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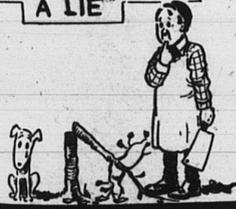
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#### A Pleasant Evening.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Moore entertained a small party of their friends at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Negus on the eve of St. Valentine's day. The evening was spent in playing cards until a late hour when the party adjourned to the dining room, which was prettily decorated with pink and white. The table was decorated with cut and potted flowers. One unique decoration was a large bouquet of carnations made up of button hole bouquets which was passed by the hosts at the end of the refreshments and each guest took one as a souvenir. Then there was a flash light picture taken of all the guests, when the party adjourned to the parlor where they spent the remainder of the evening in dancing, winding up with the old Virginia reel. All expressed themselves as having a good time.

#### Smuggled Dope to Convicts.

Mrs. Ida Johnson, arrested Saturday night on a charge of attempting to smuggle opium into the Jackson state prison, Monday confessed to Chief of Police Strobel that she was guilty. Mrs. Johnson admitted buying the drug in a local store and placing it in the packages of tobacco in which it was found by prison officials. "I visited my half-brother, Sylvester Lewis, in the prison, three weeks ago," Mrs. Johnson told the officer, "and he asked me to get him some opium. I did not dare try it until Saturday. I had never attempted to get any drug into the prison before." Despite Mrs. Johnson's statement that this is her first offense, the police are investigating, with the idea that she has been connected with the smuggling for several months past. The woman's half-brother, Lewis, to whom the package of tobacco in which the opium was found was consigned, is serving his third term in the prison. He has served six years of the sentence of from five to ten years for larceny from the person.

#### Roosevelt Talks to Students.

When the Michigan Central railroad train from Grand Rapids pulled into the station at Ann Arbor at 2:40 Sunday afternoon 4,000 people were crowded into the grounds surrounding the station, hoping to get a glimpse of, and possibly hear something of, President Roosevelt might say. Those who expected to hear him talk were in the main disappointed as the obliging train crew saw to it that Mr. Roosevelt's car was stopped at the most inaccessible point. This being the case Mr. Roosevelt's remarks were addressed chiefly to some one or two hundred students who had proved equal to the task of reaching a place where they were in sound of his voice.

Mr. Roosevelt talked to the students. He spoke of their sports, gave them good advice about the value of games in the battle of life, which he likened to a game of football, and said a few nice things about the University of Michigan.

#### Have Plan to Cut Expenses.

Ann Arbor Times News: The board of auditors last week Wednesday took another step toward economy when they passed a resolution directing the printing of order blanks for the prosecuting attorney and the sheriff for use in settling with officers not on salary.

No constable or deputy sheriff not on salary is to be allowed fees for work for which he cannot show an order signed by the prosecuting attorney or the sheriff. At present bills are presented for which there is nothing to show except the statement of the man who hands them in. While the auditors do not claim that there has been any padding of such accounts with fictitious items, they prefer to have the records show specifically just why and how the county becomes indebted. The new system will centralize the control of the sheriff's force, and prevent unnecessary duplication of work. It is estimated that the new plan will save the county at least \$1,500 a year.

Another saving effected by the auditors affects the transportation of insane cases. Heretofore physicians and officers have been allowed \$10 for insane cases. Hereafter they will get \$5 and 10 cents a mile. In the case of insane patients at Ypsilanti for instance the new plan will save \$3.

Transportation of prisoners from Ann Arbor to Detroit was also put on a more definite and economical basis. Taking a case to the house of correction will now cost the county \$3.50. Under the fee system it cost \$6.40.

The board refused to allow a back board bill of \$178 presented by ex-Sheriff Sutton a month or more ago and held over till Wednesday.

#### Swindler Abroad.

Registers of deeds throughout the state have received word from Sheriff W. R. Taylor of Ionia describing one Samuel Kramer who, it is alleged, forged a deed on a farm and secured \$2,000 on a mortgage. He is about 50 years old, 5 feet 8 or 9 inches tall and weighs about 200 pounds, dark complexion and dark hair tinged with gray. He is known as a smooth duck and the sheriff wanted all the real estate dealers notified as he has been operating in this portion of the state, also in Canada.

#### Seat Sale for May Festival.

The annual sale of May festival reserved seat tickets will begin on Monday morning, February 20th, at the office of the University School of Music, Maynard street. The same general plan which has been so satisfactory to patrons of the Festival in the past will be followed again this year.

From February 20th to 25th inclusive, choice of seats may be had by returning the regular Choral union season ticket and paying a reservation fee of \$3.50.

On February 27th, choice of the remaining seats may be had at \$3 each.

From March 6th to 10th, a choice of the remaining seats may be had at \$2.50 each. On March 11th all unsold choice of remaining seats in this block will be had at \$2 each.

On March 13th to 17th, an additional block of approximately 1000 seats will be placed on sale at \$1.50, and on March 18th, all remaining seats from this block will be offered at \$1.

In each case persons must bring their regular Choral union tickets for exchange. Persons who have not already purchased Choral union tickets may secure the reserved seat tickets by paying \$3 (the price of a Choral union ticket) in addition to the prices mentioned above.

Mail orders will be attended to in the order of receipt, immediately after those present have been waited on.

#### Prehistoric Discoveries.

Dean James Savage of Most Holy Trinity church, Detroit, a brother of Edward Savage and Mrs. Jas. Wade and Mrs. John Lingane of this place, and Daniel E. Soper, whose reports of finds of finds of prehistoric copper, stone and clay relics in Michigan have provoked widespread discussion among the archeologists and curators of the country, believe they now are in a position to prove the genuineness of their relics. Accordingly they are making arrangements for a meeting of scientists in the spring.

Their plan is to present their specimens for examination, and to go on an extended campaign in search of others. They intend to take the experts, if the experts are willing, to places where prehistoric mounds are to be found, and to demonstrate with spade and pick and ax that tablets, wax implements and ornaments like those they possess are still in the bosom of the lake state. In this way they hope to silence all doubts. Both men say they are convinced that their discoveries are only a promise of much more to come, and that close investigation of the soil of Michigan will result in very great archeological finds.

In the last few months the dean and Mr. Soper have worked hard and have been well rewarded. Some of the specimens Dean Savage values most were dug up in December and January almost within stone's throw of Detroit. Among these are two tablets, portraying the creation of man, the fall, the deluge, Babel, the dispersion and the attempted sacrifice of Isaac. Both these tablets are slate. One was found about three miles from Norris, the other near Highland Park.

Dean Savage says his latest finds have convinced him that the people who worked the copper mines of Lake Superior and buried their dead in the lower peninsula—the mounds are largely burial places—were descendants of the lost 10 tribes of Israel. He maintains that they had no connection with the Toltecs, the civilizations of the Mexican valley. He believes they were finally destroyed by the Indians, and he refers to a tradition current among the Attiwanderon Indians that their fathers utterly exterminated a great white people.

#### Accused of Stealing.

H. E. Chamberlain, of Clinton, Me., boldly accuses Becklen's Arica Salvo of stealing—the sting from burns or scalds—the pain from sores of all kinds—the distress from boils or piles. "It robs cuts, corns, bruises, sprains and injuries of their terror," he says, "as a healing remedy its equal don't exist." Only 50c at L. P. Vogel, H. Penn Co. and L. T. Freeman Co.

#### To Go Up Higher.

George and Max Eck, of Dexter, are two Washtenaw county boys who will have a chance for promotion into the Southern Michigan and the American leagues the coming baseball season. Both formerly played with Hastings. Max Eck, whose job is holding down the short field, will report to Indianapolis March 15th. His brother will join Jackson for a tryout in the infield in April.

Graham, the Ann Arbor boy, who will work on the infield for Traverse City in the Michigan State league, will report some time in the latter part of April. The season opens May 15th.

#### Democratic County Convention.

The Democratic county convention will be held at the city hall in Ann Arbor Monday, February 27th.

The call for it was issued Tuesday by County Chairman Ross Granger. This convention will nominate delegates to the Democratic state convention which will be held at Muskegon March 1st, to nominate the state ticket. In addition to nominating delegates to the state convention the county convention will nominate candidates for auditor and school commissioner. Delegates to the county convention will be selected by ward and township caucus, Chairman Granger having received a specific opinion from the attorney general covering the interpretation of the primary law covering this point.

#### Spelling Contest.

The Lima township spelling contest was held in the Lima Center school Friday afternoon.

McLaren district, teacher, Miss Lucht. Ruth McLaren 100; Easton district, teacher, Miss Walsh. Bertha Gross 100; Bertha Grayer 100.

Parker district, teacher, Miss Hubbard. Helen Sallabury 100; Aaron Schairer 100; Ruth Parker 91; Grace Hoffman 98.

Jerusalem school, teacher, Miss Barton. Louise Haarer 100; Clarence Koenigster 100; Cora Bollinger 90.

Lima Center school, teacher, Miss Mildred Daniels. Gladys Whittington 100; Ella Kaercher 100; Elmer Pierce 100; Nathan Pierce 100; Leigh Luick 100; Wayne Gran 100; Wilber Hinderer 100; Julia Kaercher 100; Roland Wenk 99.

#### Republican County Convention.

County Chairman George Sample Tuesday issued his call for the Republican county convention, which is to be held at the court house at Ann Arbor on Monday, February 27.

Twenty-two delegates will be nominated to the state convention which meets at Saginaw March 2. Delegates to the county convention will be selected by the old fashioned caucus system, the primary law not applying to spring elections in this instance. About 222 delegates to the county convention will be thus selected.

Besides selecting delegates to the state convention the county convention will nominate candidates for auditor and school commissioner. At Saginaw the state convention will nominate two supreme court judges, each to hold for eight years, one superintendent of public instruction, two regents of the university, one member of the state board of education and two members of the state board of agriculture. The dates of the ward and township caucuses will be set by the ward and township chairmen.

#### Princess Theatre.

Miss Molly Williams opens a three day engagement at the Princess tonight. Miss Williams is a character singing soubrette, and comes highly recommended from the Variety theatre of Battle Creek, where she has appeared the first three days of this week. Miss Williams changes her program each night, and in addition there will be two reels of pictures and illustrated songs.

The management of the Princess announces two additions to their staff. Miss Mary Spinnagle will hereafter sing two illustrated songs each Saturday night and Clarence Rafferty has accepted a position as trap-drummer.

The Princess theatre program will be a winner on Saturday night. Two feature reels of pictures, both new, two illustrated songs by Miss Mary Spinnagle, and a high class singing act by Miss Molly Williams. Special effects by Miss Wright and "Casey" Rafferty, the diminutive drummer, complete the program.

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GOOD NEIGHBORS AND BAD

Old Innkeeper Wise in His Generation and His Knowledge of Human Nature.

A man moving his family and household effects across the country stopped at a wayside inn for the night. During the evening, as was the custom, the proprietor, an old Scotchman, chatted with his guests. "Why move so far?" he asked and was overwhelmed with tales of backbiting and gossip and unkindness among their former neighbors.

"Well, strangers," he said, "I'm loath to say aught against my neighbors, but I'm afraid you'll find the same kind of folks here—and the travelers regretfully decided to move on, expressing their disappointment that so promising a looking country should be infested with those 'tale-bearing, backbiting kind of folks.'"

"Well," said the old innkeeper, sagely, "I'm 'fraid you'd find 'em here if you stayed; and as they drove away the next morning he chuckled to himself, 'Glad I got rid of those folks. Bad neighbors always make bad neighbors.'"

A week later another mover's camping outfit stopped at his doors, and during the evening a similar conversation ensued, and the question, "Why move so far?" was propounded a second time. "Because my health required it," said the man, who coughed frequently, and then followed tales of the homeland, and of the friends and neighbors they had left behind. They were good neighbors, and kind, and the verdict repeated again and again during the evening's conversation, and sometimes the innkeeper noticed there were tears in their eyes as they spoke feelingly of those dear ones in the far eastern state.

"Where shall you settle down?" queried their host, kindly. "Oh, most anywhere now," was the reply. "Think we've come about far enough, and we're just looking for some homely little place that won't cost too much."

"Just the thing!" burst out the old man. "I know just the place for you, only a little way up the road here. And you'll find good neighbors here, too," he assured them. "Mighty good ones. I'll take you up there myself in the morning to see the place."

And as they trooped off to bed he nodded his grizzled old head and chuckled softly to himself: "Good neighbors always make good neighbors. They're the kind of folks we want here."—Youth's Companion.

Woman Dies for Her Claim. James Balkwell, a farmer, brings to Seattle the story of an aged woman's fight with the elements in the Cascade mountains and her subsequent death. The woman was Miss H. E. Conradson, a spinster, aged 55 years. Miss Conradson had mining claims in the mountain. Braving the snow and icy blasts she determined to remain on her claim this winter rather than run the chance of losing it.

COL. ROOSEVELT IN GRAND RAPIDS

GIVEN ENTHUSIASTIC RECEPTION AT ANNUAL LINCOLN CLUB BANQUET.

