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### Renz-Lindenmann Wedding.

Thursday afternoon, May 4th, at the home of her parents in Lima, occurred the marriage of Miss Minnie Renz to Mr. William Lindenmann, of Lodi. When at the appointed hour (2:30), to the strains of Lohengrin's bridal chorus, played by Miss Bertha Kuhl, the bridal party took their place under an arch of green and white, where they were pronounced husband and wife by Rev. Thrun of Salem's church, Scio.

The bride wore white silk and carried white roses, while the bridesmaids, Misses Carrie Renz and Emma Lindenmann, also wore white and carried white carnations. The groom was attended by Fred Renz and Herman Lindenmann.

A sumptuous dinner was served to about seventy-five friends and relatives. The young couple will be at home to their friends on a farm in Lodi, after May 10th.

### Must Comply With The Laws.

Insurance Commissioner Palmer announces that he is instituting a campaign against the operations of unauthorized insurance companies in this state, and he is starting out vigorously to drive these companies out of the state and enforce the law prohibiting unauthorized insurance contracts. As one step, he has written to an English insurance company, whose general agent he charges is pushing business in Michigan by the London Lloyds, of London, England, a company never authorized to do business in this state. Mr. Palmer notified the other English company in a letter written Tuesday, that if it is to be permitted to continue its Michigan business it will have to require its United States agent to respect the laws of this state relating to unauthorized insurance. The company is asked to notify the department of what action it is taking in the matter.

### The New Freq Tuition Law.

The free tuition law has been amended by the legislature and now provides that in order to have his tuition paid in a high school by his home district, a child must possess an eighth grade diploma, or shall have evidence of having completed eight grades of work in a graded district. The department will rule, therefore, that all children applying for tuition this year must either possess an eighth grade diploma granted by the county board of examiners or submit proof that he has completed eight grades of work in a graded school district. Of course a child who had his tuition paid last year under the wording of the old law, but who did not possess an eighth grade diploma, is entitled to have his tuition paid this year without it.

### Women's Christian Temperance Union.

The Women's Christian Temperance Union was organized with the following officers and superintendents: President—Mrs. J. Bacon. Vice Presidents—Miss E. Depew, Mrs. Mary L. Boyd and Mrs. U. D. Streeter. Secretary—Mrs. W. M. Campbell. Treasurer—Mrs. O. C. Burkhardt. Superintendent Franchise Department—Mrs. F. H. Sweetland. Evangelistic Superintendent—Mrs. Fletcher. Legislative Superintendent and Superintendent of Scientific Temperance Instruction—Miss E. Depew. Superintendent of Flower Mission—Mrs. Taylor.

### May Festival.

The following is a list of concerts of May Festival at Ann Arbor for the balance of the week.  
May 11, Thursday at 8 o'clock—“Judas Maccabeus,” Oratorio. Soloists, Allen, Spencer, Miller and Connell.  
May 12, Friday afternoon at 2:30—Symphony Concert, Miss Percival Allen, soloist.  
May 12, at 8 o'clock—Miscellaneous Concert, Pasquall, soloist.  
May 13, Saturday at 3 o'clock—Organ Recital.  
May 13, Saturday at 7:30—“Eugen Onegin,” opera.

### Elected Officers.

The Research Club met at the home of Mrs. Geo. A. BeGole Monday evening of this week and elected the following officers for the ensuing year:  
President—Mrs. Lola Dancer.  
First Vice President—Mrs. Florence Turn Bull.  
Second Vice President—Mrs. Geo. BeGole.  
Secretary—Miss Lillian Foster.  
Treasurer—Mrs. Ida Webster.  
A lunch was served at the close of the meeting.

### Objects to Appeal Bond.

Ann Arbor Times-News: Samuel Hoopengartner, and John Zeigler and William Stipe are still having their troubles.

The latest one is the objection of the complainants, Hoopengartner and Zeigler, to the appeal bond of \$1,000 filed by Stipe who recently lost the case in which he was being sued for \$1,400 real estate commission. Tobias Stipe and John Kalmbach are the sureties offered on the bond, but the complainants allege that Tobias' farm is mortgaged and that Kalmbach owns his property jointly with his wife, so that it would be exempt from attachment on such a bond. Stipe is trying to carry the case to the supreme court, being dissatisfied with the verdict of the jury in the circuit court.

The bond offered by William Stipe of Sharon township for the appeal of the case recently decided against him and in favor of the plaintiffs, Hoopengartner and Zeigler, who sued for \$1,400 real estate commission, was Monday morning accepted. The sureties which were at first objected to are Tobias Stipe and John Kalmbach.

### Primary Law Amended.

The general primary law has been amended so as to change the day for primaries for the fall elections to the last Monday in August. All spring election nominations must be made on the first Monday in March. There must be a general re-enrollment next spring. Candidates for circuit judges in all districts must be nominated at primaries. No candidates shall be deemed to be nominated at a primary unless he receives 15 per cent of his party vote. There is a provision in the bill for women to enroll for school elections on the same day men enroll.

### School Notes.

School was closed last Friday to allow the teachers to visit schools.

Commencement will be held on Wednesday, June 21. Prof. Ferris of Big Rapids will deliver the address.

Miss Little, teacher of music and drawing, has resigned. The board of education has accepted her resignation.

Forty pupils took the eighth grade examination last Thursday and Friday. Supt. Hendry conducted the examination.

A sectional spelling contest will be conducted at the high school Friday. Pupils from the surrounding district schools will compete.

In the spelling contests held Wednesday between the fourth and fifth grades, the fifth grade received 99.5 per cent in written and 97.6 in oral; while the fourth obtained 98.3 and 99.6 respectively. The fourth grade was therefore winners in both contests.

There are twenty-nine in the senior class but are not certain that all will graduate. The following is the list of the seniors: Clara Runciman, Alice Banker, Lucile McKernan, Loretta McQuillan, Florence Gulnan, Flossie Smith, Freda Wagner, Margaret Epler, Dorothy McDowd, Esther Riemenschneider, Ruth Lewick, Fanny Emmett, Isabelle Gorton, Marie Lusty, Theresa Merkel, Affa N. Davis, George Walworth, Blaine Bartch, Herbert Riemenschneider, Paul Pierce, Ray Stedman, Emory Patterson, Francis Lusty, John Pendergast, Ray Staebler, Thos. Wortley, Carl Woods, Ellsworth Hoppe, Lyle Runciman.

### Princess Theatre.

The Saturday night program at the Princess promises to be as good if not better than any seen at this house this spring. The feature will be as usual a western reel, “At Cedar Ridge,” a story of the West with a thrill every minute. Its a real feature and will hold the attention of the audience at all times, owing to its many exciting scenes.

“The Pasha's Daughter” an exciting story of old Turkey is second on the bill and the fact that it is produced by the Thanhouser Company, is sufficient guarantee that it is a winner. It is scenically perfect.

“Willie Goes a Cycling” and gets into a lot of trouble, a strong comedy by the Lux Company and “An Im-famous Son” by the same company complete the picture part of the bill.

Miss Florence Rickley will sing two late song hits and a spot light song. Special effects by Miss Wright and Casey Raftery.

“An ounce of preventative is worth a pound of cure.” Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea has been the “preventative” for thirty years. Nothing so good to keep you well and make you well. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. L. P. Vogel.

### Wedding Anniversary.

Last Saturday, May 6th, being the twenty-fifth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Koebe, of Sharon, some sixty of their friends and relatives met at their home to assist in celebrating the event. The day was a cloudless one which helped to make it enjoyable in every way.

Those present were Mrs. John Reno and daughter Lucie, of Freedom, Mr. and Mrs. David Heselchwerdt and sons Walter and Earl, of Grass Lake, Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Hayes, of Sylvan, Rev. and Mrs. Scheuer, of Manchester. A bountiful dinner was served by the host and hostess.

They were presented with two silver tea sets, besides many other pieces of silver. Appropriate remarks were made by Rev. Scheuer, after which the guests departed feeling it was a day long to be remembered, and wishing Mr. and Mrs. Koebe many more happy anniversaries.

### Big Athletic Carnival.

Next Tuesday night at the Sylvan theatre the sport loving public of Chelsea will have a chance to witness some of the best wrestlers in this part of the country in action, and it goes without saying that a large crowd will witness the event. The management has gone to a big expense to get card together and has promised the fans good clear sport. Every town in the state of any size are having their athletic entertainments, and the managers of the Sylvan theatre decided they would treat their patrons to some lively wrestling. Joe Ackerman of Detroit will meet Pete Pappas, the Jackson Greek wrestler, in the main event, while in the other bout young Gotch will clash with Tom Bell, and a lively bout is promised, as all are fast clever wrestlers. The contests will be conducted in a strictly sportsman-ship manner. The prices are popular, 25, 35 and 50 cents.

### Michigan Man's Wife Writes Play.

When Henrietta Crosman comes to the Whitney theatre at Ann Arbor on Saturday night, May 13th, she will be seen in “The Peacock and the Goose” which is the comedy by Cotherine Chisholm Cushing, the wife of Henry Howard Cushing, one of the most popular fraternity men also is well remembered. He left many friends there.

Mrs. Cushing was a Washington society woman and the daughter of Belle Virginia Cushing, a writer of children's stories, and Dr. Chisholm a well known physician.

Mrs. Cushing has written one other play that was produced, “Miss Ananias” which was produced by George M. Cohan, last year. Previously, Mrs. Cushing was a writer of short stories and gained quite a reputation.

From here Miss Crosman will take “The Peacock and the Goose” to the Detroit Opera House for a week.

