb. sacks, jobbing lots; Bran, \$2; coarse cornmeal, \$2; fine middlings, \$2; fine corn and coarse cornmeal, \$2; corn and oat chop, \$2 per ton. FLOUR—Best Michigan patent, \$5.95; ordinary patent, \$5.75; straight, \$5.65; patent, \$5.50 per bbl. in wood, jobbing lots.

Corporal J. D. Lohman, 115th company, coast artillery, on duty at Fort Rosecrans, Cal., won the broad sword championship of the United States army and of the world by defeating Major Duncan C. Ross in a 25-minute contest. During the contest Lohman twice disarmed Ross.

A thousand miners and coke oven men employed by the Davis Colliery Co. in West Virginia, of which former United States Senator, Henry Gassaway Davis is president, have been granted an increase of 5 per cent. This includes plants at Coalton, Harding, Junior and Bower.

Western Canada As A Grain Producer

NEVER SAW SUCH FINE WHEAT ANYWHERE.

Gust Anderson of Maldstone, Sask., was formerly of Minnesota and has been in Central Canada three years. On January 16, 1910, he writes:

"Arriving fifteen miles from Maldstone, I bought a couple of steers from a rancher, as my capital was not large, and with the two oxen I brought with me, I broke 25 acres which I put in crop in 1908 and had to clear some brush. I earned \$45.00 by breaking fifteen acres for a neighbor and during the summer I put up hay and hauled timber and put up houses for other settlers. Notwithstanding a heavy frost on August 12th, I had 2 1/2 bushels of wheat per acre and 40 bushels of oats. Of 35 acres of wheat in 1909, I got 27 bushels of wheat per acre and 1,300 bushels of oats of 20 acres. I never saw such fine wheat anywhere. We have plenty of rain between May and August and August seldom any but dry warm days. Water can be had at from 20 to 40 feet and plenty of grass for cattle."

The evidence of Mr. Anderson is given because it is encouraging to the man of small means who is desirous of bettering his condition. It shows what can be done, and there is really but small limit to the man with push and energy to become wealthy on Canadian lands. And the grain that he raises is good. A press dispatch says:

The quality of the wheat continues to be the feature of the deliveries. In the total of 3,378 cars in the February inspections there were 2,847 of high grade stuff, a percentage of 84.28. For January the percentage was 82.21, and for the six months it was 88.6. This is an unusually high average, and it demonstrates beyond the shadow of a doubt that the farmers in this part of the Dominion still know how to grow first-class wheat. The crop of 1908 was considered good enough, and its average of contract wheat was only 70 per cent. Good weather throughout the season was an important factor, of course, in insuring the high quality of the grain, and it is not likely that atmospheric influences of so favorable a character will be encountered for a long time to come. The best that can be expected is that a fair average for a term of years will be maintained.

Not Quite. "Young man," inquired her father, sternly, "will you give her a home like the one she has been used to?" "No," replied the truthful sutor, "for there will be no grumpy father to come home and make everyone miserable by his kicking over trifles and swearing at matters in general. There will be no mother to scold her from morning to night for wasting time merely because she wants to be neat. There will be no big brother to abuse her for not doing half of his work, and no little brother to make enough noise to drive her crazy when her head aches. There won't be any younger sister to insist on reading some trashy novel while she does all the work. She will not have with me a home like she has been used to, not if I can help it."—Puck.

Giving Papa Away. London is smiling over a story told regarding little Miss Asquith, who is at that tender age when indiscreet remarks are still pardonable. Mrs. Asquith had taken her small daughter out to tea, and while her mother was talking to some friends at the other end of the room, little Margaret endeavored to entertain a conservative statesman who sat near her.

"Do you like Mr. Lloyd-George?" she asked when there was a lull in the conversation. "No," said he, smiling, "I can't say that I do."

"Neither does daddy," said the prime minister's ten-year-old daughter, blithely.

POSTUM FOR MOTHERS The Drink That Nourishes and Supplies Food for Mother and Child.

"My husband had been unable to drink coffee for several years, so we were very glad to give Postum a trial and when we understood that long boiling would bring out the delicious flavour, we have been highly pleased with it.