FAVORS DIRECT ELECTIONS OF U. S. SENATORS; ALSO ABOLITION OF ELECTORAL COLLEGE.

Also Endorses Pending Reciprocity With Canada as Good Thing in Every Way.

Speaking at the Lincoln club banquet in Grand Rapids, Col. Theodore Roosevelt declared himself in favor of the direct election by the people not only of United States senators, but also of the president of the United States. He said that the present method of choosing senators through the legislatures of the several states was a relic of olden times, and that the electoral college was also a useless appendage of the government, and should be abolished.

He also endorsed the pending reciprocity treaty with Canada as a good thing in every way, saying that it "marked a signal advance in bringing about the closest and most friendly relations between the two countries." The banquet demonstrated that Col. Roosevelt, though an ex-president, can still draw a crowd. Nearly 1,600 sat down to the spread that was served in the Coliseum, while an equal number, most of them ladies, were packed in the galleries.

Kalamazoo Lincoln Club Banquet. The Kalamazoo Lincoln club held its annual banquet in the Auditorium in Kalamazoo with more than 500 Republican guests present. The speakers of the evening were Congressman-elect J. M. C. Smith, of Charlotte; Hannis Taylor, former ambassador to Spain; Gov. Osborn, D. G. F. Warner, Charles Flowers of Detroit.

Judge F. E. Knapp was toastmaster. Congressman Smith responded to "The American Banking System." Mr. Taylor gave the address, he gave in Grand Rapids on "Lincoln and the Constitution," and Mr. Flowers spoke on "Lincoln, the Conservative." He received one of the biggest ovations of the evening and his speech was well received.

Jackson Lincoln Club Banquet. Six hundred people were seated at the seventeenth annual banquet of the Lincoln club of Jackson at the Masonic temple, Monday night.

Benjamin Williams, candidate for circuit court judge, acted as toastmaster. Rep. W. W. Wedemeyer, of Ann Arbor, spoke on "Some Problems of Today." Senator Charles E. Townsend toasted "Lincoln." James R. Garfield, secretary of the interior in Roosevelt's cabinet, gave an address on "Conservatism," and Congressman Diekmann spoke on "Nineteen-Twelve."

Woman Mourned as Dead Returns. Mrs. Belle Brown, whose three children, one of them is Clayton Brown, of Owosso, petitioned some time ago to have her declared legally dead, that they might collect her share of the estate of her father, Sanford Burgess, valued at \$6,000, appeared suddenly, calling on Brown, and disappeared as suddenly without making any explanations.

Mrs. Brown left Owosso suddenly ten years ago, leaving her three children and husband. She has never been heard from since. Saturday night, however, her son, who works at the National hotel, was approached by a well-dressed woman, who threw her arms about his neck, called him her darling boy, and after a few more words, left. Brown does not remember what his mother looked like and is therefore not sure that this woman isn't an impostor. The petition to declare the woman dead comes up on Feb. 20.

Excentric Surgeon Dies. "When I die, I want you to take my body to Detroit to be cremated. Select three or four Masons to go with my body and after the cremation take them to the Cadillac hotel and buy them a fine dinner. Let them drink a toast to 'Old Doc Farnum.'"

STATE BRIEFS.

Gov. Osborn has accepted the invitation of Soc Hibernians to address them at their annual banquet to be held March 20.

The Cheboygan County Bar association has gone on record as against the bill to redistrict the judicial circuits of the state.

John E. Gerow, of Ovid, has been appointed state drug inspector by Dairy and Food Commissioner Gilman Dams.

U. S. Duncan, secretary of the Ann Arbor Y. M. C. A., has resigned. He had trouble with the board of directors over the affairs of the institution.

Chief Surveyor Busch, of the Lansing & Northwestern electric line, has completed the survey of the right-of-way for the road from Owosso to Saginaw.

Earl Fox, a rural mail carrier of Charlotte, has just completed six years in the service and during that time has traveled 45,000 miles, or nearly twice around the world.

George Bradshaw, a well-to-do farmer, aged 47, living southwest of Hillsdale, hanged himself in his barn. He had been despondent for the past three years. He leaves a widow.

W. K. Prudden, of Lansing, has announced his candidacy for a place on the state board of agriculture, and his friends about the state are busy lining up delegates in his behalf.

Through the settlement of injunction proceedings brought against the Grand Trunk railroad by the Standard Paper Co., that line can now proceed to build tracks north of Kalamazoo to Grand Rapids.

In spite of the fact that it has been twice defeated at the polls, the legislature of Oregon adopted a resolution submitting to the voters the question of granting equal suffrage to women. It was rejected last November by a majority of 24,000.

The output of the broom factory at the Michigan Employment Institution for the Blind at Saginaw has been greatly increased since Supl. Frank G. Outnam took charge and the sales last month were the biggest in the history of the factory.

The Saginaw Power Co. Friday filed a first mortgage for \$1,500,000 with the county register of deeds. The action is necessary where branches of the Commonwealth Power & Light Co. do business, as the holding company will float a bond issue for the above amount.

At a meeting of the executive committee of the northern Michigan development bureau, held in Saginaw, it was decided to ask the legislature to pass a law giving the board of supervisors a right to levy a special tax for the purpose of supporting development bureaus.

Ann Arbor section men have been notified that on March 1 the 10-hour day will be again installed at their working day. Many of the men quit last fall when the day was cut to nine hours, this action bringing the wages down to \$1.35 per day. At 10 hours per day the wage will be \$1.50.

Alva M. Cummins, who was a candidate for congress against Samuel W. Smith last fall, has entered the race for judge of the Ingham county circuit, his petition having been filed with the secretary of state. Judge West and Judge Collingwood, Republicans, are also circulating petitions.

In a long letter written to Senator William Aiden Smith, Maj. N. S. Boynton, of Port Huron, advocates reciprocity, not only with Canada, but with every other country on the American continent. "I could never see the sense or benefit of isolation from the countries of the western hemisphere," the letter says, in part.

Dell Scottford, a janitor, who stole from a Grand Rapids hardware store, where he was employed, to buy food and fuel for a sick wife and baby, was released on probation, after Mrs. Scottford had pleaded with the court to let him go. When Scottford reached home, a few minutes after being let out of a cell, his baby was dead.

Joseph Barton, of Big Rapids, announced he will not be a candidate for the Republican nomination for circuit judge for the short term to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Judge Palmer. This leaves A. B. Cogger the only candidate from Mecosta county. Both Mecosta and Newaygo counties have 11 delegates each.

After several weeks' fight, during which they paid fines and incidental expenses amounting to \$115, two moving picture theater proprietors of Ishpeming have given up the attempt to keep their places open Sundays. Juries in the first two trials disagreed, but the third resulted in a small fine. Mayor McCorkindale, who was the prime mover in the closing fight, is organizing a baseball league for next summer, and those who favor open theaters on Sunday threaten to stop Sunday baseball.

Frank J. Phillips, professor of forestry in the Nebraska state university, who ended his life by inhaling gas, in his home in Lincoln, Neb., was a former student of the Michigan Agricultural college, Lansing. His home was in Grandville, Kent county. After completing the full agricultural course he went to the U. of M. and a few weeks ago was offered an assistant professorship in the state school at Ann Arbor. Phillips left three letters, one to his wife, instructing her how to care for the body when found, and the others to the chief of police and the coroner.

Henry Irwin, 47, of Ionia, ended his life by hanging himself in a woodshed. His body was discovered by his 5-year-old daughter. Irwin attempted to kill himself once before with acid. He leaves the widow and four children.

C. W. Perry, Democrat, president of the Michigan State Bar association, has announced his candidacy for circuit judge in the twenty-first judicial circuit, comprising Clare, Isabella and Midland counties. The position is now being held by Peter F. Dodds, of Mt. Pleasant, who has presided for 18 years, and is a candidate for the fourth term.

By a resolution of Rep. Stewart of Kent a special committee of two senators and five members of the House will be appointed to consider all employers' liability bills now before the two bodies and report back not later than March 10.

THE LEGISLATURE AND ITS WORK

THE TAX LEVY LOOKS LIKE ONE OF VERY LARGE FIGURES JUST AT PRESENT.

THE TONNAGE TAX ON MINES NOW REPORTED OUT WITHOUT A RECOMMENDATION.

The Matter of Legislation is Becoming Very Interesting to the Tax-payers of the State.

(By L. C. Ward.)

The legislature heard long arguments pro and con on the tonnage tax on iron and copper ore. James Helme of Adrian and S. H. Clink of Muskegon appeared for the state grange and argued for the specific tax and there was a big array of Upper Peninsula men opposed to them. Much interesting matter was presented to the taxation committee of the house and senate but it is doubtful if any votes were changed either way. However, Gov. Osborn, who was called upon, took a firm stand against the tonnage tax and urged that the ad valorem system be brought to the highest state of perfection. In particular he advocated that the legislature at once pass the Lord bill, which will give the state tax commission the right to engage such expert help as is needed to properly review the assessments in the state so that the valuation of the property may be brought to a proper level. If this is not done the railroads will refuse to pay their taxes, which would mean that many of the schools of the state would have to be closed because of the depletion of the primary school fund, it being the contention of the railroad companies that they are assessed higher than the general property of the state.

The committee, however, reported out the tonnage tax without recommendation, although the committee was about evenly divided on the proposition. No effort was made to influence the house either for or against the proposition. It was made a special order for Feb. 16. The openly expressed opinion of Gov. Osborn against the measure is having some effect with the rural members and it is not likely to pass the house. In a reference to the Lord bill after the hearing the governor said: "While we are carefully considering changes in our tax system we should take steps to bring our present system to the highest state of perfection. It is necessary that the tax commission be given sufficient authority and the men to do the work, so that it may begin at once to bring the general property of the state to a fair basis for taxation."

While he has not said so directly, the governor intimates that if action is not taken very soon he will make it the subject of a special message.

The Enormous Tax Levy. Aud.-Gen. O. B. Fuller started the State Association of Supervisors when he estimated that bills now before the legislature would provide for a tax levy of \$15,000,000 during the next two years, if they are all passed. At the same time he estimated that the present assessed valuation is not high enough, and that it will doubtless be raised from \$1,734,100,000 to \$2,000,000,000, the federal government having placed it at \$3,500,000.

"Already," said the auditor general, "state institutions throughout the state have asked for enough money to pay the deficit of \$561,000 and the \$1,199,000 which should be raised for general purposes, would make the tax levy total \$1,762,129.29—about as large a tax levy as the state has ever seen. During the past two years the tax levy amounted to \$10,658,000. This amount asked for by various state institutions is divided up as follows: Educational, \$1,425,000; asylums, \$976,000; charitable institutions, \$481,235; penal institutions, \$317,120; miscellaneous, \$278,650. Auditor General urged that the supervisors should be especially careful in making their assessment rolls this year, declaring that in view of the trouble that is to follow with the railroads, more than ever before these rolls will be scrutinized and even taken before the courts.

The Bribery Case. The hearing of the graft charges against Senator William H. Bradley of Greenville, was continued Tuesday afternoon. Sherman H. Townsend, of Ionia, alleges that Senator Bradley tried to shake him down for \$75 for getting Townsend a job as assistant sergeant-at-arms. The hearing was taken up Friday before a special committee of the senate consisting of Senators Miller, Taylor and Watkins. Mr. Townsend is represented by James Scully, former member of the railroad commission, and Patrick H. Kelley, ex-lieutenant-governor, and Senator Bradley is represented by Arthur Tuttle, ex-senator. Deputy Attorney-General Chase is conducting the case for the committee. The charge has stirred up considerable excitement about the capital.

The woman's suffrage proposition will be brought up in the senate, the house having left the opening by reconsidering the action of last week and laying the resolution on the table. The lobby of women is back in force and they will try to put the proposition through the senate this week.

By a resolution of Rep. Stewart of Kent a special committee of two senators and five members of the House will be appointed to consider all employers' liability bills now before the two bodies and report back not later than March 10.

Tonnage Tax Hearing.

There was an extended hearing on the tonnage tax and other mining taxation bills before the joint committee of the house and senate on Tuesday evening. S. H. Clink of Muskegon and James Helme of Adrian spoke for the tonnage tax and they were opposed by a big raft of upper peninsula lawyers. The opponents of the specific tax on iron and copper ore based their objection primarily on the proposition that a flat tonnage tax would work an injustice to the mines producing a low grade ore and would compel many of them to shut down while it would also keep a deal of capital out of the state which is now invested in mines each year.

Fraternal Insurance. Rep. Noble Ashley has introduced a bill putting the fraternal societies doing business in Michigan under the control of the insurance department of the state that is occasioning more or less comment. While it is extremely general and covers the situation from many angles, the most important provisions are those which prevent cheap fraternal organizations, which make a rate too low to safely do business, from coming into Michigan, and provisions which compel a yearly inventory of the assets of the societies, and giving them the right to increase the rates not more than 5 per cent every three years to bring them up to an absolute safe basis.