### Wheat in Michigan.

The state crop report just issued by the secretary of state reports the condition of wheat as 93 per cent of nominal as compared with 87 the first of April. Two per cent of wheat will be plowed up because it has been winter killed. It is estimated that 4,350,000 bushels of wheat remain in possession of growers. The condition of rye is given as 93, and the acreage of oats sown is given as 96 per cent, as compared with the average for the past five years.

### Annual Reunion.

The Thirty-first Michigan Volunteer Infantry will hold its annual reunion in Lansing, Wednesday, May 17th. Final arrangements have all been completed to give the visiting members a good time—auto rides, baseball, etc. At the banquet in the evening Hon. John Crotty will act as toastmaster; Gov. Osborn at this time will address the members of the regiment, as well as Gen. Stone and other.

### Take Notice.

There will be a meeting of the members of Oak Grove Cemetery Association held in the town hall on Friday, the 12th day of May, 1911, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of filling vacancies in the Board of Trustees and doing other important business in the interest of the cemetery. A full attendance is requested.

J. L. GILKARR, President.  
T. E. WOOD, Clerk.

### Farmers' Club.

The Western Washtenaw Farmers' Club will meet at the home of Arthur Chapman on Friday, May 19, 1911. The following will be the program: Roll Call. Patriotic Quotations. Children's day program under the supervision of Mrs. John Waltrous.

## Our Wall Paper Prices

Are attracting careful buyers. The special sale started last Saturday has been the source of some pleasant surprises for those who come to buy. We have a big assortment of Wall Papers in two-tone and self-tone greens, tans, browns and reds, adapted to the hall, living room, parlor or dining room. Then for the sleeping rooms we have those dainty stripe effects in various widths from the small thread stripe to wide ribbon effects, in very artistic colorings. The floral designs are beautifully colored and bring one closely in touch with nature and the world of buds and blossoms.

The cloth effects are in plain and striped backgrounds in tones of gray, blue, pink, yellow, green and tan and look very artistic, dainty and “swell” when finished with our beautiful

### Cut Out Borders.

Most of these Papers, as you will see, are crisp and new, just in from the mills. We will place the entire line on sale at the following prices per

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All 8c Papers . . . . . 6c	All 25c Papers . . . . . 20c
All 10c Papers . . . . . 8c	All 30c Papers . . . . . 24c
All 12c Papers . . . . . 10c	All 40c Papers . . . . . 28c
All 18c Papers . . . . . 12c	All 50c Papers . . . . . 34c
All 20c Papers . . . . . 16c	

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## FREEMAN'S

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KISSED THE WRONG CHILD

When General Robert E. Lee, After Long Absence, Failed to Recognize His Own Son.

One of General Lee's most amiable characteristics was his love of children. He was never so happy as when in the midst of his own family of little ones, and almost every page of his youngest son's charming "Recollections" of his father gives evidence of the tender devotion and never-fading thoughtfulness he displayed toward them. Nevertheless there was one occasion when he failed to recognize this youngest son, who was a very little fellow at the time. The story cannot be better told than in this son's own amusing words:

The day of his return to Arlington, after an absence of more than two years (in Mexico), I have always remembered. I had a frock, or blouse, of some light wash material, probably cotton, a blue ground dotted over with white diamond figures. Of this I was very proud, and wanted to wear it on this important occasion. Eliza, my mammy, objecting, we had a contest. I won. Clothed in this, my very best, and with my hair freshly curled in long golden ringlets, I went down into the large hall where the whole household was assembled, eagerly greeting my father, who had just arrived on horseback from Washington, having missed in some way the carriage which had been sent for him.

There was visiting us at this time Mrs. Lippett, a friend of my mother, with her little boy Armstead, about my age and size, also with long curls. Whether he wore as handsome a suit as mine, I cannot remember, but he and I were left in the background, feeling rather frightened and awed. After a moment's greeting to those surrounding him, my father pushed through the crowd, exclaiming, "Where is my little boy?" He then took up in his arms and kissed—not me, his own child, in his best frock, with clean face and well-arranged curls, but my little playmate, Armstead. I remember nothing more of any circumstances connected with that time save that I was shocked and humiliated.—Youth's Companion.

Thrashing One's Future King. Among the memories of her fortunate childhood, Princess Helene von Rasowitz records in her autobiography an amusing story in connection with the Crown Prince Louis, later King Louis II. of Bavaria. He was brought up very strictly, and taught to be very polite to his inferiors. As small children, he and the Princess Helene played very happily together. This delightful friendship was one day ended in a quarrel which arose over a picture book.

Who wanted the picture-book, who had it, I no longer remember. What I do remember is, that we were suddenly fighting, that I punched the crown prince, and he, being in the end victorious, pulled out a handful of my red-gold hair and held it in his little fist.

Baroness Malhaus could not separate us, as we fought like two wild-cats. Suddenly the queen stood before us, and exclaimed, "Children! How can you? Are you mad?" Queen Marie was a most beautiful and charming woman, and I adored her. Her presence brought me at once to my senses.

Both sinners burst into tears; the great lady spoke kindly to us, and made us beg each other's pardon, make friends, and then my governess came to take me home.—Youth's Companion.

Fashion at the Elysee. Despite its democratic and social reputation under President Fallieres, the Elysee is not the unconventional place that we might suppose. "One of our brilliant officers," says Le Cri de Paris, "had an experience of this at the last ball. It was the first time that he had repaired to these republican love feasts. Conscious of the differences that should obtain between a soiree at the house of a duchess and an evening with Monsieur Fallieres, he had counseled his wife to be but slightly décolleté. "But the old guard was at the portals of the Elysee. An usher signified to the lady that she could not enter the salon so costumed. The officer expressed some dissatisfaction and the usher added, "Do not be disturbed. Let us go and put ourselves in the hands of the dressmaker."

"The lady was then led into a neighboring room, where the official dressmaker of the balls of the Elysee was operating. There, by means of scissors and the needles of adroit sewing women, was prepared a larger perspective for the regard of the senators."

FOREST FIRES CAUSE DEATH AND LOSS

FLAMES RAGING ALL AROUND LAKE SUPERIOR AND IN THE NORTHWEST.

VESSELS ON LAKES COMPELLED TO ANCHOR—SMOKE.

Bridges Destroyed, Telegraph Lines Leveled and Homesteads Are Wiped Out in the Canadian Northwest.

Forest fires surround the entire copper country and the forest rangers of the Northern Forest Protective association, a new organization, were sent out for first time from Ontonagon. In Ontonagon there is a continuous stretch of fire from Lake Superior to Channing, 90 miles. At Chassel, headquarters of the Worcester Lumber Co., the entire village has been out fighting fires since Sunday morning, keeping the flames away from the village.

State Game, Fish and Forestry Warden Pierce believes that forest fires raging in the upper peninsula, and in some sections of the northern part of the lower peninsula, are caused for the most part by farmers clearing land who do not take precautions.

A report from a deputy in Alcona county gives the information that several farm homes have been destroyed in that county, but a further spread of fires has been checked by the timely arrival of rain. The present damage to the state and private property owners cannot be estimated, owing to the meager reports received, but it is known that thousands of dollars worth of timber has been destroyed aside from the loss of other property.

At L'Anse, the John Moran Lumber Co. lost a large quantity of cordwood which was piled in the woods. At Otter Lake, a farming district in the southern portion of Houghton county, the farmers are in danger. It was reported that a farmer had been burned with his entire family. The Worcester Lumber Co. sent a rescue party to Otter Lake.

The forest fires are burning in hundreds of places on all sides of Lake Superior. The property loss already has been great. Vessels on Lake Superior are forced to anchor when near land, because of the clouds of smoke.

Great forest fires are still raging through northern Manitoba and Saskatchewan, and scores of small towns along the line of the Canadian Northern railway are in danger. Hundreds of men are fighting the flames. Fires are burning fiercely at Swan river, Dauphin, and at the foot of the Riding mountains. Many settlers have lost everything, bridges have been destroyed, and miles of telegraph poles burned down. The situation in the Prince Albert district is grave. Fires on the Minnesota-Ontario border are gaining ground and threatening a number of settlements.

State Increases Amount of Taxes. Auditor General Fuller estimates the total state tax for the next two years will be \$11,762,125.29. The state tax for 1910 was \$5,928,716.74, for 1911 it was \$4,729,000.97, a total for the two years of \$10,657,717.81. For 1911 the auditor general estimates the amount appropriated at over \$6,250,000 and for 1912 at over \$6,000,000.

The university is entitled to three-eighths of a mill and the agricultural college to one-tenth of a mill. Expecting that the equalized value of the state will be increased to \$2,000,000,000, the tax levy will be increased \$218,000 for the benefit of these two institutions.

Starts Fight Against Illegal Insurance. Insurance Commissioner C. A. Palmer takes up the cudgel to drive unauthorized insurance companies out of Michigan. The new law provides a penalty for unlicensed companies doing business in this state. He has his eye on several who violate this law.

As a first step the commissioner has written to the home office of an English fire insurance company, charging that a general agent in this county for that company is pushing business in Michigan for the London Lloyds, a company not authorized to do business in the state.

Jealous, Kills Wife, Two Babies and Self. Casey Van Lieren, 34, a farmer two miles west of Luther, in Lake county, shot his wife and two children, a girl of 12 and a boy of 5, to death, and half an hour later placed the muzzle of a gun to his head and took his own life. The tragedy occurred at the home of Robey Johlings, a neighbor.

At a session of the Michigan Creamery Owners and Manufacturers' association in Jackson, Henry Siddell of Saginaw was chosen president. There are several cases of smallpox in the city of Marshall and a general vaccination has been ordered. All of the cases are mild. Traverse City Elks have completed the program for the state reunion of Michigan Elks June 7, 8 and 9. On the eighth will be a parade of lodges in uniform in the morning and a ritualistic contest by four lodges in the afternoon; in the evening a display of fireworks. On the morning of the ninth will be an exhibition drill and contests and at noon a big brook trout supper. State league championship baseball teams will play.