"It is one of the finest things for nursing mothers that I have ever seen. It keeps up the mother's strength and increases the supply of nourishment for the child if partaken of freely. I drank it between meals instead of water and found it most beneficial."

"Our five-year-old boy has been very delicate since birth and has developed slowly. He was white and bloodless. I began to give him Postum freely and you would be surprised at the change. When any person remarks about the great improvement, we never fail to tell them that we attribute his gain in strength and general health, to the free use of Postum and this has led many friends to use it for themselves and children.

"I have always cautioned friends to whom I have spoken about Postum, to follow directions in making it, for unless it is boiled fifteen or twenty minutes, it is quite tasteless. On the other hand, when properly made, it is very delicious. I want to thank you for the benefits we have derived from the use of your Postum."

Read "The Road to Wellville," found in pages "There's a Reason."

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of honest interest.

COL. ROOSEVELT SPEAKS IN PARIS

Addresses Distinguished Audience at Ancient University.

"CITIZENSHIP" HIS SUBJECT

Tells Students and Professors of Duty of France as Nation and Themself as Individuals to the World—Reads Them Lecture on Sterility.

Paris, April 23.—Ex-President Roosevelt today lectured before an audience at the Sorbonne, that comprised the greatest gathering of the intellect and learning of France that has gathered at this ancient educational seat in more than a century, if ever before. Long before the time announced for the beginning of Colonel Roosevelt's lecture every seat in the great auditorium was filled, and thousands lined the walks and streets about the university. Colonel Roosevelt said: Foundations of Our Republic.

This was the most famous university of medieval Europe at a time when no one dreamed that there was a new world to discover. Its services to the cause of human knowledge already stretched far back in the remote past at the time when my forefathers, three centuries ago, were among the sparse bands of traders, plowmen, wood choppers, and fisher-folk who, in a hard struggle with the iron unkindness of the Indian-haunted land, were laying the foundations of what has now become the constant republic of the west. To conquer a continent, to tame the shaggy roughness of wild nature means grim warfare; and the generations engaged in it cannot keep still less add to the stores of garnered wisdom which were therein, and which are still in the hands of their brethren who dwell in the old land. To conquer the wilderness means to wrest victory from the same hostile forces with which mankind struggled in the immemorial infancy of our race. The primeval conditions must be met by primeval qualities which are incompatible with the retention of much that has been painfully acquired by humanity as through the ages it has striven upward toward civilization. In conditions so primitive there can be but a primitive culture.

Building the Higher Life.

As the country grows, its people, who have won success in so many lines, turn back to try to recover the possessions of the mind and the spirit, which perforce their fathers threw aside in order better to wage the first rough battles for the continent their children inherit. The leaders of thought and of action group their way forward to a new life, realizing, sometimes dimly, sometimes clear-sightedly, that the life of material gain, whether for a nation or an individual, is of value only as a foundation, only as there is added to it the uplift that comes from devotion to loftier ideals. The new life thus sought can in part be developed afresh from what is round about in the new world; but it can be developed in full only by freely drawing upon the treasure houses of the old world, upon the treasures stored in the ancient abodes of wisdom and learning, such as this where I speak today.

It is a mistake for any nation merely to copy another; but it is an even greater mistake, it is a proof of weakness in any nation, not to be anxious to learn from another, and willing and able to adapt that learning to the new national conditions and make it fruitful and productive therein. It is for us of the new world to sit at the feet of the Gamaliel of the old; then if we have the right stuff in us, we can show that Paul, in his turn, can become a teacher as well as a scholar.

Today, I shall speak to you on the subject of individual citizenship, the one subject of vital importance to you, my hearers, and to me and my countrymen, because you and we are citizens of great democratic republics. A democratic republic such as each of ours—an effort to realize in its full sense government by, of, and for the people—represents the most gigantic of all possible social experiments, the one fraught with greatest possibilities alike for good and for evil.

Great Lessons of France.