A Salary Question. The two houses passed different bills on fixing the salary of the insurance commissioner and there will have to be a conference on the subject. The house fixed the salary at \$3,000 and the senate at \$3,500 and there the matter rests. It is possible that Gov. Osborn may veto the measure unless the salary is raised to \$4,000 at least. Under the fee system the position has paid nearly \$7,000 per year.

Busy Mr. Miller. Senator Miller has introduced a bill in the senate which will largely change the handling of the automobile question in the state. Under the measure proposed owners of cars must file a great deal of detailed information with the secretary of state which will be valuable in case of accidents, etc. Senator Miller has been one of the busiest little bill introducers the senate has seen and most of his bills are important, too.

A Needed Regulation. Senator F. D. Scott of Alpena is preparing a bill which will give the railroad commission complete jurisdiction over the express companies of the state and especially their rates, allowing the commission to fix a maximum and minimum rate between any two points in the state. This is a very important measure and will be fought hard by the express companies.

The Senate Quartet. John Conley, the Democrat elected senator in the Lapeer-Tuscola district to succeed the late Senator Fox, has taken the oath of office and assumed his place in the senate. He makes the Democratic representation in the upper house a quartet, but as yet there is no signs of their doing very much singing.

Fight Reciprocity. There is a movement under way among the farmers of the legislature to pass a resolution protesting against the reciprocity program of President Taft. Senator Watkins has introduced a resolution on the subject and laid it on the table because of its importance, as there is a big protest against such action from the cities.

Short Term Governor. Lieut.-Gov. John Q. Ross was governor Friday, Saturday, Sunday and a part of Monday. Gov. Osborn was down to New York for the Alumni of Michigan banquet to discharge, but the handsome president of the senate had the honor of being governor for some several days.

To permit hotels in dry counties to operate bars is the scheme proposed by the bill presented by Rep. Smith of Lapeer. This bill provides that state licenses may be issued to hotels in dry counties upon recommendation of a board of excise commissioners consisting of the judge of probate, county clerk and the county treasurer, who also have power to revoke the license. A license of \$1,000 is to be charged.

Resolutions have been introduced in the Senate both for and against the reciprocity program of President Taft. However, the sentiment is so divided that it is impossible to predict what will be done. A Democratic resolution has also been introduced in the House, but as it attacks the reciprocity there is no chance of its passing.

Gov. Osborn has announced that he will veto all appropriations bills which seem to him to be unreasonable. This is a new departure for a governor as the executives have always allowed the legislature to assume the responsibility for providing for the expense of conducting the state.

The bill asked by Governor Osborn providing for a commission to investigate all departments of the state has passed. It carries with it an \$8,000 appropriation.

Rep. Copley of Detroit has prepared a corrupt practice act for reforming elections. It provides for a heavy penalty for all violations of the laws governing the handling of elections and goes into detail regarding both the primary campaigns and the regular campaigns, and prescribes a course of conduct for candidates.

TIMBER ONLY FOR 55 YEARS IN U. S.

HERBERT KNOX SMITH BLAMES LAND SERVICE FOR MILLIONS OF LOSSES.

OWNERSHIP OF BILLIONS OF ACRES CENTERED IN FEW MONOPOLIES.

113 Holders Have 66 Per Cent of Forests in Michigan and Lake State District.

Concentration of the control of standing timber in a very few hands, vast speculative holdings "far in advance of any use thereof," an enormous increase in the value of "this great natural resource," and incidentally "an equally sinister land monopoly" and "a closely connected railroad domination" are the findings reported to the president by Herbert Knox Smith, commissioner of corporations, in the first installment of his longwaited report on the lumber industry in the United States. The report was made public by the president sending it to congress. The foremost facts shown are: (1) The concentration of a dominating control of our standing timber in a comparatively few enormous holdings, steadily tending toward a central control of the lumber industry. (2) Vast speculative purchase and holding of timber land far in advance of any use thereof. (3) An enormous increase in the value of this fast diminishing natural resource, with great profits to its owners. This value, by the very nature of standing timber, the holder neither created nor substantially enhanced.

There is now left in continental United States about 2,200,000,000,000 board feet of privately owned standing timber, of which 1,748,000,000,000 in the investigation are covered in great detail by the bureau. This area includes the Pacific northwest, the southern pine region and the lake states, and contains 80 per cent of all the private timber in the country. In addition, there are about 539,000,000,000 feet in the national forests and about 90,000,000,000 feet in other than private lands. Thus the total of standing timber in continental United States is about 2,800,000,000,000 feet. The annual drain on the supply of saw timber is about 50,000,000,000 feet. At this rate the timber now standing, without allowance for growth or decay, would last only about 55 years.

Concerning Michigan, Minnesota and Wisconsin, known as the lake states, the report says that there are 100,000,000,000 feet of privately owned timber. In Wisconsin 94 holders have three-fourths of all the timber. In Michigan 113 holders have 66 per cent. In Minnesota six holders have 54 per cent of the very valuable white and Norway pine, 16 per cent of the other conifers and 20 per cent of the hardwoods. Taking all three states 215 holders have 65 per cent of all the timber.

\$1,000,000 Needed to Feed Hungry Chinese. The Presbyterian board of foreign missions has received from its missionaries in the province of An Hui, China, an account of famine conditions. The missionaries declare that at least \$1,000,000 will be needed to tide the suffering provinces over till next harvest time.

Rev. E. C. Lebonstine writes: "The inhabitants are fast to face with the worst famine in their history. The rainfall last summer was the greatest of which there is any record and the autumn crops were a total failure over a region of approximately 7,000 square miles. It is estimated that 2,500,000 persons are practically starving. The death roll of the coming months is bound to be very great."

To acquaint myself with the actual conditions, I made two trips into the famine district. I met between 200 and 500 refugees every day. "For six months hundreds of thousands will be absolutely destitute and more than 1,000,000 persons will be dependent on charity."

Kaiser's Illness Serious. The indisposition of Emperor William apparently is more serious than has been indicated in the official announcements, though it is insisted that no anxiety concerning the outcome is felt.

The first bulletin described his majesty as suffering from a cold, but with the absence of any fever. Subsequently it was admitted that an attack of feverish influenza had been experienced.

It is stated that the emperor is up after two days in bed, but that he will be confined to his chamber until the end of the present week. The court ball set for Wednesday night has been postponed.

As a result of failing to pass his semi-annual examination, Harold B. Sampson, youngest son of the late Rear Admiral Wm. T. Sampson, has forwarded his resignation to the navy department and there is no doubt but it will be accepted.

The Kansas senate passed the resolution to submit the amendment to the constitution giving women the right to vote in all elections. The vote was 27 to 12. The resolution had previously passed the house.

A tablet in memory of Joseph Montfort, provincial grand master of Masons for America, was unveiled in Halifax in the presence of the government of North Carolina and prominent Masons. Montfort held his commission from Henry Somerset, duke of Beaufort, grand master of England. The unveiling was by Miss Saline Long, sixth in lineal descent from Joseph Montfort.

CANADA GETS \$1,500 TROPHY.

NATIONAL CORN EXPOSITION, AT COLUMBUS, OHIO, AWARDS TROPHY FOR PECK OF OATS GROWN IN SASKATCHEWAN.

Again Canada is to the fore, and has secured at the National Corn Exposition just closed at Columbus, Ohio, the magnificent Colorado silver trophy valued at \$1,500, for the best peck of oats. These oats were grown by Messrs. Hill & Son, of Lloydminster, Saskatchewan, and, as may readily be understood, were of splendid quality to have been so successful in a contest open to the world, and in which competition was keen. At the same Exposition there were exhibits of wheat and barley, and in all these competitions, the grain shown by Canada secured a wonderful amount of attention, and also a number of awards. During recent exhibitions at which grain from Western Canada was given permission for entry, it always took first place. At the Spokane Interstate Fair, last fall, where the entries were very large, and the competition keen, the Province of Alberta carried off the silver cup, given by Governor Hay, for the best state or province display, and a score of prizes were awarded Canadian exhibitors for different exhibits of wheat, oats and barley threshed and in the sheaf. Vegetables also received high awards. A pleasing feature of these exhibits was they were mostly made by farmers who had at one time been American Citizens and were now farming in Canada. The Department of the Interior is just in receipt of a magnificent diploma given by the Tri-State Board of Examiners at the Fair held in Cincinnati last fall for agricultural display by Canada.

The Surveyor-General of Canada has just completed a map showing that a large area of land was surveyed last year in the northern portion of Saskatchewan and Alberta in order to be ready for the rush of homesteaders to that district during the coming spring and summer. It is understood surveys covering several hundreds of thousands of acres will be made in addition to these during the coming summer.

A return just issued by the Dominion Lands Branch shows that 48,257 homestead entries were made last year as compared with 37,061 in 1909; of this 48,257, 14,704 were made by Americans. North Dakota coming first on the list with 4,810, Minnesota gives 2,528, South Dakota 1,133, Wisconsin 745, Washington 730, Michigan 706, Iowa 645, while other states show less, but with the exception of Delaware, District of Columbia and the Indian Territory, every state and territory contributed.

The prospects for an abundant crop in all parts of Western Canada for 1911 are said to be excellent. In the districts that required it there was an ample rainfall last autumn, and the snowfall during the present winter is greater than in many previous years. Both are essential factors to the farmers, who look upon the moisture that these will produce as being highly beneficial.

A large immigration from the United States is expected, and the demand for literature and information from the various Government Agencies located at different points in the States is the greatest it has ever been.

Since the above was written word has been received that in addition to honors won at Columbus, Ohio, Canada won first and second on wheat and first and second on oats, as well as diplomas.

Norman Cherry of Davis, Saskatchewan, who was in the reserve for first on wheat, secured the award, with G. H. Hutton of Lacombe, Alberta, second. J. C. Hill & Sons got first on oats besides the silver trophy. G. H. Hutton took second in oats.

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SERIAL STORY When a Man Marries

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James Wilson or Jimmy as he is called by his friends. Jimmy was a young man who had just graduated from college...

narrow hall past the refrigerating room, to a huge, cemented cellar, with a furnace in the center, and a half-dozen electric lights making it really brilliant.

"Get a chair," Bella said over her shoulder, excitedly. "I can get out easily here, through the coal hole. Imagine my—"

But it was my turn to grip Bella. From behind the furnace were coming the most terrible sounds, rasping noises that fairly frayed the silk of my nerves.

"Fairly caught!" she whispered. "Sartor Resartus, the arrester arrested. Oh, Jim and his flawless service!"

But after we got over our surprise, we saw the situation was serious. The policeman was threatening to awaken. Once he stopped snoring to yawn noisily, and we beat a hasty retreat.

"Oh, no, no! Surely, Kit, you wouldn't be so cruel!" she whispered pleadingly. "You know what he would do to me, Kit, let them all get settled for the night, and then come down, like a dear, and help me out."

would they think of me? After letting her call me Bella, and him—Jim, if Mr. Harbison ever learns the truth—I will take poison. If we are going to be shut up here together, we will have to carry it on. I couldn't stand the disgrace.

In spite of an heroic effort, Jim looked relieved. "They have been hunting for the linen closet," he said, more cheerfully, "and there will be room enough, I think. Harbison and I will hang out in the studio; there are two couches there. I'm afraid you'll have to take Aunt Selma, Kit."

"You're a girl in a thousand, Kit," he said forlornly. "If I were not so damnably, hopelessly, idiotically in love with somebody else, I should be crazy about you."

"Beautiful girl!" cried the impulsive young man on the shadowy deck of the lake steamer.

"That is, I mean—well, you know a hippo's skin—fudge! A hippo's skin is thick, conceitedly thick, and if beauty is skin deep and you had the skin of a hippo, why—er—you'd be that much more beautiful. Do I make myself plain, Miss Evangeline?"

AUDITOR GENERAL WARNS SUPERVISORS

"SEE THAT PROPERTY IN YOUR COUNTIES IS MORE EQUITABLY ASSESSED."

VALUATION OF STATE IS TOO LOW; CITES DIFFERENCE BETWEEN STATE AND FEDERAL VALUATION.

In Address at State Meeting Also Declares That Legislature Trims Appropriations Too Closely.

"If the present legislature passes all of the appropriation bills that have already been introduced in both houses, the tax levy for the year would amount to something like \$16,000,000," stated Auditor General Fuller, in a talk before the State Association of Supervisors, at the city hall.

"This amount, mind you, does not include any appropriations that may come up in the future, and is only an estimate, but you supervisors can readily see for yourselves that there are a number of irregular valuations and you can aid materially in correcting them."

"Two years ago the tax levy was \$5,929,000 and last year \$4,720,000, making a total for those two years of \$10,658,000."

"The state levy for 1911, estimated will be \$6,887,123.29, and the deficiency \$5,075,000, making a total state tax levy, estimated, for the biennial period of \$11,762,123.29."

