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Grant & Wood Manufacturing Company announce that in addition to their extensive operations in the manufacture of automatic multiple spindle screw machines and screw machine products, they will also engage in the manufacture of high grade balls for bearings. Mr. John J. Grant, consulting engineer for the company, has long been called the father of the ball industry. Every machine used in the manufacture of balls for bearings was invented by him. Even the German and French balls being made on machines patented and sold to the Europeans by Mr. Grant.

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For the present it is probable that some of the older buildings will be utilized for this part of their business until the business warrants the erection of new buildings.

May the Worst Ever.

The last month was the coldest May that has been experienced in forty years. At least that is what the weather bureau experts say, and no one in this section will dispute them. Tuesday the mercury registered just two above freezing, and if it had not been for the rain there would have been a killing frost. As it was there was a slight snow fall early in the morning. The only bright spot that The Standard has been able to discover in the weather was the fact that the spring poet has been completely knocked out of business, and has been conspicuous by his absence. May brought just seven clear days. All the rest were cloudy or worse. The hottest day showed only 76 degrees, the coldest was down to 34 degrees. Rain fell 16 days. The total rainfall was 3.65 inches, with a trace of snow.

North winds blew most of the time, with a total movement of 10,094 miles at an average velocity of 13.6 miles per hour.

Incidental happenings—two lunar halos, five thunder storms, five light frosts and two heavy ones.

Merkel-Taylor Wedding.

A very pretty wedding took place at 6 o'clock mass in St. Thomas church, of Ann Arbor, Tuesday morning, May 31, 1910, when Miss Mary G. daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Merkel, of Sylvan, and Mr. Harry Taylor, youngest son of Mrs. John C. Taylor, of this place, were united in marriage by the pastor, Rev. Fr. Kelly.

The young couple were attended by Miss Theresa Merkel, sister of the bride, and Mr. Theodore Weber, a cousin of the bride. A wedding breakfast was served to the young couple and their friends at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John P. Foster, in Ann Arbor.

The newly wedded couple are both popular and well-known in Chelsea and their many friends extend their best wishes for their future happiness and prosperity.

The couple left Tuesday forenoon for the west where they will spend some time.

Grange Meeting.

Cavanaugh Lake Grange will hold the next regular meeting at the home of H. J. Kruse, Tuesday evening, June 7th. The following is the program:

Music.
Roll call—Naming a favorite author and his works, one to two minute talks.

Paper—The summer trials of a farmer's wife. Mrs. Henry Notten.
Recitation—Jennie Miller.

Music.

What do you consider a good variety of reading for the farm home? Mrs. Ohas. Riemschneider.

Topic—Educational demands of today. Edward Ward.

TWO MEN DROWNED.

They Fell From Boat While Fishing at Pleasant Lake Saturday.

Their boat upsetting while they were fishing on Pleasant lake, in Freedom township twelve miles southeast of here, Saturday night, Carl Haab, 34, and Louis Kappler, 31, living in the vicinity of the lake, were drowned in sixteen feet of water. The entire day was spent in dragging the lake, but the bodies have not been recovered. The lake will be dynamited today.

Haab, Kappler and Henry Bunz, a neighbor, started from their homes early Saturday evening. They secured the boat and rowed about ten feet from the shore. After fishing about two hours they concluded to pull to the shore, and in raising the anchor the boat capsized and the three men were thrown in the water.

Bunz came up, righted the boat and called for help. It was so dark that he could not see his companions, and it seemed hours to him before he received any assistance, when he was nearly exhausted. The drowned men never came to the surface, and their bodies were not recovered until 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon, although many men were at work all of the time in an effort to recover them.

Carl Haab, one of the men, was a cousin of Miss Mary Haab of this place, and was well known to many Standard readers.

Disastrous Fire.

Between four and five o'clock last Saturday a very disastrous fire occurred on the farm of Mrs. George Boynton, of Sylvan. The fire was started by a young son of Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Marshall, who was playing with matches about the straw stack.

The two large barns, a double corn and tool house, hog house, hen house and one-half acre of board fence was consumed by the flames. The contents of the buildings consisting of seventeen tons of hay, 800 bushels of corn, 400 bushels of oats, 30 bushels of wheat, 40 bushels of barley, 90 fleeces of wool, about 70 chickens and a quantity of farm tools were also burned.

Mrs. Boynton's loss is placed at \$4,000, and was insured in the Washington Mutual Fire Insurance Co. for \$1,750. Arrangements are being made to rebuild the largest barn as soon as possible. The fire consumed all of the buildings on the farm, except the residence, and those that were destroyed have nearly all been built in the past few years and were all in first-class condition.

The loss of Mr. Marshall, who works the farm, is placed at about \$900, and is partially covered by insurance in the German Mutual Fire Insurance Company.

Decoration Day Exercises.

The weather Decoration Day was about ten times worse than the usual weather on those days, and the crowd was consequently smaller than has usually been present.

The exercises at the hall were carried out as announced in the last issue of The Standard. The speaker was Judge H. W. Newkirk, of Ann Arbor, and his address was one of the best ever delivered here on an occasion of this character.

The band headed the procession to the cemetery where the graves of the departed veterans were decorated.

A large audience listened to the memorial address by Rev. Dunning. Idle at the Methodist church Sunday evening, and all were highly pleased with it. The speaker took for his subject "Soldiers, Scars and Scepters." He paid special tributes to both Lincoln and Grant.

Census Returns Soon.

The census bureau has begun the actual work of enumerating the population from the individual census cards made up from the returns and Director E. Dana Durand declared Tuesday that the complete census of some cities would be announced within a fortnight. The individual cards, the compilation of which is in the hands of several hundred experts, if piled one upon another would make a stack 16 miles high, according to Mr. Durand's estimate. This estimate is upon the basis that the population of the United States will prove to be in the neighborhood of 100,000,000.

A house painted five years ago with Bradley & Vrooman Paint is in better shape than if painted two years ago with other paint. The proof is right on the surface—in the paint—in the saving. Sold by P. H. Belser.

Chelsea Defeated.

The Ann Arbor ball team came up to Chelsea Monday afternoon and what they did to our boys should not be mentioned louder than a whisper. Fortunately rain commenced to fall.



The Chelsea Boys Were in the Air.

during the first half of the eight inning or the agony would have been considerably worse, as during that inning Ann Arbor had scored seven runs and had an opportunity to make several more, as there were but two men out when the game was called.



Umpire Staff was Kept Busy.

and the score as it stood at the close of the seventh inning was the one that goes down in history. This was the first game that the Chelsea boys have played this season.



Slippery Glove was Slippy.

and before they close they will show those naughty county capital fellows something in the ball line that will open their eyes. The score:

ANN ARBOR									
	Duffy, cf.	Reule, ss.	Benjamin, lb.	Millman, 3b.	Nowak, lf.	Shippy, 2b.	Walsh, rf.	Root, c.	Eaton, p.
AB	3	5	4	3	3	4	5	3	4
R	1	0	1	1	1	1	1	2	0
H	0	2	2	0	2	1	2	0	1
P	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
O	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
A	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
E	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	35	11	9	21	6	1			

CHELSEA									
	Prudden, ss.	Holmes, lf.	Bacon, 3b.	Kratzmill, c.	Rogers, lb.	Dillon, rf.	Rafferty, cf.	Dunn, lf.	Steinbach, lb.
AB	4	0	2	0	1	2	3	0	1
R	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
H	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
P	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
O	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
A	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
E	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	3	0	2	0	1	2	3	0	1

INNINGS									
1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
4	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
5	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
6	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
7	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
8	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
9	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

SUMMARY									
Two-base hits	Walsh, Millman, Bacon, Bates on balls—On Beisel 5, off Eaton 1. Struck out—By Beisel 5, by Eaton 7. Hit by pitched ball—Millman. Passed balls—Kratzmill 1. Umpire—Staffan.								

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HELPED OUT BY A VISION

Information for Which Scientist Had
Sought in Vain Revealed to
Him as He Slept.

I think little of visions when a person is in bed. An eminent man of science informed me lately that, being engaged in writing the biography of a very celebrated person, he sought half a day for a record of an interesting fact in the youth of the celebrity. He could find no such record, went to bed, fell asleep, probably, and then found himself wide awake (as far as he knew), while his room was lit up with a soft radiance. The door opened, and a tall figure draped in some dark material entered, carrying a book of a very peculiar form. The figure opened the book, laid it open on a table by the bed, and went out. My informant slept till he was called in the morning. There was no book beside him, but he recognized the volume by its shape, went to a shelf in his library, took down the volume (one of a series), and found the record which he wanted. He cannot have been awake when the figure came, for he would have examined the book at the moment. Yet he thought he was awake. Nothing else of this kind ever occurred to my friend, who, I may say, is an F. R. S. The person who appeared to him was not the subject of the biography on which my friend was engaged, for he was not a tall man. The whole affair was a little drama staged by the Subliminal Self, who works in a mysterious way, for he might just as well have shown the lettering on the back of the book, or whispered its name.—Andrew Lang, in London T. P.'s Weekly.

What He Found Out.
An Italian journalist, Signor Tommaso Ghioni, has just had some disagreeable experiences. Desirous of knowing something of the lunatic asylums from within, with the object of ameliorating the lot of the insane, he presented himself at the gates of the Cimarosa asylum and asked for an audience of the king of Italy. The attendants showed him the door and then he ran foul of the police, and in the end found himself interned in the asylum. The doctors examined him and finding him far from tractable administered an emetic. Then they gave him a shower bath and next vaccinated the enterprising journalist. After that they held a consultation in the presence of the "lunatic"—whose bona fides they evidently suspected—and brutally but unanimously agreed that the only treatment in such a case was trepanning for a cancer on the brain. By this time Signor Tommaso Ghioni thought the best he could do was to confess. This he did, and found himself at the police station. The magistrate, however, released him, observing that he thought the doctors had administered sufficient punishment.

A Ban on Patterns.
"There is one kind of correspondence sometimes received by women clerks that makes heads of firms hopping mad," said the pretty stenographer. "That is dress patterns. They didn't mind letters and magazines, but if a girl wants to keep on good terms with her employer and maybe keep her job, she had better advise pattern companies to send their communications to some other address. I know one employer of about a hundred girls who has put up notices in the workroom to the effect that no patterns can be received at that office. Not many men go that far, but all hold the same grudge against patterns. A girl who has a new dress to make up can't help spreading the pattern out the minute she gets it. Then every other woman in the office becomes interested. Nothing is so disorganizing to women clerks as patterns. Nothing takes up more time that belongs to the firm, so you really can't blame the bosses for putting a ban on patterns."

Where Microbes Thrive.
The alimentary canal is the most perfect culture tube known to bacteriological science. No part of the body is so densely populated with micro-organisms. It is estimated that in the alimentary canal of the average adult about 126,000,000,000 microbes come into existence every day.

They crowd this region so densely that scientists originally believed that they were indispensable to human life. According to a writer in McClure's, Pasteur, who first discovered them, maintained this view, but recent investigations have rather disproved it. There are many animals that exist in perfect health without any intestinal bacteria at all. Polar bears, seals, penguins, elder ducks, arctic reindeer—these and other creatures in the arctic zone have few traces of these organisms.

A Philanthropic Farmer.
"What are you going to do this summer, Hiram?" asked Mrs. Farmer.
"Well, I guess we'll send our two girls to Europe so as to be able to accommodate a few unfortunate city boarders who must have fresh air," replied Hiram.—Detroit Free Press.

Unslightly.
The Doctor—You must put a porous plaster on the small of your back.
The Lady—That's impossible, doctor. I'm going to the opera tonight—how would I look?

BIRD DIES OF
HEART FAILURESTATE FOOD COMMISSIONER IS
VICTIM OF SHORT ILLNESS.

ATTACK OF PNEUMONIA, FOLLOWED BY HEART WEAKNESS, TAKES HIM.

Labor Commissioner Fletcher Decides
to Investigate Conditions Under
Which Messenger Boys Are
Working.

Death of Arthur C. Bird.

Arthur C. Bird, state dairy and food commissioner, who has been very low from an affection of the heart, following an attack of pneumonia, for more than a week, died at his home.

Arthur Cranson Bird was born in Highland, Oakland county, Mich. May 22, 1864. His father, being Joseph Johnson Bird, a farmer, and his mother, Elizabeth Cranson Bird. The ancestry was English on both sides. The Bird and Cranson families were in the first company of settlers in Livingston county, Mich., Gardner Bird and Job Cranson being the heads.

Mr. Bird was connected with many large and varied interests in the state. He was secretary and treasurer of manufacturers in Lansing. He was a director of the Hammond Publishing Co., was president of the Lansing Manufacturers' association, and a director of the Business Men's association. His interests in real estate here were large.

Placed at Rest in Mount Hope.

Funeral services for the late Arthur C. Bird were held at the residence in East Lansing Sunday afternoon under the direction of Lansing lodge, No. 33, F. & A. M. Rev. William C. Hicks, of St. Paul's Episcopal church, officiated. A large number of state officials attended the services. The remains were interred in Mt. Hope cemetery.

The active pallbearers were R. W. Dunlap, of Columbus, O.; Charles L. Well, of Detroit; T. F. Marsden, of Bay City; G. C. Clippert, of Lansing, and Prof. W. B. Barrows and Floyd Robinson, of East Lansing. The honorary pallbearers were Gov. Warner, Lieut.-Gov. Kelley, Colin C. Lillie, insurance Commissioner J. V. Barry, Judge Howard Wiest, Frank C. LeLand, of Detroit, and C. D. Woodbury, of East Lansing.

To Investigate Messenger Boys.

State Labor Commissioner Fletcher has ordered that conditions in Detroit and other cities of the state, where messenger boys are employed in carrying messages and running errands for denizens of the tenderloin districts, be thoroughly investigated. To that end he communicated with Deputy Commissioner Charles H. Johnson, Detroit, and instructed the latter to begin a thorough probe of the messenger service in that city.

Insufficient Assessment.

Secretary George Lord, of the state tax commission, informed the board of review that unless Traverse City officials get busy and raise Traverse City's assessment to what it should be, the commission will do the work and assess all property at its actual value.

It is alleged that the assessment is one of the lowest in the state. The board gave as an excuse that property in townships is assessed far below value and as the city is compelled to pay 55 per cent of the taxes, an assessment of actual value would make the city pay more than its share.

Secretary Lord stated that the local board had a remedy by applying to the township's assessment committee.

The Bulk Sales Law.

The Michigan bulk sales law, which has been sustained by the United States supreme court, is of more importance than shown at first reading. It provides that before a merchant sells a stock of goods, except in the ordinary way of trade, he shall inventory his stock and furnish a list of his creditors a five-day notice by personal service or registered letter that a deal is pending. The intent of the law is to protect creditors against sales which may act as preferences.