France has taught many lessons to other nations; surely one of the most important is the lesson her whole history teaches, that a high artistic and literary development is compatible with notable leadership in arms, and statecraft. The brilliant gallantry of the French soldier has for many centuries been proverbial, and during these same centuries at every court in Europe the "free masons of fashion" have treated the French tongue as their common speech; while every artist and man of letters, and every man of science able to appreciate that marvelous instrument of precision, French prose, has turned towards France for aid and inspiration. How long the leadership in arms and letters has lasted is curiously illustrated by the fact that the earliest masterpiece in modern tongue is the splendid French epic which tells of Roland's doom and the vengeance of Charlemagne when the lords of the Frankish host were stricken at Roncevalles.

Need of Individual Character.

Let those who have, keep, let those who have not, strive to attain a high standard of cultivation and scholarship. Yet let us remember that these

stand second to certain other things. There is need of a sound body, and even more need of a sound mind. But above mind and above body stands character, the sum of those qualities which we mean when we speak of a man's force and courage, of his good faith and sense of honor. I believe in exercise of the body, always provided that we keep in mind that physical development is a means and not an end. I believe, of course, in giving to all the people a good education. But the education must contain much besides book-learning in order to be really good. We must ever remember that no keenness, and subtleness of intellect, no polish, no cleverness in any way make up of the lack of great solid qualities—self-restraint, self-mastery, common sense, the power of accepting individual responsibility and yet, of acting in conjunction with others. Courage and resolution; these are the qualities which mark a masterful people. Without them no people can control itself or save itself from being controlled from the outside. I speak to a brilliant assemblage; I speak in a great university which represents the flower of the highest intellectual development; I pay all homage to intellect, and to elaborate and specialized training of the intellect; and yet I know I shall have the assent of all you present when I add that more important still are the commonplace, every-day qualities and virtues.

The Evils of Sterility.

In the next place the good man should be both a strong and a brave man; that is, he should be able to fight, he should be able to serve his country as a soldier if the need arises. There are well-meaning philoponians who declaim against the unrighteousness of war. They are right, only they lay all their emphasis upon the unrighteousness. War is a dreadful thing, and unjust, war is a crime against humanity. But it is such a crime because it is unjust, not because it is war. The choice must ever be in favor of righteousness, and whether the alternative be peace or whether the alternative be war. The question must not be merely, is there to be peace or war? The question must be, is the right to prevail? Are the great laws of righteousness once more to be fulfilled? And the answer from a strong and virile people must be, "Yes," whatever the cost. Every honorable effort should always be made by the individual in private life to keep out of a brawl, to keep out of trouble; but no self-respecting individual, no self-respecting nation, can or ought to submit to wrong.

Finally, even more important than ability to work, even more important than ability to fight at need, is it to remember that the chief of blessings for any nation is that it shall have the crown of blessings in Biblical times, and it is the crown of blessings now. The greatest of all curses is the curse of sterility, and the severest of all condemnations should be that visited upon willful sterility. The first essential in any civilization is that the man and the woman shall be father and mother of healthy children, so that the race shall increase and not decrease. If this is not so, if through no fault of society there is failure to increase, it is a great misfortune. If the failure is due to deliberate and willful fault, then it is not merely a misfortune, it is one of those crimes of ease and self-indulgence, of shrinking from pain and effort and risk, which in the long run nature punishes more heavily than any other.

Idle Achievements.

If we of the great republics, if we, the free people who claim to have emancipated ourselves from the thralldom of wrong and error, bring down on our heads the curse that comes upon the willfully barren, then it will be an idle waste of breath to prattle of our achievements, to boast of all that we have done. No refinement of life, no delicacy of taste, no material progress, no sordid heaping up of riches, no sensuous development of art and literature, can in any way compensate for the loss of the great fundamental virtues; and of the great fundamental virtues, the greatest is the race's power to perpetuate the race.