State Valuation Too Low. Mr. Fuller, in an interview later, referred to the bill introduced by Senator Ledlie, making appropriation for \$1,750,000 for state highway purposes. In addition to this amount the state highway department has asked for \$500,000.

Mr. Fuller told the supervisors there is a general feeling that the valuation of the state is far too low, being placed at \$1,734,100,000, while the federal government places it at \$3,500,000,000.

Auditor Fuller told the supervisors of the attitude of the railroads at the present time and the creating of their own tax commission to determine whether the valuation of railroad companies in the state is higher than other general properties.

Mr. Fuller said: "There is no doubt but what railroads have found a large number of irregular valuations about the state. They contend under valuation increases their tax rate."

STATE CONTROL OF MINES

Will Eventually Result From Taxing Mineral Reservations.

Gov. Osborn's suggestion in his message that the state should enforce a tax upon mineral reservations seems to have opened a field for consideration by the legislature which offers possibilities to those interested in spreading the cost of government over all classes of property.

For many years the big corporations interested in mining in the upper peninsula, as well as other corporations and individuals, have sold lands with a mineral reservation in the deed, under the terms of which the original owners reserve the right to enter upon, explore, mine, and take from any ores lying under the surface of the lands.

In connection with the proposal to impose a tax on these reservations, the statement is made that at least some of them are of great value to the holders, while, until the operation of mines begins, the owners of the surface property are paying all the taxes assessed.

Under the reservation the owner of that right may enter upon the property and mine for ore, paying, as is set forth in the deed, only a portion of the original purchase price.

Believed that if a tax is imposed upon these reservations, it will result in many instances in the owners abandoning their claims, and thus enable the state to retain for itself this mineral reservation, a situation much more satisfactory to the owner of the surface than to face the contingency of having to abandon the home upon which he has paid taxes for years.

Sent Opium to Convict.

Mrs. Ida Johnson is in jail in Jackson charged with smuggling opium into the prison. Mrs. Johnson, cook at the Anderson house, went to a local grocery and purchased five packages of tobacco. The next day, she is claimed, she reappeared at the grocery and purchased some bananas and oranges and asked the grocer to put the tobacco into the packages of fruit, and send the bundle to Sylvester Lewis, a half-brother, who is serving a third term for larceny.

When the goods arrived at the prison they were thoroughly inspected by Hallmaster Arthur Palmer, who found that each bag contained one or two pieces of opium, five ounces in all. The police were notified and Lieutenant Chase was delegated to look up the matter. He found the grocer who had delivered the goods at the prison and from him learned who had purchased them. Mrs. Johnson was placed under arrest. She admits sending the tobacco and fruit to the prison, but denies putting any opium into the tobacco packages.

Clara Burton is Out of Danger.

The condition of Miss Clara Barton, the venerable founder of the Red Cross, who has been ill with bronchitis at her home in Glen Echo, Md., a suburb of Washington, has so greatly improved that Dr. J. B. Hubbell, of Glen Echo, regards her out of danger.

"The real cause of her breakdown," Dr. Hubbell said, "was persistent overwork in attempting personally to keep up her large correspondence and the many additional demands of friends and admirers for something from her pen. During her illness the accumulation of the letters has become so great that no one will attempt to answer them."

NEWS IN BRIEF.

Hiram Americus Tuttle, former governor of New Hampshire, died at his home in Pittsfield, Mass., aged 73. He was governor from 1891 to 1893. Senator LaFollette Young has announced himself as a candidate for United States senator from Iowa (long term) at the primary to be held June, 1917. Seventeen lives were lost in the explosion that wrecked the Cokedale mine of the Carbon, Coal & Coke Co., at Trinidad, Col. All the bodies have been found. James Elverson, Sr., proprietor and editor of the Philadelphia Inquirer, died at his home in Philadelphia, aged 73 years. He had been ill for several weeks. Knoxville, Tenn., police have under arrest a man whom they believe is M. A. Schmidt, wanted on the charge of complicity in wrecking the Los Angeles Times building. He claims to be Charles Donald, of Mountain City, Tenn. That Charles E. Twiggs and Grace Ellosser, the young couple found dead in the parlor of the Ellosser home in Cumberland, Md., the eve of their wedding day, came to their end from carbon monoxide (coal gas) poisoning was the conclusion of the Washington and Baltimore chemists who tested the blood of the victims. The Iowa house of representatives passed the Oregon plan primary bill 82 to 18. This will have no bearing on the present deadlock in election of a United States senator to fill the Dolliver vacancy. Although North Dakota has the reputation of being an exclusively agricultural state, a bulletin issued by the census bureau shows the manufacturing products of that state in 1909 to have been \$19,150,000. There were 27 establishments employing a capital of \$11,584,000. About 3,500 officers, clerks and workmen were employed and \$2,422,000 was paid in salaries and wages.



We Stood Petrified for an Instant.

you had added to the general merriment by falling downstairs and breaking your neck?"

"What are you driving at?" she demanded. "You are sea-green, Kit. What's the matter? You needn't think I mind because Jim has a jollification to celebrate his divorce."

"It was Takahiro—in the ambulance," I blurted. "Smallpox. We—Bella, we are shut in, quarantined."

"Every little quarrel is an apple knocked from the tree of love," she announced oratorically.

"This was a very little quarrel," Jim said, edging toward the door; "a green apple, Aunt Selma, a colicky little green apple." But she was not to be diverted.

"Bella," she said severely, "you said you loathed him. You didn't mean that."

"But I do!" I cried hysterically. "There isn't any word to tell how I—how I detest him."

Then I swept past them all and flew to Bella's dressing room and locked myself in. Aunt Selma knocked until she was tired, then gave up and went to bed.

"That was the night Anne Browne's pearl collar was stolen!" (TO BE CONTINUED.)

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Some Do. In Brooklyn a few weeks ago a Sunday school teacher asked his class of hopefuls this rather debatable question: "Who will tell me what is the chief end of man?"

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Had His Uses. "You don't make very good music with that instrument," said the innocent bystander to the man behind the bass drum as the band ceased to play.

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PERSONAL MENTION.

R. B. Waltrous spent Monday in Detroit.

Miss Ella Slimmer was in Ann Arbor Sunday.

Clyde Anderson was a Jackson visitor Saturday.

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

H. Bishop and J. Elwort spent Saturday in Ann Arbor.

Austin Keenan, of Detroit, was a Chelsea visitor Sunday.

H. J. Schieferstein, of Charlotte, is a Chelsea visitor today.

W. L. Thompson spent several days of this week in Chicago.

Miss Emma Hoffstetter visited Ann Arbor friends Saturday.

Mrs. Delavan of Alma, spent Saturday with Mrs. Sarah Shaver.

Miss Tressa Orr, of Jackson, spent Sunday with Chelsea friends.

Miss Rose Donahue, of Ypsilanti, visited friends here Sunday.

Carl Wagner, of Ypsilanti, spent Sunday with his parents here.

Miss Jennie Geddes, of Tecumseh, spent Sunday with her parents here.

Miss Jennie Walker was the guest of Jackson friends Saturday and Sunday.

Jacob Hummel and daughter Genevieve were Manchester visitors Sunday.

Miss Merry Shaw, of Ypsilanti, spent Friday evening with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Brown, of Ann Arbor, were guests of relatives here Monday.

Mrs. Tracy Watkins, of Jackson, was the guest of Mrs. J. L. Gilbert Monday.

Mrs. W. H. Hamilton, of Jackson, was the guest of Chelsea friends Wednesday.

Mesdames E. H. Chandler and A. Johnson visited friends in Dexter Wednesday.

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

Miss Mary Stimson, of Lansing, was the guest of Chelsea relatives Sunday and Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Schieferstein and daughter, Flora, spent Sunday with Mrs. A. Taylor, of Dexter.

Mrs. Jas. Geddes returned home Friday after spending two weeks with her daughter in Tecumseh.

Misses Edith and Alta Shaw, of Ypsilanti, were guests of their sister, Mrs. Ralph Freeman, Sunday.

George H. Mitchell returned to Chicago Monday after spending the past week with Chelsea friends.

Mrs. Adolph Eisen and children, of Detroit, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Wackenhut.

Mrs. Clara Stapish, who has been spending several weeks with her children in Echo, Colorado, arrived home today.

Mrs. Mary Winans, who has been spending the past month with her son William in Lansing, returned home Monday.

Mrs. H. J. Dancer and daughters, Dorothy and Helen, spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Michael Schenk in Sylvan.

Mrs. E. A. Raymond has returned to her home in Chicago after spending several weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Ahnemiller.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Clancey and daughter, Mrs. Ellen Burke and daughter and Miss Rie Aerlich, of Ann Arbor, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Tommy McNamara.

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CHURCH CIRCLES

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CONGREGATIONAL. Rev. M. L. Grant, Pastor. Morning service at 10 a. m. Sermon subject "The Enthusiasm of Jesus." A kindergarten for small children will be conducted during the preaching service.

Sunday school at 11 a. m. Young People's meeting at 6 p. m. Union evening service.

SALEM GERMAN M. E. CHURCH, NEAR FRANCISCO. Rev. J. E. Beal, Pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Devotional meeting at 10:30 a. m. Epworth League meeting at 7 p. m. Leader, Miss Martha Riemschneider. This will be the only meeting of the evening. The pastor will be in Detroit on Sunday but will again occupy the pulpit the following Sunday.

BAPTIST. Rev. F. I. Blanchard, Pastor. Preaching service at 10 a. m. Bible school at 11 a. m. Meeting for men only in the Baptist church at 2:30 p. m. Union Young People's meeting of the Epworth League and B. Y. P. U. in the M. E. church at 6:15 p. m. Union evangelistic meeting in the M. E. church at 7 p. m. Union evangelistic meetings in the M. E. church every week day except Saturday at 7:15 p. m. Everybody is invited.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL. Rev. J. W. Campbell, Pastor. Preaching next Sunday at 10 a. m. Bible study at 11 a. m. Men's meeting at 2:30 p. m. Union meeting at 7 p. m. Evangelistic services continued during the week. Prayer meetings are being held at 2:30 p. m. during the week at the homes. Three prayer meetings a day, and these meetings will be continued.

THE EVANGELISTIC MEETINGS. The attendance at the union service in the city hall on Sunday evening was large, nearly every seat being occupied. Mr. Brew conducted the singing, and a very pleasing feature in the service was when the leader called on little Miss Ruth Hendry to stand on her chair and sing to the congregation the chorus of the "Glory" song. This she did perfectly, much to the delight of the large congregation. The sermon by Rev. E. A. Johnston was both instructive and eloquent and left a deep impression on the listeners. All the services have been very effective and interesting and the general public could not do better than to attend them. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

Evangelist E. D. Johnston will speak to "Men Only" and boys of twelve or over, at the Baptist church on Sunday afternoon at 2:30. Subject of address, "Chickens Come Home to Roost."

In the evening at 7 there will be a mass meeting for everybody at the M. E. church. Members of the G. A. B. and W. R. C. are cordially invited to attend this service as guests of honor. The evangelist will preach on the subject, "Heroes and Cowards." We are glad to note that the meetings are growing in interest and power from night to night. On Thursday night the topic will be "The baneful effect of the theatre and the curse of cards" and on Friday night, "The dance and its attendant evils."

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CORRESPONDENCE.

LYNDON CENTER. Scott Scripser is cutting wood for H. McKune.

Oscar Ulrich was in Detroit on business Saturday.

John Young bought a work horse from Arthur May last week.

Edward Fallon spent a few days the past week with friends in Chelsea.

Miss Alma Barton, who is teaching in Lima, spent Sunday last at home here.

Owen McIntee and sister Irene spent last Sunday with friends in Jackson.

Henry Leek spent a few days last week with his sister, Mrs. Spencer Howlett.

Mrs. Ransdel, of White Oak, spent a few days last week with her brother Wm. Howlett.

Herbert Ready, of west Waterloo, spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. M. Harker.

A few of the young people from here attended a skating party at the Gregory rink on Friday evening last.

Leo McKune and Mamie Wälz, of Chelsea, visited with Louis McKune and sisters, Anna and Cecelia, on Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Barton and Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Howlett attended a meeting of the Ladies Aid Society at the home of Mrs. D. Collins near Waterloo on Tuesday last.

SHARON NEWS.

Ira Lehman, of Ann Arbor, spent Sunday at home.

Miss Edith Smitz, spent last Saturday in Jackson.

Theodore Jacobs, of Detroit, visited his parents last Thursday.

M. N. Lehman, of Williamston, visited relatives here recently.

A. Cooper was taken seriously ill Sunday night but is much better at present.

Mrs. D. M. Alvord is spending some time at Iron Creek helping care for her grandchildren.

Gorden and Derwood Henston, spent Saturday and Sunday at the home of Russel Ordway.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Breitenwischer, of Bridgewater, visited at the home of H. J. Reno Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bruestle and children spent last Thursday at the home of George Klumpp of Francisco.