Hon. W. E. Brown, of Lapeer, is father of the bill, which was enacted by the legislature in 1905, and after a hard fight was passed. Gov. Bliss strongly opposed the bill.

Lake Gives Up Body.

Muskegon lake gave up the body of John Carlson. He was the fifth victim of a drowning accident last Thanksgiving day, when four members of the Carlson family met death. The young people were out on the lake, returning from a pleasure ride. A storm came up, capsizing the boat. The victims were caught under the canopy of the boat and forced down. The mother and father of the Carlsons are dead, but one member, a boy of 16, was left.

Overrun With Cadavers.

Having secured an enactment of the law requiring all state institutions to turn over to the university all unclaimed bodies, the university staffs by that law, although there is an over-supply of cadavers in the department of anatomy. Attorney General Bird in response to a request from the superintendent of the northern asylum at Traverse City.

Because he would "rather be in prison than work, and rather steal than eat," George Gilbert, 18, of Lansing, will spend 2 to 15 years in the Detroit house of correction.

Chas. P. Downey, of Lansing, has accepted an invitation to place his large automobile at the disposal of President Taft during the ceremonies incident to the unveiling of the statue of Gen. Custer at Monroe June 4. It is probable that Downey will drive the president through to Jackson after the ceremonies at Monroe for the "Under the Oaks" celebration later in the day.

NEWS OF MICHIGAN.

Walter E. Hartley, of Grand Rapids, was awarded the Steierner prize of \$100 for an original composition in the commencement exercises of the Yale School of Music, of which he is a student.

The commencement exercises of the Ingham County Normal school will be held at the Presbyterian church at Mason, June 8. President Samuel Dickie, of Albion college, will deliver the address. The class consists of 15 girls and two boys.

The death of Mrs. James Montague, in the village of Price, Clinton county, is the third to have occurred in the family in the last few weeks. Her sister, L. St. John, died there a short time ago and a brother, Epton Parker, was accidentally killed.

To add an important barrier to check the white slave traffic and to protect as far as possible the many unsophisticated travelers who come by the hundreds into Detroit, especially during the summer months, the Young Women's Christian association has undertaken the work of the Traveler's aid.

The annual meeting of the Michigan Pioneer and Historical society will be held in Lansing June 7 and 8. Among the speakers will be James B. Angell, president emeritus of the University of Michigan, and Will Carleton, the Michigan poet. The sessions will be held in the senate chamber in the capitol.

Dr. F. W. Shumway, of the state board of health, in company with Dr. McClintock, of the staff of the federal medical service of Washington, will leave in a few days for the northern part of the state to make a thorough investigation of several leprosy cases which are said to be prevalent in certain northern towns.

Big Rapids merchants are considering the half-holiday closing plan for the summer months, the dentists having already adopted Wednesday afternoon closing. The plan is to close for Saturday afternoon. It is expected that Wednesday afternoon will be observed as a general holiday by this city beginning June 1.

Word has been received at Hillsdale in Scranton, Pa., of Mrs. Helen Dunn Gates. Mrs. Gates was a member of the board of trustees of Hillsdale college, and the daughter of Dr. Ransome Dunn, one of the committee who was instrumental in locating the college at Hillsdale. He was connected with the institution nearly 50 years.

John C. Patterson, the nestor of the Calhoun county bar, dropped dead in Marshall. Death was from heart disease. Only a few days ago he delivered the presentation address on the occasion of Vice-President Sherman's visit to Marshall. He was 37 years a trustee of Hillsdale college and was a member of the state senate five years.

Three prisoners have been transferred from Jackson prison to the Asylum for Criminal Insane at Ionia. They are William O. Sutton, 19, sentenced from Lansing to serve 10 years for arson; Adam Petraitis, from Grand Rapids, three to 10 years for a serious offense against a girl; Tom Buck, Kalamazoo, three to 15 years for horse stealing.

With the installing of ten new iron beds, Mecosta county's battle at Big Rapids meets all the requirements of the state inspector, and, according to that official, the local jail is a model as regards cleanliness, sanitary conditions and the general comfort of prisoners. The new beds replace the hammocks, which have been used since the jail was established.

A meeting to determine whether nets of a smaller mesh may be used in the herring industry in Saginaw bay has been called for Bay City June 1. The international commissioners, President David Starr Jordan, of the United States, Prof. B. W. Evermann, of the bureau of fisheries, and Prof. Edward E. Prince, the Canadian commissioner. The question to be settled is at what stage a herring is mature.

F. W. Shumway, of the state board of health, will institute proceedings against a tannery concern owned by the trust located on Fremont lake, near Fremont. Complaints have come to the department that fish are being killed on account of refuse being dumped in the lake, cattle will not drink the water, and from 75 to 100 people occupy cottages on the banks of the lake are unable to live in them on account of the stench.

A jousting tournament representing "King Arthur's Knights of the Round Table" will be a nightly feature of the horse show and entertainment in front of the grand stand. This will take place in the ring, which is one of the largest devoted to horse show purposes in the country, and will be put on by a detachment of United States cavalry from Fort Wayne. Prizes will be offered the riders for the weekly tournaments and some horse ownership of a startling nature is expected.

A district cannot issue bonds in excess of 5 per cent of the total assessed valuation of the district, and in a district in which there are 100 or more children in the school census the bonded indebtedness shall not exceed 75 per cent of such census. Such is the law as amended by Act 4717 of 1887. Sutton's bay district in northern Michigan is assessed \$165,000, but has in the school census only 100 children. Attorney General Bird in an opinion given the treasurer of the district says that bonds to the amount of \$8,250, or 5 per cent of the assessed valuation, can only be issued, and not based on the number of children in the school census.

Superintendent C. A. Tyler of the live stock department of the state fair board is one of the busiest men around the state fair office these days. He is up to his eyes in work, arriving at his desk at 7 in the morning and closing the door at the last to leave. He says this department of the fair will have many new and novel features and will contain some of the finest stock ever led into a ring.

Miss Corinne Shattuck, formerly of Saginaw, aged 55, and for 30 years a missionary in Turkey, is dead there from tuberculosis. She was the heroine of the Armenian massacre of 1907.

WILL FIGHT TAX
CASE TO FINISHMichigan Central Railroad Is
Standing Pat.

ATTEMPT TO SETTLE FAILS

Road's Attorneys Decline to Consider
Proposal of Governor and Attorney
General—Presentation
of Testimony Closed.

Lansing.—It is evident now that the Michigan Central Railway company is determined to fight to a finish the case of the state to collect \$4,000,000 back taxes, as another attempt to end the litigation out of court has failed. It is known that at a conference held by Governor Warner, Attorney General Bird and Attorneys Otto Kirchner and Thomas E. Barkworth, the advisability of asking the court whether the governor and attorney general would have authority to settle the case regardless of the refusal of Secretary of State Martindale and Land Commissioner Huntley Russell, as members of the board of auditors, to approve of such a settlement, was discussed. If the court should hold in the affirmative then the state was to accept \$125,000 from the railroad company, drop the case, and the railroad in turn would abandon its attempt to collect \$5,000,000 from the state for the repeal of its special charter.

The proposal was put up to the attorneys representing the railroad company, and they declined even to consider it. Their attitude at present is that having once proposed peace and had that proffer refused, they have no desire to renew negotiations. The railroad attorneys did not consider the question as to whether the governor and the state's attorneys have authority to settle, but simply assumed the position that there is no reason now to abandon the case.

The presentation of testimony from both sides was concluded and June 16 was fixed by Judge West as the date for hearing the arguments.

New Head for "U" Soon.

The University of Michigan will have a permanent president before the session begins next September. In fact, an appointment may be made at the meeting of the board of regents to be held on June 28.

The regents realize the necessity of making such an appointment and the desire is to give the new head two or three months in which to familiarize himself with the details of the institution before the fall term begins.

It is no secret that Dean Hutchins of the law department, who is acting president, is not satisfied with the present arrangement, largely for the reason that as head of the university he is unable to give necessary attention to the law department.

The regents held a session at Ann Arbor and though this matter did not come up officially it was discussed informally when they took lunch together. They all realize that the existing situation must be remedied.

While no decision was reached and the discussion was purely informal, it foreshadows the fact that definite action will be taken just as soon as the regents can center upon a man for president.

Rulings on Liquor Law.

The attorney general's department is sending out a synopsis of opinions and rulings relative to sales of liquor by druggists under the local option law. It is stated that liquor can only be sold by registered pharmacists or druggists and that they cannot be compelled to fill a prescription or application for liquor.

The druggist fills his prescriptions at his peril and must see that they are written, dated, contain the name of the person for whom they are prescribed and state the kind and quantity of liquor prescribed as well as give directions for its use. He can only fill prescriptions by registered medical practitioners, not dentists or veterinarians.

Women's Labor Law Violated.

Complaint has been made to the state labor commission that the Olds Motor works and the Northrop Robinson Carrier company, wholesale grocers and druggists, are violating the state law in regard to working girls and women more than 54 hours a week. Both concerns will be given a chance to explain pending probable legal action.

To Rebuild Burned State Barn.

The state board of auditors appropriated \$5,567.94 to be used in replacing the barn, herd of cows and tools, machinery, etc., destroyed by the fire at the Industrial School for Boys.

Michigan Corporations.

Articles of incorporation were filed with the secretary of state by the Kessel Wheel company, Detroit; increase from \$330,000 to \$500,000; Lansing Novelty Manufacturing company, Lansing, \$6,000; Detroit Auto Specialty company, Detroit, increase from \$50,000 to \$75,000; Rochester Manufacturing company, Rochester, \$10,000; Precision Instrument company, Detroit, \$24,000; Triumph Motor Car company, Detroit, \$100,000; McRae & Roberts company, Detroit, increase from \$125,000 to \$150,000.

Masonic Home Undecided.

The sixty-sixth annual meeting of the Grand Lodge of Michigan, F. & A. M., ended at Saginaw after one of the most successful sessions the grand lodge has ever enjoyed. It was decided to hold the next meeting at Port Huron. The election of officers resulted as follows:

Grand master, G. Roscoe Swift, Adrian; deputy grand master, James E. Dillon, East Tawas; senior grand warden, James H. Thompson, Evart; junior grand warden, Francis D. Clark, Flint; grand lecturer, F. O. Gilbert, Bay City; grand chaplain, Rev. H. Gallagher, Saginaw; grand treasurer, William Wente, Manistee; grand secretary, Lou B. Winsor, Reed City; senior grand deacon, W. H. Perritt, Detroit; junior grand deacon, George L. Lusk, Bay City; grand marshal, John H. Hawks, Lansing.

The selection of the city where the new Masonic home is to be erected in place of the one destroyed by fire in Grand Rapids some time ago was left over for next year, when the report will be made at the Port Huron meeting.

Pay License Under Protest.

Auditor General Fuller has been notified that Julius Kessler & Co. of Grand Rapids and Chicago, wholesale liquor dealers, have filed the amount of their bonds, \$3,000, with Kent county officials. In the same mail he received a check from the company for \$500, the amount of their license, but was also informed that the fee was paid under protest and that the company would at once commence action against the state to recover the amount of the license, claiming that under act 291, under which they were compelled to pay a state license, the company is not liable for fees or taxes and that furthermore the act is unconstitutional.

Most of the non-resident liquor houses who have paid have done so under protest, but the Kessler company is the first to announce it will commence suit against the state for the recovery of the fees. More suits are expected to follow.

Must Fix up Roads.

For the first time in the history of Calhoun county the post office department threatens to stop the rural free mail delivery on routes 13 1/2 miles out of Marshall because of poor roads. Highway Commissioner Bert Pattison of Marengo had the territorial, river and south river roads, which lead to Albion, plowed up. The roads were impassable for automobiles and vehicles could hardly get through. A rural mail carrier broke an axle on his wagon and reported it to the postmaster who forwarded the complaint to Washington, D. C. The post office department gave notice that unless the road was placed in proper condition within 30 days, the service on these roads would be discontinued. Local merchants are enraged at his action, as it is impossible to get into Marshall without great difficulty and farmers living east of this city more than four miles drive to Albion instead of Marshall.

Must Pay \$70,000 Taxes.

Auditor General Fuller has discovered that the paid-in capital of the Detroit, Grand Haven & Milwaukee railroad is now \$7,000,000, and computing the tax at one per cent, he has notified the officials of that company that the tax on its branch of the Grand Trunk system for 1909 is to be \$70,000.

The charter provides that it may be taxed one per cent upon its capital stock paid in. Many years ago the capital stock was \$2,500,000 and it has since paid a tax of \$25,000 per annum. The road has been practically rebuilt since the capital stock was fixed at that amount and Auditor General Fuller finds from reports which it has made that there has gone into the road, up to 1909, \$7,000,000 in capital.

Tax Law to Be Tested.

Without any preliminary legal skirmishes the question as to the constitutionality of the ad valorem tax law governing the taxation of telephone companies will be taken up before Judge Dennison of the United States court at Grand Rapids on June 10. Attorney General Bird stated that arrangements to take the matter up on its merits direct had been made with counsel for the telephone companies as a means of getting an early decision.

The two points at issue are as to whether title of the act is broad enough to cover the taxation of telephone companies and whether the exemption of the smaller companies is constitutional.

Desires No Ceremonies.

Capt. Fred Alger of Detroit notified in person the state board of auditors that it is the desire of the Alger family that there be no ceremonies in connection with the hanging of the portrait of his father, the late Senator R. A. Alger, in the senate chamber. The portrait is at the capitol and will soon be placed.

Names Delegates to Chicago.

The following delegates were appointed by Governor Warner to the national conference on industrial accidents and workmen's compensation, to be held in Chicago June 10 and 11 and the first national conference on industrial diseases, to be held in Chicago on the evening of June 10: James V. Barry, Lansing; Charles M. Black, Muskegon; Charles W. Nash, Flint; William D. Mahon, Detroit; M. M. Duncan, Ishpeming; Fred L. Holmes, Jackson. All will serve without compensation.

CURTISS GLIDES
ALBANY TO N. Y.GOES 137 MILES IN TWO HOURS
32 MINUTES, NEW WORLD'S
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POSES FLIGHT NEW YORK
TO CHICAGO.Says It Was Easy Money, After All;
Thinks Achievement Is Begin-
ning of New Era.

Glen H. Curtiss flew from Albany to New York city in an aeroplane, winning the \$10,000 prize offered by the New York World. He covered the distance of 137 miles in two hours and thirty-two minutes and came to earth as calmly and lightly as a pigeon. His average speed for the distance—54.06 miles an hour—surpasses any record ever made by an aeroplane in long distance flight, and in its entirety his feat eclipses anything man has attempted in a heavier-than-air machine.