But if a man's efficiency is not guided and regulated by a moral sense, then the more efficient he is the worse he is, the more dangerous to the body politic. Courage, intellect, all the masterful qualities, serve but to make a man more evil if they are used merely for that man's own advancement, with brutal indifference to the rights of others. It speaks ill for the community if the community worships these qualities and treats their possessors as heroes regardless of whether the qualities are used rightly or wrongly. It makes no difference as to the precise way in which this sinister efficiency is shown. It makes no difference whether such a man's force and ability betray themselves in the career of money maker or politician, soldier or orator, journalist or popular leader. If the man works for evil, then the more successful he is, the more he should be despised and condemned by all upright and farseeing men. To judge a man merely by success is an abhorrent wrong; and if the people at large habitually so judge men, if they grow to condone wickedness because the wicked man triumphs, they show their inability to understand that in the last analysis free institutions rest upon the character of citizenship and that by such admiration of evil they prove themselves unfit for liberty.

The Idea of True Liberty.

The good citizen will demand liberty for himself, and as a matter of pride he will see to it that others receive the liberty which he thus claims

as his own. Probably the best test of true love of liberty in any country is the way in which minorities are treated in that country. Not only should there be complete liberty in matters of religion and opinion, but complete liberty for each man to lead his life as he desires, provided only that in so doing he does not wrong his neighbor. Persecution is bad because it is persecution, and without reference to which side happens at the moment to be the persecutor and which the persecuted. Class hatred is bad in just the same way, and without any regard to the individual who, at a given time, substitutes loyalty to a class for loyalty to the nation, or substitutes hatred of men because they happen to come in a certain social category, for judgment awarded them according to their conduct. Remember always that the same measure of condemnation should be extended to the arrogance which would look down upon or crush any man because he is poor, and to the envy and hatred which would destroy a man because he is wealthy. The overbearing brutality of the man of wealth or power, and the envious and hateful malice directed against wealth or power, are really at root merely different manifestations of the same quality, merely the two sides of the same shield.

The man who, if born to wealth and power, exploits and ruins his less fortunate brethren is at heart the same as the greedy and violent demagogue who excites those who have not property to plunder those who have. Of one man in especial, however anyone else, the citizens of a republic should beware, and that is of the man who appeals to them to support him on the ground that he is hostile to other citizens of the republic, that he will secure for those who elect him, in one shape or another, profit at the expense of other citizens of the republic. It makes no difference whether he appeals to class hatred or class interest, to religious or anti-religious prejudice, the man who makes such an appeal should always be presumed to make it for the sake of furthering his own interest. The very thing that an intelligent and self-respecting member of a democratic community should not do is to reward any public man because that public man says he will get the private citizen something to which the private citizen is not entitled, or will gratify some emotion or animosity which this private citizen ought not to possess.

A Ranch Story.

Let me illustrate this by one anecdote from my own experience: A number of years ago I was engaged in cattle-ranching on the great plains of the western United States. There were no fences, the cattle wandered free, the ownership of each being determined by the brand; the calves were branded with the brand of the cows they followed. If, on the round-up, an animal was passed by, the following year it would appear as an unbranded yearling and was then called a maverick. By the custom of the country these mavericks were branded with the brand of the man on whose range they were found. One day I was riding the range with a newly hired cowboy, and we came upon a maverick.

I said to him: "It is so-and-so's brand," naming the man on whose range we happened to be.

He answered: "That's all right, boss, I know my business."

In another moment I said to him: "Hold, on, you are putting on my brand."

To this he answered: "That's all right; I always put on the boss' brand."

I answered: "Oh, very well. Now you go straight back to the ranch and get what is owing to you. I don't need you any longer."

He jumped up and said: "Why, what's the matter? I was putting on your brand."

And I answered: "Yes, my friend, and if you will steal for me you will steal from me."

Now the same principle which applies in private life applies also in public life. If a public man tries to do something wrong in your interest, you can be absolutely certain that if ever it becomes worth his while he will do something wrong against your interest.

POWER TRUST CAPITULATES

THE COMBINE WILL PRESENT ANOTHER PLAN OF ORGANIZATION.

ABANDONS MAINE CORPORATION —W. A. FOOTE DENIES ATTEMPT TO DODGE LAW.

The Custer Monument Will Be Unveiled at Monroe June 4 by the Widow of General Custer.

The water power syndicate has capitulated to the state railroad commission and will present to that body its plan for developing a great water power system in this state. W. A. Foote of Jackson, the prime mover in the project, and John C. Weadock, his attorney, called on Chairman Glasgow of the commission at Lansing and announced that within 10 days the matter will again be before the commission, but along entirely different lines from the original scheme.