MICHIGAN NEWS IN BRIEF

Benton Harbor and St. Joseph may unite in going to Lake Michigan for a water supply.

Five hundred men have been laid off at the Newport mine near Bessemer, and the mine will shut down. It is estimated that fully 5,000 foreigners have passed through Saginaw en route to the beet fields of the Thumb district.

Judge W. H. Umlor and Harlin Brown of Traverse City have platted a great tract of land for a fishing colony on Boardman river.

Fred Draper, aged 82, known to lumbermen as the builder of many big sawmills in Michigan in the old lumbering days, died in Muskegon. Every one of the 20 counties included in the Western Michigan Development bureau was represented at the annual meeting held in Traverse City.

Gov. Osborn appointed Dr. J. B. Griswold, of Grand Rapids, as a member of the board of control for the Michigan Soldiers' home, to succeed E. O. Shaw, resigned.

Mrs. Clarissa Truesdell, once possessor of 200 acres of land where the city of Chicago now stands, died at the Kent county farm. She was 105 years old.

Because the Ball bill gives only \$5,000 per year instead of \$10,000, as was intended, the state fire marshal's department cannot be organized as effectively as planned.

Judge Richard C. Flannigan, of the Menominee district, will preside over the Calumet & Hecla cases in Houghton, at the request of Judge Streator, who is in the south.

Sault Ste. Marie is now on a sun time schedule. A vote was taken among 1,000 factory employees and it was almost unanimously in favor of the change. Merchants and business men will follow suit.

For the first time since the G. A. R. post was organized in Owosso, just after the war, there will be no martial band in the Memorial day procession, as three of the five members of the band are dead.

The Robert Gage Coal Co., operating mines in Saginaw and Bay counties, has filed with the register of deeds in Saginaw a first mortgage on its property to the Detroit Trust Co., as trustee, for \$400,000.

A University of Michigan Alumni association has been organized in Petoskey with Paul Buckley, president; Dr. Ralph Engle, vice-president; Mrs. E. E. Gilbert, secretary, and W. G. McCune, treasurer.

Professional yeggs attempted to rob the postoffice at Coloma. The outside safe was wrecked by dynamite, but the robbers fled without getting at the cash. The robbers got several hundred dollars' worth of stamps.

Three persons—two men and a woman—were drowned, and 12 others had miraculous escapes from death, when the steel steamer Edwin L. Fisher was sunk in the lower Detroit river by the steamer Stephen M. Clement.

It is stated Mayor Zelf, of Ludington, is preparing to bring suit against City Clerk Thompson for the recovery of the \$50 forfeit money posted at the recount of the mayoralty vote and returned to William Rath, the defeated candidate.

Despairing of ever satisfying the appetite of a sink hole near Shaftsburg, which has swallowed hundreds of tons of rock, gravel, dirt, and brush, the Lansing & N. Eastern railway has decided to build a trestle 50 feet long over the hole.

A decision in the case of Pym O'Hara and Victor Clore, of Palms on trial in Ogden, Utah, on a charge of train robbery, has been held up to give the court time to read a transcript of the testimony. This will delay the decision about 15 days.

The lid has been clamped on with a bang in Montcalm county. With local option becoming effective May 1, the county officials have issued orders that the state law relative to gambling will be strictly enforced as to games and playing cards for money.

Albion college has just been honored by being permitted to become a member of the Delta Sigma Eho fraternity, which is a national organization composed only of colleges and universities that have made an exceptional good record in oratory and debate.

Lansing does not halt with delight the news that Calhoun, Jackson and Genesee counties are to have saloons for two years, because the suit case brigades have already begun to pour in from Jackson, and the police are looking for much trouble from this source.

Osborn S. Ackley, a farmer near Grant, took carbolic acid and died in his barn. His wife found him when she went there to call him to breakfast. He was a candidate for county commissioner at the recent primaries and one of the best known politicians in the county.

When the supervisors of Eaton county included the cost of new cement walls around the court house square in 1910 taxes, several prominent Vermontville farmers protested and brought action against the treasurer of that township. In an opinion handed down Judge Smith finds no cause for action. The case will probably be appealed.

WILL RAISE PRICE OF SUGAR BEETS

THE BELIEF OF CANADIAN GROWERS REGARDING THE RECIPROcity PACT.

SOME DOUBT WHETHER PRODUCT WILL BE ADMITTED FREE.

The Question is Very Important to the Beet Sugar Companies of Canada as Well as to Michigan.

Canadian beet sugar companies are unable to learn whether sugar beets will be on the free list if the proposed reciprocity bill between Canada and the United States becomes a law. American Consul Fred Slater, located in Sarnia, on request, given his opinion to the Canadian sugar companies, although he states that his opinion is without authority.

Mr. Slater believes that beets will be on the free list under the proposed pact, and the companies will ask for an opinion from the Canadian government, while Mr. Slater will also seek information on the question from Washington authorities.

Under the tariff law of 1897, which will continue in force, providing it does not conflict with the compact, the tariff on sugar beets is 25 per cent ad valorem. At the time the present tariff law went into effect there was considerable misunderstanding over the question whether beets were on the free list. At that time the government handed down an opinion, to the effect that sugar beets were classed under the list of vegetables and that they should be taxed the regular rate.

It was the contention of the sugar companies at the time that beets, not having been specifically mentioned in the vegetable list, should come under the schedule containing mosses, roots, etc.

Under the proposed pact, vegetables are placed on the free list, although sugar beets are not specifically mentioned, yet it includes "all other vegetables in their natural state not here mentioned." At the time of the question over the first tariff beets were not used to a large extent for sugar purposes, but were for feeding purposes. It is thought that this may make a difference at the present time, because nearly all the beets are used in the manufacture of sugar, which consumes much labor, while previously they were used for feeding purposes.

The question is important to the beet sugar companies of Canada as well as to Michigan. If beets are on the free list it will mean much more competition for the companies. Especially is this true of the Canadian companies where the price paid is not as high as in Michigan. Whether the fact that beets are cheaper in Canada will increase the price because of the competition or whether it will decrease the price in the states, is a question which cannot be settled until it has been worked out. The Canadian farmer believes that it will increase the price, without affecting the price of beets in the states.

Will Russell Has Resigned. "Will Russell has resigned his position at the prison and will go to Minneapolis to take a position offered for which he was there recently for his health. He is here now, packing his goods and helping at the prison until he leaves."

This is the statement given out by Warden James Russell of the state prison. Beyond this brief statement, little is known of the circumstances of the return of the warden's brother, which caused such a storm of protest when it became known. It is believed in Marquette, however, that a vigorous protest from Gov. Osborn has caused the sudden change of front on the part of the warden.

STATE BRIEFS.

Carnegie gives a \$12,500 library to Sturgeon Bay.

Alger county will vote, June 15, on a proposition to bond the county for \$50,000 for good roads.

Dowagiac firemen announce a two-day fair for some week this summer, when they will race all comers.

The Lansing business men's association is trying to arrange to have the Wright brothers fly an aeroplane July 4.

Because a woman "mind-reader" said they would find oil, drillers went 1,200 feet in vain in Delta township, Saginaw county.

M. U. R. employes have demanded an increase of two cents an hour for city men and four cents an hour for interurban men, and given the company two weeks to answer.

Ypsilanti Normal duplicated the performance of last year, when it received the unanimous decision of the Judges against M. A. C. in the annual debate of the two colleges on the question, "Resolved, that the United States should retain ownership of all coal lands now owned or hereafter acquired by the federal government."

Capt. Samuel H. Harvey, of Ironwood, is dead at San Diego, Cal. He died of the 25th of April. He was one of the best known iron mining authorities in northern Michigan for many years. He originally came from Ishpeming.

The annual convention of the Chicago synod, which extends from Ohio to the Pacific coast and from Oklahoma to Canada, opened at the Second Reformed church of Muskegon with nearly 200 delegates in attendance. Represented at the sessions were the churches of Grand River, Holland, Michigan, Dakota, Illinois, Pelee, Pleasant Prairie and Wisconsin.

"Mother's Day," May 14.

Gov. Osborn in a proclamation has designated May 14 as "Mother's Day" and urges its observance in all parts of the state.

The proclamation is as follows: "Motherhood is the sacred fountain from which flows the stream of humanity. Just as that fountain is pure and holy and noble, so will be the character of our people, there is nothing so tender and loving and joyous as the relationship between mother and child.

"Natural, willing motherhood is the measure of the vitality of a race. Willful sterility is race murder and one of the gravest dangers confronting humanity today.

I request the citizens of Michigan generally to observe the second Sunday of May as "Mother's Day. As many as possible should read the article by Theodore Roosevelt upon "Race Decadence," published in the Outlook of April 8. I bespeak for this day the profound consideration and highest thought of all our people upon the theme of mother, and all that the beautiful word implies."

U. S. Warships to Go to Acapulco.

Alarm is felt in administration circles for the safety of Americans in Mexico, especially in the vicinity of Acapulco, on the west coast.

Conditions described as intolerable were reported to the state department by Ambassador Wilson and it is probable that warships will be ordered to Acapulco at once. The ambassador acted following a report that two sons of Judge Melvin Goodman had been murdered by bandits at their father's hacienda not far from Acapulco.

Mr. Wilson wired also that Americans in Mexico City are becoming alarmed and that their unrest is due in some measure to apprehension of the failure of peace negotiations and a consequent prevalence of anarchy.

Seven Were Smothered.

Nearly a score out of a hundred miners in the Hartford mine of the Republic Iron & Steel company, near Yoganau, were cut off from escape when the timbering of the mine took fire, and at least seven men are dead.