Nearly Meets Death.

On one occasion during his voyage Curtiss narrowly escaped death while rounding the Highlands. Caught on the side by a strong air current, his aeroplane dropped forty feet like a plummet. For seconds wreck seemed sure, and Curtiss had three seconds to review a blameless past. But the aeroplane, after a struggle, righted his machine, which slid off into kinder air and went on to the finish steadily about her business.

Drydocks Sunk by Enemies.

Further examination of the United States drydock Dewey, which is partially submerged at Olongapo, in Subig bay, Philippine Islands, has strengthened the belief that the damage was done deliberately by a band of conspirators against the government.

However, it is now learned that the valves had not been opened, as first declared, though they were found to have been leaking a little. This leakage would not have caused the trouble and the dock sank more rapidly than would have been the case had all the valves been opened and no other opening made.

Accordingly the experts believe that a large hole will be found in the port side or bottom of the dock. It is probable that the mystery will not be cleared until the dock has been raised. How long this will take can not be said, but quite likely it will be four or five weeks.

Seyler Did Not Kill Adams Girl.

William Seyler, charged with killing Jane Adams on the million-dollar pier at Atlantic City last February, was acquitted at May's Landing, N. J. The jury was out a little more than five hours.

The court room was crowded when the jury returned and rendered its verdict, hundreds of persons from Atlantic City and other parts of the county having waited for the news from the jury room.

When the verdict was announced there was a cheer from a portion of the crowd, which was quickly silenced by Judge Trenchard. Seyler fairly leaped at his counsel when he realized that he was again a free man.

Ask Dissolution of Packers' Charter.

A notice was filed in the New Jersey supreme court at Trenton, N. J., by Prosecutor Garven, of Hudson county, that he would apply to the court June 7 for an order dissolving the charters of Armour & Co., Morris & Co., Swift & Co. and the National Packing Co.

This is a new move on the part of the prosecutor to have the companies punished for their alleged conspiracy to raise the price of meats. If Mr. Garven should be successful these companies could not do business in New Jersey.

Drydock Dewey Sunk by Blunder.

The huge drydock Dewey, which was towed from the United States to Manila in a sensational manner two or three years ago, was sunk owing to the carelessness of the naval station employees, who are Japanese. The experts declare that the great floating dock, which was towed at great expense, will be saved despite the likelihood that it will be totally submerged.

Golden Rule Chief Suspended.

Chief of Police Frederick Kohler, of Cleveland, known throughout the country as the "Golden Rule" chief, and lately lauded by President Roosevelt as the best chief of police in the country, has been suspended by Mayor Baugh on charges of gross immorality, habitual drunkenness and disobedience of orders.

Edmund T. Perkins, engineer in

charge of the Chicago bureau of the United States reclamation service, and one of the chief supporters of Secretary Hallinger in the controversy with Clifford Pinchot, announces that he would retire from public service to enter private business. Mr. Perkins informed Secretary Hallinger of his intention before leaving Washington, where he went to testify in behalf of the secretary.

The armored cruiser South Dakota,

which left the Pacific coast to participate in the Argentine centennial celebration at Buenos Ayres, has been ordered from Bahia Blanca to San Francisco, via the Straits of Magellan. The other American ships at Buenos Ayres will be ordered to Atlantic ports.

More than a thousand brickyard employees

struck in six yards along the Fishkill beach, New York. There was no disorder. The men want the day's quota reduced from 25,000 to 22,000 bricks a machine. Three hundred men in the Brickyard yards refused to join the strike. They had been running on the 22,000 scale.

COMET'S NEW TAIL.

Astronomers Agree That the New
Appendage Is 40 Degrees Long.

Forty degrees of new-born tail for the comet and a doubling of its luminosity, owing to flaming hydrocarbon gas, were reported by the astronomers at Williams Bay observatory, after the spectrographic negatives had been developed. Prof. E. B. Frost, director of the observatory, announced the results of the computations.

"Four of us, after independent calculations, agree that the new tail of the comet is 40 degrees long," he said. "The tail was visible long after the comet had set. The eclipse of the moon helped greatly in the observations. Observations by the hand spectroscopy showed carbon bands in the spectrum of the comet. These were confirmed by the development of the negatives made with the 12-inch telescope. The internal activity of the comet is in full blast. It is making gas at a terrific rate."

Prof. Frost said he did not expect to see the old tail in the east.

"The old tail must disappear," he added. "When detached from its source it can only condense or fade away, as the end of an active tail always does."

Fine weather for observing prevailed throughout the most of the night at Williams Bay, although it was cloudy and rainy over Chicago. During the appearance of a full reddish disc. This, according to Prof. E. B. Frost, of Yerkes observatory, was due to the red rays of the solar spectrum, which had the property of bending inward.

NEWS TOLD IN BRIEF.

It is officially announced that the Canadian Northern railway has obtained \$50,000,000 in British money markets for development purposes.

Rev. Alexander Fraser Munro, known in this country and in England as the "preaching printer," whose work in the interest of workmen, temperance and Sabbath observance was praised by Queen Victoria, is dead at his home in Brooklyn.

Hereafter telegraph operators who served in the Federal army during the Civil war will not be buried in the National cemeteries, an order to that effect having been issued by the war department. The ruling is based on the fact that these men were not enlisted soldiers but employees of the quartermaster's department.

Wm. Rankin, of Summit, N. J., who will be 100 years old in a few weeks, asserts that he is the oldest college alumnus in the United States. He was graduated from Williams college in the class of 1831. Rankin for many years was a lawyer in Cincinnati and for 30 years was treasurer of the Presbyterian board of foreign missions.

The total catch of fur seals by the natives in the open sea off the Alaska coast this season will not be more than 125 pelts. In former years the Indians have always made good catches. Japanese sealers using muffled power boats are expected to reap a fat harvest. Eight of these vessels are now following the seal herds north to the rookeries.

"Wild cat evangelism" was denounced at the closing session of the fifth general assembly of the Southern Presbyterian church at Lewisburg, Va., by Dr. Charles R. Nisbet, Nashville, chairman of the assembly's committee on evangelism. "What is needed," said he, "is a sane evangelism today that is answerable to no church. It is a wild cat evangelism. It is doing more to prejudice this arm of the service than any two things at work in this land."

THE MARKETS.

Detroit, May 26.—Market 20c to 25c lower than last week on cattle. Beef, 1000 lbs. and over, \$10.00; 1000 lbs. and under, \$9.75; extra dry-fed steers and heifers, \$9.25; steers and heifers, 1000 lbs. and over, \$9.00; 1000 lbs. and under, \$8.75; grass steers and heifers, 1000 lbs. and over, \$8.50; 1000 lbs. and under, \$8.25; fat cows, \$8.00; good fat cows, \$7.50; stock raisers, \$7.00; choice heavy bulls, \$6.50; fair to good bulls, \$6.00; stock raisers, \$5.50; choice heavy steers, \$5.00; fair to good steers, \$4.50; stock raisers, \$4.00; choice heavy hogs, \$3.50

ENGLISH EMIGRATION



CROSSING THE GUANO NYRD, BRITISH EAST AFRICA

A MOST important letter has been drawn up and published by the Princess Christian and three of her colleagues. She herself is president of the South African Colonization society, Lady Bective is president of the Central Bureau for the Employment of Women, Lady Knightley is president of the British Women's Emigration association, and Lady Grosvenor is chairman of the committee of colonial intelligence for educated women. The theme on which they write is the advantages of the colonies for educated women. The ground fact of the situation is that in this country there is a surplus of females. Biologists tell us that a strong race always produces more females than males, and when males preponderate it is a sign of decay. So there is no reason for apprehension about the fact that the proportion of girl-babies that come into the world in England is greater than that of boy-babies. Further, the numerical difference between the sexes greatly increases as time goes on, probably because more men go abroad either to the colonies or to seek their fortune in some other way. It is too often thought that the colonies are only good for the women who are prepared to go to the backwoods and perform work compared to which the work of domestic service is light. This is not the case. There are as many openings for the younger daughter as there are for the younger son, and it is lamentable that she should be so often, in the words of the letter, "compelled to linger at home till her youth is past with no better prospect than a future of aimless and dreary spinsterhood." The educated gentlewoman, accustomed to country life, will find many openings in the colonies similar to those she has here, only the positions are better paid and less crowded. Again quoting the letter: "In nursing, in teaching, in clerical work and in a score of other capacities the colonists report that there is need of women's assistance." These educated women, many of whom possess a little capital that could be utilized to advantage in a new land, would be a decided acquisition to any colony they went to, as they are for the most part not only well educated, but healthful and even athletic in body. They have every capacity for being useful members of a new community and, in the end, for becoming the mothers of a colonial race. Physiologists may perhaps explain why it is that in the colonies the proportion of sexes becomes changed and the boys predominate over the girls. Dr. Lathon, whose dictionary is still in use, used to have a theory which he established by means of many facts and modern instances, that a race never succeeded in maintaining itself as a colony unless it intermarried with the indigenous people or was continually recruited with fresh blood. The climate must certainly produce some effect on the men. The early colonies of Greece and Rome passed utterly out of existence. To keep our own a stream of fresh emigrant blood from England is absolutely necessary.

During the present year Rhodesia is likely to be much before the public eye, and the attention of the emigrant is being freshly directed towards it. This is, in a great measure, due to the advances made in the growing and drying of tobacco. Rhodesian tobacco has now secured a foothold in London, and speaking from personal experience, we are satisfied that it is a sound, clean, unadulterated tobacco, the recent samples showing a great improvement on those first sent to us. The cigarettes, too, seem to meet with general approval. One result of this is to attract a sort of man who does not generally emigrate. That is to say, one who has retired from business with a little capital, or who is in receipt of a government pension. We met a man of this kind the other day. He made a small fortune in Canada in his early manhood, and came home to England, partly owing to a domestic bereavement and partly for the purpose of educating his children. Now that they are off his hands he has started for Rhodesia, because he thinks a colonial life the happiest possible, or, at any rate, the most suitable for a man of his temperament. He has never cultivated tobacco in his life, but prides himself on his ability to pick up any craft that is practised on the land. He timed his journey so as in the course of it to witness the process of drying, because the whole secret of tobacco culture lies not so much in growing as in pre-

paring it for manufacture. Such a man is in every way likely to spend the later portion of his life pleasantly and happily. The labor will not be so crushing as to deprive him of the power of enjoyment, and in Rhodesia he will have the advantage of obtaining three thousand acres of land on what seems to us an extremely easy scheme of annual payment. Tobacco, as the early Virginians found out, is a crop on which fortunes may be founded, and if energetic measures are taken to propagate the merits of the plant in this country, so as to establish a trade of some magnitude, there is every possibility of the man establishing an estate. Perhaps some of his children when they grow elderly will go out to take up the work when he leaves it. But, of course, tobacco is not the only crop which can be grown to advantage in Rhodesia. Its cotton is rapidly coming before the public, and the general agricultural resources of the district are enormous. The drawbacks lie first in its remoteness from the coast and in the scarcity of railways. It will be necessary to strengthen the internal means of communication if Rhodesia is to be developed. At present it has, comparatively speaking, only a very small white population in comparison with the black. No towns of importance have yet arisen, so that the colonist has, so to speak, the world before him. The principal attraction so far has lain in the mines, which now, by the by, are in a very favorable condition for earning profits; but in the end it will probably be found that the cultivation of the soil is the mainstay of Rhodesia.

ISLAND HOME OF THE SERIS

Fierce Inhabitants of Tiburon Have So Far Kept All Mankind at a Distance.

Less than 3,000 miles from the city of New York, and about a third of that distance from San Francisco, there is situated, in the upper reaches of the Gulf of California, a small island, worthless even for so mean a purpose as the raising of goats, but nevertheless a center of attraction for the ethnologists and archeologists of the old and new worlds for many generations. This rocky peak, rising from the quiet waters of the gulf, is known as Tiburon Island. Tiburon is a Spanish word which, translated into English, means "shark." The waters around the island are literally swarming with these tigers of the sea, and the inhabitants of the island are said to be no less ferocious than the sharks. Tiburon is peopled with a handful of Indians, the only aborigines of their kind in the world, known as Seris. They are reputed to be cannibals, to be so fierce that none of the mainland tribes of Mexican redskins ever dare invade their shores, and to possess the secret of manufacture of a peculiarly deadly poison, with which they prepare their arrows before battle.—H. H. Dunn, in Wide World Magazine.

Artistic Deception.

"Yes, we used to be quite enthusiastic about art, but that was just after my husband had made his first million. We ain't goin' in much for it now."

"What has caused you to lose your enthusiasm?"

"You see them art dealers are such awful swindlers. Josiah got interested in a painting that he told him was a masterpiece of impressionism, and after a good deal of dickerin' he bought it for a big price and brought it home; but we found out after we'd got it hung in our gallery that it was nothin' but an egg somebody had thrown against the canvas."

Justified Alarm.

Very much excited and out of breath, a young man who could not have been married very long, rushed up to an attendant at one of the city hospitals and inquired after Mrs. Brown in the hospital.

"My God! Don't keep me waiting in this manner," said the excited young man. "I must know how she is."

"Well, she isn't here," again said the attendant.

"She must be," broke in the visitor, "for here is a note I found on the kitchen table when I came home from work."

The note read:

"Dear Jack: Have gone to have my kimono cut out. Annie."

For the Hostess

Chat on Interesting Topics of Many Kinds, by a Recognized Authority

An Old-Fashioned Tea Party.

This party was given by the dearest of—I don't like to say old ladies; guess I had better say the hostess—was over seventy years young. She lived in a house we all loved for its traditions, for its stately old mahogany, for its beautiful willow ware, and, best of all, for the charming gentlewoman who presided over its domain with an air and grace that are simply indescribable. She had entertained the mothers of the young girls whom she was entertaining on this day with the same old china, the same deliciously brewed tea and the same brown, crusty sponge cake of a velvety texture. She always made it a practise to entertain the girls once a year. "Just to keep in touch," she said. She read this poem of the legend of the "willow" were in response to any inquiry regarding her plates. I give it entire, knowing full well how many readers will welcome it and to how many it will bring back happy childhood memories, for many of us had grandmothers who used "willow" plates and some told the stories woven thereon:

On grandma's table is waiting for me
A plate with ginger bread piled:
Bread and milk, and berries and cream,
And the mug marked, "For a good child."
And I eat my supper and wonder where
That wonderful land may be,
Where the sky is white and the earth is blue,
That on my plate I see.

"Grandma, you know 'most everything—
Tell me the story of it all;
Do the long-tailed birds know how to sing?"