The plan now proposed is for each of the 11 water power companies included in the merger to come before the commission separately and make a showing for an issue of bonds with which to take up its present indebtedness and provide an object for extensions and improvements. Each company will act separately in this matter and there is no announcement as to further plans for merging the companies, although it is known that at least some of the companies will be merged into one corporation.

The proposal to organize the Consumers' Power Co. of Maine with a capital stock of \$20,000,000 to issue \$35,000,000 in bonds is not a part of the project as outlined at present, although after several bond issues are arranged there may be some move along this line. Mr. Weadock in his talk with Chairman Glasgow absolutely disclaimed any intention on the part of the merger to avoid coming under state regulation, stating that ever since it had been found that the original plan could not be carried out by reason of lack of time, attention had been devoted to the matter of arranging for presenting this scheme to the commission.

Monroe Invites State Brigade.

At a meeting of officers of the Michigan Cavalry Brigade, a committee of the citizens of Monroe and the state Custer Memorial commission, at the G. A. R. building in Detroit, Mayor Martin and Secretary C. E. Greening, of the memorial association of Monroe, extended an invitation to the members of the cavalry brigade to become the guests of the citizens of Monroe on June 3 and the following day, when the monument will be unveiled at Monroe. The annual reunion of the Custer brigade will be held at the same time.

The unveiling of the Custer monument will mean one of the largest military demonstrations ever held in this state. It will be attended by several companies of the Michigan National guard, including a battery of artillery had several troops of cavalry, the Twenty-sixth U. S. infantry, now at Fort Wayne, and also several military organizations of other states. President Taft will arrive in Monroe on his special train and will deliver an address at the dedicatory exercises, which will take place at 10 o'clock Saturday, June 4. Senator William Alden Smith will deliver the oration. Mrs. Custer, widow of the general, will unveil the statue, and Miss Greening will recite the poem, "Custer's Last Charge."

Primary School Funds Piling Up.

Information and figures as to how the primary school fund is piling up in some counties as a useless fund which no one can expend were presented to school officers and teachers in convention at Lansing by Deputy Superintendent of Public Instruction C. C. Keeler. Mr. Keeler declared that while some counties are hoarding up the fund, others are compelled to go without school teachers because of lack of money.

He read a list of 21 school districts which have money on hand enough to pay teachers' salaries for the next four years; 68 which can pay them for two years and many for a longer time. He included Wayne county in the list of those counties which have many districts bloated with money. Mr. Keeler says the condition and the remedy will be one of the most important questions before the next legislature.

Twelve-Year-Old Girl Assaulted.

Seizing 12-year-old Jennie Spaman, of Dunningville; Allegan Co., as she passed through a woods on her way home from school, Oscar Jacobs, 24, dragged her into the clump of trees, choked her and assaulted her. Jacobs, who is the son of a murderer serving a life sentence in Jackson prison, is illiterate and bears a bad reputation. He was arrested and brought before Judge Pughman, where he pleaded guilty. The girl is in a critical condition from the shock and her struggle.

"Clean up" day was observed in Port Huron, and, in accordance with a proclamation by Mayor Bell and under the supervision of the Civic Improvement society, the city was "cleaned up." A large number of bonfires illuminated the skies as the result of the day's labors.

There is a movement on foot to transfer the annual meeting of the League of Michigan Municipalities, scheduled to be held in Lansing this year, to some other city, and Mayor Bennett and some of the Lansing aldermen are placed in an embarrassing position.

NEWS OF MICHIGAN.

The Flint police department will soon be equipped with a \$1,600 auto police patrol and ambulance.

A large number of big corporations are holding up their state taxes and will likely come under the wire at the last minute on May 10.

A mortgage for \$120,000 securing the bond issue of the Flint city waterworks, was discharged by Bruce J. McDonald, the sole surviving trustee for the bondholders.

Ellsworth Davis, a Grand Ledge druggist and former mayor of that city, has been found guilty of violating the local option law by a circuit court jury at Charlotte.

