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SATURDAY, MAY 7.

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Saturday, from 1:30 to 4:30 o'clock, while they last, 17-quart Granite Dishpan for 25c

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CHELSEA STILL ON THE MAP

A New Company Formed.

The Company is Capitalized For \$1,000,000—Products Sold all Over the World.

Last Thursday the board of directors of the Chelsea Stove & Manufacturing Company authorized the sale of the plant to the Grant & Wood Manufacturing Company, a million dollar corporation, that will engage in the manufacture of automatic machines in the former plant of the Chelsea Stove & Manufacturing Company. The new company will also use what is known as the tower building on the corner of Main and Railroad streets, for the manufacture of automatic products of the machines.

While the general offices of the company will remain as now, located in the Welfare building, the sales offices of the automatic products department of the company will be located in the former office building, as a large office force is required in marketing and handling of the products. Most of the Welfare building, as soon as practical, will be used for purposes for which the building was erected, for a lecture and concert hall for the employees of the company and for swimming pool, baths and bowling alley.

It is expected that between now and September at least one hundred additional workmen will be employed and the manufacture of machinery will be extended as fast as business warrants.

The machines manufactured by this company are used all over the world, the company owning and controlling all the United States and foreign patents on the same and the business done should place Chelsea on the map as a live wire all over the civilized world.

Drafting rooms have already been established at the factory and work is being pushed as rapidly as possible in the getting in and manufacturing of machinery for the new industry.

Chelsea labor will be utilized in the factory as much as possible, and will be given preference in the employment of men.

In a meeting held Wednesday morning the organization of the new company was perfected and officers elected. Eben B. Boye, formerly sales manager of the Warner & Swasey Co., of Cleveland, is president, and he will also act as general sales manager, a position for which he is well fitted by reason of his wide acquaintance among machinery interests. Arthur O. Smith, president of the A. O. Smith Co., of Milwaukee, is vice president, and Harry L. Stanton, of Chelsea, secretary and treasurer. The directors are: Dr. J. B. Book, a well-known Detroit capitalist; John T. Shaw, president of the First National bank; William T. Barbour, president of the Detroit Stove Works; Walter E. Flanders, president of the E.-M.-F. Co.; E. B. Boye, Arthur O. Smith and Robert M. Brownson, attorney.

The company takes over the Grant Automatic Machine Co., of Cleveland, and the machinery and equipment of this concern will be transferred to Chelsea. John J. Grant, who has a large interest in the concern is the inventor of the multiple automatic screw machine that will be built by the Grant & Wood Manufacturing Co. He has been called the father of the ball industry in America. Every machine used in the manufacture of balls for bearings was invented by him. Even the German and French balls imported into this country are made by machines patented and sold to the Europeans by Mr. Grant. The patents on these machines was sold by him in France and Germany for the sum of \$625,000.

In 1905 he commenced to develop the present multiple spindle automatic screw machine, which has been pronounced by all who have seen it to be the nearest approach to a perfect auto screw machine they have ever seen, and is the acme of simplicity. Harry L. Stanton, the secretary and treasurer of the company is well known in Chelsea having been in com-

mand of the Glazier Stove Co. since the taking over of that concern by the Detroit Trust Co., over two years ago, and his management of the same has been very satisfactory to the owners thereof.

Mr. Erwin E. Wood, who will be the factory manager of Grant and Wood Manufacturing Company, spent fourteen years with the Jones & Lamson Machine Company, of Springfield, Vermont, part of the time as chief draftsman and designer of special tools and machinery and the last six years with them as general superintendent of their plant.

After severing connections with them, he went to the Pratt & Whitney and Niles-Bement-Pond Companies, of Hartford and New York and spent part of his time on designs of turret machinery and part of his time traveling as a special representative, calling principally on the railroad trade.

Four years ago last January, he severed his connections with the Pratt & Whitney and Niles-Bement-Pond Companies and bought an interest in the George D. Walcott & Son Company, of Jackson, Michigan, afterwards re-organizing the company into a stock company under the name of Walcott & Wood Machine Tool Company and was president and general manager of that company until recently when he severed his connection to take the management of the Grant and Wood Manufacturing Company.

In 1890, he was elected a member of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers. He is also a member of the American Civic Alliance.

Mr. Wood has had a very wide and extended experience in the manufacture of machine tools having served apprenticeship at the machinist's trade and serving in every branch of the business.

A Pleasant Occasion.

Mrs. W. R. Reed was the recipient of a well planned surprise May 1st, her 70th birthday, by former students of our high school, who made their home with her while attending school. They came with baskets well laden with good things.

A kitchen cabinet was left as a reminder of the occasion, a bouquet of carnations and a potted fern; several letters and cards of greetings from friends at a distance were received. The list of her "children," as she affectionately greets them are: Mr. and Mrs. Otto D. Luick, Paul G. Schaible and sisters Martha and Elizabeth Kusterer, Edward and Eliza Zinke, Theodore and Mary Weber, Blanch and Anna Wortley, Vera Gage. Mrs. Klingler sent regrets. Dr. O. G. Wood, of Hart, Mich., and Carl Plowe, of Seattle, Wash., were among the absent ones.

Mrs. R. Cole, Orin Bruckner and B. Turnbull and family assisted in entertaining the guests.

Chelsea May Have New Railroad M. U. R. Wants to Enter Detroit

Proposing to become a competitor of the D. U. R., not only in its interurban business but with city cars as well, the Michigan United railway petitioned the Detroit council Tuesday night for a 30-year, 8-for-25-cent fare franchise to operate street cars from the western limits to the center of the city. The company is the same which is now operating cars between Kalamazoo, Battle Creek and Jackson. It proposes, if it is successful in securing an entrance to Detroit, to extend its interurban service from Jackson by the way of Chelsea and Ann Arbor.

If the franchise is granted by Detroit, it may be that the old Boland line may again be the scene of activity. This line is graded from Grass Lake to Dexter, and it would not take a great deal of work to get it in shape again.

Bean Production.

Bulletin No. 259 of the Michigan Experiment Station has been prepared for the specific purpose of furnishing information relating to the cultural methods employed in growing the field bean under Michigan conditions. This bulletin contains practical information relative to the suitability, preparation and fertilization of soils for beans. Varieties of beans, planting, cultivating, harvesting, threshing, etc., are also discussed.

This bulletin will be sent free upon request. Address R. S. Shaw, director, East Lansing, Michigan.

WAS A SUCCESS.

The Smoker of The Business Men's Association Tuesday Evening.

The smoker and lunch given by the Business Men's Association at the Young Men's Hall Tuesday evening was a success, and about sixty of the members were present. The earlier portion of the evening was spent in card playing after which lunch was served. After lunch Dr. J. T. Woods called the gathering to order and introduced President Belser who gave a short talk on the workings of the society and who then introduced Hon. S. W. Beakes, secretary of the Business Men's Association of Ann Arbor, who gave a very pleasing address on the work that has been done and is being done at Ann Arbor.

Village President Geo. P. Staffan was the next speaker and asked all to co-operate with the council to the end that everything that is done should be for the best interest of Chelsea. Captain E. L. Negus, Rev. M. L. Grant and F. K. McEldowney gave short talks, and Louis Burg favored the gathering with a couple of solons. The Young Men's Orchestra very materially added to the pleasure of the evening by the fine music that they rendered.

Old People's Home Notes.

The Methodist Home enjoyed a treat Sunday afternoon, Rev. J. E. Beal pastor of the Salem German Methodist church of Francisco brought his girls' chorus and rendered the following program of six numbers:

- We Sing Our Father's Praises..... Girls' Chorus
- Easter Song—"See this Lily"..... Girls' Chorus
- "Praise O Praise his Holy Name"..... Girls' Chorus
- Katheryn Notten and Girls' Chorus
- Sowing for the Master..... Girls' Chorus
- Aurleit Lehman and Girls' Chorus
- Nodding in the Meadow—Duet by Sarah and Selma Benter
- Blooming, Shining, Singing..... Girls' Chorus

Some of these were motion songs and all were nicely rendered showing the effect of careful training on the part of their instructor. He has twenty-five members of his Junior League class and seventeen were present to take part in the exercises. He said it was really a treat that he was giving his girls in return for their faithfulness to duty; but members of the Home considered it a great treat to listen to the songs of happy childhood and hear the cheery voices of the young folks in the home of the aged. The exercises were interspersed with appropriate remarks by Superintendent Saunders, Mr. Beal and Rev. Richard Hancock. Besides the members of the chorus there were other members of the Salem church present so that the entire party numbered about sixty.

Paint laws are being passed in a number of states. Bradley & Vrooman Pure Paint complies with all laws. Made of carbonate of lead, oxide of zinc and linseed oil. Sold by F. H. Belser.

ARMSTRONG GOES UP.

One Year in Detroit House of Correction and Fine of \$5,000.

Allan N. Armstrong, former warden of the Jackson prison, was sentenced Monday afternoon by Circuit Judge Parkinson, of the Jackson circuit, to pay a fine of \$5,000 and serve one year in the Detroit house of correction for attempting to make money by bribery while in office. He was immediately placed in a cell in the county jail, awaiting transportation to Detroit.

The court proceedings were simple. There was no crowd, as few knew that Armstrong was to be brought in at this time. He came to court accompanied by his brother-in-law. Mrs. Armstrong was in Jackson, but she is ill and badly broken in spirit, and Attorney Cobb, the ex-warden's legal adviser, persuaded her to stay away from the court room.

During the proceedings, while Cobb and Attorney Barkworth, the latter speaking in behalf of the attorney-general, were speaking, Armstrong sat at a table with his gaze fixed on the floor. He appeared utterly broken down, a very different man from the reticent, self-confident Armstrong of the early days of the prison scandal.

Armstrong paid the fine with a \$1,000 bill, a check for \$3,000 and ten \$100 bills.

The \$5,000 Armstrong was fined goes into the primary school fund. Every child of school age in Michigan will get a piece of it to be used in paying teachers' wages.

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 - Ginger Snaps, per pound..... 6c
 - Snow Boy Washing Powder, per package..... 3c
 - Broken Rice, 8 pounds for..... 25c
 - Red Band Coffee, 30c grade, per pound..... 25c
 - Our Japan Tea, once used always used, per pound..... 50c
 - International Stock Food, \$3.50 pail for..... \$2.00
 - Dr. Holland's Stock Salt, per pound..... 4c
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O. T. HOOVER, Publisher. CHELSEA, MICHIGAN. CLUB TO PROMOTE HAPPINESS.

All clubs exist to make people comfortable and happy—they can have no other raison d'être—but London has a new club which specializes in happiness, so to speak, says Chicago Record-Herald. None but the happy can belong to it; none but those who seek happiness will be permitted to "have a good cry" in order to realize happiness. The idea of such a club, it seems, was suggested by the splendid success of Maeterlinck's charming and beautiful poem-play, "The Blue Bird." This is a delicious fantasy for children and adults alike, and it teaches the truth that happiness lies near at hand, in one's home and immediate surroundings, rather than in distant unrealizable plans and ambitions. Those who deliberately and assiduously seek happiness fail to find it, or find it only when, after many disappointments and shattered illusions, they return home—apparently empty-handed. It may seem at first that the moral of Maeterlinck's play bars the seeking of happiness in a club as well as in any other external, material thing, but we must not be too logical and too pedantic. There is no reason why people with the genius for happiness should not flock together and afford an example to those of us who worry and fret and take life too tragically or business too gloomily.

This being the centennial year of the independence of various South American republics, the people of the United States will have ample opportunity for demonstrating sympathy and goodwill. Chile has invited our government to participate in a celebration to be held next September, and the authorities at Washington have accepted. A division of the Pacific fleet, including several of the finest ships of the navy will rendezvous on the Chilean coast and will take part in the display on the occasion. As arrangements have already been made to have our government represented at a similar observance in Argentina to take place earlier, the United States delegation may go to Chile to give further proof of interest in the later demonstration. All these exercises are full of promise as tending to strengthen the good relations between the United States and the Latin-American nations.

In spite of everything, some Americans can manage to save something. William Hanhart, secretary of the Savings Bank Section of the American Bankers' association, has made public a compilation from reports of the national monetary commission, showing that the average deposit in American savings banks is almost four times as great as the average for Europe, Asia, Africa, Oceania, Canada, etc., and that the average deposit per capita is almost four times greater in the United States than in the other portions of the world mentioned. The statistics place the total savings deposits in the world at \$15,359,672,014, and of this enormous sum \$5,678,735,379 belongs to prudent and thrifty Americans.

Embarrassing situations are bound to grow out of the common use of wireless telegraphy, and the sooner international regulation is established the better it will be for all concerned. When the Italian steamer, Duca d'Aosta, was at sea on her recent trip her operator "picked up" a dispatch warning one of her passengers to beware of arrest in Sicily. This made the captain suspicious and he sent an aerogram to the chief of police at Naples, who is now trying to discover what it all means. There may have been sound reasons for this display of interest in this particular case, but the incident shows how easily a practical joker could bring down serious trouble upon the head of an innocent sea voyager.