Did a princess live in that castle small?
The princess hair in a fairy tale
Is generally gold, but this is blue,
How does the boat go without any sail?
Tell me the story, grandma, do."

So she tells the legend, centuries old.

Of the mandarin, rich in land and gold;
Of Li-Chi fair, and Chang the good,
Who loved each other as lovers should.
How they hid in the gardener's hut a while,

Then flew away to the beautiful isle;
Though the cruel father pursued them there,
And would have killed the happy pair,
But kindly power, by pity stirred,
Changed each into a beautiful bird.

Grandma puts her spectacles on,
And shows me on the plate
The mandarin's house, the island home,
The boat, the bridge, the gate;
"Here is the orange tree where they talked—
Here they are running away—
And over all at the top to see
The birds are making love away."

And the little figures seem to live—
Strange fancies fill my head,
Till grandma tells me, much too soon,
It's time to go to bed.
But I dream of a land all blue and white,
I see the lovers take their flight;
Over the arching bridge they go—
One of the lover birds flies below.
From the little house with the turned-up eaves
Come tiny lords and ladies and pages;
And the bed-post turns to a willow tree,
And at last I seem myself to be
An azure lassie wandering through
That beautiful queer little land of blue.
—Ludovicka.

A Novel Euchre Party.

This pretty card party was conducted like a cotillion and was a great success. It was given for 40 guests and the tables were scattered throughout the large rooms of a spacious country house. In the first place each guest found her place at table with three others by means of a souvenir name card.

When all had arrived and were seated at the table the hostess was very particular to personally introduce each partner, if unacquainted, which made every one feel more comfortable. Then the bell rang and playing began, four games were to be played and the losers were the ones to move going to a table for favors, these they gave to the winners at the other tables, who were taken to the table of the loser and thus they met an entirely new set of players. There

was no counting of scores—simply the best three hands winning out of four. There were ten sets of favors. After five sets of favors had been used refreshments were served, then playing was resumed until all the favors had been used. At the last each loser brought an extra favor for her favored partner and her self, which called forth much merriment as they were large paper sacks blown out and tied at the top with various colored ribbons. They were to carry the favors home in and they were needed. It certainly was a very jolly party and the idea is adaptable to all card parties where the hostess desires something out of the ordinary. The favors may be as elaborate as the purse will permit, the ones at the party described consisted of bon-bons in fancy boxes, imported chocolate, salted nuts in dainty receptacles, paper aprons, neck ruffs of flowers, fans, parasols, paper hats, post cards, etc.

Follow the Leader.

Try this for a jolly outdoor amusement. It was used at a party given in the country but it may be adapted to everyday play. At this party the hostess told the children to shut their eyes tight until they heard a bell ring, then they were to open their eyes and follow closely the paper trail.

A basket had been filled with finely-clipped paper, this was strewn in circles, squares and most intricate mazes; sometimes it would apparently be entirely lost. At these points there would be a banana, an orange, a stick of candy or something as a bait, then a scrap of paper would reveal the trail, which finally lead into a delightful little grove where a picnic supper was served. It is a bit like the good old game of "Hare and Hounds." All children love a mysterious play of this kind and it is not much trouble to prepare for.

A Paper Party.

Try this-for-fun: Deliver the invitations neatly wrapped in fringed tissue paper tied in a bag of tissue paper. State fully that guests are to come arrayed in paper costumes. The women, of course, will manage easily and the men do so with some help from their feminine friends. Negligee shirts of plaited paper, cuffs and belt of paper; the latter of what is known as leatherette. A prize to be awarded for the best costume will add zest to the occasion. There are so many articles of paper that there may be favors for each one. When it comes to setting the table paper even to napkin rings may be used. Tissue paper flowers, lanterns, fans and parasols all will add to the decorative scheme. A hat making contest would be interesting.

MADAME MERRI.



FANCIES OF FASHION

Very distinctive are the conventional designs on some of the new lisle thread stockings.

An exquisite chantilly scarf for evening wear has some of the design outlined with gold thread.

Chameleon is the fitting name given to the two-toned taffetas which are so popular this spring.

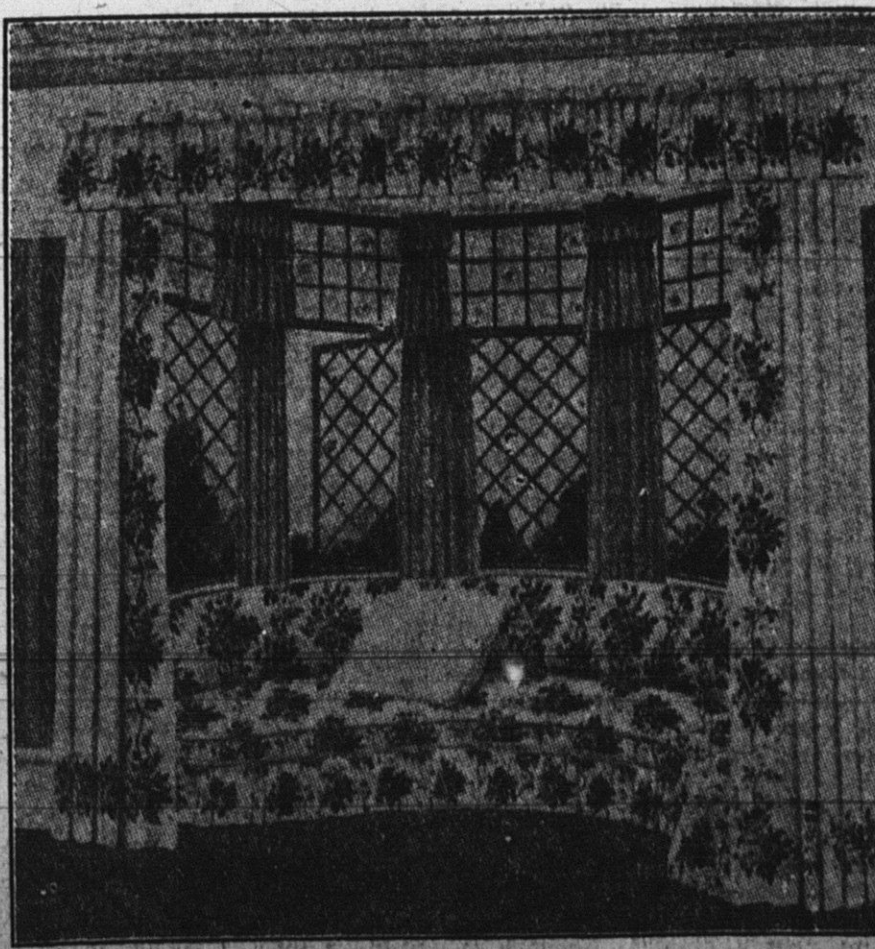
Side closings of waists and coats are a pronounced feature, not only of gowns but of suits.

Smart little coats of plain colors are worn with checked, striped or changeable voile or silk.

Bar pins for the neck are to be worn a great deal. Larger ones are seen as the season advances.

Lingerie ribbons this season are wider than usual, so that when tied the bow is of considerable size.

Attractive Window



An Effective Scheme for Window Decoration.

USE OF LIME-SULPHUR PREPARATIONS FOR SPRAYING

Bordeaux Mixture Growing in Ill Favor With Apple Growers, and Experiments Making With Other Fungicides.

(By W. M. SCOTT, BUREAU OF PLANT INDUSTRY, U. S. DEPT. OF AGRICULTURE.)

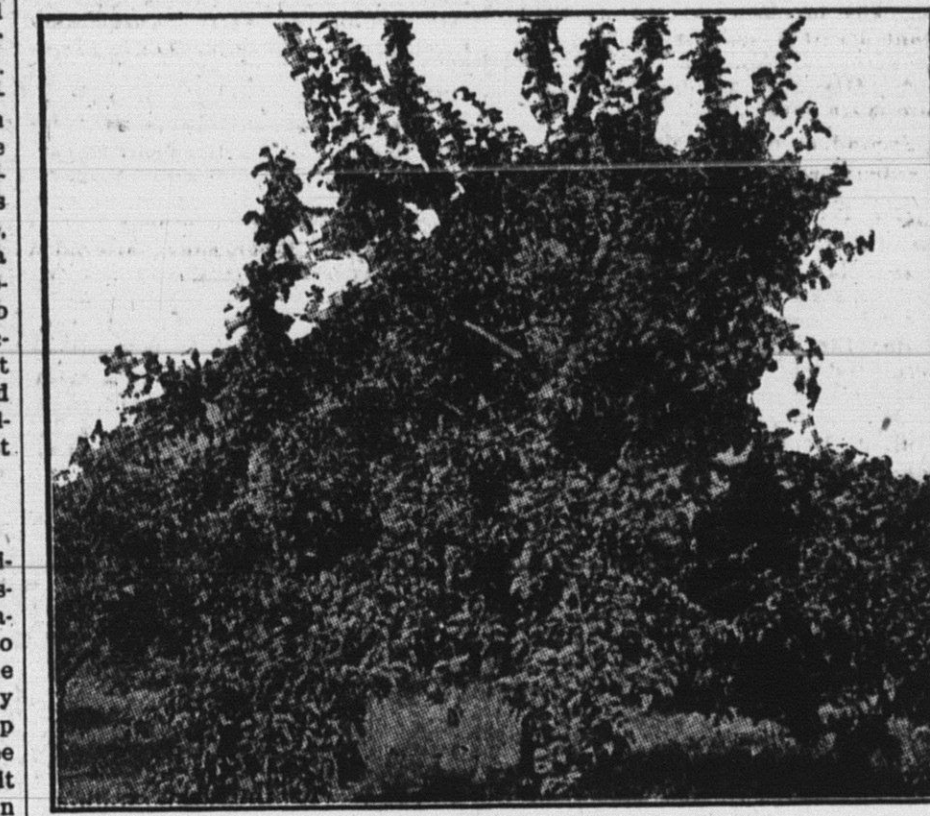
In recent years Bordeaux mixture has come into ill favor among the apple growers on account of its injurious effect upon the fruit and foliage of certain varieties, and there is a growing demand for a reliable fungicide which can be used for the control of apple diseases without producing such injury. Bordeaux mixture is undoubtedly the best all-around fungicide known, and it is unfortunate that the apple growers have to consider the possibility of giving it up; but the russetting of the fruit and the burning of the foliage caused by it are so objectionable that it seems highly desirable, if not necessary, to adopt a less injurious fungicide even at the risk of a partial sacrifice of efficiency in the control of disease.

The acreage in apple orchards in this country is rapidly increasing, and in the future the production of apples will undoubtedly be much greater than at present. The writer is of the opinion, however, that there will be no serious overproduction and that there will always be a good demand for apples, while the poor stuff so common on our markets today will

not have the "finish" required for fancy apples, and a small percentage of it had to be discarded as culls on account of the roughened appearance due to the mixture. The Yellow Newtowns were russeted considerably and the Winesaps only slightly, while the York Imperials showed practically no russet effect.

The lime-sulphur preparations caused no russetting, or at most very little where the strongest solutions were used, and the fruit sprayed with these mixtures was smooth, clean and well colored. The difference in color between the fruit sprayed with the Bordeaux and that sprayed with the several lime-sulphur preparations was very striking, and this feature alone would make the latter sprays preferable to the former if other things were equal.

A lime-sulphur solution containing, when diluted, about four pounds of sulphur to 50 gallons of water appears at present to be the most promising preparation. This may be obtained by using the commercial solution at the rate of 1½ gallons of water, or by preparing the lime-sulphur solution at home and diluting it so that each 50 gallons will contain four pounds of



Apple Tree Sprayed With Lime Sulphur.

not pay the expenses of handling. It should be the aim of every orchardist to produce apple market nothing but first-class fruit, and if he does this he may reasonably expect always to obtain good returns from his investment.

In all the orchards treated in recent experiments the fruit sprayed with the several lime-sulphur mixtures was smoother and more highly colored than that sprayed with Bordeaux mixture. The Bordeaux mixture russeted the fruit of the Ben Davis so that it

injured apple foliage in Virginia very little, and if these results could be taken as a reliable guide there need be no hesitancy in using it; but under different conditions the results might be different, and the matter must still be considered as more or less experimental. A strength of 1½ gallons of the commercial solution may prove to be sufficient in most cases, and the danger of injury would then, perhaps, be entirely eliminated.

PRUNE TREES AND SHRUBS

Severe Annual "Slashing," So Commonly Practised By Unskilled Persons Should Not Be Tolerated.

The severe annual "slashing" so commonly practised by unskilled persons on many of our city street trees should not be tolerated by the authorities.

Evergreens should never be trimmed in the fall, and the older wood should not be cut.

Vigorous growing vines, like the Virginia creeper, may have practically all the secondary growth cut away during the dormant season, as this dies of itself sooner or later thus forming lodging for dust, insects and sparrows nests.

When pruning roses, the stems should be shortened one-third to one-half. The gardener's rule is to cut back the weak growing varieties severely, and the stronger ones less.

The ideal street tree like the ash, locust, poplar, cottonwood or walnut, has a well-defined trunk with lateral branches uniformly arranged about, and is headed high enough so as not to interfere with those passing by. Such a tree is not difficult to get if one starts out right. None but straight, healthy trees should be planted, and these headed six or seven feet high as soon as convenient, though this matter should not be hurried. A central leader should be kept and the lateral branches cut back enough, where their growth is too open, to secure a symmetrical and also substantial form. This latter is necessary because street trees are subject to damage from windstorms more than wood sheds and manure used for three years he produced smooth, even and large potatoes with a fine flavor.

With a high grade potato "fertilizer" he reports a very small yield of under-size potatoes with poor flavor.

Paint the Stubs.

Paint the stubs of all large limbs, also all peeled spots, when pruning. It prevents the trees from spitting, cracking and drying, through the action of the sunlight and other elements.

ESSENTIALS OF GOOD FARMING

Ten Important Factors Necessary for the Success of Modern Farmer—Keeping Account of Products Is One.

(By SAMUEL KNAPP.)

1. Prepare a deep and thoroughly pulverized seed bed, well drained; break in the fall to a depth of eight, ten or twelve inches, according to the soil, with implements that will not bring the subsoil to the surface (the foregoing depths should be reached gradually).

2. Use seed of the best variety, intelligently selected and carefully stored.

3. In cultivated crops, give the rows and the plants in the rows a space suited to the plant, the soil and the climate.

4. Use intensive tillage during the growing period of the crops.

5. Secure a high content of humus in the soil by the use of legumes, barn-yard manure, farm refuse and commercial fertilizers.