John Andrews died Sunday morning and his funeral was held at the Sharon Center church on Tuesday, Rev. Hill of Manchester officiating. Mr. Andrews served in the civil war and has lived here ever since the close of the rebellion.

FRANCISCO NOTES.

C. Lehman was a Sharon visitor Sunday.

Velma Richards spent Saturday in Chelsea.

Mrs. E. J. Notten spent Saturday in Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Kern spent Sunday at the home of P. Youngs.

Martin Euper, of Woodland, visited relatives here the first of the week.

Lawrence Sargeant, of Jackson, was a guest of H. Harvey several days last week.

Rev. Hartman Bau, of Saginaw, occupied the pulpit of the German M. E. church Sunday.

Ten ladies from here went to Chelsea Friday and gave Mrs. P. Schweinfurth a birthday surprise.

The Waterloo Cleaners will have their next meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Miller on March 2d.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Harvey and children attended a surprise party of the former's sister near Boot's Station.

The neighbors gave Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Schweinfurth a surprise party Monday evening and presented them with a parlor table.

H. J. Musbach, H. Harvey, H. G. Lehman with their wives attended the funeral of their uncle, Martin Musbach, near Grass Lake, Sunday.

WATERLOO DOINGS.

Born, February 10, 1911, to Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Rentschler, a son.

Mrs. D. Finch, of Henrietta, spent the past week with Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Vicary.

Mr. and Mrs. D. N. Collins gave a dinner party to twelve friends on February 14, the occasion being the 20th anniversary of their marriage.

The photographs taken at E. J. Fletcher's and Otto Hoppe's auctions are on sale at H. H. Fenn & Co. store. The Standard "Want" adv. give results. Try them.

LIMA CENTER NEWS.

John Steinbach was in Ann Arbor Monday.

James McLaren spent Sunday in Chelsea.

George Mitchell, of Chicago, called on Lima friends Sunday.

Beulah Luick spent Saturday and Sunday at North Lake with Miss Mildred Daniels.

Miss Eva Freer, of Ann Arbor, was the guest of Miss Ola Hammond Saturday night and Sunday.

Mrs. Stella Wilson has been spending a few days at Northville with her daughter, Mrs. Bertha Clark.

Mrs. Ella Eaton has been spending the past week near Belleville where she was called by the death of her brother.

SUGAR LOAF LAKE.

Mr. and Mrs. D. N. Collins entertained the Visiting Club Tuesday.

D. N. Collins, of Detroit, is spending this week with his family here.

Sylvia Runciman spent Saturday and Sunday at the home of L. Guinan.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Rowe entertained the Swastika Club Tuesday evening.

Charles Daily and daughter, Adorna, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Rowe.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Beeman are spending this week with Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Beeman and family.

Invitations are out announcing the marriage of Miss Ethel Lee and Mr. George Rowe, both of Lyndon.

George Grealge is making arrangements to move from the Martin Howe farm to the farm of Mrs. Geo. A. Runciman.

Auction.

Mrs. Edwin A. Dancer having decided to rent her farm will sell at public auction, on her premises, known as the Edwin A. Dancer farm, five miles east of Chelsea, ten miles west of Ann Arbor, on the electric line, Tuesday, February 28, 1911, commencing at 10 o'clock a. m. the following personal property: Span of bay geldings, weight 32000, eight and nine years old; span of yearling colts, two yearling steers, two-year old heifer, Jersey cow eligible to register, will be fresh the last of April. Sixteen Black Top ewes, seven Black Top ewe lambs, one registered Black Top ram, fifty chickens and a complete line of farming tools. Every thing goes without reserve, no side bidding. Hot lunch and hot coffee served at noon. E. W. Daniels, auctioneer, A. J. Easton, clerk.

John Mohrlock's lease having expired on the Edward L. Easton farm, he will sell all of his personal property at public auction on the premises, 3 1/2 miles south-west of Dexter, and 80 rods north of electric road, on Thursday, February 23, 1911, commencing at 9 o'clock a. m., the following property: One bay mare, weight 1490; one buckskin mare, weight 1500; one black mare, weight 1300; one bay gelding, weight 1200. One Durham cow, eight years old; one Hereford cow, six years old; one half Jersey cow, five years old; one yearling bull. Thirty-seven Black Top ewes, due in march; thirty-two Black Top ewe lambs; thirty Black Top fat lambs; one ram. Four sows, six shoats and about thirty chickens. Line of farming implements. All of his household goods. Good lunch and hot coffee at noon. F. D. Merrithew, auctioneer, Otto Luick, clerk.

"Bright Eyes."

Rewriting a popular farce into a musical comedy was an experiment three years ago which proved enormously successful when "Three Twins" was made from the farce "Inocog."

The musical version of the farce was immediately popular, and ever since has been the most successful entertainment of its kind on the road.

Joseph M. Gaites, the producer of "Three Twins," now announces a successor to that play in "Bright Eyes," a new musical play by the same authors. "Bright Eyes" is a musicalization of "Mistakes Will Happen," one of the most popular farces of recent years. It was used as a starring vehicle a long time by Charles Dickson, who has made the book for the new play, and who has been assisted by Otto Hauerbach and Karl Hoschna, respectively the lyricist and composer of "Three Twins." Mr. Gaites has engaged a very strong company for the new play, headed by Cecil Lean and Florence Holbrook, and has supplied a very large chorus, every member of which can sing and dance as well as look pretty. The same superb mounting and gorgeous costuming, together with novel and elaborate mechanical and electric effects, will again be seen. Mr. Gaites believes that "Bright Eyes" will prove as delightful and pleasing as "Three Twins," "Girl of My Dreams" and "Madame Sherry." The new play will be seen at the Whitney theatre for a return engagement, matinee and night, February 22.

ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

The Chelsea Land Co. have three houses on their Grantwood addition enclosed.

The signs on the factory buildings have been changed to the Flanders Manufacturing Co.

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Attorney General O. B. Fuller told the supervisors at their state association meeting that there are enough bills before the legislature to provide for a tax levy of \$15,000,000 during the next two years if all of them pass. He says the present assessed valuation of property is not high enough, that it ought to be raised to \$2,000,000,000, which is \$300,000,000 higher than the present valuation.

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The wife of a prominent southern statesman tells a story of her ancient colored cook, who took a liking to every article of apparel in her mistress' wardrobe. It was "please give me this" and "please give me that," until the lady took a trip to St. Louis and had in a generous supply of hosiery and underwear and outer garments for the old mammy. The gifts were received with gratitude, but presently the cook was at her old tricks, asking for stockings, aprons and wrappers. "What did you do with all those things I brought you from St. Louis?" demanded her employer.

"Why, missis," answered the woman, "I couldn't use them things. Not for nothing, I am saving them all to be buried in."

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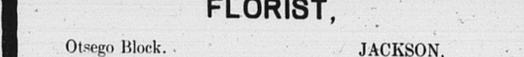
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### LOCAL ITEMS.

Matt. Alber is confined to his home by illness.

Miss Kathryn Hooker left Tuesday for Detroit, where she will spend this week on business.

The County Farmers' Institute for the county will be held at Ypsilanti February 17 and 18.

B. B. Turnbull has rented the flat over Eppler's market and will convert it into rooming apartments.

The summer session of the University of Michigan will this year extend from July 3 to August 25.

C. J. Heschelwerdt of Sharon has purchased the Yocum property on South street of Mrs. A. VanTyne.

Miss Mary H. Haab left Monday for the east where she will purchase her stock of spring and summer millinery.

Mrs. Cyrus Updike is reported as being seriously ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. S. P. Foster, on Park street.

Mrs. F. I. Blanchard, who is in Dr. Peterson's private hospital at Ann Arbor, is reported as being considerably improved.

The engagement of Rev. A. A. Schoen of St. Paul's church and Miss Bertha Charlotte Pook of Dayton, Ohio, has been announced.

A team of bowlers came down from Jackson Tuesday evening and were taken into camp by the Chelsea boys, the latter winning every game.

Mrs. C. M. Stephens, who recently underwent an operation in the hospital at Ann Arbor, expects to return to her home on Friday of this week.

Martin Merkel of Sylvan has purchased of Mr. and Mrs. M. Alber and the Eminger heirs the store on Main street occupied by Hummel & Fahrner.

The Young Peoples' Society of the Baptist church will hold a sale of home baked goods at the store of Geo. H. Foster & Son on Saturday of this week.

Spring building operations soon will be under way, and the coming season promises to be a busy one, in town as well as the surrounding country.

Charles Ashley, of Detroit, who has been hunting rabbits in the vicinity of Pinckney for the past few days, was the guest of Tommy McNamara Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. James P. Wood, who have both ill for a number of weeks past, at the home of Mrs. James H. Runciman, have returned to their Detroit home.

P. G. Schaible, cashier of the Farmers & Merchants Bank, who has been ill for the last three weeks, returned to his work in the bank yesterday afternoon.

Invitations have been issued for a dancing party to be given in St. Mary's hall, on Friday evening of this week. Boos' orchestra, of Jackson, will furnish the music.

Married, Wednesday morning, February 15, 1911, in the Catholic church at Bunker Hill, Miss Agnes Cavender and Mr. George Winters. The groom was a former resident of this place.

The high board fence and closet in the rear of the McKune block is to be removed, and the alley cleaned up. This will make an improvement that will be highly appreciated by all of our citizens.

The Sylvan republicans will be entitled to 16 delegates to the county convention, and the democrats are entitled to 14 delegates. Both conventions will be held in Ann Arbor, on Monday, February 27th.

Mrs. E. R. Knapp of Saginaw has bought Dr. Caster's house on Penniman avenue. She does not take possession until about the first of June. Mr. Caster is uncertain at present where he will locate, but thinks of going to Detroit.—Plymouth Mail.

About 11 o'clock Sunday morning a horse belonging to Otto Weber, which was tied in front of Freeman's store broke loose and ran south on Main street as far as the residence of Carl Bagge where it turned into the yard and was caught. The buggy was slightly damaged.

John Fulford has sold his farm, just west of the village, to Ives Brothers. Consideration \$7,000. Mr. Fulford and family will move to Romulus, where they have purchased property. They have made many friends during their residence here, and their best wishes will go with them to their new home.

Ex-Sheriff Daniel Sutton was in Chelsea Wednesday on business.

Mrs. J. E. McKune entertained the Five Hundred Club Tuesday evening.

Born, Sunday, February 12, 1911, to Mr. and Mrs. Geo. P. Staffan, a son.

F. H. Belser has installed a handsome wall case installed in his hardware store.

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

Anna, young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dor Rogers is reported as being ill with scarlet fever.

Miss Hattie Dunn has accepted a position as telephone operator with the Flanders Manufacturing Co.

Dr. L. V. Riemenschneider has sold his dental practice in Three Rivers. He expects to locate in a larger city.

The dancing party given by the K. O. T. M. M., in the Sylvan theatre Tuesday evening was well attended.

M. Icheldinger, of Lima, is having a windmill erected on his farm. The work is being done by Geo. H. Foster & Son.

Jacob L. Klein, of Sharon, who recently sold his farm has purchased the Michael Kusterer premises in that township.

The Ladies' Research Club met at the home of Mrs. John Reilly, Monday evening. A Lincoln program was carried out.

Hon. W. W. Wedemeyer, of Ann Arbor, will address the McKinley banquets, of Norwalk, Ohio, on Tuesday evening, February 21st.

L. G. Palmer has taken the agency for the Regal Motor Car for Washtenaw and Jackson counties. He will make Chelsea his headquarters.

A special meeting of Olive Lodge, No. 156, F. & A. M., will be held on Tuesday evening, February 21st. The third degree will be exemplified.

The announcement of the illness of Master William deKam in the Standard last week should have read croup instead of whooping cough.

J. J. Baldwin, who has occupied the Jas. Runciman farm for the past year, is making arrangements to move to the Edward L. Easton farm in Lima.

The Young Peoples' Society of St. Paul's church held a valentine social at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Hinderer, on Tuesday evening of this week.

LeRoy Brower, who has been at the U. of M. hospital in Ann Arbor receiving treatment for his eyes, returned to his Chelsea home the last of the past week.

A number of young people gave a bowling party at Seitz Bros. alleys Wednesday evening. The high score records were not broken, but there was plenty of fun.

Mrs. H. H. Stocking has rented her farm in Lima to George Hoffman. Mrs. Stocking will have an auction sale of her personal property on the premises Friday, March 3.

A regular meeting of Excelsior Degree, No. 34, L. O. T. M. M., will be held Tuesday evening, February 21st at 7 o'clock. Every member is requested to be present. Initiation.

The marriage of Miss Myrta L. Boyce, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Boyce, of Lyndon, to Dr. R. B. Howlett, of Caro, takes place at the home of the bride's parents, Wednesday evening, February 22d.

Miss Francis Steele has been promoted to the position of day operator in the local exchange of the Michigan Telephone Exchange. Miss Garnet Pierce has been appointed as night operator to fill the place vacated by Miss Steele.