That "\$500" clerk who wrote to Secretary MacVeagh that he had saved the government two cents in ink by not dotting his i's or crossing his t's spoiled all his economy by writing an unnecessary and foolish letter, thereby using up ink that might have been saved.

A Long Island surrogate has decided that a gentleman may get drunk at least three times a year. But what some of them would like to know is how many times may a gentleman get drunk and still be a gentleman.

A fire has just been put out after it had burned for fifty years and consumed \$2,000,000,000 worth of good hard coal. It will take the consumers a long time to get it paid for.

So the "sub-conscious self" is to enter into litigation arising from marital infidelities? How far-reaching the psychological implications of life today are.

Only less ghastly than the horror itself are the excuses that come after it.

292 SALOONS CLOSE DOORS

IN TWELVE COUNTIES OF MICHIGAN LICENSED LIQUOR-SELLING CEASED MAY 1ST.

LAST DAY MARKED BY LITTLE DISTURBANCE—SIX BREWERIES OUT OF BUSINESS.

Most Dealers Managed to Dispose of Their Stocks, People Laying In Heavy Supplies.

Twelve counties in Michigan have farewell May 1 to the licensed saloon for at least two years. At the same time 292 saloons and six breweries went out of business for the same length of time. Contrary to expectations, the closing day was marked by little disturbance in the counties affected. Liquor dealers did a heavy business during the week with those anxious to lay in supplies of beer and booze—so heavy, in fact, that many saloons closed Friday for the reason that they had nothing left to sell. Jugs will be a scarce article for a time in most of the cities where the saloons went out of business, having been bought in large numbers to hold the aforesaid supplies of booze in household cellars.

The counties which became dry last night, with the number of saloons in each, are as follows: Antrim, 18; Arenac, 11; Cass, 18; Gladwin, 9; Ingham, 54; Lapeer, 23; Lenawee, 61; Ogemaw, 10; Osceola, 1; Otsego, 14; Presque Isle, 31; Shiawassee, 42.

Wholesale Liquor House Barred.

The Holly council, elected for the express purpose of keeping the town "dry" if Oakland county should go "wet"—which it did—has again frustrated the liquor interests. When a license for a saloon was denied the applicant went to the supervisors, obtaining permission to open a saloon just outside the corporation limits. He has done nothing to start his saloon, and it is not believed he will do so at all. But he came forward with a proposition to establish a wholesale house in town. The council was advised by the attorney-general that they could not refuse a license for such a place, but that they might exact bonds up to \$6,000. This the council, at a special meeting, proceeded to do. The law demands two local sureties, and there is but one who can qualify.

Fall of Paroled Men.

According to figures issued by the pardon board of the state an increase of 113 applicants for parole for the year 1909 were received over the previous year 1908. The total number for 1908 was 595, while for the year 1909 the number had reached a total of 698. However, it is rather startling that of 698 applicants for parole in 1909, 460 of this number were granted what they asked for, but 19 of them were sent back to prison for violating the parole issued to them. Figures compiled also show that the number of paroles denied for 1909 was a decrease over 1908 of 14, while the number of applications, number entered and number of violations of parole all showed an increase. These figures include the prisons at Detroit, Jackson, Marquette and Ionia. A large number of the violators of paroles, it appears are returned to prison again because they have imbibed too freely, and while under the influence of liquor committed depredations that they might not have done under other conditions.

The Primary School Fund.

Auditor-General Fuller says that there are 754,990 school children in Michigan who will be credited in the apportionment of the primary school money. At the present time there are nearly 7,000 more children of school age in the state than at the time when the report was made out a year ago. If the apportionment is made at the rate of \$5 per capita, the amount distributed will reach \$3,774,950, but unless some of the larger railroads in the state pay their taxes shortly the amount will not reach anywhere near that amount.

At present the auditor-general says that there is hardly enough cash in the primary fund to pay at the rate of \$2 and it is up to the railroads to come across with their cash at once. There is a penalty to be inflicted upon the railroads for failure to pay before May 1 and Fuller says that this will be inflicted if they do not remit. The apportionment will be made May 10.

Collister Gets Two Years.

Declaring in open court that the statements regarding his attempt to rob the State Bank of Lainsburg which he made to the police after his arrest were correct in every particular, Robert Collister in Circuit Judge Weist's court at Lansing pleaded guilty to the charge of conspiracy and abetting. He was sentenced to two years at the Ionia state reformatory. Frank Rivenberg, whom Collister sought to make an accomplice in the bank robbing scheme, today received a check for \$25 from the Lainsburg bank.

Dr. J. D. Bruce, in an address before the Woman's club, Saginaw, made some startling remarks in regard to the health question of the city's schools. He declared that of the 150 pupils in one school alone he had investigated 42 were in need of medical attention.

A meeting of the taxpayers was held in Three Rivers to consider the project of a county Y. M. C. A. State Secretary Rowe was present. Judge Russell R. Pealer is one of the prime movers, with Superintendent of Schools L. L. Tyler as an assistant.

NEWS OF MICHIGAN.

It is wired from Washington that Senator Burrows may induce President Taft to visit Kalamazoo soon. At the session of the board of review the assessed valuation of Grand Rapids was raised from \$83,582,900 to \$85,324,200.

Grape growers in the vicinity of Three Rivers say that the crop has not been injured by the recent cold snap and frosts.

During the next month the Pere Marquette railway will make extensive improvements to its tracks throughout the Thumb district.

Sportsmen of Keweenaw county and Calumet and Laurium have organized a "rod and gun" club, the object of which is to secure rigid enforcement of the present game and fish laws and lobby at Lansing for more legislation.

Superintendent of State Trespass Munschw had just returned from the northern part of the state, where he went to aid in the trial of Paul Swinhart, a wealthy lumberman, charged with stealing timber from lands belonging to the state.

Andrew Carnegie has sent a check for \$1,000 toward the purchase of a new organ for the Methodist church at Holland, on condition that \$1,500 more be raised by the congregation. Already \$900 has been pledged, with the remainder in sight.

On July 1 the new \$20,000 armory in Ann Arbor for the use of Company L. M. N. G., will be started. Capt. A. P. Mack has been authorized to select the architect and be ready to sign the contract on the above date. The city last summer purchased an armory site.

Representatives of Emmet county cities and towns met at the petoskey and decided to renew membership in the Western Michigan Development bureau, electing Judge A. L. Deul, of Harbor Springs, and M. M. Burnham to represent the county in the association.

The Northern Turpentine Co., which has been organized to manufacture turpentine and bi-products from the stumps of Norway pine in the upper peninsula, will build its main refinery and first destructive distillation plant at Koss, Menominee county, at a cost of \$250,000.

The pension agency at Detroit is not to be abolished, at least if the reports of the senate committee on pensions is adopted by congress. The report has a provision for the maintenance of the 18 pension agencies throughout the country as they exist at the present time.

Mrs. Loretta Pyle, of Saginaw, celebrated her 85th birthday and there were present five generations. Three great-great grandchildren, 15 great grandchildren, 35 grandchildren and two living daughters and one son comprise the family. She has been a resident of Saginaw 60 years.

Funeral services for Maj. E. B. Taylor, who died at the Soldiers' home at Grand Rapids, where he had been adjutant of the institution for twelve years, were held in Port Huron under the auspices of William Sanford post, G. A. R. Burial was at Lakeside cemetery. The deceased was at one time clerk of the city.

Seeing the name of Miss Lottie Schwarz, of La Crosse, Wis., in a list of graduates of a Chicago training school for mission workers, Rev. I. Schwartz, believing she was a long lost relative, wrote her, with the result that she will add a "1" to her name in July, when Rev. Schwartz enters mission work at Kalamazoo.

Dr. F. W. Shumway, state health officer, is expected to visit Calumet early in May with a government leprosy expert to investigate an alleged case of leprosy. It is said that there are several cases of the disease in the northern peninsula of Michigan. Dr. Shumway will also consider the proposition that plans for caring for these cases be provided by the state.

The Newway Chair company, which recently acquired the extensive property known as the former Converse Manufacturing company buildings and Pennoyer creek water power, is engaged in making \$10,000 improvements. This means new boiler rooms, additional machinery, new water wheel, etc., cement basements, flume and reservoir and concrete walls will all be one piece of masonry.

The farmers in the vicinity of Munger were thoroughly frightened by a disease that killed two cattle suddenly and which was thought to be a return of the dreaded "hoof and mouth" disease that was prevalent last year. James Norman lost two cows and the report spread that the disease had broken out. A specialist from the state department at Lansing was called, but he diagnosed the case as a disease not at all like the hoof and mouth epidemic.

When State Land Commissioner Russell placed on sale between \$00 and 1,000 acres of land in Wexford county at Cadillac the other day for back taxes he was unable to get a bid. It is said that the land is not suitable for agricultural purposes. The Commonwealth Power Co. put in a claim to the land, contending that they secured it by right of purchase at \$3 per acre. It has since been learned, however, that when the company contracted for the land they failed to look up the tax title, and that for several years the tax remained unpaid, therefore reverting to the state under the delinquent tax act. The company values the land at \$54 an acre. It is said that the company will require at least 40 acres of this parcel to complete the proposed power merger.

The committee of Lansing citizens recently named by E. W. Sparrow as trustees formally announced that Mr. Sparrow would present the city of Lansing with a \$100,000 hospital. The building is to be erected on East Michigan avenue, and will bear the name of the donor. Work on the building will be started as soon as plans are completed.

Telegraphic advices are that the pope, on learning that an American pilgrimage of 163 persons, led by the Rt. Rev. Frederick Els, bishop of Marquette, would arrive at Naples May 4, decided to receive the pilgrims on May 11.

TARIFF INQUIRY SEEMS ASSURED

Congress Likely to Vote the Appropriation For the Commission.

FORMER OPPOSITION DYING

President Does Not Want to Postpone Action on His Measures—Future Leadership of Senate is Topic of Lively Speculation—Root a Puzzle.

Washington—When the members of what very properly may be called "the president's tariff board" are certain that money enough will be provided to enable them to broaden the scope of their work they will at once begin an investigation which is likely, it is said, to bring to the surface some real facts concerning the relation or lack of relation of high prices to the tariff. Mr. Taft asked for \$250,000 to enable the tariff inquiry work to go on, and it is possible that in addition to granting the money congress, possibly for political reasons, will also enact legislation which will give specific authority to the experts to collect material which may be of advantage for use in future tariff legislation.

Money Likely to Be Granted.

In the earlier days of the present session several of the standpat Republicans said openly that they would oppose any measure which would give the tariff experts any greater authority than was conferred on them under the Payne-Aldrich law. Since these words of intended antagonism to additional powers for the experts, the Republicans who spoke them have had a change of heart, which Democrats say is due almost entirely to the recent congressional elections in which the party met defeat. The chances are therefore that \$250,000 will be granted for further investigation into business conditions with a view to the relation that they bear to the tariff.

The Democrats declare that the Republicans are insincere and they say their change of position is due wholly to the fact that they are frightened. The work which the tariff board will do when the money is forthcoming to enable them to do it, will be to collect information after a manner directly suggested by the president of the United States when he said that it should be collected without regard "to the effect which the facts may have in calling for a readjustment of the rates of duty."

Position of High Tariff Men.

The high tariff men in congress believe that Havens (Dem.) is elected in the Rochester district over Aldridge (Rep.) because of the tariff issue. They do not say this openly, but they believe it, nevertheless, and now they realize that with a tariff board working along lines mapped out by the president in his annual message to the country may come to the conclusion that the Republican administration and the Republican congress finally may get into a mood to revise the tariff downward.

These politicians of the dominant party say that if the people knew they were actually to get it they would prefer to have downward revision given to them by the Republicans rather than by the Democrats, who, as these high tariff men say, "when once started on the downward scale of the schedules would not know where to stop."

President Against Delay.

Suggestion has been made to President Taft by some of the leading Republicans that it might be just as well to postpone full consideration of one or two of his chief measures until the next session. These Republicans, the president apparently thinks, do not realize that if the legislation is postponed how great an effect the putting off may have on the elections.

It is understood that at some of the White House conferences the president has said plainly to those who urge postponement that the party will have a hard enough fight at the best to carry the next house and that if the administration's recommendations are not acted on the effect will be to add to the handicap. It is shrewdly suspected by observers in Washington that the Republicans who are suggesting postponement are afraid that the debate on one or two measures will be so long continued that they will not be able to get back in their districts in season to make full preparation for the coming fight.

Some of the men who are credited with being wise politicians are telling the Republicans who have the postponement fever that if they stay in Washington and enact the president's recommendations into law they will gain more than they would by having them put over and putting the additional time gained into the campaign.

Democrats See Advantage.