All the men were smothered by the smoke and gas from the fire. The fire broke out on the third level of the mine, about 400 feet underground. It is the theory that some careless miner left a lighted candle too near the woodwork of the shaft.

M. A. C. to Fight Larch Saw-Fly.

M. A. C. will be one of the first colleges of the United States to lead a new sort of attack against the ravages of the tamarack saw-fly which has destroyed great tracts of American larch or tamarack in the northern part of this state and, in Michigan, stands of larch from Maine to Minnesota. This insect has been a menace to what little larch remains in Michigan, and has already done millions of dollars of damage.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

Since the recurrence of the cholera epidemic there have been 41 suspected cases in St. Petersburg.

Half a million is given to Brooklyn hospitals and charitable organizations by the will of George L. Fox, a Brooklyn lawyer.

The steamer Deutschland, with the German Antarctic expedition, sailed for Buenos Ayres, where complete supplies will be taken on.

In the mere item of shoes for the horses, the New York fire department expects to save \$40,000 this year by a system of portable horse shoeing outfits.

The board of county commissioners has ordered cyclone cellars built under all school houses in Hiawatha, following fatalities in a recent tornado.

Margaret Anglin, the actress, was married to Howard Hull, a magazine man. They will sail this week for Europe and will motor through France.

Four new aviators are to be officially granted their licenses as pilots by the Aero Club of America. This will bring the list of recognized flyers in this country to 40.

Anacleto Galabay, the young Filipino leper confined in a pest house, is to be returned to the Philippines by the war department, probably aboard some sailing vessel.

Dr. Jin Guey Moy, a Chinese physician, who lives on a large country estate at Wood Cliff Lake, is under arrest charged with being in a conspiracy to smuggle 100 Chinamen into the United States from the island of Jamaica.

The use of abandoned farms owned by New York state as farm colonies for tramps and vagrants will be urged by Gov. Dix. At present the state is paying thousands of dollars a year for the maintenance of tramps in penitentiaries.

Representative Bartholdt of Missouri has been selected by President Taft to represent the United States at the presentation to the German emperor of a replica in miniature of the statue of Baron Von Steuben, recently unveiled.

According to the papers another revolution directed at the administration of President Simon, of Haiti, is brewing among Haitian exiles who have joined forces with their expatriated countrymen from Porto Rico and St. Thomas.

At a meeting of the Roman Catholic bishop at Lisbon, to consider the relationship of the church and state under the new decree, it was decided to announce that the separation law of the government would not be accepted and the stipends offered the clergy would be refused.

Prof. Wm. Henry Schofield, of Harvard, delivered his first lecture at the University of Copenhagen, the rector of the university introduced him to the crown prince, with whom he had an extended conversation in regard to university conditions in the United States and the question of general arbitration.

AMERICAN CITIZENS SHOT BY MEXICANS

RESIDENTS OF EL PASO, TEX., ENDANGERED BY RAIN OF BULLETS IN ATTACK MADE ON JUAREZ.

REBELS HAVE NO FAITH IN DIAZ'S PROMISE TO RESIGN.

Fighting is Resumed at Many Important Points and All Leaders Except Madero Are Determined to Fight It Out.

Five Americans have been killed and 12 wounded by Mexican bullets fired across the river during the desperate fighting between the insurgents and federal troops at Juarez Monday night.

These 17 American citizens were all on United States territory, and most of them were in the streets of El Paso or on private grounds. Scores had narrow escapes and during many hours hundreds of bullets poured into the city, pattering against stone work and piercing wooden walls.

The city is in a state of terror, and there is a unanimous demand that United States officials do something to provide protection for peaceful Americans in their homes.

Colonel Steever, commanding the United States forces in El Paso, made repeated protests to the commanders of the Mexican federals and insurgents, but without avail. He says he can do nothing more as his hands are completely tied by orders from Washington.

There was stubborn fighting clear to the heart of Juarez. After an afternoon of desultory firing a formidable attack began toward nightfall and was continued until long after dark. The insurgents occupied all the outskirts of the city and the bull ring; captured the bridges and customs houses and attacked the federals in their strongest positions.

At about 9 o'clock the rebel forces apparently withdrew and the firing quieted down. At that hour, however, it was firmly believed that the attack would be renewed by morning if not before then.

DIAZ' PROMISE TO RESIGN

Gen. Porfirio Diaz issued a manifesto to the people of Mexico declaring his intention to resign the presidency as soon as peace is restored. In this manner the president has virtually acceded to the demands of Francisco I. Madero that he make announcement of such intention.

As to when peace is actually restored, General Diaz reserves the right to be the judge. In the words of the manifesto, it will be "when, according to the dictates of my conscience, I am sure that my resignation will not be followed by anarchy."

The president made it clear that he does not propose to abandon the presidency while his country is at war and that he would not do so at any time under compulsion.

Taft Won't Be Scared.

President Taft indulged in some plain talk in explaining to the 25 members of the national grange that he does not intend to play politics with the Canadian reciprocity agreement, even if the enactment of that measure by congress costs him the farm vote. The president told the visitors bluntly that he was sorry to hear that Republican farmers would desert the party if the agreement goes through, but fear of such desertion would not change his convictions as to the wisdom of such legislation.

He said he believed reciprocity to be the best thing for the whole country and that he did not intend to argue it.

N. P. Hall, master of the Michigan state grange, of Dimondale, Mich., spokesman for the farmers, intimated strongly that the farmer doesn't like reciprocity and that the Republican votes are likely to be lost if it is passed.

House Passes Free List Bill.

Nine hours of continuous pounding at the hands of the Republican minority of the house of representatives failed to make a single change in the first Democratic tariff bill that placing on the free list agricultural implements, meats and many other articles. The bill passed the house by a vote of 236 to 109, the Democrats voting solidly and mustering 24 Republicans with them.

Trusts Are in for Probing.

Probing of the express companies, steel, shoe, sugar and woolen industries to see if they are combined into money grabbing and market controlling trusts, are to be pushed by the federal government, congress and the interstate commerce commission.

The new Anglo-Chinese agreement for the immediate reduction and final extinction of the exportation of Indian opium to China, has been signed.

Charitable institutions in Boston benefit to the extent of \$164,000 under the will of the late Joseph W. Leighton, of Brookline. In every case the sum bequeathed is to be kept intact and only the income used.

Miss Clarissa J. Terwilliger is dead, aged 70 years. Her death takes one of the early settlers in Oakland county, where she resided for nearly half a century, coming to Michigan when she was a small girl. She was later engaged in the mercantile business in Cincinnati, O., and in Bad Axe. She had been ill for three days, and was suddenly taken with epileptic fits.

325,000 IN ONE YEAR

THE IMMIGRATION TO CANADA SURPASSES ALL RECORD.

The returns recently issued by the Canadian Immigration Branch show that upwards of 325,000 persons arrived in Canada during the past twelve months, declaring their intention of becoming settlers in that country. Of this number about 130,000 were from the United States, the balance being from the British Isles and Northern Europe. It will thus be seen that the sturdy farming element that has gone forward from the United States is being splendidly supplemented by an equally sturdy settlement from across the seas. The lure of Canadian wheat, oats, barley and flax grown on the rich prairie of Western Canada is constantly attracting more and more, and year by year the tide of immigrants to the Western Canada plains increases; there is no ebb to this tide. The Canadian authorities are not surprised at the number from the United States being as large as it is but they did not look for so large an immigration from the old countries. Still, they will not be found unprepared. Reception halls are in readiness at all important points in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, surveyors were at work during the past season opening up new districts on which to place those seeking free homesteads of 160 acres each, railroads have been projecting laterals from their main lines, and every provision has been taken to accommodate the newcomer. A recent dispatch from Antwerp reads: "The diversion of European emigration from the United States to Canada is said to be seriously affecting the Atlantic steamship lines. The Red Star today gives up to the America-Canada line two of the best special emigrant steamers about, the Gothland and the Samland. These vessels heretofore in the Antwerp-New York service are now to be operated from Rotterdam to Canadian ports."

On the date of the above dispatch word came to the immigration branch that the "Vanguard of the 1911 army of United States settlers reached Winnipeg at 1:30 o'clock this morning. There was a solid train load of effects, comprising 41 carloads and two colonist sleepers attached to the train, which contained the members of 25 families. Every man Jack in the party is a skilled farmer, and all have come north prepared to go right on the land, which was purchased last year. They are equipped with everything that experience has shown is necessary to make a start on virgin prairie. In addition to machinery and household effects there were a large number of horses and cattle. Some of the farmers had also brought along gas tractors, which will be put right to work on ground breaking."

One of the agents of the Canadian government advises that it would appear as if each month of the present year would show a large increase over the past year. The demand for the literature of the department, describing the country and its resources, is greater than it ever has been.

The Most Beautiful Thing.

A newspaper recently invited its readers to state in a few words what they considered the most beautiful thing in the world. The first prize was awarded to the sender of the answer: "The eyes of my mother." "The dream of that which we know to be impossible" suggested an imaginative person, and this brought him second prize. But the most amusing thing was that which read, "The most beautiful thing in the world is to see a man carrying his mother-in-law across a dangerous river without making an attempt to drop her in."

HEALTHY KIDNEYS ESSENTIAL TO PERFECT HEALTH.

When healthy, the kidneys remove about 500 grains of impure matter daily from the blood; when unhealthy, impure matter is absorbed, causing diseases and symptoms. To attain perfect health keep your filters right. You can use no better remedy than Doan's Kidney Pills.

Mrs. O. W. Erwin, 308 Third St., Little Falls, Minn., says: "My whole body became bloated and swollen and at night I had to gasp for breath. Kidney secretions were in terrible condition and to bend my back was agony. Life was one constant round of suffering and I really thought death would be a relief. I began using Doan's Kidney Pills and today am a well, happy woman."