6. Carry out a systematic crop rotation with a winter cover crop on southern farms.

7. Accomplish more work in a day by using more horse power and better implements.

8. Increase the farm stock to the extent of utilizing all the waste products and idle lands of the farm.

9. Produce all the food required by the men and animals on the farm.

10. Keep an account of each farm product, in order to know from which the gain or loss arises.

Potato Fertilizer.

H. B. Fullerton of the Long Island experiment station says that with wood ashes and manure used for three years he produced smooth, even and large potatoes with a fine flavor.

With a high grade potato "fertilizer" he reports a very small yield of under-size potatoes with poor flavor.

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AFTER SUFFERING ONE YEAR

Cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Milwaukee, Wis. — "Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has made me a well woman, and I would like to tell the whole world of it. I suffered from female troubles and fearful pains in my back. I had the best doctors and they all decided that I had a tumor in addition to my female trouble, and advised an operation. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound made me a well woman and I have no more backache. I hope I can help others by telling them what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done for me." — Mrs. EMMA LESTER, 833 First St., Milwaukee, Wis.



The above is only one of the thousands of grateful letters which are constantly being received by the Pinkham Medicine Company of Lynn, Mass., which prove beyond a doubt that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from roots and herbs, actually does cure these obstinate diseases of women after all other means have failed, and that every such suffering woman owes it to herself to at least give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial before submitting to an operation, or giving up hope of recovery.

Mrs. Pinkham, of Lynn, Mass., invites all sick women to write her for advice. She has guided thousands to health and her advice is free.

For Headaches

Caused by sick stomach, ill-regulated bile, sluggish bowels, nervous strain or overwork, the safest and surest remedy is

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Sold Everywhere. In boxes 10c. and 25c.

An Unusual Attribute.

Little Johnnie, who cannot pronounce S, has been frightened into keeping out of the attic by tales told by his nurse of a dreadful ghost that lives in the dim recesses under the eaves. The other day he was overheard to say confidentially to a small friend:

"We've got an old gh'o' up in our attic!"

To which his friend, much interested, responded: "Do he butt?"

Her Excuse.

"Why—er—yes," Miss Goodley admitted, "perhaps you did hear me telling the minister I was only twenty-two."

"Oh, I'm surprised!" exclaimed Miss Gaddiet, "and you a Sabbath school teacher, too!"

"But," Miss Goodley protested, "the minister has told us it's always better to understate a thing than to exaggerate."

Not Exactly What She Meant.

She—We've bin very busy at the mothers' meetin' gettin' ready for the sale of work.

He—Oh I 'opes it will be a success. She—Yes, I think so; yer see the vicar is goin' to take most of our clothes off of us.—Tatler.

Quite a Job on Hand.

"What's his business?"

"Well, as near as I can make out he is matrimonial agent for his two daughters." —Stray Stories.

No man can love evil for evil's sake, as he can love good for goodness' sake.—Schiller.

HARD ON CHILDREN.

When Teacher Has Coffee Habit.

"Best is best, and best will ever live." When a person feels this way about Postum they are glad to give testimony for the benefit of others.

A school teacher down in Miss says: "I had been a coffee drinker since my childhood, and the last few years it had injured me seriously.

"One cup of coffee taken at breakfast would cause me to become so nervous that I could scarcely go through with the day's duties, and this nervousness was often accompanied by deep depression of spirits and heart palpitation.

"I am a teacher by profession, and when under the influence of coffee had to struggle against crossness when in the school room.

"When talking this over with my physician, he suggested that I try Postum, so I purchased a package and made it carefully according to directions; found it excellent of flavor, and nourishing.

"In a short time I noticed very gratifying effects. My nervousness disappeared, I was not irritated by my pupils, life seemed full of sunshine, and my heart troubled me no longer.

"I attribute my change in health and spirits to Postum alone."

Read the little book, "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs. "There's a Reason."

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

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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 is attending conference at Niles.

The Ladies' Aid Society will meet at the home of Mrs. Adam Eppler on Friday afternoon, June 10.

CONGREGATIONAL.

Rev. M. L. Grant, Pastor.

Combined service at 10 a. m. Subject, "Christian Optimism."

C. E. meeting at 6:15 p. m.

Union service at 7 p. m. The choir and the organist, Mr. Moore, will present a special musical program and the pastor will speak on the subject, "Harmony."

METHODIST EPISCOPAL.

Rev. Dunning Idle, Pastor.

Class meeting at 9:30 a. m.

Combination service at 10 a. m. Subject, "The New Birth."

Epworth League at 6:15 p. m. John Fletcher will lead.

Union service at 7 o'clock at the Congregational church.

Prayer service Thursday evening at 7:15 o'clock.

BAPTIST.

Rev. F. I. Blanchard, Pastor.

Preaching service at 10 a. m. Subject, "Importance of Personal Work For Christ."

Sunday School at 11 a. m.

Young People's meeting at 6 p. m. Subject, "Christ Our Judge." Leader, Earl Schumacher.

Union service at the Congregational church at 7 p. m.

Prayer meeting at 7:15 p. m. Thursday. Subject, "Can Every One Do Personal Work?"

Improvements.

J. C. Buss, of Sharon, is having a large barn erected.

Ed. Farhner is having a barn erected on his property on west Middle street.

Martin Merkel, of Sylvan, is having a large addition built on to his farm barn.

Fred Riemenschneider is having a milk house erected on his farm in Lima.

Theodore Koebbe, of Sharon, is preparing to build a large barn on his barn.

Henry Lück, of Lima, is having extensive repairs made to the buildings on his farm.

W. Wadhams, of Ann Arbor, is having a garage built on his property at Cavanaugh Lake.

Charles Hashley, of Sharon, has let the contract for a new residence to be built on his farm.

Mrs. Isaac Glenn is having extensive repairs made to her residence property on Orchard street.

George Ward, of this place, is making arrangements to build a new residence on his farm in Sylvan.

During the past week the roof of the Chelsea Roller Mills has been painted, a large new dock built, a new flour finisher and a new bran duster added to the milling machinery.

"Ye Great Concerte."

Manager McLaren of the Sylvan theatre has booked an attraction for June 14th, that should pack the house to the very doors. He has completed arrangements with Gilbert Wilson, of Jackson, who many Chelsea people will remember as director of the Methodist church choir in this village a couple of years ago, to present his latest success in the musical line, "Ye Great Concerte" at the Sylvan on the above date.

The Jackson Citizen Press says of the concert that the auditors were carried back to childhood's days by the sweet singing of the early classics. A spinning wheel, melodeon, candles, an old clock and costumes of half a century ago, heightened the delusion that time had turned back. The older people were children again just for a night.

Banks On Sure Thing Now.

"I'll never be without Dr. King's New Life Pills again," writes A. Schingee, 647 Elm St., Buffalo, N. Y. "They cured me of chronic constipation when all others failed." Unequalled for biliousness, jaundice, indigestion, headache, chills, malaria and debility. 25c at L. T. Freeman and Co., H. H. Fenn Co. and L. P. Vogel.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Vincent Burg spent Monday in Jackson.

Mrs. C. E. Stimson is a Detroit visitor today.

Mrs. L. T. Freeman is spending today in Detroit.

Mrs. Willis Benton was a Jackson visitor Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. P. Staffan spent Sunday in Parma.

Carl Sykes, of Pinckney, was in Chelsea Wednesday.

Lester Canfield, of Ypsilanti, spent Sunday at this place.

David Raymond, of Grass Lake, was a Chelsea visitor Monday.

William Yokum, of Manchester, spent Monday in Chelsea.

Miss Lillie Schmidt spent Monday with her parents in Sylvan.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. I. Taylor visited relatives in Parma Sunday.

Geo. W. Beckwith made a business trip to Lansing Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Hoover are spending this week in Owosso.

James and Agnes Winters spent Sunday and Monday in Detroit.

John Wise and son were Milan visitors last Sunday and Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Haarer, of Detroit, spent Sunday at this place.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Crawford, of Owosso, spent Sunday in Chelsea.

Jacob Hummel and daughter Genevieve spent Monday in Manchester.

Mrs. Nellie Jones, of Charlotte, was the guest of Chelsea friends Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Wood spent several days of this week in Detroit.

Bert Sutton, of Denver, Col., is the guest of his mother, Mrs. W. Cushman.

Mrs. J. J. Lamb, of Pontiac, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Myron Lighthall.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Heselschwerdt spent the first of the week at Cleveland.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Foster, of Owosso, spent the first of the week in Chelsea.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Congdon, of Ypsilanti, spent Sunday and Monday at this place.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Parker, of Lansing, spent Sunday and Monday at this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Myron Lighthall spent the first of the week in Detroit and Pontiac.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Nemathy, of Detroit, were Chelsea visitors the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Cummings, of Detroit, were Chelsea visitors the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Paul, of Detroit, spent Saturday and Sunday with W. E. Kress and family.

Everet and Winifred Benton, spent Saturday and Sunday with their grandparents in Dexter.

Howard Canfield, who has been in the west for several months, has returned to his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard McDonough, of Howell, spent the first of the week at the home of C. Fenn.

Mrs. Julia Madden, of Dexter, is spending this week with her son, Peter Madden, of Chelsea.

Fred L. Cook and J. R. Potts, of Detroit, spent Tuesday evening with F. K. McDowd and family.

Mrs. Margaret Hindelang and daughter, of Detroit, were Chelsea visitors several days this week.

Mrs. Paul Kress and Mrs. Bert Kress, of Manchester, spent last Thursday with Mrs. Wm. Kress.

Adolph Eisen and family, of Detroit, visited at the home of George Wackenhut several days of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Pickell and children, of Detroit, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Dancer Saturday.

Miss Mabel Canfield, of Detroit, spent the first of the week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Canfield.

Ed. I. Taylor left today for Garden City, Kansas, where he will locate if everything meets with his expectations.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Holmes and children, of Battle Creek, spent several days of this week at this place.

Meryl Prudden, who has been attending school in Kirksville, Mo., is spending his vacation with his parents here.

A. R. Congdon and wife, of Ypsilanti, and Howard Congdon, of Detroit, spent Sunday and Monday with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Stanton, of Milan, spent Saturday at this place, the guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Rathbun, of Tecumseh, were the guests of Mrs. Rathbun's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Geddes, the first of the week.

CORRESPONDENCE.

FRANCISCO NOTES.

L. D. Loomis called on friends here last week.

Otto Hoppe is giving his house a new coat of paint.

F. Mensing and wife entertained friends Saturday and Sunday.

M. Schenk and family entertained about twenty-five relatives Sunday.

Mrs. Abner Spencer was the guest of Nora Notten and mother Saturday.

Lewis and Carl Kalmbach, of Detroit, spent Sunday with their parents here.

Frank Heller and wife, of Denton, were guests of their parents here Sunday.

Mrs. Floyd Schweinfurth visited her parents at Eaton Rapids over Sunday.

Algenon Richards, of Ypsilanti, spent a few days with Wm. Locher and wife.

Ira Watkins spent Sunday and Monday with relatives at Napoleon and Norvell.

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Whitaker attended a birthday gathering in Dexter Monday.

B. Straub and family entertained C. Heselschwerdt and family of Sylvan Sunday.

F. W. Notten and E. J. Notten and wife went to Jackson in the latter's new auto Friday.

A good many from here attended the funeral of Mr. Kern in Sylvan Sunday afternoon.

H. Harvey and family and Earl Notten and wife were guests of A. Holden and wife in Chelsea Sunday.

Miss Wiepert took her scholars to Jackson Wednesday and went through the prison and jail.

Mrs. Philip Schweinfurth and son Albert spent several days at the home of Floyd Schweinfurth.

Henry Notten and family entertained their son Lewis and wife, of Jackson over Decoration Day.

John O'Donnell, wife and daughter, of Detroit, spent a few days with Mrs. Nora Notten and mother, Mrs. J. S. Rowe.

Miss Mary Broesamle and friend, Miss Barnes, of Detroit, were the guests of Mrs. K. Broesamle Sunday and Monday.

Warren Rowe is in Grace hospital in Detroit where he underwent an operation Tuesday for appendicitis. He is doing well.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ormsby and Mr. and Mrs. Max Armstrong, who have been visiting at the home of F. Mensing, returned to Detroit Monday.

STOCKBRIDGE.

Jay T. Glenn was home for a few days this week to attend decoration services.

Some students from Chelsea high school attended the play at the hall Thursday evening.

Cut worms are taking the few plants left by the late frosts in the gardens here and farmers have to plant the corn the second time.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Webb, Mrs. Inez Hadley and daughter of Unadilla, Mrs. Sam Schultz and daughter Irene called here Monday after the decoration services.

A man coming into town with a load of hay Saturday in some way set fire to the load causing the damage of several bales. It was fortunate water was handy or the whole outfit might have gone up in smoke.

In the hope of selling a few more reserved seats at the show Thursday evening the crowd was kept standing outside the hall until half past eight which caused a jam at the ticket window. Many declare they will never be caught in such a jam for a third rate performance.

Rev. Adare gave an excellent address at the hall Sunday where all churches united in attending. Monday Rev. Johnson held the well filled hall spellbound for an hour. The Unadilla band furnished the music interspersed by singing by the chorus choir, which is always the best. The band headed the procession to the cemetery where the soldiers' graves were strewn with beautiful flowers by their surviving comrades.

Wants To Help Some One.

For thirty years J. F. Boyer, of Fertile, Mo., needed help and couldn't find it. That's why he wants to help some one now. Suffering, so long himself he feels for all distress from backache, nervousness, loss of appetite, lassitude and kidney disorders. He shows that Electric Bitters work wonders for such troubles. "Five bottles," he writes, "wholly cured me and now I am well and hearty." It's also positively guaranteed for liver trouble, dyspepsia, blood disorders, female complaints and malaria. Try them. 50c at L. T. Freeman and Co., H. H. Fenn Co. and L. P. Vogel.

SYLVAN HAPPENINGS.

Claude Beckwith, of Detroit, called on Sylvan Center friends Sunday.

Mrs. Keebler and son George, of Ann Arbor, spent Monday with Mrs. J. Knoll.

Mrs. Homer Boyd attended the art exhibition in Ann Arbor Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Dancer, of Chelsea, spent Sunday at the home of Jacob Dancer.

John Kalmbach has had one of the barns on his farm raised up, and a wall built under it.

Mrs. Clinton Frink and children, of Detroit, spent last week with her mother, Mrs. John Knoll.

Mrs. R. S. West and Mrs. Orrin Fisk were called to Jackson Monday evening by the illness of Mrs. Ruth Hammond.

SHARON NEWS.

Arthur Forner spent Friday at Evans Lake.

Louis Renz, of Lima, spent Sunday with friends here.