It is perfectly clear that the Democrats, from a political standpoint, will be very willing to have the Republicans postpone action on some of the president's measures, for the minority party believes that if only a part of the administration's program is carried out the Republicans will lose just so much ammunition for use in the campaign during the months preceding the election. The Democrats, however, are not giving this advice to the Republicans, for they are willing that the enemy should make the mistake which they seem to think would be vital, and it must be said

that the president to a considerable extent seems to share the Democratic view.

Senator Aldrich is having almost daily conferences with Mr. Taft. The Rhode Islander has been accused of pretty nearly all the legislative offenses to be found in the realm of accusations, but he apparently is desirous in this, the next session before his last, to help the president, whom he likes immensely personally, to put through the legislation that has been asked. Some of the Progressive Republicans have declared in explicit terms that some of the administration's measures are not progressive, and in fact are reactionary. To offset these charges some of the regular Republicans say that Mr. Aldrich thinks some of the president's measures are so progressive as to be absolutely radical and that personally the Rhode Islander doubts the wisdom of their enactment, but he is a party man and he wants to put the legislation through in order to help save the party next November and in November two years hence.

Who Will Lead Senate?

It is not generally expected by Republican members of the senate that any of their colleagues who are candidates for re-election will follow the examples set by Senators Aldrich and Hale, and declare that they are not to be considered candidates for re-election. Immediately following the word from the Rhode Islander and the man from Maine, that they would not seek re-election, it was hinted that several other old line Republicans might be inclined to follow their examples, but there seems at present to be little chance that any of the others will feel it necessary to get out of the race.

The first question asked when the two senators of long service and conservative mind gave voice to their determination to retire was, who will be the Republican leader in the senate? It is a very easy question to ask, but a very difficult one to answer. It has not been answered yet, and is not likely to get a satisfactory reply for a long time to come.

Cannot Count on Burrows.

Senator Aldrich is the chairman of the finance committee of the senate, a position which is always accorded to the leader of the party which is in control in the upper house. The senator who ranks next to Mr. Aldrich on the finance committee, and who probably will receive promotion to the chairmanship, is Julius C. Burrows of Michigan. Admittedly, however, there is little likelihood that Mr. Burrows will be made leader of the Republicans in the upper house. The Michigan senator is getting on in years, and he is not generally credited with leadership qualities.

It would be impossible at this time for the Republicans to figure on the leadership of Senator Burrows because he is confronted with a hard fight in the home state for re-election to the senate. Representative Charles E. Townsend is a candidate for Senator Burrows' seat, and it may be that this veteran senator will have to give way to a rival who entered the house of representatives only seven years ago.

Elihu Root of New York, has been a senator only a short time. There is considerable speculation concerning the possibility of his taking the leadership of the senate next March on the retirement of Mr. Aldrich. The senate however, is a law unto itself on many subjects, and no matter how able a man may be, how well fitted for leadership, nor how popular personally he proves himself, the senators are apt to decline to give the leadership to one who has not been for a considerable number of years a member of the body.

Senator Root a Puzzle.

Senator Root's position in the senate, and formerly in the cabinet of the United States, has been in a sense a puzzle to a good many people throughout the country, and in Washington, too, for that matter. The New York senator ordinarily is put down as an extreme conservative, and yet he was the chosen adviser of the extremely progressive, even radical president, Theodore Roosevelt. Mr. Root is going abroad shortly, and there he will meet the former president who, it is said, is more anxious to get a statement of the political situation from Elihu Root than from any other living man.

The New York senator has not been long in the upper house, and for this reason it is possible, even probable, that he may be considered out of the question, as it relates to the choice of a leader. It is certain, however, that Mr. Root will continue to be an advisory agent of great strength in the Republican councils, even though he should not be given the title and the authority of chief.

Leadership May Be Nominal.

The Republican senators today are actually discussing among themselves the propriety of having only a nominal leadership in the senate, and of giving the power of chiefmanship during the discussion of bills to the man who seems to be best adapted to the particular occasion. This means simply that things will be carried on much as they are at present except that some of the power with which Mr. Aldrich is possessed will be taken away. The Rhode Islander owes a large part of his strength and influence to his personality. There is no man just like him in the United States senate, and the Republicans know it. Some one probably will be made titular leader, but seven or eight of the leading Republicans will form a conference body, and, if the present plan is carried out, will conduct all party matters, look after legislation and whip the reluctant ones into line if it is found that it is necessary to use anything except "gentle persuasion."

GEORGE CLINTON.

LORIMER BRIBE PROBE STARTS

SEAT IN THE U. S. SENATE COST LORIMER \$200,000—NEWS-PAPER PLOT, SAYS LORIMER.

REPRESENTATIVE CHARLES A. WHITE SAYS HE WAS PAID \$100,000 FOR VOTE—CASH OFFERED OTHERS.

Lorimer Says Chicago Tribune Aims to Wreck Financial Institutions He is Starting.

Investigation of the biggest legislative bribery scandal in the history of Illinois, which threatens far-reaching political complications whether it brings indictments or not, was begun in Chicago by States Attorney Wayman.

Representative Charles A. White, Dem., charges in the Chicago Tribune that he was paid \$1,000 by Lee O'Neill Browne, Democratic leader in the house, to vote for William Lorimer for United States senator. He was summoned before the state's attorney.

Representative Jacob Groves, of Adams county, drew weight to the White charges. In an interview in Quincy, Ill., he was quoted as saying that he was offered money to vote for Lorimer, and that he had heard of members getting \$5,000 for their votes.

It is said that additional evidence is in Mr. Wayman's hands, including an allegation that it cost \$200,000 to elect Lorimer to the senate, of which ringleaders got \$50,000 and individual members of the legislature the remainder.

Beligians Greet Col. Roosevelt.

Mr. Roosevelt, with Mrs. Roosevelt, Miss Ethel Roosevelt and Kermit, arrived at Brussels from Paris at noon. Their welcome officially and from a popular standpoint was most cordial.

There was a great throng at the station when the train drew in and while the crowd cheered and a brass band played Mr. Roosevelt was greeted by American Minister Charles Page Bryan and others of the legation, and officially welcomed to Brussels by Burgomaster Max and Baron de Moor, aide de camp to King Albert.

An automobile was waiting and escorted by a platoon of mounted police the Roosevelts were driven to the hotel Flandres in the place Royal. Soon afterward they were taken to the American legation, where a sister of Mr. Bryan gave a luncheon in their honor.

Explosion Damages 15,000 Buildings. Shaking Kobe with the force of an earthquake and leaving damage suggestive of a typhoon, a terrific explosion took place on a dynamite lighter in Kobe harbor, British Columbia.

Not only was immense damage sustained ashore, including more than 15,000 buildings damaged, two persons killed and \$3 injured, but the liner Myrridon and some other vessels narrowly escaped.

Several steamers were quickly moved when the dynamite-laden lighter was seen to be on fire. The Myrridon was stopped just as the lighter blew up with a terrific detonation. The steamer lurched heavily and the hatches were forced off. The explosion ignited 130 tons of dynamite and three other lighters, holding 50 tons more, were sunk by the upheaval without exploding.

New President for Venezuela.

Juan Vicente Gomez was elected constitutional president of Venezuela for a term of four years by congress. The election was unanimous. He will not, however, assume the presidency until next month. On April 19, in accordance with the new constitution, he surrendered the provisional presidency, relinquishing the office to Dr. Constantine Guerrero.

In honor of the election of President Gomez, all the political prisoners have been released. Senator Velez-Goticoa, former charge d'affaires at Washington, has been appointed director of the census.

Nord Alexis Is Dead.

Nord Alexis, formerly president of Hayti, died at Kingston, Jamaica, of senile decay. He was 90 years old. He was exiled in 1908, but was pardoned by President Simon a few months ago and was preparing to return to Hayti for burial beside that of his wife. Gen. Alexis is reputed to have died enormously rich.

Gen. Nord Alexis, one time president of the republic of Hayti, was born at Cape Haytien in 1820 and was a son of "Baronnet" De Nord Alexis, a member of the court of Henri Christophe. Christophe called himself King Henry I after the death of Dessalines, who liberated Hayti from the French in 1804.

Admiral Highborn Dead.

Rear Admiral Philip Highborn, United States navy, retired, died in Washington at the age of 71. After 32 years of active service Admiral Highborn who at the time was chief constructor of the navy, was retired in 1901, with the rank of rear admiral. One of his most important services was in the preparation of the American ships for the Spanish-American war.

The milk famine for Boston predicted to begin Sunday through the determination of the farmers to withhold their milk unless paid the winter prices through the coming summer, did not materialize.

The Russian ministry of war has requested competitive bids for a fleet of dirigible balloons of from 5,500 to 8,000 meters capacity. They are designed for strategic reconnaissances over distances up to 300 miles and must be capable of maintaining themselves in the air not less than 10 hours at an average speed of from 25 to 28 miles an hour.

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"Oh! you're not so many!" "I guess I am; I'm one of triplets!"

VERY MANY.

Gentlemen Two. Two street cleaning department men were having an altercation as they were driving their carts side by side along upper Broadway the other afternoon. One was red-faced and bulbous-nosed, the typical "rummy." The other was an adder-headed negro. Both looked utterly disreputable.

"Get out o' my way!" yelled the red-faced man. "Don't cher know see to get outer der way when you see a gentleman?" "I'm more of a gem'men than you, you big rum," retorted the negro. "Youall drives a garbage cart, an' I only picks up ashes."—New York Press.

An Entertaining Age.

"What are you affixing to these park benches?" "We have the opera glass privilege. Drop in a nickel and see the comet."—Kansas City Journal.

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NATIVE AFRICAN HOMES



NATIVE BRIDE CARRIED 'TICK-A-BACK'

AT THE equator in Africa there are only two seasons—the wet and the dry. The former is the summer season and lasts eight months. The thermometer averages from 110 to 125 degrees Fahrenheit. The other four months are the cold or dry season, and the thermometer rarely goes below 70 degrees Fahrenheit.

During the rains the natives live in houses made principally of bamboo and roofed with leaves, but as soon as the rains stop, which is some time around June 1, they desert towns and set out for the forests and jungles. The few household furnishings are transported on the heads of the women and children. While a native man will work for the white man, he will never do anything for himself— if there are any women about. It is beneath his dignity to work. He will fish and hunt, make seines and crude implements and canoes, or pass away his time smoking strong tobacco and dozing, but he would not think of lending his wife a helping hand. He compels her to cut down the trees for firewood and for his dug-out canoes, and when they arrive at the spot in the forest or jungle where he decides to build his town the women must go to work with awkward machetes and clear away the tangled forest.

Not an easy task, by any means. The civilized mind can scarcely picture how dense the primeval forests are. Not only is every foot of the ground covered with rank growth, but from every tree hang myriads of vines, which, crossing each other, form networks of tangles so intricate that elephants and other denizens of the bush have a hard time forcing their way through them.

Yet no labor is too heavy for the African woman to perform. She has neither ax nor saw, and the edge of her knife is none too sharp. Bending low over the ground she commences her herculean task of clearing a space for a town. She generally smokes while she works unless her husband has broken his clay pipe and taken hers.

The more wives a native has the quicker the clearing is made for his town. The women generally commence work at daybreak. About eleven o'clock they stop to prepare the first meal. It is very simple, but the native woman never hurries, and the smallest detail of housekeeping sometimes takes her hours. The dinner generally consists of boiled manioc, roasted bananas, or dried, or boiled fish. They rarely have more than one food at a meal. At two o'clock the woman is again bending over the ground hacking at undergrowth until sundown, which is precisely at six o'clock each night. Then she gets the last meal of the day, generally a replica of the first meal.

The clearing made, the furniture is soon in place. It consists principally of great logs, three of them brought to a common center and forming the fire over which the natives pass most of their time, gossiping, smoking and sleeping. At night they roll themselves in a grass mat and sleep with their heads toward the fire. But many natives do not even have a grass mat. They sleep right on the ground, and appear none the worse for it.

BILLION DOLLAR LOSS.

Fruit Crop of Middle West and Southern Cotton Badly Devastated. From 12 western, middle west and southwest states comes the news of well nigh a billion dollar loss, from the freak storms that have swept fields, valleys, orchards and pastures. The fruit crop in the middle west is completely ruined. Half the south's great cotton crop is devastated, according to the latest reports.

In all the local parks, every effort is being made by horticulturists to save the vegetation, plants, trees, flowers and bushes. Coverings have been constructed and placed above the shrubbery. Transportation, surface and elevated, was retarded as a result of the snow and sleet during the early rush. Life was endangered by the blinding snow that obscured the busy thoroughfares.

40,000 Miners Resume Work.

The controversy between the 40,000 union miners and operators of the Pittsburgh soft coal district, which has resulted in a month's suspension of mining, was settled Saturday night.

The miners are to receive an advance of 5.55 per cent, but the wage matter had not lately been as much of a controversy as the permissible "powder issue." As to this it has been arranged that in the twelve mines now using explosives, which the state law demands, tests are to be made and if it is shown that permissible powder produces more slack in coal than the black powder, the miners are to be paid the difference, based on an average test in each of these mines. If the run of coal is the same, no change is to be made.