Remember the name—Doan's. For sale by all dealers. 50 cents a box. Foster-McMillan Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

Far From Bohemia. "Bjenks—How is that lean, unscrupulous bohemian getting on these days?"

"Tarks—Why, they say he is desperately in love with the girl down in the laundry and is to be married soon. Something suspicious about it, though."

"Bjenks—I should say so. What is a true bohemian doing around a laundry, anyway?"

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Harsh. Geraldine—Coffee keeps me awake. Geraldine—Me, too; I always drink an extra cup when I know you are coming to call.

The impossible. Andrew Carnegie, at a recent dinner in New York, said of a certain labor trouble: "It is silly of employers to pretend in these troubles that they are always in the right. Employers are often in the wrong; often unreasonable. They often—like Mrs. Smith-Jones—ask impossible things."

Mrs. Smith-Jones, taking a villa at Palm Beach, engaged for a butler a stately old colored deacon. "Now, Clay," she said to the old fellow, "there are two things I must insist upon—truthfulness and obedience."

"Yes, madam," the venerable servant answered, "and when you bid me tell you guests you out when you're in, which shall it be, madam?"

THEN HE WENT.



Mr. Bore (looking)—Gracious! It's nearly ten o'clock. Miss Caustique (suppressing a yawn)—Are you quite sure it's not eleven?

FOOD IN SERMONS

Feed the Dominie Right and the Sermons Are Brilliant.

A conscientious, hard-working and successful clergyman writes: "I am glad to bear testimony to the pleasure and increased measure of efficiency and health that have come to me from adopting Grape-Nuts food as one of my articles of diet."

"For several years I was much distressed during the early part of each day by indigestion. My breakfast seemed to turn sour and failed to digest. After dinner the headache and other symptoms following the breakfast would wear away, only to return, however, next morning."

"Having heard of Grape-Nuts food, I finally concluded to give it a trial. I made my breakfast of Grape-Nuts with cream, toast and Postum. The result was surprising in improved health and total absence of the distress that had, for so long a time, followed the morning meal."

"My digestion became once more satisfactory, the headaches ceased, and the old feeling of energy returned. Since that time I have always had Grape-Nuts food on my breakfast table."

"I was delighted to find also, that whereas before I began to use Grape-Nuts food I was quite nervous and became easily wearied in the work of preparing sermons and in study, a marked improvement in this respect resulted from the change in my diet."

"I am convinced that Grape-Nuts food produced this result and helped me to a sturdy condition of mental and physical strength."

"I have known of several persons who were formerly troubled as I was, and who have been helped as I have been, by the use of Grape-Nuts food, on my recommendation. Names given by Postum Company, Battle Creek, Mich."

"There's a reason." "Read the little book, 'The Road to Wellville,' in 10 pages."

SERIAL STORY

When a Man Marries

By MARY ROBERTS RINCHART

Author of 'The Circular Staircase,' 'The Man in Lower Ten,' etc.

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SYNOPSIS.

James Wilson or Jimmy as he is called by his friends, Jimmy was reticent and looked shorter than he really was. His ambition in life was to be taken seriously, but people steadily refused to do so, his life is considered a huge joke, except to himself. If he asked people to dinner everyone expected a frolic. Jimmy marries Bella Knowles; they live together a year and are divorced. Jimmy's friends arrange to celebrate the first anniversary of his divorce. The party is in full swing when Jimmy receives a telegram from his Aunt Selma, who will arrive in four hours to visit him and his wife. He neglects to tell her of his divorce. Aunt Selma arrives and the deception works out as planned. Jimmy's servant is taken ill. Bella, Jimmy's divorced wife, enters the house and asks Kit who is being taken away in the ambulance? Bella insists it is Jimmy. Kit tells her Jim is well and is in the house. Harbison steps out on the porch and discovers a man taking a card on the door. He demands an explanation. The man points to the placard and Harbison sees the word "Smallpox" printed on it. He tells him the guests cannot leave the house until the quarantine is lifted. After the lifting of the quarantine several letters are found in the mail box under the name of Jimmy. They are from Mrs. Harbison, Louie, Chile, which was written by Harbison. He describes minutely of their conversation, also of his indignation for Mrs. Wilson. Aunt Selma is taken ill with the grippe. Betty acts as nurse. Harbison finds Kit sulking on the roof. She tells him that Jim has been treating her outrageously. Kit starts downstairs, when suddenly she is grasped in the arms of a man who kisses her several times. She believes that Harbison did it and is humiliated. Aunt Selma tells Jimmy that he cannot breathe and other articles of jewelry have been stolen. She accuses Betty of the theft. Jimmy tells Aunt Selma all about the strange happenings, but she persists in suspecting Betty of the theft of her valuables. Harbison demands an explanation from Kit as to her conduct towards him. She tells him of the incident on the roof. He does not deny nor confirm her accusation. One of the guests develops a way to escape from the house.

CHAPTER XIV. (Continued.)

It was a transparent plot on Bella's part: Two elderly ladies, house miles from anywhere, long evenings in the music room with an open fire and Bella at the harp playing the two songs she knows.

When we were ready and gathered in the kitchen, in the darkness, of course, Dal went up on the roof and signaled with a lantern to the cars on the drive. Then he went downstairs, took a last look at the drawing-room, fired the papers, shook the powder, opened the windows and yelled "fire!"

Of course, huddled in the kitchen, we had heard little or nothing. But we plainly heard Dal on the first floor and Flannigan on the second yelling "fire," and the patter of feet as the guards ran to the front of the house. And at that instant we remembered Aunt Selma!

That was the cause of the whole trouble. I don't know why they turned on me; she wasn't my aunt. But by the time they had got her out of bed, she had wrapped her in an elderdown comfort, and stuck slippers on her feet and a motor veil on her head, she glared at the front of the house, beginning to die away. She didn't time to explain. I remember that she wanted to go back and get her "plate," whatever that may be, but Jim took her by the arm and hurried her along, and the rest, who had waited, and were in awful tempers, stood aside and let them out first.

The door to the area steps was open, and by the street lights we could see a fence and a gate, which opened on a side street. Jim and Aunt Selma ran straight for the gate; the wind blowing Aunt Selma's comfort like a sail. Then, with our feet, so to speak, on the first rung of the ladder of liberty, it slipped. A half dozen guards and reporters came around the house and drove us back like sheep into a slaughter pen. It was the most humiliating moment of my life.

Dal had been for fighting a way through, and just for a minute I thought went Berserk myself. But Max spied one of the reporters setting up a flash-light as we stood, undecided, at the top of the steps, and after that there was nothing to do but retreat. We backed slowly, to show that we were not afraid. And when we were all in the kitchen again, and we were all on the lights and Bella was crying with her head against Mr. Harbison's arm, Dal said, cheerfully: "Well, it has done some good, anyhow. We have lost Aunt Selma."

And we all shook hands on it, although we were all sorry about Jim. And we were all about some champagne and drink to Aunt Selma's comfort, and we could have her teeth fumigated and send them to her. Somebody said "Poor old Jim," and at that Bella looked up.

She stared around the group, and then she went quite pale.

"Jim!" she gasped. "Do you mean that Jim is—out there, too?" "Jim and Aunt Selma!" I said as calmly as I could for joy. You see how it simplified the situation for me. "By this time they are a mile away, and going!"

Everybody shook hands again except Bella. She had dropped into a chair, and sat biting her lip and breathing hard, and she would not join in any of the hilarity at getting rid of Aunt Selma. Finally she got up and knocked over her chair.

"You are a lot of cowards," she stormed. "You deserted them out there, left them. Heaven knows where they are—a defenseless old woman, and—a man who did not even have an overcoat. And it is snowing!"

"Never mind," Dal said, reassuringly. "He can borrow Aunt Selma's comfort. Make the old lady discard from weakness. Anyhow, Bella, if I know anything of human nature, the old lady will make it hot enough for him. Poor old Jim!"

Then they shook hands again, and with that there came a terrible banging at the door, which we had locked. "Open the door!" some one commanded. It was one of the guards.

"Open it yourself!" Dallas called, moving a kitchen table to re-enforce the lock. "Open that door or we will break it in!"

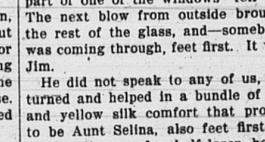
Dallas put his hands in his pockets, seated himself on the table, and whistled cheerfully. We could hear them conferring outside, and they made another appeal, which was refused. Suddenly Bella came over and confronted Dallas.

"They have brought them back!" she said dramatically. "They are out there now; I distinctly heard Jim's voice. Open that door, Dallas!"

"Oh, don't let them in!" I wailed. It was quite involuntary, but the disappointment was too awful. "Dallas, don't open that door!"

Dal swung his feet and smiled from Bella to me. "Think what a solution it is to all our difficulties," he said, easily. "Without Aunt Selma I could be happy here indefinitely."

There was more knocking, and somebody—Max, I think—said to let them in, that it was a fool thing anyhow, and that he wanted to go to bed and forget it; his feet were cold. And just then there was a crash, and



"Certainly You Will Not Move the Pictures."

part of one of the windows fell in. The next blow from outside brought the rest of the glass, and—somebody was coming through, feet first. It was Jim.

He did not speak to any of us, but turned and helped in a bundle of red and yellow silk comfort that proved to be Aunt Selma, also feet first. I had a glimpse of a half-dozen heads outside, guards and reporters. Then Jim jerked the shade down and unswathed Aunt Selma's legs so that she could walk, offered his arm, and stalked past us and upstairs, without a word!