Fred Alber and Frank Marshall spent Saturday in Battle Creek.

Herman and Otto Meyers, of Manchester spent Saturday with their sister here.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brown, of Jackson, have moved into Charles Brooks' residence.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Heim, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Merkel and Mr. and Patrick Smith spent Sunday at A. Forner's.

FATHER OF SAVINGS BANKS

Rev. Henry Duncan, Scotch Presbyterian, Was the First Man to inaugurate System.

"The one hundredth anniversary of the founding of the first savings bank will take place this year and all Presbyterians will be entitled to front seats in the centennial celebration," said a Michigan banker.

"The founder of the first savings bank was a Scotch Presbyterian dominie, one of those 'blue Presbyterians' you read about. He was the Rev. Henry Duncan of the church at Ruthwell, Scotland. Distressed at seeing the wastefulness of the laboring people in his parish, in 1810 he offered to pay five per cent. interest to anybody who would leave savings with him."

"The dominie had the financial genius to make a go of his new project and was able a few years later to record in a pamphlet, 'A Parish Bank,' a remarkable betterment of economic conditions in his neighborhood—less drinking and more thrift."

"The pamphlet attracted wide attention, the experiment was imitated elsewhere and the vast savings bank system of the civilized world sprang from this humble beginning. Ruthwell erected a public monument to the memory of Mr. Duncan in 1846."

Ramrod Discipline.

If it is true that the German crown prince, received from his imperious father 48 hours "studen arrest," or detention in his own palace at Potsdam, for some formal breach of court etiquette, this will not be the first time that he has incurred such a penalty.

The Kaiser himself, when a young man was often in the same hole, seeing that rigid discipline of the iron ramrod kind is still the rule of the Hohenzollerns. The emperor has more than once given "chamber arrest" to his second cousin, Prince Frederick Leopold, son of the "Red Prince," who captured Metz; and was not even Frederick the Great when crown prince, consigned to prison at Custring and threatened with death by his father, the kidnaper of giants?

An Ecclesiastical Umbrella.

An umbrella big enough to cover a dozen persons belongs to the Church of St. Peter Mancroft, Norwich, England. It is used on wet days for wedding parties, so that the bride and bridegroom, the bridesmaids, and guests may not get their smart dresses spoiled when walking from the church door to the carriages.

It is also used by the clergy at funerals when the service has to be held by the graveside in pouring rain. That it is useful is obvious, and it is rather remarkable that many other churches do not possess such an article as a part of the ordinary church furniture.

Size of an Earthquake Wave.

Not long ago an attempt was made to measure the height and length of the waves of an earthquake that occurred in Greece, the pulsations of which were perceived by the aid of a specially constructed pendulum at Birmingham, in England. The pulsations, or waves, passed through the rocky crust of the earth with a velocity of about two miles a second, and each of the largest of them, according to the investigator, must have been about 28 miles in length, but only half an inch in height.

All paints may look alike on the dealer's shelves, but they begin to look and act differently on the house. Bradley & Vrooman paint is a pure, full value, full measure paint, and will outwear any other, as well as look nicer. Sold by F. H. Belsler.



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LOST—A Chelsea High School class pin, '09. Finder please leave at Standard office. 43

FOR SALE CHEAP—If taken at once a 4 h. p. new Columbus Gasoline Engine. Call on A. G. Faist. 42tf

WANTED—Painting by the day or job. Also interior work. It will pay you to get our prices on all this kind of work. Updike & Yager. 44

FOR SALE—Good fishing boat. A bargain. Inquire of John L. Fletcher, Chelsea. 43

WANTED—One hundred suits to press, Saturday, at Raftery & Wilkinson's new tailor shop. Wilkinson & Raftery building, Middle street. 43

FOR SALE—New milch cows, or will exchange for other stock. Call on Wm. Long, Chelsea. 43

FOR SALE—One span of mares, five years old, weight 2500; also one colt coming two years old. Inquire of Jas. Kellam, Chelsea, R. F. D. 5. 43

FOR SALE—Twenty-five second-hand bee hives. Inquire of Jasper Graham, Chelsea. 45

FOR SALE AT A BARGAIN—A new 6 octave organ; very stylish case, and up-to-date. Call on A. G. Faist. 42tf

FOR SALE—Hindelang property, corner of Middle and East streets. Inquire of Dr. S. G. Bush. 35tf

HAVING purchased a Suffolk Punch Stallion, I offer him for service at my barn on north Main street every Saturday. Terms \$10. W. J. Beutler. 48

OLD PAPERS—To put on shelves or under carpets. Big bundle for five cents at the Standard office.

Card of Thanks.

The children of the late Jacob Kern, sr., wish to thank their neighbors and friends for their sympathy and assistance during their recent bereavement.

The Chelsea Markets.

The Chelsea buyers quoted the following prices today:

Wheat, red.....	97
Wheat, white.....	97
Rye.....	70
Oats.....	35
Steers, heavy.....	6.00
Stockers.....	4.50
Cows.....	3.00 to 4.00
Veal calves.....	7.00
Eggs.....	9.00
Sheep.....	3.00 to 4.00
Fowls.....	14
Chickens, spring.....	14
Butter.....	22
Eggs.....	18
Beans, per bushel.....	1.90

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Don't look for extra patch pieces. There are none—because "Best-Ever" fabrics are already reinforced with double thickness at seat and knee.

You won't ever find puckering in the cloth or fading of dyes because "Best-Ever" clothes are Rain-Proof.

Bring your boy in and let us fit with an "Best-Ever" suit.



FURNISHING GOODS.

We have just received an excellent line of the newest styles in Plain, Fancy and Outing Shirts, Collars, Cuffs, Hosiery, Gloves, Neckwear, Hats and Caps, for summer wear. Call and let us show you the new things.

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LOCAL ITEMS.

A new floor has been laid in the salesroom of A. E. Winans & Son's store.

Rev. Dunning will preach at the Congregational church in Grass Lake next Sunday evening.

Rural Carrier Weiss is taking his vacation, and Substitute Irving Weiss is on the route in his place.

The Rural Telephone Co. has installed a phone in the farm residence of Charles Grieb, north of this village.

Peter Easterle has sold the property on East street, known as the Allison homestead, to John Kalmbach.

Pomona Grange will meet with Cavanaugh Lake Grange June 14, at the home of Ehlert Notten. Picnic dinner. All granges invited.

The German Workmen's Society, of this place, have sufficient funds on hand, and are considering the advisability of purchasing a piece of land for a park of the town.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Barnard, Miss Lillian Andrew, Alfred H. Andrew, E. T. Andrew, of Detroit, were guests at the home of F. K. McDowney the first of the week.

Miss Lucy Sawyer underwent an operation for the removal of her left kidney at the hospital of Dr. Peterson at Ann Arbor Monday. Miss Sawyer is making a nice recovery.

Fred Clark of south Main street went to Detroit Saturday and when he returned home was the possessor of a five-passenger Maxwell automobile. Myron Lighthall drove the car through for him.

Fred Klingler, of Denver, Col., has purchased an interest in the meat market of Floyd VanRiper, and the firm will be known as VanRiper & Klingler. Mr. Klingler will bring his family here in a short time.

The Ladies' Foreign Missionary Society of the M. E. church will meet at the church parlors on Wednesday, June 8, at 3 p. m. A discussion on Korea will be presented, a social hour and 10 cent entertainment after the meeting.

A new life insurance company has been formed in this state and will be known as the Detroit Life. At a meeting of the stockholders Wednesday the board of directors was elected, and among the latter appears the name of W. W. Wedemeyer.

After a very successful winter's work the Junior League of the Methodist Episcopal church will discontinue its services for the summer months. The members with their parents are planning a picnic in Taylor's woods next Saturday. Mrs. F. Hendry is Junior League superintendent.

Died at his home in Sylvan Center, Thursday evening, May 26, 1910, Jacob Kern, sr. The deceased was born in Germany 88 years ago last February and has been a resident of this country for many years. He is survived by two sons and two daughters. The funeral was held from the Sylvan church Sunday afternoon, Rev. J. E. Beal officiating.

A gathering of relatives from Ann Arbor, Chelsea, Jackson, Stockbridge and Dexter met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Phelps, Dexter, Monday, May 30, the occasion being a reunion of the Whitakers, also the seventy-fifth birthday anniversary of B. C. Whitaker, who was presented with a large leather rocking chair. A bountiful dinner was served at noon and the afternoon was spent with music and social chat.

A quiet wedding took place at the home of Rev. England on Wednesday, May 11th at 9:30 o'clock, when Miss Lillian Walker, of Lapeer and Arthur Easterle, of Detroit, were married in the presence of only a few friends. Mr. Easterle was for some time operator at the Michigan Central station here, but now has a similar position at Oxford, where the young couple will be at home after June 1. Mr. and Mrs. Easterle left on the evening train for a short wedding trip.—Lapeer Clarion.

There are thirty-two members of the graduating class of the Chelsea high school this year, as follows: Dorothy Bacon, Mildred Cook, Mabel Coe, Maude Coe, Mina Cooper, Cora Feldkam, Vera Gage, Bernice Harris, Clara Koch, Mary Koch, Fern Kalmbach, Rosa Licht, Mary Nordman, Ruth Raftery, Rena Roedel, Gertrude Storms, May Stiegelmaier, Hattie Stoffer, Beulah Turner, Nina Belle Wurster, Warren Daniels, Albert Farner, Oscar Kalmbach, Walter Koelz, John Long, Harold Luick, Lloyd Merker, Hiram Pierce, Ernest Pierce, James Schmidt, Sidney Schenk, Cleon Wolf.

John Kelly was in Ann Arbor Wednesday where he purchased a team for his dray business.

George C. Clark has purchased of the Stabler estate their residence on south Main street.

The Lima and Vicinity Farmers' Club will meet with Mrs. Mary Hammond, Wednesday, June 8th.

Otto Kannowski and family have moved to their home on Grant street which they recently purchased.

The choir of the Methodist Episcopal church expects to have an outing at Cavanaugh Lake next Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Green, of Brooklyn, and Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Root, of Manchester, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. Lighthall Sunday.

Misses Ruth and Winifred Bacon, who are attending Olivet College, spent several days of the past week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bacon.

Fred Wagner, formerly of the Princess theatre here, but now of Sandusky, was a Chelsea visitor Friday. He made the trip in his new Hui mobile.

Hector Cooper was in Jackson Sunday attending a meeting of the delegates to the Great Camp of the Macabees from Jackson, Washtenaw and Calhoun counties.

Miss Leota Canfield, who has been spending the past week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Canfield, returned to her home in Detroit, Saturday.

T. W. Baldwin is seriously ill at his home in Sylvan, and but slight hopes are entertained for his recovery, on account of his age, today being his eighty-eighth birthday.

T. E. Wood suffered considerably the first of the week from neuritis. Mr. Wood was compelled to miss the Decoration Day exercises which he has not done before for many years.

Harley Fulford, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Fulford, was graduated from the school of osteopathy at Kirksville, Mo., Tuesday. He is expected at the home of his parents the last of the week.

There will be a regular meeting of the K. O. T. M. M. on Friday evening of this week. A full attendance is desired as at this meeting arrangements will be completed for memorial services.

The thirty-sixth annual meeting of the Michigan Pioneer and Historical Society will be held in the senate chamber at Lansing, June 7th and 8th. An interesting program has been prepared for the meeting.

Mrs. Mary E. Taylor died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. H. McKain, of Detroit, Wednesday, June 1st, aged 83 years. The funeral will be held at 7:30 p. m. Thursday evening. Interment at Parma Eriday.

In the matter of the estate of John H. Benter, of Francisco, deceased, Herman Benter was last week appointed administrator, and George H. Bohne and Michael Rank, appraisers and commissioners. The estate is valued at \$11,000.

By a ruling of the attorney general, a certificate from the teacher showing that the pupil has satisfactorily completed the eighth grade is all that is necessary to secure payment of tuition for a pupil in the high school of his selection by the school district in which he resides. Some school boards have been requiring a diploma but the attorney general holds that this is not necessary.

About twenty-five from Chelsea attended the meeting of the Washtenaw Association, Eastern Star, at Dexter Friday. A business meeting was held in the afternoon, after which the ladies of the Baptist church served a banquet, the tables being set in the form of a star, and decorated in the colors of the order. In the evening Washtenaw Chapter, No. 302, of Dexter, exemplified the work of the order. Grand Sentinel W. C. Hollands, of Ann Arbor, was present. The annual meeting of the association will be held in Ann Arbor in November.

Under a ruling by the attorney general Friday the University of Michigan must take unclaimed bodies shipped there by state institutions, even though there are more cadavers on hand than are needed by the department of anatomy. The superintendent of one of the asylums wrote the attorney general stating that he had received instructions from the university not to ship any more unclaimed bodies as the college has more on hand than can be used. He asked whether these instructions should be obeyed and was informed that the law passed in 1909 requiring all state institutions to supply the university is mandatory and the contingency that the college might secure an over supply was not contemplated.



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His early childhood was spent in Washtenaw county, where on May 23, 1878, he was united in marriage to Julia L. Barker. To this union was born two daughters Lottie M. and Cora E., who with the loving wife and mother, three brothers James and Romain of Williamston and Oliver of Chelsea, and a host of relatives, friends and neighbors are left to mourn his loss.

In May, 1894, he was converted to Christ and has ever since been a true and earnest follower of his Saviour and has gone to claim the reward which was awaiting him in Heaven.

He was of a sunny and lovable disposition and to know him was to love him.

The funeral took place at the family home at Williamston, Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock conducted by the Rev. F. A. Gorsline.

Millen Cement Plant Sold.

Circuit Court Commissioner Benscoe on Wednesday sold the plant of the Millen Cement Co., at Four Mile Lake, at mortgage sale, to Addison B. Robinson, of Jackson. Mr. Robinson's bid was \$27,000.

The cement plant has been shut down for some time on account of financial troubles, and the sale was necessitated by the foreclosure of a second mortgage.

Concert.

A musical treat is promised the music lovers of Chelsea Tuesday, June 7th, at the Congregational church. Earl Moore, of Ann Arbor, and a company of artists from the University School of Music will give a miscellaneous concert under the auspices of the Ladies' Guild of the church. Admission 25 cents; school children 15 cents.

Notice.

The Board of Review of the township of Sylvan will meet in the west room of the town hall, in the village of Chelsea, on June 7th and 8th, and also on June 13 and 14, 1910, for the public to review the assessment roll from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m., each day. Dated, Chelsea, May 25, 1910.

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A CHAPTER FROM THE MEMOIRS OF CAPTAIN BILL McDONALD OF TEXAS



now—by giving up your guns. Then by going quietly home."