WIRE BULLETINS.

The rural delivery service and the star route service of the postoffice department are to be consolidated and the combined service is to be known as the division of rural mails.

Major-General J. P. S. Gobin, Pennsylvania National guard, retired, prominent in Pennsylvania affairs for more than a quarter of a century and a former commander-in-chief of the Grand Army of the Republic, died after a long illness.

The strike in the mills of the Roxbury Carpet company at Boston, which has been on for two months, and has thrown 700 operatives out of work, ended when the strikers returned to work at virtually the same terms the company offered before the strike was called.

Sir Douglas J. Neame, of England, whose tour of the United States was interrupted by a sick spell in Chicago, has left for New York. The nobleman is still weak from the siege, and it is said he will return to England at once, abandoning his original plan of inspecting far western railroads.

The job paying 78 cents a day is offered by the United States government to anyone who wishes to become postmaster at Wheatfield, near Saltsburg, Pa. To permit the applicants to prove their competency the civil service commission will hold an examination on May 7. Last year the post paid \$64.

Why do comets have tails? is one of the problems to be discussed by astronomers who will gather at Los Angeles next August for a session of international associations for solar research. These scientists will represent nearly all nations and it will be their first meeting since the assembly at Meudon, France, in 1907.

A bill authorizing the government in time of war to commandeer all vessels flying the Russian flag for transport purposes has been introduced in parliament, the duma itself taking the initiative. The measure, which is modeled on German, Austrian and French laws, contemplates the compulsory service of all men employed in the merchant marine, excepting only foreign subjects and hands below 18 or over 50 years old.

THE MARKETS

DETROIT.—Cattle—Market steady. Choice steers, \$7.25@7.50; good to choice butchers steers, \$6.25@6.50; light to good butchers steers and heifers, 700 to 900 lbs., \$6.75@7.25; canners, \$2.50@3.50; common bulls, \$4@5.25; good shippers' bulls, \$5.50@6.25; stockers, \$4.50@5.25.
Real calves—Market steady: best calves, \$8.50@8.75; fair to good, \$7@8.35; culls and common, \$4@5.50. Milch cows and springers, \$2@3.50.
Sheep and lambs—Market steady: best wool lambs, \$9.50@9.75; best clipped lambs, \$7@8.50; fair to good lambs, \$7.50@8; light to common lambs, \$6@6.50; fair to good butcher sheep, \$5@5.25@5.50; culls and common, \$2@2.25.
Hogs—Market strong: 10@15c higher. Range of prices: Light to good butchers, \$9.55@9.85; pigs, \$8.45@8.75; stags, one-third off. **EAST BUFFALO.**—Cattle slow.
Hogs—Strong; heavy, \$9.50; yorkers, \$9.80@9.90; pigs, \$9.80.
Sheep—20 cars; slow; clipped lambs, \$8.75@9.55; yearlings, \$8@8.25; wethers, \$7.75@8; ewes, \$7@7.25. Calves—\$5@9.50.

Wheat—Cash No. 2 red, \$1.07; May opened without change at \$1.07, declined to \$1.06 1/2 and closed at \$1.07; July opened at \$1.02 1/2, declined to \$1.01 1/2 and advanced to \$1.02 1/2; September opened at \$1.02 1/2, declined to \$1.01 1/2 and closed at \$1.01 1/2; No. 1 white, \$1.07.
Corn—Cash No. 3, 60 1/2c; No. 3 yellow, 1 car at 62c; No. 2 white, 43c.
Rye—Cash, \$2.03; May, \$2.05.
Cloverseed—Prime spot, \$6.75; October, \$6.50; prime stalks, \$6.75.
Timothy seed—Prime spot, \$1.85.
Feed—Bran, \$2 1/2; coarse cornmeal, \$2 1/2; fine middlings, \$2 1/2; cracked corn and coarse cornmeal, \$2 1/2; corn and oat chop, \$2 1/2 per ton.
Flour—Best Michigan patent, \$5.95; ordinary patent, \$5.75; straight, \$5.65; clear, \$5.55; pure rye, \$4.45; spring patent, \$5.90 per barrel in wood, jobbing lots.

Mrs. Putnam Bradley Strong, formerly Frances Hope, and previous to that May Yohe, a London music hall singer, has secured a divorce on the grounds of desertion from Capt. P. B. Strong, of New York.

Three hundred graduates of the University of Vienna, who are to leave their alma mater within a few months, will this summer make a tour of the United States. They will arrive in New York in a week or ten days. After that they will visit Boston, Philadelphia, Chicago and other cities, making a study of American life.

Hints for Hostess

Variety of Novel and Pleasing Entertainments, Designed by an Expert

THIS is the month that "Mother Nature" decrees that showers shall be in fashion and society following quite the thing to "show" expectant brides-elect some time before the wedding day, thus preventing such an unmanageable rush of affairs at the very last minute. So many June brides are to be the recipients of these pretty little functions this month. Of course only the dearest friends and relatives are asked to participate.

I want to tell you of a novel "pin" shower that is to be given next week by a card club of 12 who have been together for years, and this is to be a delightful as well as a sad occasion, as the bride is to go to a foreign land to make her home.

The hostess has chosen green and yellow for her color scheme, as it shows up beautifully in the daytime. Glorious daffodils, jonquils and tulips with the natural leaves are to be arranged "a la Japan," a few blossoms held upright in flower holders. Each guest is to send her gift daintily wrapped in tissue paper, accompanied by an original rhyme. The centerpiece is to be a fat green satin heart on a dolly of white; in it are to be pins of all descriptions working out the monogram of the happy pair. Attached to the cushion there is to be a circle of safety pins to which chains of gaudy safety pins will make a chain to the place of each guest. Place cards are to have the names spelled out in pins, the heads of various colors. The napkins are to be pinned with long violet pins and the nut holders are to be pinned to the table by hat pins, each with a different top.

Suspended over the table there is to be a doll-size watering pot covered with crepe paper; from the spout a shower of baby ribbon having a wee heart-shaped card on the end. When the parcels are opened there will be found a belt pin, vial pin, hair pin, of all sizes, barrette, cubes of all sorts of pins, and last, but not least—a rolling pin.

Wedding Anniversaries.

Ever and anon comes the request for a list of wedding anniversaries. I am now in possession of this little rhyme of Tudor Jenks, and I hope every young matron will learn and remember it for future use. It is capable of attaching to the memory like the immortal "Thirty days hath September, etc." of our childhood days.

Gifts of paper, choice, not dear. Mark the bride and groom's first year. Five years bring substantial wood—Type of wedlock strong and good. Ten years, homely gifts bring in—Years of shining, useful tin. When the years have reached a score, China will be prized the more. Silver, if the couple thrive, Tells the years are twenty-five. Half a hundred, slowly told, Bring the wedding day of gold. So few live to see arrive The diamond date, at seventy-five. That custom says three-score may be The diamond anniversary.

Shower for a Bridegroom.

A certain bride-to-be had been the recipient of showers innumerable, so a dozen young bachelors carried out this scheme. They invited a dozen girls to a "den" and "shop" shower. All the bridegroom's intimate friends knew his fad for using tools and his dream of a shop of his own. The affair was given at night, and a right merry time resulted. The girls arranged to bring articles especially suitable for the den and the men came bearing a good-sized chest for the tools, with many acceptable instruments. I must add that there were no invitations out for this wedding, as it was to be an entirely private ceremony, so the friends were glad to make an opportunity for bestowing

some tokens of esteem. A Dutch supper was served at ten o'clock, consisting of potato salad, rye bread sandwiches, herring, pickles, coffee, beer, with crackers, cheese and apple tarts.

Charming Centerpieces for May.

At a luncheon try this: The centerpiece a high-handled basket gilded and filled with daisies and asparagus ferns. Tie a bunch of daisies and ferns to the handles with soft pink or pale blue taffeta ribbon, carrying an end of the ribbon down to the basket where it ends a small bow. At each cover have small gilded baskets filled with unhulled strawberries or cherries. Yellow and lavender iris, some call them flags or fleur de lis, in a tall slender vase make an unusual center, with small individual vases at each plate containing one or two of these stately blossoms. Yellow and lavender are very striking and are unusually good as day-time colors, but they do not light up well. Candles are not as much in favor for day-time functions and are entirely tabooed for these glorious spring-time functions.

A Tree Party.

The following letter from a valued correspondent is full of interest and especially seasonable just now, as I have had so many requests for just such parties. I give the letter in detail with grateful thanks:

"Last year I entertained the club on Forestry day. A paper on 'Tree Planting,' a talk by each lady on some curious and interesting trees beneficial to man; song, 'Voices of the Woods,' a paper on the 'Famous Trees of History,' reading of 'Woodman, Spare That Tree.' The house was decorated on the interior with boughs and branches of trees. A small cedar stationed in a small tub was in center of room. Attached to this were 26 slips of paper bearing questions relative to parts of a tree. As an example: When is a tree cultivated like some politicians? When he grafts. What part of a tree is a mathematical term? Root. What part of a tree is a letter of the alphabet and a conceited fellow? S-prig. What part of a tree is a beverage and a head covering? T-wig. And so on. Each lady was handed a piece of wood upon which she wrote her answers; on the other side was burned a forest scene. A basket of fruit was the prize. Refreshments consisted of apples, peeled and hollowed, cooked long enough to become soft and blanched. Almonds were stuck on all sides to give a thorned appearance. These were filled with all kinds of fruit and nuts chopped together, sugar added and served with whipped cream, fruit cake, white cake with filling of fruits and nuts. I live in a small town and find it very hard to get many ideas, but all thought I carried out the idea of the subject, and it was purely original. I may have bored you with all these details; however, my intention was good, as I thought possibly I could offer something in exchange (howsoever poor!) for your kind suggestions and valuable advice. MRS. HARRY K. MADAME MERRI.

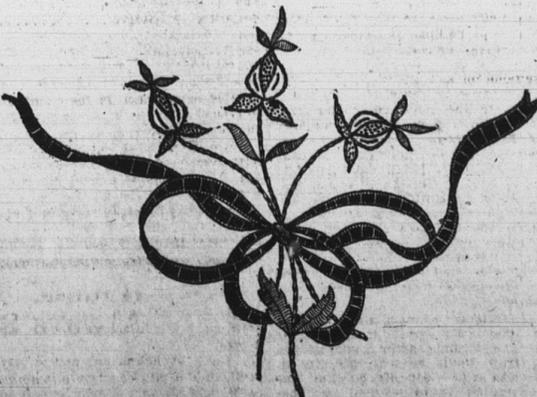
Names on Stationery.

There is a new fashion in writing paper. It consists in using the name by which you are best known engraved in a color across the top of it. This you use to intimate friends, and keep the paper with address and initials for formal use.

Whether it is pretty or not is a question. It is fashionable among the few who start new things and drop them when the world adopts them.

There is no denying that it gives a sense of intimacy to receive a note written on a short paper that bears the diminutive of a formal first name, or even a nickname, engraved across the first sheet.

Embroidery



THIS is a suitable design for ornamenting the corners of any square for which a dainty embroidery pattern is needed; it would be effective on tea serviettes or tray cloths, and for handkerchiefs of rather large size. The bow and flowing ends are in open work; the edges buttonholed,

then the material is cut away from the back and twisted bars are worked across.

The rose-buds are in very fine cording-stitch, dot and satin stitches; the stalks are in coarser cording stitch; the leaves and tie-over of the bow in satin stitch. White embroidery cotton of two sizes should be used.



SAVED HIGHLY PRIZED FLAG

Woman Narrates Interesting Tale of Experience During Civil War—Heard Lincoln Speak.

In the old world the women as well as the men of my family took honorable part in the great sieges of history. The first man in these colonies to declare publicly for separation from Great Britain was my uncle, a Presbyterian minister of Pennsylvania. He had to flee to the wilds of North Carolina because of his pamphlet, and there trained the men whose sons carried on the revolution long afterward. My great-grandfather, a colonel under Washington, was lieutenant of Chester county, Pa., in the revolution, says a writer in Indianapolis News. Another great-grandfather fought in the same war and was at Valley Forge. His wife supported her ten children by her exquisite needlework in his absence, when the pay of a colonel hardly kept his horse. My grandfathers and uncles were at North Point—old defenders of Baltimore. During the war of '61-65 my mother and I gave our time, toll and pen freely to help the sick and wounded on the battlefield and field hospitals at the front.

We were a month each at Antietam, Chancellorsville, Gettysburg and with Gens. Milroy and Sigel in the valley; three months before Petersburg, being near when the mine was blown up; six months with Gen. Sheridan and among the wounded of Cedar Creek, spending months visiting out-of-the-way hospitals, reporting and supplying their needs. Our reward was in the heartfelt thanks of needy, dying men and the blessings of mothers, daughters and wives far away. At one time we carried nearly two thousand letters to a place within our lines, probably the last letters sent home by many, as an engagement occurred directly after.