None of us spoke. We turned out the lights and went upstairs and took off our wraps and went to bed. It had been almost a fiasco.

CHAPTER XV.

Suspicion and Discard.

Every one was nasty the next morning. Aunt Selma declared that her feet were frost-bitten and kept Bella rubbing them with ice water all morning. And Jim was impossible. He refused to speak to any of us, and he watched Bella furtively, as if he suspected her of trying to get him out of the house.

When luncheon time came around and he had shown no indication of going to the telephone, and Max was watching Bella furtively, as if he suspected her of trying to get him out of the house.

half-way up from the kitchen, for an hour, with the dinner on it. Anyhow, Max was searching the house systematically, armed with a copy of Poe's "Purloined Letter" and Gaboriau's "Monsieur Lecog." He went through the seats of the chairs with hatpins, tore up the beds, and lifted rugs, until the house was in a state of confusion. And the next day, the fourth, he found something—not much, but it was curious. He had been in the studio, poking around behind the dusty pictures, with Jimmy expostulating every time he moved anything and the rest standing around watching him.

Max was strutting. "We get it by eliminations," he said, importantly. "The pearls being nowhere else in the house, they must be here in the studio. Three parts of the studio having yielded nothing, they must be in the fourth. Ladies and gentlemen, let me have your attention for one moment. I tap the canvas with my wand—there is nothing up my sleeve. Then I prepare to move the canvas—so. And I put my hand in the pocket of this disreputable velvet coat, so. Behold!"

Then he gave a low exclamation and looked at something he held in his hand. Every one stepped forward, and on his palm was the small diamond clasp from Anne's collar!

Jimmy was apologetic. He tried to smile, but no one else did. "Well, I'll be flabbergasted!" he said. "I say, you people, you don't think for a minute that I put that thing there? Why, I haven't worn that coat for a month. It's—it's a trick of yours, Max."

But Max shook his head; he looked stupefied, and stood gazing from the clasp to the pocket of the old painting coat. Betty dropped on a folding stool, that promptly collapsed with her and created a welcome diversion, while Anne pounced on the clasp greedily, with a little cry.

"We will find it all now," she said, excitedly. "Did you look in the other pockets, Max?"

Then, for the first time, I was conscious of an air of constraint among the men. Dallas was whistling softly, and Mr. Harbison, having rescued Betty, was standing silent and aloof, watching the scene with non-committal eyes. It was Max who spoke first, after a hurried inventory of the other pockets.

"Nothing else," he said, constrainedly. "I'll move the rest of the canvases."

But Jim interfered, to every one's surprise. "I wouldn't if I were you, Max. There's nothing back there. I had 'em out yesterday." He was quite pale.

"Nonsense!" Max said gruffly. "It's a practical joke, Jim, why don't you 'fess up?' Anne has worried enough."

"The pearls are not there, I tell you," Jim began. Although the studio was cold, there were little fleas of moisture on his face. "I must ask you not to move those pictures." And then Aunt Selma came to the rescue; she stalked over and stood with her back against the stack of canvases.

"As far as I understand this," she declared, "you gentlemen are trying to intimidate that young woman's jewelry, because you found a part of it in his pocket. Certainly you will not move the pictures. How do you know that the young gentleman who said he found it there didn't have it up his sleeve?"

She looked around triumphantly, and Max glowered. Dallas soothed her, however. "Exactly so," he said. "How do we know that Max didn't have the clasp up his sleeve? My dear lady, neither my wife nor I care anything for the pearls, as compared with the priceless pearl of peace. I suggest tea on the roof; those in favor?—My arm, Miss Caruthers."

It was all well enough for Jim to say later that he didn't dare to have the canvases moved, for he had stuck behind them all sorts of chorus girl photographs and life-class crayons that were not for Aunt Selma's eyes, besides two empty siphons, two full ones, and three bottles of whisky. Not a soul believed him; there was a new element of suspicion and discord in the house.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

A FAIR RETORT.

Pat, who had a bad coin given to him, decided to try and spend it. He therefore went into a tobacconist and asked for a cigar. The shopman handed over the cigar, and Pat, putting the cigar in his mouth, tendered the coin. He was making his way out when the shopman shouted: "Hey, man, do you know it is a bad one?" Pat turned round and said: "Never mind. I'll smoke it if it kills me."

A Sure Sign.

"Was the audience this evening a fashionable one?" "No, it consisted of very ordinary people."

"But the people in the boxes seemed to be handsomely and stylishly dressed." "So they were, but they weren't fashionable for all that. They kept quiet all the time the play was going on."

Going Too Far.

"John, what on earth are you doing?" called Mrs. Geeker to her spouse, who was thumping, pounding and swearing in the cellar. "Didn't you tell me to shake down the furnace?" he asked. "Yes, but you needn't shake down the house."

Germany Gives France Warning.

Germany has warned France of the dangerous consequences which would be likely to follow the occupation of Fez by French troops.

Further than this the government has taken no step, though watching developments in Morocco very closely. There is no truth in the rumor published Monday morning that Germany had decided to send three cruisers to Moroccan waters to display the flag at Casablanca, Rabat, Mogador and El-Araish.

In view of the hint from Berlin it is believed that the French flying column from the southwest which has been hurrying to the relief of Fez will be halted outside the capital.

Spain Is \$16,000,000 Shy.

With every possible cent of taxes squeezed from the people and every possible item of expense lopped off, there still remains a deficit of \$16,000,000 in the Spanish budget. As a consequence it is predicted that the ministry may be forced to resign.

Military expansion and governmental graft are chiefly responsible for the deficit.

By 11 to 10 the Massachusetts state senate refused to ratify the proposed amendment to the federal constitution providing for an income tax. The measure recently passed the house by an overwhelming vote.

THE MARKETS

DETROIT—Cattle—Heavy grades steady; light butchers and common grades strong. We quote best steers and heifers \$7.75 to \$8.00; steers and heifers, 1,000 to 1,200, \$5.25 to \$5.50; steers and heifers, 800 to 1,000, \$4.75 to \$5.25; yearling steers, \$4.25 to \$4.75; choice fat cows, \$4.50 to \$4.85; good fat cows, \$4.25 to \$4.50; common cows, \$3.75 to \$4.25; calves, \$2.50 to \$3.00; bulls, \$4.25 to \$4.50; stock bulls, \$3.25 to \$3.50; choice feeding steers, 800 to 1,000, \$3.75 to \$4.25; stockers, 500 to 700, \$4.45 to \$4.75; stock heifers, 500 to 700, \$3.50 to \$3.75; stock medium age, \$4.00 to \$4.50; common milkers \$2.50 to \$3.00.

31 calves—Market steady; 25c higher than last Thursday; best, \$5.75 to \$6.00; others \$4.50 to \$5.50.

Milk cows and springers—Steady. Sheep and lambs—15c to 20c higher than last week. Best lambs \$5.40; fair to good lambs, \$4.75 to \$5.25; light to common lambs, \$3.75 to \$4.25; fair to good sheep, \$3.75 to \$4.25; culled and common, \$2.50 to \$3; spring lambs, \$3.50 to \$4.00; light to good butchers, \$3.75 to \$4.25; pigs, \$6; light yorkers, \$6; heavy, \$5.75 to \$6.75.

EAST BUFFALO, N. Y.—Cattle—Best 1,350 to 1,500 lb. steers, \$5.90 to \$6.25; good prime, 1,200 to 1,300 lb. steers, \$5.50 to \$5.85; best 1,000 to 1,200 lb. shipping steers, \$5.25 to \$5.60; medium butcher steers, 1,000 to 1,100 lb., \$5.25 to \$5.50; light butchers, \$4.75 to \$5.25; best fat cows, \$4.25 to \$5; fair to good do, \$3.25 to \$4; common to medium do, \$2 to \$3.50; trimmers, \$1.50 to \$2; best fat heifers, \$3.25 to \$3.50; good fat heifers, \$4.50 to \$5; fair to good do, \$3 to \$4.50; stock heifers, \$3.50 to \$4.50; best feeding steers, \$3.50 to \$4.50; bologna bulls, \$4 to \$4.65; stock bulls, common to good, \$3.50 to \$4; best milkers and springers, \$5 to \$6; common to good do, \$2.50 to \$3.50; Hogs—Heavy, \$6.30; yorkers, \$6.50; pigs, \$6.50.

Sheep steady; clipped lambs, \$3.80 to \$4.00; springers, \$4.50 to \$5; wethers, \$4.45 to \$4.75; ewes, \$3.50 to \$3.75. Calves—\$4 to \$6.00.

Grain, Etc.

Wheat—Cash, No. 2 red, 90c; May opened without change at 90 1/2c, advanced to 91 1/2c, declined to 91c and closed at 92c; July and September opened at 89c and advanced to 90c; No. 1 white, 90 1/2c.

Corn—Cash, No. 2, 55c; No. 2 yellow, 2 cars at 57 1/2c; No. 1 yellow, 2 cars at 56 1/2c.

Oats—Standard, 1 car at 35 1/2c; 1 at 35 1/2c; No. 3 white, 1 car at 34 1/2c; 1 at 35 1/2c.

Rye—Cash, No. 1, 96c bid; No. 2, 95c bid.

Beans—Cash and May, \$1.95; October, \$1.85.

Cloverseed—Prime spot, \$9; sample 15 bags at \$8.50; 10 at \$8; prime alsike, 5 bags at \$8.75; sample alsike, 4 bags at \$8.

Timothy Seed—Prime spot, 25 bags at \$5.60.

Feed—In 100-lb sacks; jobbing lots; Bran \$2.75; coarse middlings, \$2.75; fine middlings, \$2.85; cracked corn and coarse cornmeal, \$2.25; corn and oat chop, \$2 per bu.