There was a little murmur of dissent, and one big, husky fellow said:

"Well, you'll play hell getting my gun!"

In less than an instant a Winchester was under his nose and Captain Bill was crisply saying:

"I will, hey? Well, I'll just put you in jail, anyway, to show you how easy it is to do that."

The fellow gave a great jump and nearly fell over with surprise and fright. His gun dropped as if it had been hot. The leader of the Reece faction spoke up quickly:

"Boys, he is right," he said. "The governor sent him and he's obeying orders. He has no interest in one side or the other."

McDonald marched the Reeces over to a store nearby, where they laid down their

guns and the clerk was ordered to take charge of them. The big man under arrest promised all manner of things if Captain Bill would let him go. He was set free, with a warning. Peace now seemed to be restored and in the general gratitude of the community refreshments and invitations were tendered to Captain Bill from both sides. He decided, however, to remain on duty during the rest of the day and night. His two men arrived next morning, but everything was still quiet and there appeared no sign of a renewal of hostilities. The Reece-Townsend trouble, for the time, at least, was over.

Captain McDonald was still at Columbus when he received a telegram ordering him to report at once to Assistant Attorney General Morris and the local officials at Athens, Henderson county, Texas, for the purpose of investigating the lynching of three respectable citizens—a father and two sons, named Humphrey—in a timbered tract between Trinity river and Cedar Creek, known as the Trans-cedar bottoms.

The Humphreys were honest, sturdy men—fearless and open in their dealings. They were a menace to a gang who made moonshine whiskey, stole whatever they could lay hands on and would swear a man's life away for a lean hog. It was necessary for the welfare of the neighborhood that the Humphreys be disposed of, and they were taken by a mob one night and hanged—three of them to one tree—having been placed upon horses and the horses driven from under them. Then, when the ropes had proven too long and the feet of one of the three Humphreys had touched the ground, the mob had bent back the legs of the victims at the knee and tied the feet upward to the hands, so that the Humphreys might swing clear.

Bill McDonald knew something of the Trans-cedar country and the character of its settlement, for he had passed his youth and his early manhood at Henderson and at Mineola, both within 75 miles of that very district. He set out by first train and arriving at Athens he learned the details of the ghastly crime which already, through the telegraphed reports, had stirred the entire state. He learned that the lynching had taken place about 25 miles from Athens, near a little postoffice named Aley, and he hurried to that place without delay, taking with him one Guy Green, an Athens lawyer, familiar with the neighborhood. With Green, the Rangers went straight to the scene of the murder and made such examination of the tracks and various clues as remained. Two days had passed since the crime and many of the signs had been obliterated. Still there was enough for a man with the faculties of Captain Bill. He identified no less than four trails—one, as he decided, made by five horses, another by three, a third by two, and a fourth the track of a single horse. The trails wound in and out, crossed and recrossed, and were evidently made with the idea of balking pursuit. Captain McDonald did not consider them especially difficult, and having satisfied himself that they could be followed, he went on to Aley, for it was near nightfall.

At Aley he joined Assistant Attorney General Ned Morris, District Attorney Jerry Cook and others who had come out from Athens to aid the investigation.

He discussed the case with the officials and learned that one Joe Wilkerson—as suspected as having been connected with the murder, it being well known that Wilkerson had pursued the Humphreys and bemoaned them, finally accusing them of stealing hogs, and swearing to some meat which the Humphreys had earned by digging wells. In the evidence it had developed that the Wilkerson hogs, though mortgaged by him, had in reality been

sold, and that he had thus attempted to evade the consequences of this illegal act by saddling the Humphreys with a still heavier crime. The Humphreys had been cleared, but Wilkerson had never ceased to vilify them. Later one of the Humphrey boys, George, had been set upon by some of the Wilkerson crowd and in defending himself had killed, with a knife, one of his assailants. The courts—there were honest courts in Athens—had cleared him, but in the Trans-cedar tribunal he had been doomed. These facts constituted about all the foundation of known motive upon which McDonald would have to build his evidence. It was while he was discussing these things with the attorney on the night of his arrival that a man rode up to the gate just outside and called his name.

Captain Bill rose, but the others protested, declaring that it might be a plot to shoot him in the dark. However, he went, six-shooter in hand, and sticking it in the face of the caller, demanded his business. The man protested that he meant no harm, but had come from one Buck Holley, who lived two miles down the road, and said he knew Captain McDonald and wanted to see him. The Ranger captain reflected a minute.

"I don't know any Buck Holley," he said. "I knew a scoundrel by the name of Bill Holley some years ago in the Panhandle and if that is who it is I don't want to see him. I judge you fellows have got a gang down the road there to shoot me from ambush. Who are you, anyway?"

The man said his name was Monasco; that he was staying at Holley's and that he had a brother named Bill Monasco, in Amarillo.

"I know Bill Monasco," McDonald said, "and he has a brother that was sent to the penitentiary. Is that you?"

The visitor acknowledged that he was the man—that he had been recently released. "Well," said McDonald, "that's about the kind of a crowd I would expect to find Bill Holley running with, and you can tell this Buck Holley, as you call him, that I suspect him of being connected with this mob and that I used to make him stand hitched in the Panhandle, and that I'm going to do the same here."

Monsaco said "Good night," and Captain McDonald never saw him again. Somewhat later, when he met Bill Holley, he said:

"Look here, Bill, I'm afraid your partner, Monasco, didn't tell you the message I sent the night I came. I said I didn't know Buck Holley, but that I knew a sorry, bulldozing scoundrel by the name of Bill Holley, and that I supposed he was down the road there to take a shot at me from ambush. You weren't in this lynching mob, I reckon, but they're your friends, and you'd help 'em if you could. Now, Bill, you've been courting a funeral a good while, and if you try any of your nonsense here, you'll win out."

The Ranger captain was out early the morning after his arrival in Aley, and on the trail. The tracks of the five horses were followed to the houses of Joe Wilkerson and his son Brooks and to the homes of John and Arthur Greenhaw. In Joe Wilkerson's lot he found a part of a well-rope, the remainder of which had been cut away. It matched precisely with the rope used to hang the Humphreys—the freshly cut ends being the same on both. The Wilkersons and one of the Greenhaws were taken into custody forthwith and other arrests followed as the criminals were tracked home.

The testimony brought out the facts that the Humphreys had known of an illicit still run by two men—one Polk Weeks and a man named Johns. Also that they had known of John Greenhaw stealing cattle and hogs, and that John Greenhaw had once drawn a gun on the elder Humphrey, who had promptly taken it away from him, instead of killing him with it and rendering the community a service. These things, added to the other provocations already named, had made the Humphreys sufficiently unpopular in a neighborhood like the Trans-cedar bottoms to warrant their being hung to a limb, trussed up to swing clear of the ground.

Guilty knowledge of the crime actually killed a man named Eli Sparks, whose conscience tortured him day and night to the point of giving testimony, yet whose fears upon the witness stand caused him to withhold the truth. He was a large, red-faced man, evidently greatly excited when questioned and concealing more than he told. Soon after his first examination he met Captain McDonald and offered to testify again, saying that he had been too frightened to tell the truth the first time, but thought he could do better now. The Ranger captain scrutinized him keenly and made the prophecy that Eli Sparks would not live 30 days, unless he got rid of the load on his conscience. He died in just half that time; not, however, until he had fully confessed.

The efforts of the men believed to be concerned as principals in the crime, to establish their innocence were sometime; wary, sometimes crudely absurd and always fruitless. The mesh of fact that was weaving and linking itself about them became daily more tightly woven, selves closely watched, they dared not attempt flight. To do so would be to confess guilt and capture would be well-nigh certain. Like Ahab, "lay in sackcloth and went softly." Finally it came to pass that three of these "children of Belial," turned state's evidence—that is, they confessed fully, sacrificing their comrades, under the law, to save themselves. Eleven men, including these three, were brought to trial.

In the final trial John and Arthur Greenhaw and Polk Weeks, who were not only murderers but cowardly traitors, were given their freedom in exchange for their evidence that sent their eight associates to the penitentiary for life.

Polk Weeks, in giving his evidence, appeared much disturbed, but confessed how he had climbed the tree and tied the ropes, and tied the legs of the Humphreys to be bent upward, to clear the ground. John Greenhaw corroborated this, but grinned as he told it, remembering how amusing it had been. He did not live to enjoy his freedom, for he was shot dead soon after his liberation, by Willie Humphrey, son of one of the younger Humphreys, and no punishment followed the righteous act.

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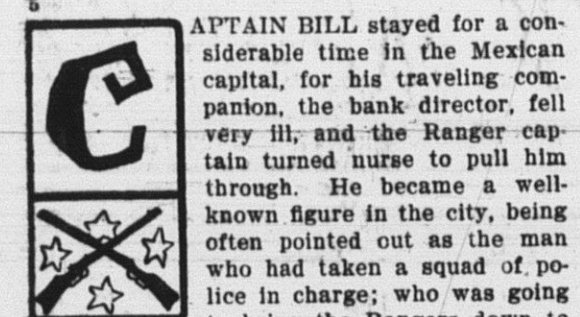
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CAPTAIN BILL stayed for a considerable time in the Mexican capital, for his traveling companion, the bank director, fell very ill, and the Ranger captain turned nurse to pull him through. He became a well-known figure in the city, being often pointed out as the man who had taken a squad of police in charge; who was going to bring the Rangers down to whip the Guatemalans, and whose skill with the six-shooter was nothing short of miraculous. This last belief was in some manner sustained one day when he visited a shooting gallery in company with an American dentist, who had taken pleasure in showing him the sights of the quaint old town.

"Captain, suppose you shoot out those targets as rapidly as you can, and see how many you'll miss," he said, when they were inside. Without hesitation McDonald drew his revolver and opened a fusillade, hitting a target at each shot. Two Mexicans who were practicing in the gallery made a wild break for the open air and safety. Soldiers and police came running in excitement and confusion to discover the cause. It was all over by this time and the officers, seeing only Captain Bill and the dentist, stood gaping, waiting an explanation.

"It is nothing," said the dentist in Spanish; "my friend the captain was only practicing a little to keep his hand in."

As the century drew near its end a wave of disorder and crime that amounted to an inundation swept over the eastern and southeastern portion of Texas. Murders, lynchings, mobs and rumors of mobs were reported daily.

The Reece-Townsend feud in Colorado county gave the state no end of trouble. The Reece and Townsend families killed one another in the regulation way, when good opportunities offered. They had a fashion of gathering in the streets of Columbus, the county seat, for their demonstrations and sometimes on a field day like this they killed members of other families, by mistake. But errors of this sort were not allowed to interfere with the central idea of the feud; they apologized, and went on killing one another just the same.

It was when a boy who belonged to neither faction was shot and killed at one of these reunions that Capt. Bill McDonald and his Rangers were ordered to Columbus to put down what seemed about to become a general war.

Captain Bill failed to receive the order in time to get his men the same day, but did not wait. He wired two to follow him on the first train, and set out for Columbus alone. Arriving on the streets of Columbus, he saw detachments of armed men gathered here and there—the streets being otherwise deserted. He set out at once for the home of District Judge Kennon, to whom he had been ordered to report. After the exchange of greetings, McDonald said:

"We haven't much time, judge, from appearances. I saw a lot of armed men as I came along and it looks like we're going to have war."

"You are right," Judge Kennon said; "we are expecting it any minute. Where are your men and how many have you?"

"None, judge. I came alone, but I expect two in the morning."

"In the morning! Why, man, by that time the fight will be over! And what can you do with two men here? Nothing less than 25 or 30 will help this case."

"Judge," said Captain Bill, in his deliberate way, "I believe I can stop this thing if you will come down to the courthouse with me. Anyhow, it's my duty to try; and we'd better

be getting over there now, judge, for this ain't going to wait long. If we can't stop it, we can see a mighty good fight, anyhow."

They set out together. The courthouse in Columbus stands in the middle of a big square, with a street on each of its four sides. On one corner of the square was gathered the Reece faction and near another corner the Townsend crowd had assembled. Both were fully armed. They were making no active demonstrations as yet, but were evidently organizing for business. It was a still, sunny day, and both crowds were in easy calling distance of the courthouse.

"Now, judge," said Captain Bill, when they had arrived at the courthouse, "who is your sheriff and where is he?"

"His name is Burford, J. C. Burford, and he's over there with the Townsend crowd. He belongs to that faction."

Captain Bill stepped to the window and called, in the strong, official manner of a witness summons: "J. C. Burford," repeated three times.

There was a movement in the Townsend crowd and a man crossed over and ascended the courthouse stair. McDonald introduced himself, as the sheriff entered, and added:

"Now, Burford, why don't you stop this row? Looks as if we're going to have a killing match here, right away."

"Captain, I can't. I'm powerless to do anything with these men. If I undertake to disarm them it will start a fight that nobody can stop."

"Well, Burford, if you'll do as I tell you, I'll stop it in 30 minutes or I'll resign my job as Ranger."

"All right, captain. I'll do whatever you say," assented Burford.

"Then call your crowd over here. I want to talk to them."

Sheriff Burford stepped to the window and signed to the Townsend faction. They trooped over and ascended the courthouse stair, carrying their guns.

"Mr. Burford," said McDonald, "which are your regular deputies here?"

The sheriff indicated his three deputy officers. Captain Bill motioned them to stand apart from the others.

"Now, sheriff," he said, "disarm the rest of these men."

The officer looked a little bewildered. "I don't know about—" he began.

"Didn't you agree to do what I ordered?" Then, to Kennon—"Didn't he, judge?"

The judge nodded. The sheriff still hesitated.

"Never mind," said McDonald, "I'll do it myself. Here, boys," he went on in his mild, friendly drawl, "come in here and stack your guns in this wardrobe. It's a good safe place for them. They won't be likely to go off and hurt anybody in there."

What was it about the manner of the man that made men obey? Those aroused, blood-thirsty Texans, full of an old, deep hatred and the spirit of revenge, marched in and put away their guns at his direction, with scarcely a word of dissent.

He went out of the courthouse and crossed the street to where the Reece crowd was gathered. He carried his Winchester and the faction watched him curiously as he approached.

"I guess you boys are going to war, ain't you?" he said, cheerfully, as he came nearer. Nobody replied and Captain Bill came up close.

"Boys," he said, "your guns are all right up till now, but the governor has sent me down here to stop this trouble and I want you all to help me."