The general's chief of staff showed me an immense fort flag which the soldiers greatly prized, and the loss of which would dishearten them. "Whoever carries it," he said, "if taken would be a prisoner of war. Would you be willing to let it lie in the ambulance with you? I warn you of the risk." I had the tent for a few minutes to myself and wrapped the flag very tightly around my body, under my dress. For about 20 miles or more I rode thus, unable to move, and then gave it to the astonished provost marshal, in a place of safety.

I have the written thanks of President Lincoln who received us just before the battle of Gettysburg, when the doorkeeper said he saw none but members of his cabinet; Gen. Grant, who gave us a large pass to and from the armies in the field; Sheridan, Meade, Hooker, Wallace, Milroy, Schenck, Sigel, Butler, Burnside, Emory, etc.; besides the strongest letters of thanks from soldiers.

"To say that the labors of these ladies have been welcome," wrote Dr. H. W. Brock, after Cedar Creek,



"Wrapped the Flag Very Tightly Around My Body."

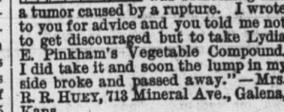
"would be cold indeed; they have been simply indispensable to the comfort and welfare of the wounded in Sheridan Field hospital. By their untiring exertions, the sufferings of the wounded in this hospital have been greatly relieved, and the dying made to rejoice in their ministrations of mercy."

I was not 20 when the war broke out. I have not had a day of health since. Exposure to heavy rains, riding in springless wagons, over the country, not always roads, and a very severe fall, which has left my back morbidly sensitive, these and other hardships have wrecked my life. Conditions in our country are widely different from what they were in the revolution, and in the war of '61 to '65. From the many graves in national cemeteries a voice would come, if such a thing were possible, calling on our rulers to "make this a government indeed of the people, for the people and by the people."

DOCTOR ADVISED OPERATION

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Galena, Kans.—"A year ago last March I fell, and a few days after there was soreness in my right side. In a short time a bunch came and it bothered me so much at night I could not sleep. It kept growing larger and by fall it was as large as a hen's egg. I could not go to bed without a hot water bottle applied to that side. I had one of the best doctors in Kansas and he told my husband that I would have to be operated on as it was something like a tumor caused by a rupture. I wrote to you for advice and you told me not to get discouraged but to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I did take it and soon the lump in my side broke and passed away.—Mrs. R. H. Huxey, 713 Mineral Ave., Galena, Kans."



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WESTERN CANADA

What Governor Deneen, of Illinois, Says About It:

Governor Deneen, of Illinois, owns a section of land in Saskatchewan, Canada, and in an interview says: "I am an American I am delighted to see the remarkable progress of Western Canada. Our people are flocking across the border for their land, and I have not yet had made a mistake. There is a water and a community in the Middle West or Western States that is not a representative in Manitoba. 125 Million Bushels of Wheat in 1909"

Western Canada field crop for 1909 will yield to the farmer \$170,000,000.00 in cash. Free Homesteads of 160 acres, and pre-emption of 160 acres at \$3.00 an acre. Railway and land companies have land for sale at reasonable prices. Many farmers have failed for their land out of the proceeds of one crop. Free Homesteads of 160 acres, and pre-emption of 160 acres at \$3.00 an acre. Railway and land companies have land for sale at reasonable prices. Many farmers have failed for their land out of the proceeds of one crop. Free Homesteads of 160 acres, and pre-emption of 160 acres at \$3.00 an acre. Railway and land companies have land for sale at reasonable prices. Many farmers have failed for their land out of the proceeds of one crop.

WHERE ROBE WOULD COUNT

Under Friendly Cover Preacher Might Safely Proceed to Split His Infitives.

"I tried to get a chance to speak to you at church Sunday," said Mrs. Oldcastle, "but the crush was so great that I couldn't push through to where you were." "Yes, wasn't it awful?" replied her hostess, as she flicked a bit of dust from the Gobelin tapestry. "All the common folks in town seem to want to crowd into our church lately. It's too bad they ain't satisfied to stay where they belong. How did you like the sermon?" "Well, as a sermon it was fairly good, but I do wish Doctor Goodman would quit spitting his infatigables. I try not to let it make me nervous, but I can't keep from being shocked every time he does it." "I never let them kind of things bother me, but that's where the Episcopalians have the advantage of us. If our preacher would wear a long robe he could split them and we would never notice it."—Kansas City Star.

The Doctor's Data.

A Howard girl who was uncertain as to her exact age, as her father and mother were not agreed on the year of her birth, decided to go to the physician who "attended the case." He said: "Why, certainly, my dear girl, I'll go and examine my old books." When he came back to report, he said: "I find your father charged with a girl baby born on the 'steenth day of April, 189—, and I also observe he still owes me for you."—Howard (Kan.) Courier.

The Appetite

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ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

There will be a regular meeting of the K. O. T. M. M. on Friday evening of this week.

Michigan State Telephone Co.'s phone No. 244 has been installed in Lehman & Bagge's.

Lafayette Grange will meet with Mrs. E. H. Keyes, of Lima, at 1:30 o'clock, Friday afternoon, May 13th.

Oscar Schneider, who has been employed at the store of the J. Bacon Mercantile Co., has resigned his position.

A marriage license has been granted to Jonathan Bell, of Detroit, and Miss Amelia Gutekunst, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. Gutekunst of this place.

R. P. Carpenter Post No. 41, G. A. R., announce that they have secured Judge H. Wirt Newkirk to deliver the Decoration Day address at this place.

Misses Rose King, Mabel Thompson, Ila Deming, Irene Phillips and Jennie McGuire, of Jackson, attended the dancing party here Monday evening.

J. E. Weber spent Sunday in Adrian, and was accompanied home by his daughter Agnes, who has been attending St. Joseph's Academy in that city.

The Standard was misinformed as to the amount taken in at the supper given by the Ladies Aid Society of St. Paul's church, which should have been \$103 instead of \$125.

Rev. F. I. Blanchard and wife visited his parents at Saline Monday and Tuesday, and attended the Baptist association meeting at Dexter on Wednesday and Thursday.

The big vaudeville at the Princess Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of next week is The Harmonic Trio, Donald Dupont & LaBard, in their instrumental, singing and comedy acts.

Farmers' Club Meeting.

The Lima and Vicinity Farmers' Club will meet with Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Yager, jr., at their new home in Chelsea, Wednesday, May 11th.

The following program will be rendered:
Song.....Club
Roll Call answered by Conundrums.
Reading.....Mrs. Russell Parker
Instrumental Music.....Mrs. O. D. Luick
Reading.....Mrs. Addison Webb
Song.....Club

Candidate for Editor Lady Macabée.

Mrs. Grace Greenwood Browne of Harbor Beach is a candidate for the editorship of the official organ of the L. O. T. M. M. Having been brought into close touch with the press of the state and country at large for a number of years, and having been identified with the work and interests of the Michigan Woman's Press Association the past six years she is conversant with all necessary details of the work she would be expected to do. She is now secretary and treasurer of the Browne Publishing Co. Inc., of Harbor Beach. The L. O. T. M. M. will make no mistake in handing the quill and inkstand over to Mrs. Browne with the editorship badge of the official organ.

"The Servant in the House."

"The Servant in the House," New Whitney theatre, Ann Arbor, May 9. "It would have been well-nigh impossible ten years ago to have put 'The Servant in the House' into the theatre," says the Chicago Journal. "Either it would have frightened the audience out into the street or it would have been called a great sacrilege. But we look upon it now as being neither fearful nor wrong, but as a work of great beauty and power-carrying the healing word to an ailing people. How incalculably far our stage has advanced in a few short years, or how greatly our viewpoint has changed! We have come to demand that the dramatist shall show us he has some big and righteous purpose before we will name his play great. This gradual change from resentment to acceptance of a great thought dramatically expounded or a great lesson dramatically set forth has made possible a masterpiece like 'The Servant in the House.' It is a great play for the man who knows he is a sinner. It will stay here ten weeks. It ought to stay a year."

PERSONAL MENTION.

Miss Ella Barber visited in Jackson Sunday.

Mrs. D. Clark is visiting relatives at Howell.

Miss Hazel Hummel spent Saturday in Jackson.

Alva Watkins, of Jackson, spent Monday in town.

August Elsele, of Lansing, was home over Sunday.

Miss Nina Hunter, of Lodi, was home over Sunday.

Jas. O'Lary, of Niagara Falls, is visiting friends here.

LaMont BeGole, of Detroit, was a Chelsea visitor Sunday.

Mrs. William Monroe, of Howell, spent Sunday in Chelsea.

Miss Erma Hunter was an Ann Arbor visitor Wednesday.

George Winters spent Sunday with his mother at Bunker Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Fletcher were in Ann Arbor Friday.

Henry Mullen, of Detroit, spent Sunday with his mother here.

Mrs. A. Cady, of Ypsilanti, spent Friday with Chelsea relatives.

Oscar Miller, of Jackson, spent Monday with Chelsea relatives.

B. Huehl and family were guests of relatives in Freedom Sunday.

Mrs. Oscar Miller, of Jackson, visited her mother here the past week.

F. H. Rielly, of Delhi, was a guest at the home of Chas. Merker Monday.

Miss Mabel Olds, of Detroit, was the guest of Mrs. J. R. Gates Sunday.

Mrs. J. J. Raftrey and daughter Phyllis were Albion visitors last week.

Miss Margaret Eder, of Jackson, spent Sunday with her parents here.

Louis and Miss Mary Miller were guests of relatives in Jackson Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Chase, of Jackson, visited Chelsea relatives Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Bullis, of Gregory, spent Wednesday in Chelsea.

Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Cummings and son, of Detroit, spent Sunday in Chelsea.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Musson, of Howell visited Chelsea relatives Sunday.

Miss Winnalee Comstock, of Stockbridge, visited her mother here Sunday.

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

Mrs. Dunning Idle and son are visiting Mrs. Idle's parents in Hobart, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gregg, of Detroit, are visiting relatives here this week.

William Kirchberg, of Jackson, spent Sunday with relatives and friends.

Miss Myrta Boyce, of Stockbridge, spent Monday at the home of Dr. G. W. Palmer.

Miss Merry Shaw, of Ypsilanti, was the guest of relatives here the first of the week.

Dr. B. Defendorf, of Fowlerville, was the guest of his son here the first of the week.

Misses Martha and Margaret Bundt, of Jackson, were the guests of Frank Adair Sunday.

Fred Taylor, of Jackson, spent Saturday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Taylor.

Misses Jennie Geddes and Josephine Bacon visited the former's sister in Tecumseh Sunday.

Mrs. F. Weibrecht and daughter, of Ann Arbor, spent Sunday at the home of G. Hutzel.

Hon. and Mrs. G. A. Peters, of Saline were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Walker this week.

Mrs. Michael Wackenhut spent the past week in Jackson with her daughter, Mrs. John Pfister.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Schoen and daughters, of Dexter, spent Sunday at the home of John Schmidt, jr.

Mrs. Mary Staeb and daughter Minnie, of Ann Arbor, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. Kantlehner Sunday.

Walter Morrison, who spent the past week with his aunt, Miss Martha French, returned to his home at Base Lake Sunday.

Master Leo Madden and sister Eileen spent the latter part of last week with their grandmother, Mrs. G. Daley of Lyndon.

Mrs. P. A. Geiger, of Clinton, is here attending her father, Andrew Sawyer, who is seriously ill at his home on McKinley street.

Arthur Thompson and H. D. Runciman, of Jackson, and Carlitor Runciman, of Ypsilanti, spent Sunday with Mrs. Jas. Runciman.

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CORRESPONDENCE.

SHARON NEWS.

H. J. Reno is on the sick list.

John Harris, of Chelsea, spent Sunday with friends here.

August Brunz is recovering from an attack of the measles.

Miss Florence Cooper spent the last of the week at G. W. Gage's.

Charles Bower and family spent Sunday with his brother at Norvel.

Mr. and Mrs. Brown, of Jackson, visited the latter's parents here Sunday.

Charles Hasley is preparing to erect a new house on his farm this summer.

Otto Pohly, of Manchester, visited his sister, Mrs. John Heselschwerdt, Sunday.

Miss Augusta Bahnmiller, of Chelsea, spent Sunday at the home of her parents here.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Minus spent the last of the week with their daughter at Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Lehman and daughters, of Saline, spent Sunday at Fred Lehman's.

Miss Lizzie Heselshwerdt and John Monks, of Sylvan, called at the home of H. Middlebrook, Sunday.

Miss Amanda Meyers, of Manchester, spent the last of the week with her sister, Mrs. Otto Brunz.

Susie Dorr spent a part of last week in Grass Lake, caring for her sister, Mrs. B. G. VanAernum, who was sick with tonsillitis.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. O'Neil, of Adrian, came up to H. P. O'Neil's last Thursday, enroute to Chelsea to attend P. Corwin's funeral.