Hunters in the vicinity of Marshall are agitating the discontinuance of spring duck shooting, and a meeting will soon be called to frame a bill to be presented to the legislature.

The fishermen of Saginaw bay have won in their efforts against the legislation to have the size of meshes in fish nets increased so that most of the fish in the bay could slip through.

The common council of Holland has decreed that the wholesale liquor dealers may remain open from 6 until 8 p. m., but that they cannot sell less than 12 pints of beer, or one of whiskey.

It is reported that the wets will have a big time all through Arenac county, April 30, the last day before the local option law goes into effect. All liquor on hand will be sold at a low price, it is said.

Jay Hamilton, of Newberry, won the upper peninsula interscholastic oratorical contest at Negaunee. Henry Spear, of Menominee, was second. The declamation honors went to Lucile Harmon, of Menominee.

Every person arrested in Marshall for drunkenness in the future will be compelled to sign a pledge to abstain as alternative of a fine of \$30 or 30 days in jail, local justices of the peace have so decided.

There has been a complaint filed against City Physician M. A. Paterson of Flint, because he allowed a suspected smallpox patient to be at large for several days. He has asked the state board to investigate.

The Rochester Creamery Co., Rochester, filed articles of incorporation for \$6,000 at Lansing on Tuesday. Dr. Robert Cassels is president and H. J. Taylor treasurer. It is composed of about 100 farmers of Avon township.

A spectacular fire raged for several hours in the store of Hunter & Hunter, at Detroit, completely destroying the stock and leaving nothing of the building but the four walls enclosing a mass of charred debris and twisted metal.

State Labor Commissioner Fletcher declares that he is going to prosecute milliners who force their employees to work more than 64 hours per week. Some of them have been compelled to do 12-hour stretches every day since Easter.

The death of Samuel L. Barney, aged 81, long a resident of Marquette, has removed the oldest settler of the Lake Superior iron region, and the man who has lived longest in the iron country of any white man. His widow survives him.

Residents of Garfield township, Newaygo county, have asked the attorney-general if there is a provision whereby they can secure the services of a health officer from another township. Garfield township does not contain a physician.

Francesca Creatore, the Detroit bandmaster, who went to Bay City with his band, was arrested at the instance of Frank Gerth, manager for Giuseppe Creatore, who alleges that Francesca is falsely representing himself as a relative.

A few days ago the Grand Trunk railroad announced that it would build 500 automobile cars and spend the sum of \$3,000,000 in doing so. The majority of the cars will be built in Port Huron and 600 men will be given employment.

At the annual convention of the Calhoun County W. C. T. U., at Athens, the ladies advocated the reading of the Bible in the public schools. They also entered a protest against the display of the American flag on saloons on the ground that "the flag is the emblem of freedom." Local opinion was discussed at some length.

"Walf," the dog owned by the late Police Commissioner Jas. K. Briggs, of Saginaw, has been buried beneath the apple trees on a farm east of the city. The animal was from one of the finest kennels in Tennessee, and when Mr. Briggs died suddenly one day about two months ago Walf pined away until he died of a broken heart.

The fine new armory which adjoins the auditorium in Saginaw is to be formally dedicated the evening of May 12 with a grand ball given by the Young Women's society of the Women's hospital. Members of the governor's staff, and possibly the chief executive himself, will be present. The Naval Reserves and members of the militia will be present in full dress uniforms, and the affair is being looked forward to as one of the biggest functions of the year in Saginaw social circles.

Some fireworks are expected when a strip of land is sold in Wexford county for taxes. A contention is raised by the Commonwealth Power Co. that the land belongs to it by right of purchase, while Land Commissioner Russell holds that the land reverted to the state under the delinquent tax act ten years ago. The power company purchased the land, not knowing that it belonged to the state, and did not know it until the state land office advertised the property for sale several weeks ago.

The cemetery at Negaunee is to be moved so the Cleveland-Cliffs Co. may use the land on which it is located for mining ore. The burial plot, which is used by both the Protestants and Catholics, comprises four acres and has for some time been considered too small for the demands made on it. The mining company agrees to furnish a plot of 90 acres in return for the present site, and the Catholics and the city of Negaunee, by whom the present plot is owned, will be reimbursed on a sliding scale for all the ore mined on the present city of the dead.