The county convention of the Modern Woodmen of America, which is held once in three years, will take place in Manchester, Wednesday, April 5th. At this time two delegates will be chosen to represent the county at the state convention which will be held at Sault Ste Marie.

The funeral of George Widmayer was held at his home in Sharon at 1 o'clock Sunday afternoon. The deceased, who was 78 years of age, was a resident of Michigan for fifty-nine years, spending thirty-nine years in Sharon. He leaves a wife and six children—three sons and three daughters.

The time limit for the filing of petitions for circuit judge expired Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Five petitions have been received by County Clerk Miller. On the democratic ticket Arthur Brown and John Dwyer have filed their petitions, and on the republican ticket Judge Klane, Frank A. Stivers and Frank E. Jones.

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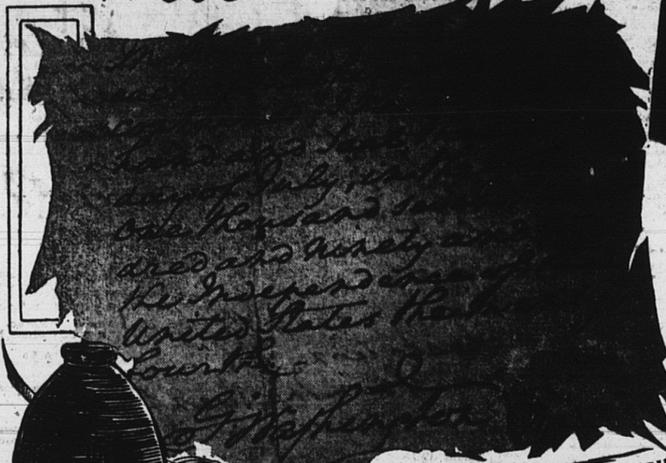
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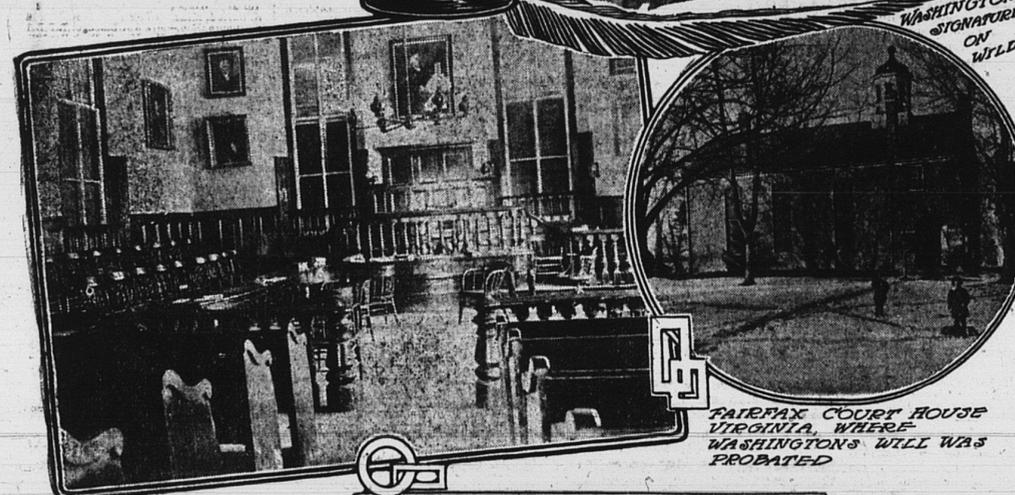
# Restoring George Washington's Will

**T**HE last will and testament of George Washington—perhaps the most precious and the most interesting of all the relics of the Father of His Country—has recently been saved to the nation. Moreover this rescue of the most significant document penned by our first president took place just in the nick of time. A few years more and the country might have had to mourn the loss of this priceless souvenir just as it has been mourning these many years past the disappearance of the original penned drafts of some of the famous speeches delivered by some of our most famous men on historic occasions.

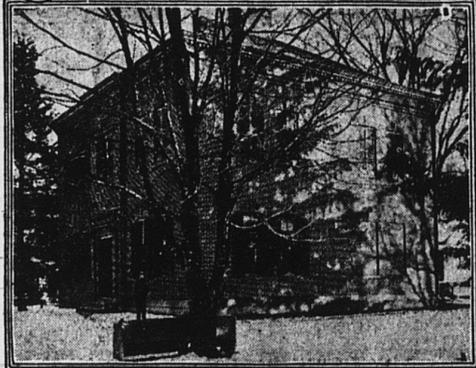
It was not, in the present case, that fire or theft threatened the Washington relic—although it must be admitted that there is a possibility of loss by either of these means so long as it remains in its present depository. However, the destructive agent that recently aroused some of the nation's most prominent officials to the peril of the Washington will is nothing less than the ravages of time. Until



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attempt to sew delicate sheets of paper, it transpired that subsequent handlings of the sewed threads had caused the paper and ultimately the pages were literally in shreds. All the while the relic was on display in an ordinary wooden box with a glass cover which permitted the will to be constantly exposed to the light while on exhibition at the county seat of Fairfax county and which would probably have faded out the handwriting entirely had not the document been penned with an exceptional quality of ink.

It was at this juncture that the government officials who volunteered their services were allowed to take a hand to save the wreck. The work of restoration was placed in the hands of a federal expert who has made a life work of the saving of damaged papers and manuscripts. He devoted weeks to the work and what he has wrought is little short of a miracle. In so far as the casual observer can detect the will is in practically the same condition as it was when it left the hands of its distinguished author. It is only when a page is held to the light that one realizes that, technically, the document is but a ghost of its former self.

All sorts of obstacles were encountered in connection with the restoration of the will. It was at first planned to have the odd salvage work undertaken by the department of state, the manuscript surgeons of which branch of the government had already worked wonders with the Constitution of the United States, the Declaration of Independence and other documents. However, in order to get the benefit of the skill of the state department's ex-

perts it would be necessary to remove the will to Washington for the interim while the work of restoration was in progress, and the county officials at Fairfax who had the say in the matter refused flat-footed to allow the document to leave Virginia.

It looked for a time as though this might block the whole plan, but finally the officials of the library of congress, who have on their staff a manuscript surgeon almost as skillful as the one at the state department, offered to send this wizard to Fairfax Courthouse and have him carry on the work there. This was done and the outcome has been as satisfactory as though the work of rejuvenation had been conducted in the well-equipped plant at the national capital. However, there were many handicaps and not the least of these was found in the necessity for transporting to Fairfax a heavy press and other paraphernalia needed for the intricate piecing of the torn and ragged pages and mounting them on the cardboard mounts, one of which has been provided for each page of the will.

Unquestionably the gratifying success which has attended this attempt to restore the Washington will to the appearance it bore one hundred years ago has been due in no small measure to the aid afforded by a number of blank sheets of paper made especially for George Washington and watermarked with his name. When the government officials first inspected the torn and tattered will with a view to applying their ingenious "first aid" treatment they at once realized that an inordinate amount of piecing and patching would be necessary and they were in a quandary where to obtain material that would match the original, for, of course, the will was written on very distinctive paper, and to patch it with ordinary paper of present-day manufacture would have resulted in only partially concealing the wounds made by time and careless hands.

There was a long search for paper that could be used with confidence that no person examining the restored document without the aid of a magnifying glass could tell where the original left off and a patch began. Finally the officials discovered in a second-hand bookstore in Washington a number of sheets of the writing paper which General Washington had manufactured especially for his personal use and this paper was used wherever new tissue had to be grafted on the original document, with the result that the appearance of the original has been simulated so as to defy detection. Each sheet of the will has been so backed or mounted upon "crepe paper" that it will stand any reasonable amount of handling and the ink of the will has been "set" so that there is little danger of further fading.

However, for all that the precious document has been put in condition to stand another century of strenuous existence if need be, it is not likely that it will ever again be called upon to suffer such neglect or abuse as in the past. The county officials who are the custodians of the will appear to be aroused to the necessity of giving it more intelligent care than it enjoyed in years gone by. To that end the pages of the will have been bound in the form of a book with handsome red levant cover and a special fireproof, burglar-proof steel safe, made specially for the purpose under the supervision of the government officials will henceforth be the repository of this relic.

The attention which this restoration of the will is receiving is expected to result in the visits in future of considerable numbers of tourists and sightseers to Fairfax Courthouse, the Virginia hamlet where the will has its home—the more so since this historic spot can now be reached by trolley from the national capital. The county seat of the county where Washington lived and died has many picturesque landmarks not the least interesting of which is the old courthouse in which Washington's will was probated and which presents today the same appearance that it did on that historic day more than a century ago. The will is not kept in the courthouse but in the office of the clerk of the court, which occupies a separate building. The work of restoring the Washington will, had it been entrusted to any manuscript surgeon outside the government service—and there are only a few such in the country—would have cost \$200 to \$300 at least and it is probable that several times the latter sum might have been demanded for the service for which the government made no charge.

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within the past few months the public at large did not know of the whereabouts of the Washington will, it indeed it even knew of the existence of the paper. However, the officials of the state department and the library of congress knew its resting place in an obscure county courthouse in Virginia, and whereas they realized the futility of their ambition to ever get permission to transfer it to Washington, where it ought to repose as a great national relic, they still had sufficient interest in it to keep a watchful eye on it, so to speak.

Some months ago it suddenly came to the ears of these interested parties that the will—long known to be in a poor state of preservation—was in imminent danger of going utterly to ruin. Obviously quick action and heroic measures were necessary and thereupon there was inaugurated that project which has lately witnessed the complete restoration of the will by means of a miracle of manuscript surgery and document restoration carried on by the greatest experts in the country in this highly specialized line of work.

Persons who are at all conversant with the care with which Uncle Sam fosters and safeguards all the important state and private papers of historical value that are in his keeping—for instance, the Declaration of Independence which is never even exposed to light—may naturally marvel that so priceless a trophy as the will of Washington should have been allowed to fall into decay. The explanation is found in the fact, above noted, that the will is not and never has been in the possession of the federal government. It was filed for probate in the year 1800 at the county seat of the county in Virginia where Washington resided and in that state it has remained ever since. A century of wear and tear might be expected to play havoc with almost any document and at times during this cycle the Washington relic saw some rather rough handling for so fragile an object. During the

Civil war, for example, it was carried to Richmond for safe keeping and came near being lost entirely in the confusion that attended the fall of the Confederacy.

However, the worst experience of all came only a few years ago and resulted from an error of judgment on the part of the custodians of the will, who supposed that they were acting for the best. It had come about that as a result of the handling of the will the pinning together of the 23 pages and the wear along the lines of the creases in which it had been folded almost every one of the sheets was completely severed through the middle. The persons in charge of the will realized in a vague sort of way that something ought to be done and they finally hit upon the plan of sewing together the severed sections of each sheet.

When the government officials and other prominent men interested in all existing mementoes of George Washington heard what had been done they were all but ready to weep. As though it were not bad enough to

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## Temples of Babylon

The Deutsche Orient-Gesellschaft gives an interesting account of the past year's excavation work in three different parts of Babylon. In the town quarter known as Kasr were laid bare several hundred meters of a wall about 35 feet thick, broken by numerous door openings which were originally flanked by towers. The most interesting find here was a coffin of burned clay, on the lid of which was a relief of a bearded head.

Near the north wall of the quarter known as Sakh was discovered a system of drains, built of brick, laid in asphalt. Here were also found several fragments of tablets with cuneiform inscriptions from the time of Nebuchadnezzar. This discovery enabled the excavators to complete fragmentary tablets discovered some time before.

The legend proved to refer to the building of the Ziggurat, the temple tower of Babylon. The beginning reads as follows: "Nebuchadnezzar, king of Babylon, reverend of the great

gods, establisher of Esagila and Ezida, son of Nabopolassar, of the king of Babylon, am I. When Marduk, the great lord, elevated my head I abased myself reverently before Marduk, the god who created me."

After this Nebuchadnezzar goes on to boast that he made the temple "brilliant as the day with bitumen and blue glittering bricks" and that for the same end he has had mighty cedars prepared. The inscription ends with Nebuchadnezzar's prayer that Marduk will reward his pious deeds by granting him "eternal days."

Work was also carried on at the town wall built by Nabonid, the last king of Babylon, who reigned 555-539 B. C. About 400 meters of this wall were uncovered. The wall is about 25 feet thick and has a tower every 60 feet.

The main gate lies in the line of the great Babylonian procession street. The pavement of the procession street at this point is

perfectly preserved. It is constructed of two or three layers of bricks set in asphalt and covered with a thick coating of asphalt.

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UP TO ALFRED.



She—I know, Alfred, I have my faults. He—Oh, certainly. She (angrily)—Indeed? Perhaps you'll tell me what they are!

Simplicity of Expression. A story was told on Martin Lomasney at the Cape Cod commercial travelers' dinner by Representative Pope of Leominster. Last season Lomasney was seen talking to some one in one of the corridors, and as I passed I heard these words: "Shall I write him?" "No," said Lomasney; "never write a thing when you can talk, and never talk when you can nod your head."—Boston Record.