Flour—Best Michigan patent, \$4.90; ordinary patent, \$4.90; straight, \$4.65; clear, \$4.75; pure rye, \$5.15; spring patent, \$4.65 per bu. in wood.

Farm Produce.

Cabbage—New, \$1.75 to \$2 per 45-lb basket. Tomatoes—\$2 to \$3.50 per 6-basket crate.

Honey—Choice to fancy comb, 15@ 17c per lb. Potatoes—Michigan, car lots 45c; store lots, 55c per bu.

Dressed calves—Fancy, \$8 to \$9; choice, \$7 to \$8 per 100 lb. New Maple Sugar—Pure, 11@12c per lb.; syrup, 7@8c per gal.

Strawberries—\$4.50 to \$4.50 per 24-quart case; \$2.25 per 24-pint case. Apples—New York state fancy Baldwin, \$5.50 to \$7; Steele Red, \$5.50 to \$7; Chester, Michigan, per bu., western, \$2.75 to \$3 per box.

Live Poultry—Broilers, 25@30c; spring chickens, 15@18c; hens, 15@18c; old roosters, 10@11c; turkeys, 15@18c; geese, 11@12c; ducks, 15@16c per lb. Dressed poultry—Turkeys, 13@20c; chickens, 15@16c; hens, 15@16c; old roosters and stags, 11@12c; ducks, 17@18c; geese, 13@14c per lb.

Cheese—Michigan, old, 15@16c; late made, 13@14c; York state, old, 16c; late made, 14c; limburger, early, 14@16c; September, 16@17c; domestic Swiss, 16@18c; imported Swiss, 25@30c cream brick, 15@16c per lb. Eggs—Market to steady; receipts, 894 cases current receipts, cases included, 18 1/2c per doz. Butter—Market steady; receipts, 155 cases; extra cream, 23; 25c; cream, 20c; butter, 16c; packing, 14c per lb.

Vegetables.

Asparagus, \$1@1.25 per doz; beets, 75c per bu; carrots, 15c per doz; cauliflower, \$2.50 per doz; egg plant, \$1.25 per doz; green onions, 15@20c per doz; green peppers, 50c per hamper; head lettuce, \$4.00 to \$5 per hamper; mint, 25c per doz; parsley, 20@25c per doz; radishes, 10@15c; water-pumpkin, 40c per bu; water-pumpkin, 25@30c per doz.

Woman suffrage raises the standard of the voters at the polls," declared ex-Gov. James Henry Brady of Idaho to the New York state legislature. "While women are not better politicians than men, they have a better brand of politics."

The state of Maine will erect a magnificent equestrian statue of Major General G. G. Howard on the Cadyville battlefield. A commission has been appointed by Gov. Plaisted to act in conjunction with the United States commission in selecting a suitable site.

POTATO PROFITS IN IDAHO

The modest potato is not sufficiently taken into account as a producer of profit for the man who tills the soil.

We hear about the romance of wheat, the kingly rule of corn, the commercial dignity of Oats and Alfalfa, of Barley and Rye, and we count them as sources of great wealth for those who make the earth their servant.

But, granting to the grains and forages the credit that is due, there are wide stretches of land in Idaho, producing cash yields from potatoes, that make the average grain production of states farther east appear exceedingly small.

And there are so many more acres, of the same kind, that have not yet been given a chance to show what they can do, that the money-making possibilities of Idaho, so far as potatoes alone are concerned, cannot be estimated.

Idaho won national publicity in 1910 as the result of the awarding of prizes of \$500 and \$250, given by Mr. D. E. Burley of Salt Lake City, Utah, for the best and second best yields of potatoes produced on a single acre of land in territory tributary to the Oregon Short Line, Pacific & Idaho Northern, Idaho Northern, Idaho Southern and Payette Valley railroads.

The Oregon Short Line, together with the affiliated lines mentioned above, traverses the states of Idaho; Utah, Oregon, Washington, Montana and Wyoming, so it will be readily seen that the winning of prizes for which there were competitors from so wide a territory was an accomplishment of great importance to the victorious state and of lasting credit to the successful growers.

The results of this contest, participated in by so many of the most progressive farmers in the prescribed district, were amazing, and the following account of those results, with figures showing what the returns signify in the matter of profits from the land, should prove interesting to everyone concerned in agricultural affairs.

Through Mr. L. A. Snyder, the first prize of \$500 was won by Twin Falls county, Idaho, with the "Dalmeny Challenge" variety of potatoes. The second prize of \$250 went to Canyon county, Idaho, through Mr. W. B. Gilmore, with the "Peachblow" variety.

On his winning acre of Idaho land Mr. Snyder raised 645 bushels of potatoes, weighing 38,635 pounds. The culs weighed, 4,150 pounds, leaving 34,535 pounds of the finest marketable potatoes, or about 575 bushels.

At 70 cents per 100 pounds, or 42 cents per bushel, the price Mr. Snyder received, the one prize acre produced in money, therefore, the sum of \$241.74, besides the 4,150 pounds, or almost 70 bushels, in culs, which were available for home use.

Mr. Snyder has given to the Commercial Club of Twin Falls some further facts showing the possibilities of potato raising in his section of the country. He reports that from three acres of land he harvested 895 sacks of potatoes, averaging 110 pounds to the sack. He sold 1,500 bushels at 42 cents per bushel, receiving \$630, and he had 75 sacks left for seed.

An average gross profit of \$210 per acre, when we consider how much smaller is the average gross profit from an acre of grain, gives the reader a fair idea of what the intensive potato farming opportunities of Idaho really are.

Going a little more extensively into figures, we may safely presume that the average family of, say, five persons consumes about five pounds of potatoes per day. That ought to be a liberal estimate—a pound of potatoes per day for each member of the family, large or small.

The 38,635 pounds of potatoes raised by Mr. Snyder on his prize acre of Idaho land would, therefore, supply the potato needs of more than 22 such families for a year, allowing each family 1,725 pounds, or 28 1/2 bushels.

It is fair to say that a \$30 gross yield from an acre of wheat is a good return. So we see that Mr. Snyder's prize acre of potato land brought forth as much money as would eight acres of wheat land.

If Mr. Snyder were to realize from ten acres of his potato land as well as he did from the three acres which gave him \$630, he would have \$2,100 at the end of the season, besides more than enough spuds for his own use and for the next season's planting.

There's "real money" in Idaho potatoes. "The combination that won the Burley prize," says Mr. Snyder, "was the most productive soil in the West, climate unexcelled, plenty of water for irrigation at all times, one of the best varieties of spuds, and a man with some experience and not afraid of work."

His words make clear the advantages and possibilities of the Oregon Short Line country. All of the farmers who entered the contest in which Mr. Snyder carried off first honor came out wonderfully well. Mr. Gilmore harvested 37,476 pounds of "Peachblow" potatoes from the acre that won for him the second prize, and many others were close competitors. Added encouragement for those who have never tried potato growing as a profit-making business is found in the fact that Mr. Snyder's potato experience began only five years ago.

THE BALLOT BOX.

The ballot box seems sacred to me, and I never voted without removing my hat. The men in the voting booths are always amused at this attitude, but to me the voting privilege will be always treated with great respect. A man should pray as he votes and vote as he prays.—Rev. R. S. MacArthur, Baptist, New York City.

If you are acquainted with happiness introduce him to your neighbor.—E. Brooks.

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PERSONAL MENTION.

Clyde Anderson was in Jackson Sunday. M. A. Lowry was a Detroit visitor Monday. Conrad Lehman spent Monday in Ann Arbor. Miss Blanche Stephens spent Saturday in Jackson. Miss Lilla Paul was a Jackson visitor Saturday. J. G. Webster was in Jackson on business Monday. Orin Winans, of Grass Lake, was in Chelsea Tuesday. J. Gerathy, of Webster, was a Chelsea visitor Sunday. Harry Slatter spent Sunday with Ann Arbor friends. Miss Mary Sawyer is spending a few days in Ann Arbor. Frank Schroeder, of Detroit, was a Chelsea visitor Sunday. Miss Margaret Miller was in Detroit on business Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Thos. McQuillan were Pinckney visitors Sunday. C. J. Depew, of Ann Arbor, was a Chelsea visitor Wednesday. Miss Mary Fitzsimmons, of Dexter, visited friends here Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Speer visited their sons in Detroit Sunday. Austin Keenan, of Detroit, spent Sunday with Chelsea friends. Miss Mabel Olds, of Detroit, spent Sunday with Mrs. J. R. Gates. Misses Mary and Margaret Eder were Jackson visitors Saturday. Don McIntyre, of Ann Arbor, was in Chelsea Wednesday afternoon. Jacob Hummel and daughter Genevieve spent Saturday in Jackson. Arthur Toban and John Hickey, of Jackson, were Chelsea visitors Sunday. Miss Charlotte Hutzel, of Ann Arbor, visited Chelsea relatives Sunday. Miss Kathryn Hooker spent the first of the week in Detroit on business. Miss Grace Norris, of Jackson, is visiting at the home of Mrs. Mary Boyd. Miss Bessie Kempf, of Hillsdale, is the guest of relatives and friends here. Miss Ella Slimmer spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives in Ann Arbor. Miss Mabel White, of Findlay, O., spent the first of the week with friends here. Julius Kimbling and Edward Dalton, of Jackson, were guests of friends here Sunday. Mrs. J. Schieferstein and daughter Flora were Ann Arbor visitors Saturday afternoon. Dave Mohrlock and John Wortley and daughters made an auto trip to Clinton Sunday. Miss Emily Steinbach, of Saginaw, is attending the May Festival at Ann Arbor this week. Joseph Dryer and Miss Myrtle Haefner were guests of relatives in Battle Creek Sunday. Miss Anna McKune, of Detroit, returned to her home Tuesday after spending some time here. Mrs. Chas. Steinbach and daughter Helene are attending the May Festival in Ann Arbor this week. Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Eisen and children, of Detroit, spent Sunday at the home of George Wackenhut. Miss Cleora Cooper spent a few days in Grass Lake visiting relatives and friends the last of the past week. Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Kilburn and daughter, of Detroit, spent several days at the home of F. K. McEldowney. Mr. and Mrs. John Gregg, of Detroit, spent Saturday and Sunday at the home of Mrs. Sarah Shaver on west Middle street. No presents will be trotted up the aisle when this year's senior class in the Ann Arbor high school has its graduating exercises, and the girls of the class have decided that no girl shall have more than one dress for the occasion. That is that she must wear the same dress for the class day exercises and also for the commencement exercises.