Stop Women And Consider

This Fact—that in addressing Mrs. Pinkham you are confiding your private ills to a woman—a woman whose experience with women's diseases covers twenty-five years.

The present Mrs. Pinkham, daughter-in-law of Lydia E. Pinkham, was for years under her direction, and has ever since her decease continued to advise women.

Many women suffer in silence and drift along from bad to worse, knowing well that they ought to have immediate assistance, but a natural modesty causes them to shrink from exposing themselves to the questions and probable examinations of even their family physician. Such questioning and examination is unnecessary. Without cost you can consult a woman whose knowledge from actual experience is great.

MRS. PINKHAM'S STANDING INVITATION:

Women suffering from any form of female weakness are invited to promptly communicate with Mrs. Pinkham at Lynn, Mass. All letters are received, opened, read and answered by women. A woman can freely talk of her private illness to a woman; thus has been established this confidence between Mrs. Pinkham and the women of America which has never been broken. Never has she published a testimonial or used a letter without the written consent of the writer, and never has the company allowed these confidential letters to get out of their possession, as the hundreds of thousands of them in their files will attest.

Out of the vast volume of experience which Mrs. Pinkham has to draw from, it is more than possible that she has gained the very knowledge needed in your case. She asks nothing in return except your good will, and her advice has helped thousands. Surely any woman, rich or poor, should be glad to take advantage of this generous offer of assistance. Address Mrs. Pinkham, care of Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass.

LIMBURGER AND THE LAW SAW CHANCE TO MAKE MONEY

Odorous Compound Responsible for Some Trouble and a Little Alleged "Wit."

"Technically," said Judge Wells to William Rung in the municipal court, "you had the right on your side. However, you chose a form of cruel and unusual punishment that cannot be tolerated by this court. I'll have to fine you one dollar."

It appeared from the evidence that Mr. Rung, who is a stereotyper, sat down to luncheon with Edward Snider, a fellow employe. The piece de resistance of Rung's luncheon consisted of Limburger cheese, and Snider, who regards himself as something of a wag, had made certain remarks about the cheese, reflecting particularly on its odor. Thereupon Mr. Rung smeared a piece of the cheese over the humorous Snider's countenance.

"This," said Rung, as he stepped up to pay his fine, "is the kind of justice that smells to heaven."

"That will be about all from you," said the court bawling, "cheese it!"—Chicago Record-Herald.

Why She Permitted It.

"Why did you ever permit your husband to buy a flimsy, rickety automobile like that?"

"He recently got himself, heavily insured against accidents."

In the London streets there are nearly 10,500 boy traders under 14 years of age, and over 900 girl traders.

Unreasonable Attitude of His Friend Naturally Disgusted Man of Business.

Solomon and Moses, while walking by the canal, saw a notice board which stated that five shillings would be paid to whoever rescued another man from drowning.

It didn't take them more than a minute to arrange that one should fall in and be saved by the other, and the "stakes" divided.

In went Sol, and found it rather deeper than he expected. However, he splashed about, crying: "Come on, Moses! Save me!"

Moses hesitated. "Sol," he said, "I've been reading that notice board again, and it says, 'Ten shillings for a dead body.' Now, do be reasonable."—London Tit-Bits.

Another Instance.

The Fiji cannibal reluctantly produced a quarter in response to the Lightning Calculator's pathetic plea at the psychological moment.

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CONGREGATIONAL.
Rev. M. L. Grant, Pastor.
Combined service Sunday at 10 a. m. Subject, "Is it Worth While to Preserve the American Sunday?" The communion service will be observed.
C. E. meeting at 6:15 p. m. Evening worship at 7 p. m. Subject, "The Man That Was Caught in His Own Trap."

METHODIST EPISCOPAL.
Rev. Dunning Idle, Pastor.
Class meeting at 9:30 a. m. Combination service at 10 a. m. Sermon by the pastor. Junior League at 3 p. m. Epworth League at 6:15 p. m. Leader, Grace Fletcher. Evening service at 7 o'clock. Subject, "A Good Boy from a Bad Home." Prayer service at 7:15 Thursday evening.