HEREDITY Can Be Overcome in Cases.

The influence of heredity cannot, of course, be successfully disputed, but it can be minimized or entirely overcome in some cases by correct food and drink. A Conn. lady says:

"For years while I was a coffee drinker I suffered from bilious attacks of great severity, from which I used to emerge as white as a ghost and very weak. Our family physician gave me various prescriptions for improving the digestion and stimulating the liver, which I tried faithfully but without perceptible result.

"He was acquainted with my family history for several generations back, and once when I visited him he said: 'If you have inherited one of those torpid livers you may always suffer more or less from its inaction. We can't dodge our inheritance, you know.'

"I was not so strong a believer in heredity as he was, however, and, beginning to think for myself, I concluded to stop drinking coffee, and see what effect that would have. I feared it would be a severe trial to give it up, but when I took Postum and had it well made, it completely filled my need for a hot beverage and I grew very fond of it.

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CONSUMERS ARE FOR RECIPROcity

President Receives Stacks of Letters Endorsing the Pact With Canada.

USES THEM AS AN ARGUMENT

Opponents of the Agreement Retort by Citing Appeals From the Small Manufacturers—Bill to Reorganize Consular Service Approved.

By GEORGE CLINTON.

Washington—Uncle Sam's mail carriers who have the White House on their route are heavily burdened these days with letters of endorsement of the administration's position on Canadian reciprocity. Mr. Taft is directing the attention of senators and representatives who call to the piles of appeals from "ultimate consumers," and is telling his visitors that the sight of them ought to be better than any argument he can make to secure legislative sanction of the agreement with Canada.

Some of the visitors retort by telling the president that they are getting just as many letters upholding the other side of the question. Then the president retorts in kind by saying that his letters come from the consumer while the other letters come from the producer, and that the producer has had all the best of protection and that now it is time to give the consumer a chance.

The retorts do not stop here, for the members tell the chief executive it is the small producers from whom they are hearing, not the men who are allied with the great "interests," but the ones who are trying to make livings for themselves and who would not know a "trust" if they saw it across a country road.

Reciprocity with Canada still hangs in the balance. No one knows what its fate will be in the senate, even if it should succeed in getting through the house. Each side has a complete battery and a magazine full of ammunition to use in defense of its cause. The president is hopeful and so are the men who have opposed the president's views. Today it is anybody's battle.

Escorts Grandson to Senate.

A day or two ago Senator Davis Elkins of West Virginia, who was appointed to succeed his father, the late Stephen B. Elkins, came on to the floor of the senate arm in arm with former Senator Henry Gasaway Davis, for whom the present senator is named. Mr. Davis is Senator Elkins's grandfather and he had come to the senate, as he jocularly expressed it, to see how his grandson was getting along, but he added: "I know that he will not vote to suit me on any question, for he is a dyed-in-the-wool Republican and I am a rock-ribbed Democrat."

It seems probable that N. P. Bryan will be the new United States senator from the state of Florida. Mr. Bryan is a brother of a former United States senator from Florida, who died in office, William Bryan. When the brother took the oath of office he was the youngest man in the senate chamber, a fine looking, alert man whose physical strength seemed able to resist an attack of any disease, and yet within a few short weeks of his appearance on the floor of the senate death claimed him.

The elder senators took with extraordinary kindness to their young colleague. His was an appealing personality, and notwithstanding the short time which he served and the consequent shortness of his acquaintance with his colleagues, his death came to them as a shock. Many an aged senator, knowing that his time of world's service was rapidly drawing to a close, must have looked at young Bryan with something like envy, and yet his death was the first which occurred among the senate membership during the long session of the year in which the young man entered office.

Consular Bill Likely to Pass.

A bill for the reorganization of the consular service of the United States has been approved by Secretary Knox and is likely to pass the house at the present session. When the administration has its way the consular service will be lifted entirely out of politics, and it may be that senators and representatives, although they have looked to the service for places for political favorites, will halt the day when civil service rules in the foreign offices of the government.

When Senator Root was secretary of state he established certain regulations to provide for merit promotion in the consular service. He could not give the force of law to his regulations, but President Roosevelt backed them up by an executive order which gave them additional standing and authority.

When Secretary Knox came into office he extended the civil service regulations of his predecessor and secured order to help him enforce his rules. As things are at present in the state department young men are given an opportunity to enter the consular service without the necessity of securing political influence. Examinations are held frequently and the successful candidates are put on the waiting list,

ARCHBISHOP RYAN DEAD

Was Confined to His Room for a Long Time With Heart Trouble.

Rev. Patrick John Ryan, archbishop of Philadelphia and Metropolitan of Pennsylvania, died at the archiepiscopal residence in Philadelphia.

The members of the immediate family of Archbishop Ryan were at the bedside when he passed away. They included his sisters, Mrs. Edward Bowen, of Philadelphia, and Mrs. James Maguire, of Boston.

Archbishop Ryan was confined to his room with heart trouble due to overwork and advanced years, from Thanksgiving day last year until Christmas day, when he insisted, despite the orders of his physicians, following his usual custom of celebrating high mass in the cathedral.

Sunday, Jan. 8, he also insisted on appearing at the memorial service for the 13 firemen who were killed in the Bodine street fire.

"I gave my promise and I am going to keep it. Besides I want to go," he declared when his friends tried to dissuade him.

Since that day he has been seriously ill and two weeks ago his condition was regarded as critical, although this was not known to the public until several days later.

Woman Held On Murder Charge.

As a result of the death of Laura Case, of Deckerville, her sister, Mary Case Landon, is under arrest, charged with murder.

Laura Case died under circumstances which prompted an investigation. A post mortem examination was held by three local physicians, and showed that there was a fracture of the skull which had undoubtedly been the cause of death.

Famous Custer Escot Dead.

Maj. Farnham W. Lyon, famous as the personal scout of Gen. Custer, died at his home in the Bancroft hotel of a general breakdown. He was 89 years old.

Maj. Lyon had been failing in health for several years. For more than half a century he had been the proprietor of the Bancroft hotel, although for many years he had no active part in the management of that Saginaw hostelry.

Extra Premiums at State Fair.

Any Michigan exhibitor in the live stock classes at the state fair this year will receive 20 per cent more than the regular premium in all classes that he wins with stock which he has bred.

THE MARKETS.

DETROIT—Cattle—Market active and 15 to 25¢ higher than last week. We quote best steers and heifers, \$6; steers and heifers, 1,000 to 1,200, \$5.50@5.75; steers and heifers, 800 to 1,000, \$5.25@5.50; steers and heifers that are fat, 500 to 700, \$4.50@5.50; choice fat cows, \$4.50@4.75; good fat cows, \$4.00@4.25; common fat cows, \$3.50@3.75; fat heifers, \$2.75@3.00; choice heavy bulls, \$4.75; fair to good bologna, \$4.25@4.50; stock pigs, \$2.50@3.00; milkers, \$3.00; young medium age, \$4.00@4.50; common milkers, \$2.50@3.00.

Grains, Etc. DETROIT—Wheat—Cash No. 2 red, 93 3/4¢; No. 3 red, 92 3/4¢; No. 4 red, 91 3/4¢; No. 1 white, 94 3/4¢; No. 2 white, 93 3/4¢; No. 3 white, 92 3/4¢; No. 4 white, 91 3/4¢; No. 1 yellow, 94 3/4¢; No. 2 yellow, 93 3/4¢; No. 3 yellow, 92 3/4¢; No. 4 yellow, 91 3/4¢; No. 1 white, 94 3/4¢; No. 2 white, 93 3/4¢; No. 3 white, 92 3/4¢; No. 4 white, 91 3/4¢.

Beans—Cash, \$1.97; March, \$2.00; May, \$2.05; July, \$2.10; September, \$2.15; December, \$2.20; No. 1 white, \$1.95; No. 2 white, \$1.90; No. 3 white, \$1.85; No. 4 white, \$1.80; No. 1 yellow, \$1.95; No. 2 yellow, \$1.90; No. 3 yellow, \$1.85; No. 4 yellow, \$1.80.

Cloves—Prime spot, \$3.85; No. 1, \$3.80; No. 2, \$3.75; No. 3, \$3.70; No. 4, \$3.65; No. 5, \$3.60; No. 6, \$3.55; No. 7, \$3.50; No. 8, \$3.45; No. 9, \$3.40; No. 10, \$3.35; No. 11, \$3.30; No. 12, \$3.25; No. 13, \$3.20; No. 14, \$3.15; No. 15, \$3.10; No. 16, \$3.05; No. 17, \$3.00; No. 18, \$2.95; No. 19, \$2.90; No. 20, \$2.85.

Flour—Best Michigan patent, \$5.75; ordinary patent, \$4.95; straight, \$4.85; clear, \$4.45; pure rye, \$4.35; spring patent, \$6.95 per 100 lbs.

Condition of Miss Clara Barton, the venerable founder of the Red Cross, who has been ill with bronchitis at her home in Glen Echo, Md., a suburb of Washington, has so greatly improved that Dr. J. B. Hubbell, of Glen Echo, regards her out of danger.

In fulfillment of a compact made with her husband during his lingering illness, which death ended, Mrs. Lyon's own life after having faithfully shot her 14-year-old son George. The compact, dated about a month back, was found by the coroner in a sealed envelope in the woman's room.

HER TROUBLE.



She—How's your wife? He—Her head troubles her a good deal. She—Neuralgia? He—No; she wants a new hat.

Runs on the Bank of England.

Even the Bank of England has not been entirely free from runs nor from the necessity of saving itself by strategy. In 1745, for instance, it was forced to employ agents to present notes, which were paid as slowly as possible in sippets, the cash being immediately brought in by another door and paid in again, while anxious holders of notes vainly tried to secure attention. In 1825, too, only the accidental discovery of 700,000 £1 notes saved the bank from stopping payment.—London Chronicle.

As a Reminder.

His Wife—John, do you remember what took place just three years ago today? Her Husband—What? Is this our wedding anniversary? His Wife—No. Three years ago today you bought me a new hat.—Harper's Bazar.

CURED HER BABY OF ECZEMA

"I can't tell in words how happy the word 'Cuticura' sounds to me, for it cured my baby of itching, torturing eczema. It first came when she was between three and four weeks old, appearing on her head. I used every-thing imaginable and had one doctor's bill after another, but nothing cured it. Then the eczema broke out so badly behind her ear that I really thought her ear would come off. For months I doctored it but to no avail. Then it began at her nose and her eyes were nothing but sores. I had to keep her in a dark room for two weeks. The doctor did no good, so I stopped him coming.

"For about two weeks I had used Cuticura Soap for her every day, then I got a box of Cuticura Ointment and began to use that. In a week there was a marked improvement. In all I used two cakes of Cuticura Soap and one box of Cuticura Ointment and my baby was cured of the sores. This was last November; now her hair is growing out nicely and she has not a scar on her. I can not praise Cuticura enough; I can take my child anywhere and people are amazed to see her without a sore. From the time she was four weeks old until she was three years she was never without the terrible eruption, but now, thanks to Cuticura, I have a well child." (Signed) Mrs. H. E. Householder, 2004 Wilhelm St., Baltimore, Md., May 10, 1910.

Happiness grows at our own fire-side and is not to be picked in strangers' gardens.—Douglas Jerrold.

Knicker—Why do you think the burglar was a married man?

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**UNADILLA**—Mr. Ostrander of Unadilla expects to move to Stockbridge, where he will make his home. **STOCKBRIDGE**—Ed. Lantis has purchased 40 acres of land in Alabama, and has let the contract for a new house on same. He will move there in the near future.—Brief Sun.

**SALINE**—The Masonic fraternity of this place is planning a great event for the fore part of April when they will celebrate the fiftieth anniversary of Saline Lodge, No. 133. Plans are being made for a big time.—Observer

**YPSILANTI**—Peter Lee was sentenced to 20 days in jail by Justice Stadtmiller, of Ypsilanti, Saturday, for non-payment of fine imposed last October for assault and battery on a workman on the Bauer farm, near Ypsilanti. It was his second offense.

**ANN ARBOR**—The three eight inch wells now down on the Steere farm south of town each have a potential flow of 108,500 gallon a day. When the five have been put down that are contracted for the city will have a supply of 642,000 gallons a day.

**JACKSON**—Judgment was entered in the sum of \$1,250 in circuit court Tuesday in the case of Andrew Guiek against the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Railroad company, that being the amount agreed on between the parties in a settlement of the case. Guiek sued for damages for the loss of an eye.

**MANCHESTER**—The incorporation papers of the Manchester Creamery Company, of Manchester, are being recorded in the county clerk's office. The capital stock of the corporation is \$10,000, divided into 1,000 shares. Of this amount \$7,500 has been subscribed and \$4,000 actually paid. The company is incorporated for 20 years.

**MILAN**—Father Soest came over from Whittaker yesterday and closed the deal for the site selected last fall for the new Catholic church. The money was paid and the title to the ground is now in his possession. It is probable that the work of building will begin in the spring, although the date has not been definitely settled.—Leader.