The north Sharon Sunday school was reorganized Sunday, the following officers being elected: Superintendent, J. E. Irwin; assistant superintendent, H. B. Ordway; secretary, Mrs. C. Hewes; treasurer, Homer Lehman; chorister, John Lemm.

FRANCISCO NOTES.

Lizzie Morris spent Sunday at home.

Velma Richards spent Saturday in Jackson.

Eva Bohne is spending a few weeks with B. Barber in Waterloo.

Rev. Beal attended the district meeting at Hopkins this week.

Wm. Bartig and family were guests of the former's brother in Munith.

Geo. Wilson and wife, of Jackson, were guests of Mrs. H. Main, Sunday.

M. Rank and wife and Emanuel Sager and son were Ann Arbor visitors Sunday.

J. Kilmer and wife were guests of the latter's parents, C. Heselshwerdt in Sharon.

Mrs. J. Morris and daughter Emma were guests in Detroit the last of the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Mnsbach entertained C. Klingler and family of Sylvan, Sunday.

Mrs. B. Guthrie, of Chelsea, was the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. Richards, Sunday.

E. J. Mnsbach and family, of Munith, were guests of H. Harvey and family Sunday.

The Cavanaugh Lake Grange will have their next meeting with P. Broesamle and wife, May 10th.

Henry Lehmann, wife and daughter Catherine were guests of Ann Arbor friends Saturday and Sunday.

The German M. E. Ladies Aid Society have postponed their annual meeting until Wednesday, May 11th, when they will meet with Mrs. Geo. Heydlauff.

STOCKBRIDGE.

Mrs. Phillips is thought to be improving slowly.

German measles causes many of the school children at home this week.

Mr. Miller is having a lighting and heating plant installed in his fine house in town.

Frank Wright took a party of friends to Jackson the latter part of the past week in his fine auto, making a quick trip.

Mrs. W. H. Glenn and daughter Rose went to Chelsea Tuesday on business, from there they went to North Lake where they visited at the home of P. E. Noah. They returned home Friday.

William Nichols, a retired farmer, died at his home in Stockbridge Sunday evening after a long illness. A daughter living with him cared for him in his last illness. The funeral was held from the house on Tuesday afternoon at 1 o'clock, Rev. Adair officiating.

While E. L. Glenn was rolling on the farm near Gregory Wednesday going up a hill the seat bolt broke, letting him fall off backwards. The team nearly backed the iron roller over him, injuring his side. After laying a while he was able to get to the house and was out next day, but pretty sore.

WATERLOO DOINGS.

Mrs. Lewis Barkhoz is very sick at her home here.

C. A. Barber went to Jackson Tuesday to set on jury.

Dr. G. Snyder, of Saginaw, visited at the home of J. H. Hubbard Thursday.

Rev. Gorberson will hold quarterly meeting in the U. B. church Tuesday-May 10.

The Ladies Aid Society will meet with Mrs. C. A. Rowe for supper on May 11.

"Anti-Matrimony."

Quite unexpectedly the playgoers of Ann Arbor are given an opportunity to see Henrietta Crossman in "Anti-Matrimony." A few weeks ago Miss Crossman accepted a splendid offer from several of the principal Pacific coast cities to appear there for some weeks this spring in her newest play, and on her way west she will stop off for a single evening. Her appearance will be on Tuesday, May 10, at the Whitney theatre, Ann Arbor.

There was scarcely an attraction in that city this season that afforded us so much enjoyment as "Sham," presented by Miss Crossman last fall, and "Anti-Matrimony" is said to be even more delightful in its amusing plot and clever treatment. The fact that "Anti-Matrimony" is the work of Percy MacKaye, who stands so high in the world of letters, may lead one to believe that the play is of a serious or "high brow" variety; but it is neither. It is a whimsical comedy of the most frolicsome sort. One would scarcely expect a play of such delightful charm and amusing purpose from the author of "Joan of Arc" and "Sappho and Phaon;" yet no play in which Miss Crossman has appeared in years has given her such scope for the exercise of her freshness, vivacity and exuberance of spirit. It must not be supposed that "Anti-Matrimony" is a serious or a problem play. It is quite the reverse. It was written to amuse, and it succeeds wonderfully well in that direction. Maurice Campbell has surrounded Miss Crossman with one of those perfect supporting companies for which she has always been noted.

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Notice.

R. P. Carpenter Post has just received orders from Department headquarters directing them to invite all civic societies, schools and patriotic citizens to join with them in the exercises of May 30th. As Commander of the G. A. R. Post of Chelsea, I do invite all such to join with the G. A. R. Post here, in doing honor to our dead. RUSH GREEN, Commander.

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LOCAL ITEMS.

Roy Ives will start his milk route Monday.

William Kolb is now employed at W. P. Schenk & Company's store.

Dr. Andros Gulde is having a garage erected on his lot on South street.

Dr. Geo. A. Gorman has moved into one of the Raffrey houses on Adams street.

There will be a meeting of R. P. Carpenter Post, No. 41, G. A. R., on Wednesday afternoon, May 11th.

Geo. Runciman has purchased a fine four cylinder Fuller automobile through the agency of L. L. Gorton.

Mrs. Rosa Wunder, of Jackson, formerly of Chelsea, who underwent a serious operation at the Homeopathic hospital in Ann Arbor last week, is reported as doing nicely.

Geo. H. Foster & Son struck a flowing well at Floyd VanRiper's slaughter house, and have connected up the same with an hydraulic ram which gives a constant supply of water to the workmen.

George Kantelehner reports that he has the contract to build a house for Michael Schiller of Rogers Corners; and barns for Bert West of Sylvan, John Klumpp of Sharon and Thomas Noon of Leoni.

John Bush, a former Lyndon boy, has sold his farm near Hastings, and has purchased the Spencer house on Orchard street, which was recently bought by J. H. Boyd. Mr. Bush's household goods are being moved today.

Plans have been prepared for the erection of a fine three-story store building on the site of the old Gates and Billings stores. The Gates estate has purchased the latter lot, and the new building will be a commodious one.

The amount of the primary school fund to be distributed by the state will be about \$6.50 for each child of school age. As there are 519 children of school age in this district the amount that will be received here will be \$3,373.50.

Victor E. VanAmeringen of Ann Arbor has announced himself as a candidate for the republican nomination for prosecuting attorney of Washtenaw county. He is a graduate of the U. of M., and was a member of the class of '05.

Manager Dunn of the Michigan State Telephone Co. is making an improvement in the appearance of the poles of the company that are set in the business district. He is giving them a coat of white paint, which improves their appearance immensely.

A young son of Ernest Welch had a narrow escape from death Friday when he caught one of his feet in a frog on the Michigan Central track and was unable to extricate same until help arrived. An approaching train was stopped just before it reached the imprisoned boy.

John Wise, the manager of Towar's Creamery station at this place, was in Detroit last week learning the ways of a new auto truck that the company will use in gathering cream in this vicinity. Mr. Wise came through with the machine Sunday, and reports that he saw enough mud to last him for a long time.

The work of raising the tracks of the Michigan Central west of this place has commenced again, after being at a stand-still since last fall. The changing of the roadway on the north side of the track between the farms of Ed Ward and the Kellogg estate will be commenced at once. The railroad company will move the roadway twenty-five feet to the north.

The firemen's ladies gave a very enjoyable dancing party to the fire laddies at Young Men's Hall Monday evening. Despite the bad weather nearly one hundred were present. The hall was prettily decorated in the colors of the colors of the department. Miller and Chapman of Jackson furnished the music. The ladies deserve great credit for the splendid evening's entertainment. Guests were present from Ann Arbor, Jackson and Manchester.

That much discussed and looked for heavenly visitor, Halley's comet, has at last been captured by Chelsea astronomers. Observers have at last been rewarded for their early rising, both Wednesday and this morning. The sky was clear and the comet was easily seen with naked eye, although the use of a field glass enhances the beauty of the visitor. Many watchers have mistaken Venus, which has been the morning star, for the comet, but the presence of the tail on the latter, now makes the mistake impossible.

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OUR PUBLIC MEN AT PLAY

IT IS pretty difficult in this age to find any public men who subscribe to the theory of all work and no play. Most of the nation's leading officials not only preach but practice the doctrine of abundant, and if possible, frequent recreation. Occupants of the presidential and vice-presidential offices, cabinet members, justices of the Supreme court, and other high tribunals, senators and representatives in congress, governors of states, foreign diplomats stationed in the United States, and lesser officials without number, are wont to manifest for chosen pastimes and favorite forms of outdoor sport much of that eager enthusiasm that one is prone to expect from schoolboys freshly unleashed for the long summer vacation.

President Taft has three forms of outdoor exercise that afford mental relaxation, combined with the physical training that his physicians tell him he must have. The three are motoring, horseback riding and golf, and in Mr. Taft's estimation, the greatest of these is golf. The present chief magistrate has been playing golf for a good many years now—ever since he began to go with his brothers every summer to an obscure resort in Canada, the chief qualifications of which in those days, were the excellent golf links, combined with the unfashionable atmosphere that permitted a man to wear his old clothes and live within the income of a jurist of modest means. In those days of his early allegiance to the Scotch game, Taft inaugurated a golfing rivalry with his neighbor, Justice Harlan of the United States Supreme court, and the two men, to this day, delight to relate experiences on the links at each other's expense, a class of anecdote that never fails to find credulous listeners, in the persons of Justice McKenna and other members of the United States Supreme court, who, themselves go in for golf to a greater or less extent. Since he has resided at the White House, President Taft has devoted more time to golf than ever before. This has been due partly to the advice of his physicians, and partly to a deepened interest in the game. Persons who have never seen President Taft on the links would be surprised at his agility and enthusiasm in tramping over a four-mile course, keeping up a running fire of jest and comment all the while with his partner and opponents.

Vice-President Sherman is of one mind with President Taft about golf and motoring. He has frequently played golf with the chief executive since the advent of the present administration and his interest in the game is heightened by the fact that one of his three sons is a golfer of championship caliber. However, Vice-President Sherman does not drive his own automobile. Another hobby of the vice-president is an old-fashioned garden that produces prize posies and vegetables, to say nothing of grapes, that are Mr. Sherman's especial pride.

The present cabinet corps is not nearly so



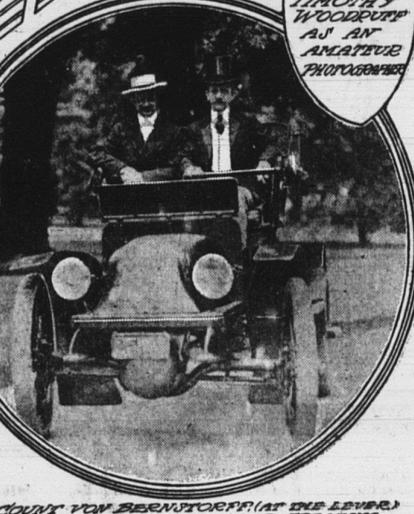
PRESIDENT TAFT PLAYING GOLF



SENATOR ELKINS ON HORSEBACK



VICE PRESIDENT SHERMAN IN HIS GRAPE ARBOR



TIMOTHY WOODRUFF AS AN AMATEUR PHOTOGRAPHER

COUNT VON BERNSTORFF (AT THE LEVER) THE GERMAN AMBASSADOR, SEATING SECRETARY OF NAVY MEYER TO A RIDE

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strenuously athletic as was the case during the Roosevelt regime, when the personnel of the famous "tennis cabinet" overlapped that of the regular cabinet. Secretary of State Knox is almost as keen as his chief on the subject of golf.

He is a lover of the open air, but rather in the way of quiet activities than of strenuous exertions and enterprising sport. His coolness and promptness and the accuracy of his mental operations combine to make him a good sportsman in anything he undertakes. He is a good horseman and fond of his horses, and is a good fisherman, and plays a strong, steady game of golf. He likes the life of his farm

at Valley Forge, near Philadelphia, and spends a good deal of his time there, and takes a personal interest in the conduct of it, and is in the saddle a good deal of the time, or else is walking over the country roads of the neighborhood.

Secretary of War Dickinson takes pride in blooded horses and gets credit for being a "dead shot" with pistol and rifle. Secretary of the Navy Meyer rides horseback and plays golf, but his ideal of perfect happiness is bound up in a season of salmon fishing in the wilds of Canada. Postmaster General Hitchcock rides horseback a little, and makes a stagger at golf but does not seem to have the knack of getting much fun out of either, for all that he used to be a crack athlete at Harvard. Secretaries Nagel and Ballinger have been too busy "housecleaning" their departments since taking office to devote much time to diversions

of any sort, but Ballinger, like most of the westerners in public life, is accounted an excellent horseman. Horseback riding is also the vent of Fred Warner Carpenter, secretary to the president.