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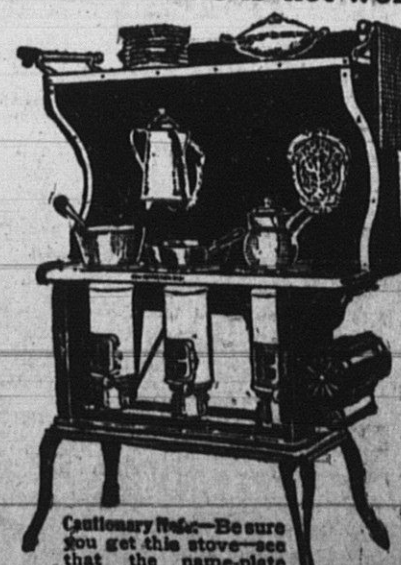
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SYNOPSIS.

Thomas Ardmore and Henry Maine Griswold stumble upon intrigue when the governor of North and South Carolina are reported to have quarreled. Griswold allies himself with Barbara Osborne, daughter of the governor of South Carolina, while Ardmore espouses the cause of Jerry Dangerfield, daughter of the governor of North Carolina. These two young ladies are trying to fill the shoes of their fathers, while the latter are missing. Both states are in a turmoil over one Appleweight, an outlaw with great political influence. Unaware of each other's position, both Griswold and Ardmore set out to make the other prosecute Appleweight. Valuable papers in the Appleweight case are missing from the office of Gov. Osborne and Griswold places the theft at the door of the scheming attorney general. Ardmore charts a caboose and starts for the border to plan the arrest of Appleweight. Jerry meanwhile, is a guest at Ardrey's. Ardmore's posse takes the field.

CHAPTER X.—Continued.

He was more buoyant than she had seen him, and she liked the note of affection that crept into his tone as he spoke of his friend.

"Ardmore is the most remarkable person alive," Griswold continued. "You remember I spoke of him this morning. He likes to play the insubstantial idiot, and he carries it off pretty well; but underneath he's really clever. The most amazing idea he holds of him. You never could imagine what he's doing now! I met him accidentally in Atlanta the other day, and he was in pursuit of a face—a girl's face that he had seen from a car window for only an instant on a siding somewhere. He declared to me most solemnly that the girl winked at him!"

Griswold was aware that Miss Osborne's interest in Ardmore cooled perceptibly.

"Oh!" she said, with that delightful intonation with which a woman utterly extinguishes a sister.

"I shouldn't have told you that," said Griswold, guiltily aware of falling temperature. "He is capable of following a wink of an eye at a hundred yards, and of being entertained all the time by the joy of pursuit."

"It seems very unusual," said Barbara, with cold finality.

Griswold remembered this talk as, the next day, aboard the train bound for Turner Court House, the seat of Mingo county, South Carolina, he pondered a telegram he had received from Ardmore. He read and re-read this message, chewing cigars and scowling at the landscape, and the cause of his perturbation of spirit may be roughly summarized in these words:

On leaving the executive mansion the night before, he had studied maps in his room at the Saluda house, and carefully planned his campaign. He had talked by telephone with the prosecuting attorney of Mingo county, and found that official politely responsive. So much had gone well. Then the juxtaposition of Ardmore's estate to the border, and the possible use of the house as headquarters, struck upon him. He would, after all, generously take Ardmore into the game, and they would uphold the honor and dignity of the great commonwealth of South Carolina together.

The keys of all Ardmore's houses were, so to speak, in Griswold's pocket, and invitations were unnecessary between them; yet, at Atlanta Ardmore had made a point of asking Griswold down to help while away the tedious of Mrs. Atchison's house party, and as a matter of form Griswold wired from Columbia, advising Ardmore of his unexpected descent.

Even in case Ardmore should still be abroad in pursuit of the winking eye, the doors of the huge house would be open to Griswold, who had read there so often as the owner's dear friend. These things he pondered deeply as he read and re-read Ardmore's reply to his message, a reply which was plainly enough dated at Ardrey, but which he could not know had really been written in caboose 1186 as it lay on a siding in the southeastern yards at Raleigh, and thence dispatched to the manager at Ardrey, with instructions to forward it as a new message to Griswold at Columbia. The chilling words thus hung at him were:

Prof. Henry Maine Griswold, Saluda House, Columbia, S. C.: I am very sorry, old man, but I can't take you in just now. Scarlet fever is epidemic among my tenants, and I could not think of exposing you to danger. As soon as the accursed plague passes I shall have you down.

An epidemic that closed the gates of Ardrey would assume the proportions of a national disaster; for even in the great house itself were quarantined, there were lodges and bungalows

scattered over the domain, where a host of guests could be entertained in comfort. Griswold reflected that the very fact that he had wired from Columbia must have intimated to Ardmore that his friend was flying toward him, pursuant to the Atlanta invitation. Griswold dismissed a thousand speculations as unworthy. Ardmore had never shown the remotest trace of snobbishness, and as far as the threatened house party was concerned, Griswold knew Mrs. Atchison very well, and had been entertained at her New York house.

The patronizing tone of the thing caused Griswold to flush at every reading. If the Ardrey date line had not been so plainly written; if the phraseology were not so characteristic, there might be room for doubt; but Ardmore—Ardmore, of all men, had slapped him in the face!

But, scarlet fever or no scarlet fever, the pursuit of Appleweight had precedence of private grievances. By the time he reached Turner Court House Griswold had dismissed the ungraciousness of Ardmore, and his jaws were set with a determination to perform the mission intrusted to him by Barbara Osborne, and to wait until later for an accounting with his unaccountable friend.

Arrived at Turners, Griswold strode at once toward the courthouse. The contemptuous rejection of his message by the sheriff of Mingo had angered Griswold, but he was destined to feel even more poignant insolence when, entering the sheriff's office, a deputy, languidly posed as a letter "v" in a swivel-chair, with his feet on the mantel, took a cob pipe from his mouth and lazily answered Griswold's importunate query with:

"The sheriff ain't hyeh, seh. He's a-visitin' his folks in Tennessee."

"When will he be back?" demanded Griswold, hot of heart, but maintaining the icy tone that had made him so formidable in cross-examination.

"I reckon I don't know, seh."

"Do you know your own name?" persisted Griswold sweetly.

"Go to hell, seh," replied the deputy. He reached for a match, relighted his pipe, and carefully crossed his feet on the mantel-shelf. The moment Griswold's steps died away in the outer corridor the deputy rose and busied himself so industriously with the telephone that within an hour all through



Pondered a Telegram He had Received.

the Mingo hills, and even beyond the state line, along lonely trails, across hills and through valleys, and beside cheery creeks and brooks, it was known that a strange man from Columbia was in Mingo county looking for the sheriff, and Appleweight, alias Potete, and his men were everywhere on guard.

Griswold liked the prosecuting attorney on sight. His name was Habersham, and he was a youngster with a clear and steady gray eye. Instead of the southern statesman's flowing Prince Albert, he wore a sack-coat of gray jeans, and was otherwise distinguished by a shirt of white and blue check. He grinned as Griswold bent a puzzled look upon him.

"I took your courses at the university two years ago, professor, and I remember distinctly that you always wore a red cravat to your Wednesday's lectures."

"You have done well," replied Griswold, "for I never expected to find an old student who remembered half as much of me as that. Now, as I understood you over the telephone, Appleweight was indicted for stealing a ham in this county by the last grand jury, but the sheriff has failed or refused to make the arrest. How did the grand jury come to indict if this outlaw dominates all the hill country?"

"The grand jury wanted to make a showing of virtue, and it was, of course, understood between the foreman, the leader of the gang, and the sheriff that no warrant could be served on Appleweight. I did my duty; the grand jury's act was exemplary; and there the wheels of justice are blocked. The same thing is practically true across the state line in Dilwell county, North Carolina. These men, led by Appleweight, use their intimate knowledge of the country to elude pursuers when at times the revenue men undertake a raid, and the county authorities have never seriously molested them. Now and then one of these sheriffs will make a feat of going out to look for Appleweight, but you may be sure that due notice is given before he starts. Three revenue officers have lately been killed while looking for these men, and the government is likely to take vigorous action before long."

"We may as well be frank," said Griswold in his most professional air. "I don't want the federal authorities to take these men; it is important that they should not do so. This is an affair between the govern-

ors of the two Carolinas. It has been said that neither of them dares press the matter of arrest, but I am here in Gov. Osborne's behalf to give the lie to that imputation. Gov. Osborne has been viciously maligned. Suppose all these people were arrested in Mingo county under these indictments, it would be the result—trial and acquittal!"

"Just that, in spite of any effort made to convict them."

"Well, Gov. Osborne is tired of this business and wants the Appleweight scandal disposed of once and for all."

"That's strange," remarked Habersham, clearly surprised at Griswold's vigorous tone. "I called on the governor in his office at Columbia only ten days ago, and he put me off. He said he had to prepare an address to deliver before the South Carolina Political Reform Association, and he couldn't take up the Appleweight case; and I called on Bosworth, the attorney general, and he grew furious, angry, and said I was guilty of the gravest malfeasance in not having brought those men to book long ago. When I suggested that he connive with the governor toward removing our sheriff, he declared that the governor was a coward. He seemed anxious to put the governor in a hole, though why he should take that attitude I can't make out, as it has been generally understood that Gov. Osborne's personal friendliness for him secured his nomination and election to the attorney generalship, and I have heard that he is engaged to the governor's oldest daughter."

"He's a contemptible hound," replied Griswold with feeling, "and at the proper time we shall deal with him; but it is of more importance just now to make Appleweight a prisoner in North Carolina. If he's arrested, over there, that lets us out; and if the North Carolina authorities won't arrest their own criminals we'll go over in Dilwell county and show them how to be good. The man's got to be locked up, and he'd look much better in a North Carolina jail, under all the circumstances."

"That's good in theory, but how do you justify it in law?"

"Oh, that's the merest matter of formulae! My dear Habersham, all the usual processes of law go down before emergencies!"

The airiness of Griswold's tone caused the prosecutor to laugh, for this was not the sober associate professor of admiralty whose lectures he had sat under at the University of Virginia, but a different person, whose new attitude toward the law and its enforcement shocked him immeasurably.

"Well, as I told you over the telephone, we hear a great deal about Appleweight and his crowd, but we never hear much of their enemies, who are, nevertheless, of the same general stock, and equally determined when aroused. Ten of these men I have quietly called to meet at my farm out here a few miles from town, on Thursday night. They come from different points over the country, and we'll have a small but grim posse that will be ready for business. You may not know it, but the Appleweights are most religious. Appleweight himself boasts that he never misses church on Sunday. He goes also to the mid-week service on Thursday night, so I have learned, and thereby hangs our opportunity. Mount Nebo church lies off here toward the north. It's a lonely point in itself, though it's the spiritual center and rendezvous for a wide area. If Appleweight can be taken at all, that's the place, and I'm willing to make the trial. Whether to stampee the church and make a fight, or seize him alone as he approaches the place, is a question for discussion, with the boys I have engaged to go into the game. How does it strike you?"

"First rate. Ten good men ought to be enough; but if it comes down to numbers, the state militia can be brought into use. The South Carolina National Guard is in camp, and we can have a regiment quick enough, if I ask it."

Habersham whistled.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

A Strange "God Tree."

What is a god tree? Nobody knows or had ever heard of such a thing until, not long ago, an ethnological explorer came across quite a lot of them on certain little known islands along the west coast of Sumatra.

The god tree is carved out of wood, with curiously fashioned branches of the same material. On these branches are hung strings of bright colored bits of cloth and tiny baskets filled with grains of rice. The whole affair is not more than three feet high.

According to the belief of the natives of the islands aforesaid, a god lives in the tree. He is not a particularly good sort of divinity and, if he takes a notion to leave the tree he is liable to do folks a mischief. The best way to persuade him to stay at home in the tree is to make the latter attractive by adorning it in the manner described and by supplying rice in baskets for the god to eat.

The god is a household god and the tree which he inhabits is kept in a corner of the family dwelling.

Woman as Bank Officer.

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Olive Oil as a Food and Medicine.

Olive oil is a food that is good for "some of the people all of the time, and all of the people some of the time." It is a good food taken clear, when possible, or on salads as dressing. It serves as a food when rubbed into the skin, filling out hollows, limbering the stiffened joints and as a medicine it relieves pains, is a good remedy for indigestion and is recommended for those afflicted with gall stones.

Good nutty oil of good flavor and odor should always be purchased for the impure and adulterated oils are more often the cause of the dislike some people have for olive oil than any other reason.

For those who do not care for a rich mayonnaise dressing, one may add oil to a boiled dressing instead of using butter, and thus cultivate the taste for oil in those who object to its use.

The French dressing is one which is deservedly popular, for it is so simple to prepare, so wholesome and appetizing. Less vinegar is used than formerly in the preparation of French dressing, a little of that acid going a long way. Three tablespoonsful, or four of oil and one of vinegar with salt and pepper, makes a dressing of good consistency. Beat the oil and vinegar well with a Dover egg beater, or if made at the table, stir with a fork until it is all well blended.

Olive oil is the ideal fat for deep frying; but for ordinary mortals it is beyond the pocketbook.

Oil may be used in many ways in cookery, adding to the nutritive value of the dish.

Things Worth Remembering.

Shoes that have been wet may be softened, after cleaning well, by rubbing castor oil into them before taking off.

To clean jewelry, drop into a wide-mouthed bottle with a little alcohol. Put in the cork and let stand a few moments. Diamonds are cleaned beautifully this way.

Keep a correct position in standing and walking by keeping the back of the neck against the collar.



MOST of the things that worry us, Don't matter much."

"There's nothing that's of great concern Except to live, and love, and learn."

Something for Breakfast.

One gets tired of the same round of breakfast dishes, and to escape monotony we must break away from them. Try serving the eggs some morning all broken in the egg cups with a bit of fried chopped bacon on top of the egg to give flavor and variety. Omelets are so good and may be served with such various seasonings that one need not tire of them.

Household Hints.

All fat from soups should be saved. When an otherwise fresh tablecloth has a few spots of grease caused from cream, wet the spots with ammonia and iron over a piece of clean blotting paper, and the traces of grease will disappear.

Household Hints.

When opening a can of red peppers (pimentoes), put the peppers with the liquor not used in a glass can and pour over a tablespoonful or two of olive oil. They will keep indefinitely. Try this with the next bottle of olives; the result is as good.

A Good Cough Remedy.

Roast a lemon until very hot in the oven, cut open and squeeze into a cup with three or four tablespoonfuls of powdered sugar. Use freely when over the cough troubles you. It is an excellent remedy and agreeable to take.

Nellie Maxwell.

Literature.

"I have read this poem over a dozen times," said the assistant editor of the Highbrow Magazine, "and I can't make head or tail of it." "Good," exclaimed the editor. "We'll hit it up for a feature, together with an announcement denying that true poetry is dead. And don't forget to send a check for \$125 to the fellow who wrote it."—Lippincott's.

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