**SCIO**—The next meeting of Scio Grange will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jedele, February 21st, in the evening, when the following program will be given: Opening song; recitation, Leon Jedele; reading, Miss Tillie Wagner; recitation, Esther Jedele. A drill in grange ritual by four members; music; question box. A surprise number by a committee of young people; music.

**TECUMSEH**—Ralph Blessing of this place was taken into the circuit court at Adrian Monday morning to answer to the charge of taking \$74 from the cash register at Art Pocklington's store. He had nothing to say about the matter before he was sentenced. Judge O'Mealey sentenced him to a five years maximum term at Ionia, minimum term two and one half years, with a recommendation of three years.—News.

**ANN ARBOR**—An attachment for \$500 has been sued out against James Gillard, proprietor of the Theatatorium on Liberty street, by the heirs of the late Dr. John Kapp. The matter will come before the circuit court probably in May. The \$500 includes back rent and money necessary to put the property back in the condition it was before being turned into a theatre. A new front will be built and it will be rented for store or office purposes.

**WEBSTER**—Miss Etta Stevens had a bad fall on the ice last Thursday night. Miss Stevens is a nurse and had been caring for the children of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Welch, of Dexter township. Stepping out of the door she slipped and fell injuring her spine and head so badly that at times she could not see and it was at first feared that her injuries would prove fatal. She was removed to the home of her sister, Mrs. William Eisle in west Webster.

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### HITTITE DEITY IN BRONZE

Statuette of Goddess is Discovered in Egypt Which May Be of the Time of Joseph.

From Cairo comes news of the discovery of a bronze statuette which may be of the time when Joseph was sold into Egypt. It seems to be the first discovered specimen of a Hittite deity executed in the round.

It represents a goddess standing upon the back of a lion, whose tongue is protruding and tail turned up. The goddess wears the Cappadocian or Hittite style of tiara and carries in her arms an infant held to the breast.

No features of the work denote an Egyptian artist, but all point to Syria, and it is almost a precise copy of the Hittite reliefs upon the ruined palaces at Boghas, Kenoi and elsewhere, in which the gods stand upon the backs of animals. The proportions given to the body and the arrangement of the hair are also Syrian, but the shoes have not the upturned toes usual with Hittite figures.

Should this statuette be accepted as of Hittite workmanship it will give support to the Old Testament statements as to the existence of Hittites in southern Palestine and will tend to show that the Hyksos or shepherd kings who reigned for centuries in North Egypt were Hittites or of an allied race.

### FAMILY BIBLE OBSOLETE

Publisher Says the Trade in That Once Popular Form of the Sacred Book is Dying Out.

A Philadelphia publishing house that makes a specialty of the sacred book says the family Bible trade is languishing. The Bible continues to be the best seller, but it is no longer the immense volume that stood on the parlor center table, and contained marvelous steel engravings of the tower of Babel and the fall of Nineveh, and had room for all the family records. The thing now is a thin paper student edition with flexible covers, concordance and notes and all suited to the overcoat pocket. It hasn't room for any family history, but it can be introduced into a stinky city flat without crowding the family.

The passing of the family Bible is significant of an interesting change in the keeping of vital statistics. Records of births, deaths and marriages have ceased to be a family and become a state function. It is done better and more completely than in the old days and the records are more useful to the public. That fact need not prevent our dropping a tear at the passing of an old cherished institution.—Success Magazine.

### That Did It

"The hardest audience in the world to play to is an audience of typical first-nighters," said the theatrical manager. "The first-nighters are mostly deadheads, and those who pay their way are of the blasé type, hard to enthrall. I have in mind one man in particular who never misses a first night, and who, to hear him talk, gets about as much enjoyment out of it as he would out of an attack of mumps. I put on a comedy last season that was one of the big money makers of the year. The first-night audience regarded it as mourners attending the obsequies of a dear departed. I met this particular one I speak of in the lobby after the performance.

"Well, what did you think of it? I said, 'Pretty funny, eh?'"

"One of the funniest things I ever saw," he admitted. "In fact, it was so funny I had to read the jokes on the program to keep from laughing."

### Gladstone and the Heckler

Mr. Gladstone was altogether intolerant of the heckler. During his last Middlethian campaign he was questioned by Sir, then Mr., John Usher of Norton, who had once been Gladstone's chairman of committee, on the subject of the Irish proposal, which sundered so many political friendships. To one or two inquires a friend reply was given, "Am I to understand"—Mr. Usher was beginning. "Understand!" The old statesman leaped to his feet. "I am responsible for the understanding that the Almighty has put in this skull of mine," tapping his forehead. "I am not responsible," pointing his finger at the questioner, "for the understanding that he has put in that skull of yours." The effect of this rebuke was overwhelming. Mr. Usher sank speechless into his seat.

### Names in Samoa

Travelers visiting Samoa are puzzled at first by the fact that many boys bear feminine names, while girls as frequently have masculine names. The visitor learns after awhile, however, that this confusing use of names instead of being due to ignorance is in reality the result of a native custom which is highly poetic. Thus if a girl is born soon after the death of a brother the latter's name is given to her in the belief that his spirit and all his good qualities have been transferred to her. On the other hand, if a boy is born after the death of a sister he takes the latter's name and, as the Samoans believe, all her lovable traits become his.

### Drew the Line

"Binks used to be daft on the subject of buried treasure. What's he up to now?"

"He's got up an expedition to Asia Minor to try to find the place where Methusalem stored his birthday presents."

### FIRST OF ENCYCLOPEDIAS

It Was Published in Queen Anne's Reign and John Harris Was Its "Onlie Begotter."

Encyclopedias are an English invention. I hasten to add that they owe a great deal of their early and later development to Scottish brains. The earliest true encyclopedia was published in the second year of Queen Anne. John Harris, the "onlie begotter" of this remarkable work, was born in the year of the great fire of London, and Shropshire piously claims that he was a Shropshire lad. He passed through Oxford to the vicarage of Ickleham, Sussex, to which he added the care of Winchelsea parish. London preferments followed, and a Fellowship of the Royal Society, and a good deal of London religious controversy. For the rest, we know that Harris lived in a house in Amen Corner, and that he received and boarded pupils. We know also that he gave free lectures in mathematics at the Marine Coffee House in Birch Lane. The Marine Coffee House has not been much noticed by London topographers. Mr. H. B. Wheatley has unearthed a curious advertisement proclaiming that water gruel was to be had there every morning from six to eleven o'clock. The announcement proceeds: "This not yet generally known; but there comes such company as drinks usually four or five gallons in a morning."—John O' London in T. P.'s Weekly, London.

### NATURE'S WONDERFUL COLOR

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Honor awaits the man who can combine colors to produce the tints of red of the Baldwin and Northern Spy. They come pretty near it, that is all. The same is true of the colors with which October first touches the maple leaf.

If all the paint grinding works in the world were multiplied 10,000 times they couldn't turn out pigment enough in a year to do what nature does in a change from season to season.

Nature's brush is busy everywhere all the time. In the life of a leaf it applies the brush day by day, following with its tints from budding time until it flutters from the branch. It touches the valleys and the hills, the growing grains, the flowering plants. Never is it idle.

### Interminable Job

The new pastor was a stickler for ceremonial observances. He could read his share of the responses with one eye and watch the congregation with the other. Each member was expected to take part in the reading, and the person who shirked that responsibility was detected sooner or later and brought to account. On the first three Sundays of his new pastorate he noticed a man in a front pew who sat silent throughout the service. The third Sunday evening, although in a hurry to reach the bedside of a sick parishioner, he took time to let the delinquent know he had been found out.

"I am sorry to see," the pastor said, "that you have never read the responses."

"F-f-f I had d-d-d-done th-th-that," said the silent man, "s-s-s-b-but you'd t-t-time d-d-d-done my s-s-s-p-p-p-put you'd have s-s-g-got through p-p-preaching?"

### The Marshness of Napoleon

In the service and in the intercourse with his officers he was cold, almost repellent, severe and inflexibly just. One day Gen. Guvion Saint-Cyr, afterwards marshal, appeared at the emperor's morning audience at the Tuilleries. Napoleon said quietly to him: "You come from Naples, general?" "Yes, sire, I relinquished my command to Marshal Perignon, whom your majesty sent to relieve me." "And no doubt you have leave of absence from the minister of war?" "No, your majesty; but I had nothing else to do in Naples." "Unless you are on your way to Naples within two hours, you will be shot on the plain of Gravelle at 12 o'clock precisely," said the emperor, returning his watch to his pocket.—Kiehlend, "Napoleon's Men and Methods."

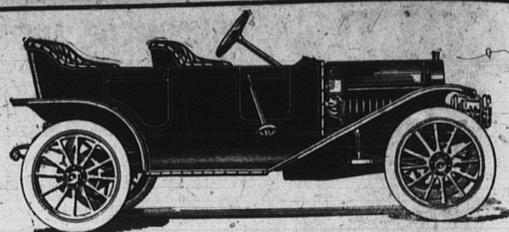
### Sentimental Juries

Maitre Henri Robert, the most famous advocate in criminal cases at the Paris bar, told an audience almost entirely composed of ladies that before any jury a woman with some youth, some looks and a pretty voice has 50 chances out of 100 of being acquitted, whereas a man would be acquitted only one. If she knows how to shed tears at the right moment she need not worry—a verdict of not guilty is a dead certainty.

### After a Big Hunt

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Probate Order

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw, ss. At a session of the probate court for said county of Washtenaw, held at the probate office, in the city of Ann Arbor, on the 27th day of January, in the year one thousand nine hundred and eleven.

Present, Emory E. Leland, Judge of Probate.

On the matter of the estate of Catherine Breitenbach, incompetent.

Mrs. Ellen Breitenbach Sumner, guardian of said estate, having filed in this court her final account, and praying that the same may be heard and allowed.

It is ordered, that the 27th day of February next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office be appointed for hearing said account.

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

EMORY E. LELAND, Judge of Probate.

[A true copy.]

DORCAS C. DONOGAN, Register.

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Democratic candidate for the nomination of Circuit Judge at the primary election, March 1st, next.



EDWARD D. KINNE

Candidate for the nomination on the Republican ticket for Circuit Judge. Primary election, Wednesday, March 1, 1911.



FRANK E. JONES

has lived in Washtenaw county forty-seven years. Has been in the active practice of the law since his graduation from the University of Michigan in 1877. Is now candidate for nomination on the Republican ticket for Circuit Judge.

## BREVITIES

DEXTER—Daniel Stoffer has leased the farm owned by Mrs. Kate Hall in Dexter township, and expects to move in March. Mr. Noll, the present tenant, will move to Lyndon.—Leader.

BRIDGEWATER—Work on the Saline river drain was completed last Thursday and the dredge will be shipped to Stockbridge, where the company have 13 miles of work for the dredge.

JACKSON—Warden Simpson says the prison is a hot bed for tuberculosis, and he urges that no more prisoners who may be suffering from it be sent here. Better ventilation and sanitation is sadly needed down there.—Star.

PINCKNEY—John Dunbar of Pinckney sold his farm to J. E. Kirkland who will take possession April 1st. Mr. Dunbar will move to his other farm recently purchased of Mrs. Thos. Fitzsimmons directly across the road.

YPSILANTI—Addison Beach, aged 81, a pioneer resident of this county, died Friday afternoon at the home of his son, Irving, near this city. Mr. Beach had been in good health up to two weeks ago, when he had a stroke of paralysis from which he never rallied.

GRASS LAKE—The large farm home of George Bohn this side of Francisco was entirely destroyed by fire Wednesday noon. The fire evidently started from a defective chimney and so rapidly did the flames consume the home that it was impossible to save any of the contents. The loss is partially covered by insurance.—News.

DEXTER—About 12:15 Friday afternoon fire broke out in the residence of Mrs. Rose Fritz. Mrs. Fritz being in Ann Arbor, her daughter, Margery, was getting dinner for herself and brother, when from an overheated stove pipe fire broke out in the ceiling of the kitchen, burning a large hole before the fire department could reach the house. Neighbors assisted in extinguishing the fire, which threatened greater damage for a time.

ANN ARBOR—Rev. W. L. Tedrow, D. D., for more than a quarter of a century pastor of English Lutheran churches in Michigan, died at his home in Kalamazoo Friday night. He had been ill for a long time. Dr. Tedrow built the English Lutheran church in Ann Arbor, and was its pastor from 1893 to 1904, when he resigned and moved to Kalamazoo, where he built another church and was its pastor until he was forced to give up his work about two years ago on account of his failing health.

ANN ARBOR—Bruno St. James, 53, a prominent business man of Ann Arbor, died at his home Monday morning, after a long illness, of enlargement of the spleen and liver. He was alderman from the fourth ward three years, and always took an active part in the city's affairs. He leaves widow and four daughters. One is Sister Edwardine, of the Society of the Immaculate Heart of Mary, of Lorain, O.

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