The members of the United States senate are almost without exception subscribers to the vacation habit. Senator Elkins and Senator Warren are famous horsemen, and Senator Bourne of Oregon, and a number of his fellow statesmen, have proven their prowess as golfers. There are many men in public life who regard some form of "roughing it" as the only sure means of rejuvenation. Senator Beveridge is one of these. In his estimation nothing can compare for pure enjoyment with a camping and fishing trip in the Maine woods.

Senator Dolliver doesn't care for much in the line of sports, except fishing. He will sit for hours along the Des Moines river and angle for bass, or perch or pickerel. He often hitches up "George," the Dolliver family horse, who would never take a prize at an equine beauty show, and drives out to "The Slide," a well-known fishing place along the river, to spend the day. Roosevelt used to invite the Iowa senator to go horseback riding with him, but he always fought shy.

Governor Hughes of New York is a lover of the wilderness. He devotes some weeks almost every summer to mountain climbing. Timothy Woodruff, the New York politician, who has been so prominently in the public eye this year, is another prominent man who alternates mountain climbing with indulgence of his other fad, amateur photography.

J. Pierpont Morgan, the financier, is distinguished as a yachtsman. He was commodore of the New York Yacht club, he built a yacht to defend the America's cup, and his steam yacht Corsair served as a war vessel in the Spanish-American war. His kennels bear witness to his leadership among dog fanciers. But it is as a patron of art that the distinguished financier now finds his greatest relaxation. Much of his time in recent years has been spent abroad picking up art treasures, regardless of cost. His pictures, statuary, tapestries, glass enameled, porcelains, silver, woodwork and other treasures, which fill two houses in London and occupy important halls in the South Kensington and other museums, are so valuable that it is said the duties collectible on them in New York would amount to at least seven million dollars.

Almost all of the leading diplomats now stationed in this country have adopted American fads. Count von Bernstorff, the German ambassador, alike to a number of the other envoys, is an enthusiast on motoring, and drives his own car.

POSSIBLY SO.

"Do you think anybody will keep their New Year's resolutions?"
"Yes, if they file all their written papers."—Baltimore American.

CANADA FORGING AHEAD

Thomas C. Shotwell, one of the greatest market reporters in America, writes from New York, under date of March 20th, and says:

"The Tariff tangle with Canada which President Taft has taken in hand is of importance chiefly because of the multitude of American farmers that are crossing into the Canadian northwest. Most conservative estimates of their number place it at 150,000 for 1910. Some say as many as 250,000 will cross. These are all expert farmers and their places in the United States are being filled by untrained men from Europe and from the cities. Canada is gaining rapidly in agricultural importance and within a few years the United States will have to call on the Dominion for wheat. Production of wheat in the United States is not keeping pace with the population. A tariff war would complicate the problem of getting food. Even now Canadian farmers are getting higher prices for their cattle on the hoof and Canadian housewives are paying less for meat in the butcher shops than farmers and housewives are receiving and paying in the United States. The tariff on cattle and wheat must be removed as between the two countries before long."

The Man Lower Down.
"The beef trust doesn't worry me any."
"What then is your worry?"
"The marketman who won't trust."—Boston Herald.

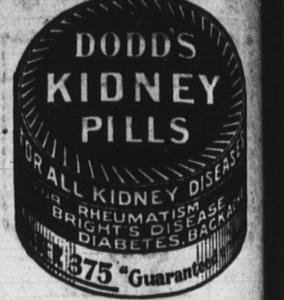
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The nickel finish, with the turquoise blue of the enameled chimneys, makes the stove ornamental and attractive. Made with 1, 2 and 3 burners; the 2 and 3-burner stoves can be had with or without Cabinet.

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THE ANNUAL EXODUS TO EUROPE

How Great Steamship Companies Handle the Mighty Migration.

In order to avoid further generalities at this point figures are inserted here to give a practical idea as to the capacity of several of the popular floating hotels, what the rates are at the beginning of the rush and also the approximate lump sum paid by saloon voyagers when the liner goes out full. Also the steamship officers were sounded for the purpose of ascertaining how the advance bookings were for the start. Everywhere the answer was, "We'll be pretty well crowded by sailing day."

The total of saloon fares is computed by means of an average fare figured out by the steamship men. The average on the Kronprinzessin Cecelle was about \$235. It will be seen by the total that travelers by half a dozen of the big liners taken in a bunch spend a sum well over half a million dollars before the start. There is of course a big sum expended also on these ships for second-cabin fares.

These, it is estimated, would amount, in the case of the Kaiserin Auguste Victoria, for instance, to \$19,500 on the basis of 300 passengers at an average fare of \$65. Thus the fares for cabin passengers for the Hamburg boat would total \$130,500. The Kaiserin, the North German Lloyd boats and the Rotterdam

are very large cabin passenger carriers. Early in June is the period when the European exodus reaches its greatest height and it is at this time that the liners go out laden to the gunwales with Americans in holiday mood, intent on capturing Europe once more for your Uncle Sam. The percentage of travel from inland points grows space and the middle west is well represented on a majority of passenger lists. The old bugbear of discomforts on an ocean trip is now a thing of the past; pretentious liners boast almost all the conveniences money can buy and Turkish baths, palm gardens, a la carte restaurants, swimming pools and other things are already an old story.

Two unusual features in Europe this year are calculated to draw extra thousands from these shores. These are the Brussels exposition, which begins in June, and the "Passion Play" at Oberammergau, the first performance of which is expected to take place May 11. The play, as is well known, is given at intervals of ten years. Hundreds of Americans secured seats a year ago for this season's production. There will be four performances in May, six in June, seven in July, nine in August and five in September. The performances begin in the morning at eight o'clock and continue until six in the evening, with an interval of two hours at midday.

It appears under the circumstances that the slogan for thousands will be "All aboard for good old Europe." You will be going whether you have a little cell down near the bunkers or accommodations of luxe near a sunny boat deck, where the children can roller skate on placid mornings. And Europe will see you coming.

THE SEASON OF MIGHTY MIGRATION TO EUROPE

THE season of mighty migration to Europe, the annual exodus of enterprising Yankees to the old countries where the significance of American strength and success is felt to a greater degree with each succeeding season will soon be in full blast. Each season a Yankee army pours through the northern gateways, slides down the Rhine, scales the Alps and there, in the cool mountain passes, fights for hotel accommodation with the invading army that has entered the south.

In years of depression there is naturally a temporary shrinkage in this ever-growing invasion of Europe from the west, but years of general depression grow fewer as time goes on, so vast and steadfast become the riches of the western world. Recently America was described by an enthusiastic captain of industry as the "land of promise and prosperity, taking an aggressive lead in the things which make for commercial supremacy."

Figures on transatlantic steamship travel at this season of the year are of interest to those who wish to feel the pulse of the country's immediate condition and resources. The ocean liner is a generally unflinching barometer of the stability of finance and wealth at the time being. A shipload of sea-goers crowding the decks of a great liner as she moves out from her berth is a sign that things are on the upward trend. Optimists of all classes, permanent and transient, point just now with glee to the predictions of steamship men that the coming season will be a banner one.

"Last year was a good year, despite the depression of the preceding season," said a representative of one of the large lines recently. "This season we expect to do from a quarter

SERIAL STORY THE LITTLE BROWN JUG AT KILDARE

By MEREDITH NICOLSON Illustrations by RAY WALTERS

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Thomas Ardmore, bored professor, 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 written to 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, a criminal, is allowed to go free. Ardmore 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. Griswold becomes adviser to Barbara Osborne, who is attending to her father's duties in South Carolina. Orders are sent to the sheriff to capture Applegate.

CHAPTER VI.—Continued.

As Barbara and Griswold turned to leave, a young man who had been writing a message at the standing desk in the lobby lifted his hat and addressed Barbara. He was a reporter for the Columbia Intelligencer, and his manner was eager.

"Oh, Miss Osborne, pardon me, but I've been trying to get you on the telephone. Can you tell me where your father is to-night?"

"Father was in town only a few hours, and then left on state business."

"May I ask if it's the Applegate case? The Raleigh papers have wired for information and we'd like to know here."

"Not at all. My engagement with Gov. Osborne is of the most confidential character and our purposes would be defeated by publicity. Remember, you get the exclusive use of this story—the return and immediate departure of the governor, his statement to the people in the Applegate case—all with the understanding that you use what you have to the best advantage."

"This is all right, is it, Miss Osborne?" asked the reporter.

"Ma, Griswold has full authority to act, and you need question nothing he tells you," Barbara replied.

"I suppose the governor didn't see the attorney general to-day?" asked the reporter detainingly, as Barbara rose. She exchanged a glance with Griswold.

"Father didn't see Mr. Bosworth at all, if that's what you mean!"

"Didn't see him? Well, Bosworth didn't exactly tell me he had seen him to-day, but I asked him about the Applegate case an hour ago at his house and he said the governor wasn't going to do anything and that was the end of it so far as the administration is concerned."

"Print his story and see what happens! We have no comment to make on that, have we, Miss Osborne?"

"Nothing at all," replied Barbara scornfully.

"I'm at the Saluda house at present. See me to-morrow and I may have another story for you!" and Griswold shook the reporter warmly by the hand as they parted at the carriage door.

"Home," said Barbara for the reporter's benefit, and then, to Griswold: "I must speak of another matter. Drive with me a little way until we can throw the reporter off."

her identification, but if you take down that volume on Admiralty Practice just behind you, you will find my name on the title page. Or, to save you the trouble, as you seem to be interested in my appearance, I will tell you that my name is Griswold and that my address is Charlottesville, Va."

"You are undoubtedly lying. If you are smart enough to write a book you ought to know enough about legal procedure to understand that the attorney general represents the state and special counsel would not be chosen without his knowledge."

"Allow me to correct you, my learned brother. You should never misquote the opposing counsel—it's one of the rules of the game. What I said a moment ago was that I represented the governor—Gov. Osborne. I didn't say I represented the state, which is a different matter, and beset with ultra vires pitfalls. There is no earthly reason why a governor should not detach himself, so to speak, from his office and act in propria persona, as a mere citizen."

Bosworth grinned, but not at the legal status of monarchs and states. He had thought of a clever stroke and he dealt the blow with confidence.

"Let us assume," he said, "that you represent Mr. Osborne. May I ask the whereabouts of your client?"

"Certainly. You may ask anything you please, but it will do you no good. It's an old rule of the game never to divulge a client's secret. Gov. Osborne has his own reasons for absenting himself from his office. However, he was at home to-night."

"I rather guess not, as I had all the trains watched. You'll have to do a lot better than that, Mr. Griswold."

"He has issued a statement to the public since you lied to the intelligencer reporter about him today. I suppose it's part of your official duty to misrepresent the head of the state administration in the press, but the governor is in the saddle and I advise you to be good."

The attorney-general felt that he was not making headway. His disadvantage in dealing with a stranger whose identity he still questioned angered him. He did not know why Griswold had sought him out, and he was chagrined at having allowed himself to be so easily cornered.

"You seem to know a good deal," he sneered. "How did you get into this thing anyhow?"

The KITCHEN CABINET



Let us be kind: The way is long and lonely, And human hearts are asking for this blessing only That we be kind.

How to Judge a Chicken. If the fowl to be purchased has the head left on, one may judge of its condition by the eyes. Bright, full eyes indicate freshness.

Table Etiquette. Do not rest the knife or fork on the edge of the plate, the handle on the table. Place them wholly on the plate.

Rhubarb Cream. Put one quart of a cup of water into a saucepan, add half a cup of sugar and a half cup of butter.

Kitchen Don'ts. Don't boil milk; scald it. Don't make loaves of bread to weigh more than a pound, as they are not apt to be baked well in the center.

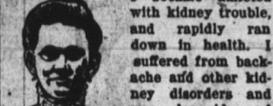
Household Hints. Wash the coffee pot, and sun it every day as carefully as if it were a milk pan.

Little Woman Found One Good Use for Discard Notes of Carolers. The shivering carollers had just selected a pitch beneath a lamp in a back street, when a small boy emerged from a house opposite and beckoned mysteriously to their leader.

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"What's the matter with Munch Bony?" asked Caesar, looking up from his asbestos copy of the Congressional Record.

Deafness Cannot Be Cured by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional medicine.

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Commissioner's Notice.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw, ss. The undersigned having been appointed by the Probate Court for said county, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of Thomas F. Morse, late of said county, deceased, hereby give notice that four months from date are allowed, by order of said Probate Court, for creditors to present their claims against the estate of said deceased, and that they will meet at late residence, in the village of Chelsea, in said county, on the 30th day of June, and on the 30th day of August next, at ten o'clock a. m. of each of said days, to receive, examine and adjust said claims.

Dated, April 30th, 1910. WALTER DANBERG, HENRY WILSON, Commissioners.

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CHURCH CIRCLES

ST. PAUL'S. Rev. A. A. Schoen, Pastor.

There will be no services next Sunday owing to the absence of the pastor, who will attend the Sunday school convention at Lansing.