BAPTIST.
Rev. F. I. Blanchard, Pastor.
Preaching service at 10 a. m. Subject, "Hindrances to a Might Work." Sunday school at 11 a. m. Young People's meeting at 6 p. m. Subject, "Christ our King." John 18: 33-40.
Preaching service at 7 p. m. Subject, "Following the Christ." Prayer meeting at 7:15 p. m. Thursday. Subject, "Religion in the Home."

BREVITIES

ANNARBOR—The Ann Arbor Water Works company is about to issue \$350,000 in 20-year refunding bonds secured by a trust mortgage for \$650,000 held by the Union Trust Co. of Detroit. The bonds will be issued next week.

JACKSON—Fifty pupils will graduate from the Jackson high school this year, this being the same as the number which graduated last year. The commencement address will be delivered by Charles Zeublin, of Worcester, Mass., formerly of the U. of C.

YPSILANTI—Fire, supposed to have originated from crossed wires at 9 o'clock Monday night, destroyed the two-story brick flouring mill of Bert G. Moorman and also three carloads of oats and a quantity of other grain. The total loss is placed at about \$5,000, partly covered by insurance.

ANN ARBOR—The local anti-tuberculosis society will erect a sanitarium on one-half of the 14 acres of land recently purchased by Dean Victor C. Vaughn on the hill just north of the old boulevard. It is leased for five years. It is probable that Jackson county may co-operate with Washtenaw county in its support.

HOWELL—Earl Day, proprietor of the defunct Pinckney creamery, was Monday sentenced to serve six months in the Detroit house of correction. Day was convicted of having obtained money under false pretenses. He executed a mortgage on creamery property which he bought on contract and in which he did not hold title. Day came to Pinckney from Owosso.

JACKSON—Buffalo Bill gave his opening performance of the season in Castle Square Garden, New York, Monday, and the Devil Zouaves of Jackson put on one of the feature acts. This is the sixth year that the local military company has been a part of this great show, and two years of that time was spent in the old world. A week ago Sunday they left for Trenton, N. J., to join the show at winter headquarters, where they drilled, and together with the other performers got in condition again for public exhibition.

ANN ARBOR—No more toaststools for William Conrad, one of the American House bartenders who rooms at 560 South First street. William ate some mushrooms at his home Sunday. They were some of his picking and hadn't taken out their naturalization papers yet. William didn't take the trouble to identify them, and when he lunched on them he was suddenly smitten with one large pain where the pleasant, well-filled feeling used to have been. Only the hasty attention of a physician saved the American House a donation for flowers, and William will be back on the job Wednesday or Thursday.—Times News.

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It is ordered, that the 30th day of April next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office be appointed for hearing said petition.

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

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Mortgage Sale.

Details having been made in the conditions of a mortgage bearing date January 24, 1908, made and executed by James N. Wallace and Ellen L. Wallace to Martha E. Bond, recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Washtenaw county, state of Michigan, on the 25th day of January, 1908, in Liber 81 of mortgages on page 30. Which mortgage was duly assigned by Martha E. Bond to Mary B. Norton on the 10th day of May, 1909, and said assignment recorded in said Register's office on the 6th day of January, 1909 in Liber 81 of assignment of mortgages on page 53. Upon which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice the principal, interest and attorneys fee as provided in said mortgage the sum of Twenty-one Hundred and Sixty-five Dollars.

Notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises at public vendue to the highest bidder on the 27th day of May, next at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at the southerly front door of the court house, in the city of Ann Arbor, in said county, to satisfy the amount claimed to be due. The said mortgage, and all legal costs, to-wit: Those certain pieces or parcels of land situate in the city of Ypsilanti, Michigan, State of Michigan, described as lots one (1), two (2), three (3) and four (4), in Davis addition to the city of Ypsilanti, Michigan.

Dated February 24, 1910.

MARY B. NORTON,
Assignee of said Mortgage.

D. C. GRIFFIN,
Attorney for Assignee,
Ypsilanti, Michigan.

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Dated, Ann Arbor, April 18th, A. D. 1910.

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