CONGREGATIONAL. Rev. M. L. Grant, Pastor.

"The Second Coming of Christ, When and How," is the subject of the sermon at the combined service Sunday morning at 10 o'clock.

Christian Endeavor met at 6:16 in the evening. Evening service at 7 o'clock, subject, "The Glory of Conquest."

BAPTIST. Rev. F. L. Blanchard, Pastor.

Preaching service at 10 a. m. Sunday school at 11 a. m. Young People's meeting at 6 p. m. Subject, "The Christian Graces."

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, led by Mabel Guthrie.

Evening service at 7 o'clock. Subject, "A Message from the Chicago Congress."

"The Fair Co-Ed."

Elsie Janis who charmed everybody by her impersonation of a young American girl just escaped from a French convent in "The Hoyden," is shortly to be seen at the new Whitney theatre Saturday matinee and night, May 7, in her newest vehicle, "The Fair Co-Ed."

Again the ebullient Miss Janis is a sprightly school girl, but in this instance she is the one lone victim of a new co-educational experiment at a "fresh water college" in the middle west.

George Ade, whose "College Widow" proved his accurate knowledge of student life, is the author of "The Fair Co-Ed" and Gustav Luders, composer of the music of "The Prince of Pilsen" and numerous other musical comedies, has contributed the score.

"The Fair Co-Ed" has had a wonderful success in New York and Chicago, and comes with the original cast and production intact.

The slim little damsel of two seasons ago has grown into a magnificent young lady whose art has broadened with her physical development.

Miss Janis has been found equal to the dramatic moment as well as to the inevitable situation always demanded by her audiences when she sketches a bit of the peculiar mannerisms of other favorite players.

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BREVITIES

ANN ARBOR—Ann Arbor has prohibited the sale of toy pistols and fire crackers of greater length than two inches, and is hoping for a safe and sane Fourth of July.

ANN ARBOR—The state military board at its meeting last week authorized the appropriation of \$20,000 for the erection of an armory at this place. The city is to furnish the site and \$6,000 for equipping the building.

HILLSDALE—Jacob Beck, largest farm owner in the county, died Monday morning from a general breaking down. As fast as he prospered he bought additional land, until he owned 1,000 acres, extending on one side of the road from the city limits of Hillsdale to the limits of Jossville, six miles. He reared a large family and never had any trouble keeping the boys on the farm.

MILAN—Forty-one Catholic families were represented at a meeting held last Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Keller for the purpose of talking over the matter of asking to have a parish here in Milan. After a thorough discussion of the matter a petition was drawn up and Wm. Haselman was selected to take it to Detroit and present it to Bishop Foley. Mr. Haselman immediately performed his mission and brought back encouraging words from the Bishop, and we understand a second meeting will be held some evening next week when Fr. Soest will be present to organize a parish, after which the matter of erecting a church will be considered.

ANN ARBOR—Unless the owner of the building, Mrs. A. L. Nowlin, of Detroit, or some other person buys the business, the Cook Hotel company may be forced into the hands of a receiver. W. B. Vanderlip, secretary and treasurer of the hotel and owner of half the stock in the company, left here last Friday and a letter has been received from him that he will not return, having decided to locate in Little Rock, Ark. Fay Wheeler and George Cummings are the other stockholders. Wheeler says he was greatly surprised when he learned there were debts against the company amounting to about \$7,000. Creditors of the company held a meeting Tuesday. There is a possible purchaser of the business in the person of F. W. Hale of Chicago. The Cook hotel is the oldest hostelry in the city and for many years was the leading one.

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Council Proceedings. [OFFICIAL.] COUNCIL ROOMS. Chelsea, Mich., May 2, 1910. Board met in regular session. Meeting called to order by Geo. P. Staffan, president. Roll called by the clerk. Present—Trustees McKune, Hammond, Hummel, Dancer and Palmer. Absent—Lowry. Minutes of previous meeting read and approved. The following bills were then read by the clerk:

Table with columns for item, description, and amount. Includes Electric Light Account, General Fund, and Street Fund.

W. Self, 81-2 hours team at 40c. 3 40. Gil Martin, 81-2 hours at 17-2c. 1 49. Chas. Paul, 5 hours scraping at 70c. 3 50. Rush Green, 5 hours at 17-1-2. 88. E. G. Upthegrove, 10 hours at \$1.25. 1 25. Gil Martin, 23 hours at 17-1-2. 4 02. Arthur Young, 7 loads gravel. 7 00. B. Steinbach, 26 loads gravel. 26 00. E. G. Upthegrove, 8 hours. 1 00.

Moved by McKune, seconded by Palmer, that the bills be allowed as read and orders drawn for their amounts. Carried.

The druggist bond of H. H. Fenn Company of \$2,000, with Frank Staffan and R. S. Armstrong as sureties was then presented. Moved by Hummel, seconded by Palmer, that the bond of H. H. Fenn Company be accepted. Carried.

The druggist bond of L. T. Freeman Company of \$2,000, with Edward Vogel and S. G. Bush as sureties was then presented. Moved by McKune, seconded by Dancer, that the bond of L. T. Freeman Company be accepted. Carried.

The druggist bond of L. P. Vogel of \$2,000, with D. C. McLarea and C. W. Maroney as sureties was then presented. Moved by Dancer, seconded by Hummel, that the bond of L. P. Vogel be accepted. Carried.

The request of E. Vogel was then presented. Moved by Hummel, seconded by Palmer, that we grant E. Vogel permission to use 20 feet of east Middle street in front of his property during the construction of the two stores, provided he places a temporary walk outside of said space. Carried.

Moved by Hummel, seconded by Dancer, that we purchase 600 feet of Alpha hose of The Boston Woven Hose & Rubber Co. at 75c per foot, less 5c per foot for old couplings. Yeas—McKune, Hammond, Hummel, Dancer, Palmer. Nays—None. Carried.

Moved by McKune, seconded by Palmer, that we adjourn until one week from tonight, May 9, 1910. Carried.

W. H. HESELSCHWERT, Village Clerk.

NOTED RUPTURE

Seeley, Who Fitted the Czar of Russia, Will be at the Cook House, Ann Arbor.

F. H. Seeley, of Chicago and Philadelphia, the noted truss expert will be at the Cook hotel and will remain in Ann Arbor and receive cases this Saturday, Sunday and Monday only May 7, 8 and 9. Mr. Seeley says: "The Spermatic Shield Truss as now used and approved by the United States government will not only retain any case of rupture perfectly, affording immediate and complete relief, but closes the opening in 10 days on the average case, and costing only proportionate to common trusses."

This instrument received the only award in England and in Spain, producing results without surgery or harmful injections. Mr. Seeley has documentary evidence from the United States government, Washington, D. C., for your inspection. If any interested call he will be glad to show the truss without charge or fit them if desired. Anyone ruptured should remember the date and take advantage of this unusual opportunity. Home Estab. No. 70 Dearborn St., Chicago.

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Mortgage Sale.

Details having been made in the conditions of a mortgage bearing date January 24, 1893, made and executed by James N. Wallace and Eliza Wallace to Martha S. Seal recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Washtenaw county, state of Michigan, on the 29th day of January, 1893, in Liber 81 of mortgages on page 50. Wherein mortgage was duly assigned by Martha S. Seal to Mary B. Norton on the 13th day of May, 1897, and said assignment recorded in said Register's office on the 14th day of January, 1899 in Liber 101 of assignments in the office of said Register. The date of this notice for principal, interest and attorneys fees provided for said mortgage is the Twenty-one Hundred and Sixty-two 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 25th day of May, next at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at the southern front door of the court house, in the city of Ann Arbor, in said county, to satisfy the amount claimed to be due on said mortgage, and all legal costs, to-wit: This certain piece or parcel of land situate in the city of Ypsilanti, County of Washtenaw, State of Michigan, described as lot one (1), two (2), three (3) and four (4), in Division addition to the city of Ypsilanti, Michigan.

Dated February 24, 1910. MARY B. NORTON, Assignee of said Mortgage. D. C. GRAYSON, Attorney for Assignee, Ypsilanti, Michigan.

Probate Order.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw, ss. At a session of the Probate Court for said County of Washtenaw, held at the Probate Office in the city of Ann Arbor, on the 15th day of April, in the year one thousand nine hundred and ten.

Present, Emory E. Leland, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of John J. Rafferty, deceased.

On reading and filing the duly verified petition of Mary H. Rafferty, widow, praying that administration of said estate may be granted to Mary H. Rafferty or some other suitable person, and that appraisers and commissioners be appointed.

It is Ordered, That the 14th day of May next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, in 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.

EMORY E. LELAND, Judge of Probate. [A true copy.] DONCAR C. DONAGAN, Register.

Notice to Creditors.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw, ss. Notice is hereby given, that by an order of the Probate Court for the county of Washtenaw, made on the 15th day of April, A. D. 1910, four months from that date were allowed for creditors to present their claims against the estate of Charles F. Busse, late of said county, deceased, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said Probate Court, at the Probate office in the city of Ann Arbor, for examination and allowance, on or before the 18th day of August next, and that such claims will be heard before said court, on the 15th day of June and on the 15th day of August next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days.

Dated, Ann Arbor, April 15th, A. D. 1910. EMORY E. LELAND, Judge of Probate. [A true copy.] DONCAR C. DONAGAN, Register.

Probate Order.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw, ss. As a session of the probate court for said county of Washtenaw, held at the probate office in the city of Ann Arbor, on the 15th day of April, in the year one thousand nine hundred and ten.

Present, Emory E. Leland, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Emanuel Eschebach, et al. minors.

On reading and filing the petition of Frederick C. Loebner, guardian of said estate, praying that he may be licensed to sell certain real estate described therein at private sale for the purpose of investing proceeds.

It is ordered, that the 23rd day of May 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.

EMORY E. LELAND, Judge of Probate. [A true copy.] DONCAR C. DONAGAN, Register.

Probate Order.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw, ss. At a session of the probate court for said county of Washtenaw, held at the probate office, in the city of Ann Arbor, on the 23rd day of April, in the year one thousand nine hundred and ten.

Present, Emory E. Leland, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Wilbert Koopfer, minor.

On reading and filing the petition of Lewis Eschebach, guardian of said estate, praying that he may be licensed to sell certain real estate described therein at private sale for the purpose of investing proceeds.

It is ordered, that the 23rd day of May 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.

EMORY E. LELAND, Judge of Probate. [A true copy.] DONCAR C. DONAGAN, Register.

Notice of Mortgage Sale.

WIERHASE, Carl S. Jones and Jessie D. Jones, his wife, of Detroit, Wayne county, Michigan, made and executed a certain mortgage bearing date the 23rd day of June, A. D. 1897, in the Kempf Commercial & Savings Bank a corporation organized under the banking laws of the State of Michigan, with Charles H. Kempf as the Register of Deeds of the County of Washtenaw, on the 8th day of February, 1897, in Liber 114 of mortgages, on page 90.

And whereas, the said mortgage has been duly assigned by the said Charles H. Kempf to the Commercial & Savings Bank to Charles H. Kempf by assignment bearing date the 3rd day of March, A. D. 1907, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of the County of Washtenaw, on the 8th day of March, A. D. 1907, at 9:20 o'clock in the forenoon, in Liber 157 of assignments of mortgages, on page 313, whereby the said mortgage is now owned by the said Charles H. Kempf;

And whereas, the amount claimed due upon said mortgage is the sum of \$200.80, and no part or proceedings has been instituted at law to recover the debt now remaining secured thereby;

And whereas, default has been made in the payment of the money secured by said mortgage, whereby the power of sale contained therein has become operative.

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given that by virtue of said power of sale, and in pursuance thereof, the said mortgage to such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by sale of the mortgaged premises at the public vendue, to the highest bidder, at the south front door of the court house, at the City of Ann Arbor, in said County of Washtenaw, Michigan, on Saturday the 30th day of July, A. D. 1910, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, that being the place of holding the circuit court within said county, on Saturday the 30th day of July, A. D. 1910, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the County of Washtenaw, Michigan, as follows: Lot number twenty-one (21) of what is known as Kavanagh Lake Club Grounds, as the same is surveyed, platted and numbered by said Charles H. Kempf, and situated on the west half of the east half of the south-east quarter of section 18, township 35 N., range 10 W., in the County of Washtenaw, Michigan. This conveyance is subject hereunto the less to the use, occupancy and power of alienation of or right to convey said lands, to the constitution and by-laws of the Kavanagh Lake Club now in existence, and such as shall hereafter be legally made and adopted by said Club so long as said Club shall exist. Upon the final dissolution of said Club said land shall be relieved from all encumbrances hereby reserved to said Club, and the title thereto shall vest in the said Charles H. Kempf, and the power of alienation shall be restored to said Charles H. Kempf, his successors and assigns.

Dated May 3, 1910. CHARLES H. KEMPF, Assignee. JOHN KAMMAGH, Attorney for Assignee. 511 Main Street, Chelsea, Mich.

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