CORRESPONDENCE.

FRANCISCO NOTES.

Alonso Main is in Ann Arbor for treatment. Nelson and Edward Peterson spent Sunday at home. Mr. and Mrs. H. Gieske spent Sunday in Manchester. John Monks, of Sharon, spent Sunday at the home of H. Phelps. Bora, Thursday, May 4, 1911, to Mr. and Mrs. William Wehl, a son. Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Gage, of Sharon, spent Sunday with Mrs. H. Main. The twin colts at the farm of Henry Frey are attracting considerable attention. Mr. and Mrs. Ashley Holden, of Chelsea, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Musbach. Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Runciman and sons, of Chelsea, spent Sunday afternoon at J. Richards'. The next meeting of Cavanaugh Lake Grange will be held May 23 at the home of H. Lehmann. Mr. and Mrs. Adam Mitchell, who have been spending the winter in California, visited the latter's mother, Mrs. H. Main, for a few days. H. Fahrner and family, of Lima, Geo. Beeman and family, of Waterloo, Elmer and Ella Mae Schweinfurth, of Chelsea, and Miss Kaswell spent Sunday at the home of Philip Schweinfurth.

LIMA CENTER NEWS.

Harry Hammond spent Sunday in Ann Arbor. Mrs. Etta Stocking, of Detroit, was a Lima visitor Sunday. Miss Alma Barton spent Saturday and Sunday in Lyndon. Mrs. Edith Stocking was an Ann Arbor visitor Saturday. Mrs. Stowell Wood and son, Ralph spent Sunday in Sylvan. Lula and Ezra Feldcamp spent Sunday at the home of Jacob Hinderer. Fred Hultz, of Bay City, spent Sunday with his aunt, Mrs. P. Westfall. The Farmers' Club met with Mr. and Mrs. Jay Wood Wednesday, May 10th. Henry Baresis, of Hammond, Ind., spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Baresis. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Strieter and children, of Chelsea, spent Sunday with Mrs. A. Strieter. Mrs. Bertha Casterline, of Ann Arbor, has been spending several days with her mother, Mrs. Anna Strieter. One of the electric cars ran off the track on Vickers switch Saturday afternoon. They were obliged to transfer passengers for several hours.

SHARON NEWS.

Margaret Esch has been having the chickenpox. Miss Frankie Snow, of Franklin, is visiting at the home of Randolph Cooke. Prof. Fred Irwin, of Detroit, spent several days of last week with his parents here. George Kirkwood is making arrangements to build a new house on the same foundation where the other one was burned last fall. No services were held at the Lutheran church last Sunday as Rev. Laubengayer went to Saline where he attended the Young People's convention.

FREEDOM NEWS.

Mrs. John Grau went to Battle Creek Monday for treatment. Miss Hannah Eisen went to Ann Arbor Monday to assist at sewing for a few days. Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Geyer and Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Kuhl spent Sunday with Wm. Bahnmiller and family of Lima. Quite a number of young people from here attended the Young People's convention held at Saline Sunday.

A Father's Vengeance.

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SYLVAN HAPPENINGS.

L. Koebe, of Freedom, was a caller at the home of Henry Bertke Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bertke and son Clark were Manchester visitors over Sunday. Frank Losty and family, of Lyndon, spent Sunday with P. Lingane and wife. Richard Baldwin, of Dexter, was the guest of Earl and Glenn Bertke Saturday and Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lowry and daughter Helen were guest of her parents near Lima Sunday. Mrs. E. Fahrner and daughter, of Chelsea, were the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Prinzing, over Sunday. A large gang of gypsies camped for a couple of days near Geo. Merkel's one of their horses choked on oats, (or rather the lack of oats) and died near J. Miller's.

Church Circles.

ST. PAUL'S. Rev. A. A. Schoen, Pastor. Services at the usual hour next Sunday morning. Young People's meeting at 7:30 p. m.

CONGREGATIONAL. Rev. M. L. Grant, Pastor. Morning service at 10 a. m. Sermon by the pastor. Sunday school at 11 a. m. C. E. meeting at 6:15 p. m. Evening service at 7 o'clock. Subject, "Wendell Phillips, Wm. Lloyd Garrison and the Eloquence of the Anti Slavery Period."

BAPTIST.

Rev. F. I. Blanchard, Pastor. Preaching service at 10 a. m. Subject, "Regeneration." Sunday school at 11 a. m. Young People's meeting at 6 p. m. Subject, "The Universal Duty of Making Pledges." Preaching service at 7 p. m. Subject, "Sabbath Cure at Bethesda." Prayer meeting Thursday at 7 p. m. Junior meeting Friday at 3:15 p. m. Subject, "A Leader Who Stuck to His Job."

METHODIST EPISCOPAL.

Rev. J. W. Campbell, Pastor. Preaching next Sunday at 10 a. m. Class at 9:30 a. m. Bible study at 11 a. m. Junior League at 3 p. m. Epworth League devotional service at 6 p. m. Evening worship at 7 o'clock with song service and a short sermon. Prayer service at 7 p. m. on Thursday. Everybody welcome at all these services.

SALEM GERMAN M. E. CHURCH.

NEAR FRANCISCO. J. E. Beal, Pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. Mothers Day will be observed on Sunday morning. Epworth League at 7:30 p. m. At 8 o'clock the pastor will give a report on the Billy Sunday Evangelistic meetings which are being held in Toledo, Ohio, and which he had the pleasure of attending.

Resolutions.

Whereas, it has pleased Almighty God in his wise providence to take out of this life our beloved sister, Mrs. Katherine Broesamle, be it Resolved, that we, the members of the Ladies' Aid Society of the Salem German M. E. church at Francisco; experience the loss of our sister deeply and humbly submit to the divine will.

That we recognize the many services which she has rendered to the Society since she became a charter member of it and rejoice in the Christian character she displayed in her life.

That we express our heartfelt sympathy for those who mourn the loss of "Mother" and "Sister" pray that divine comfort may be theirs in this sad bereavement.

That a copy of these resolutions be sent to each member of the family and also be placed upon record in the minutes of the society and furthermore that they be published in the Chelsea Standard.

LADIES' AID SOCIETY.

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**U**NCLE SAM, in one way and another, is to play quite a prominent part in connection with the coronation in June of King George, Great Britain's new monarch. First and foremost, of course, will be the representation, official and unofficial, of the United States at the spectacular exercises in London. But aside from this there will be recognition of the momentous event in the American capital and while it will be, perforce, infinitely less showy than the elaborate program in the British metropolis, this echo on this side of the Atlantic will have much of significance for all believers in the hands across the sea tradition.

A kingly coronation is always a magnet for tourists and sightseers of all nationalities—as witness the thousands of spectacle-loving Americans who have planned to be in London for the big show early this summer—but no government is expected to send official representatives to a coronation unless specifically invited by the government whose sovereign is to be crowned. However, Uncle Sam was duly invited, all right, to send special envoys to London for this supreme event of British history. Indeed in the present instance, as in the case of the coronation of the late King Edward, the United States was one of the first nations to whom an invitation was dispatched and this is something of an honor, for John Bull invites very few republics to participate in his big celebration and even purposely overlooks some of the less important monarchies in sending out his "bids."

From the minute that the state department accepted Britannia's invitation immense interest was aroused all over the country as to whom the president would appoint special ambassador to the coronation. There is no salary attached to the place and the allowance which the government makes for expenses cannot be expected to cover the outlay of a man who has such a position to maintain. But it is a great honor to be sent as coronation envoy—carrying with it such privileges as dinners with the king and queen in addition to choice reserved seats at all the big functions—and so the place is eagerly sought by men who have the wealth to enable them to carry out its obligations. President Taft bestowed this plum upon his close personal friend, John Hays Hammond, the multimillionaire mining engineer who, for the first time, broke into politics just prior to the last presidential campaign and was mentioned for nomination as vice-president on the ticket with Mr. Taft.

The California mining expert who rolled up the greater part of his wealth in the gold fields and diamond mines of South Africa, has the reputation of being a very liberal spender, but he will need to be to outshine his American rival, Mr. Whitelaw Reid, in the coronation hospitalities. Mr. Reid was the special envoy (the post now held by Mr. Hammond) at the coronation of King Edward, as he had been previously at Queen Victoria's diamond jubilee, and on both occasions he entertained in a manner to cause British eyes to open wide with astonishment. Now, Mr. Reid is our regular ambassador at the Court of St. James and as such he has to play second fiddle to the special ambassador, Mr. Hammond. But that is only in official precedence. There is no official etiquette that puts a check upon his private hospitalities. However, President Taft's chum has leased a large London mansion for the coronation season, paying a fortune as rental, and it is likely that no temporary resident of the city of fogs will play host more splendidly during the six weeks of gayety.

Special Envoy Hammond will have one immense advantage over the regular ambassador, Mr. Reid, and, of course, over all the Americans who are present in London at this time as private citizens. It will arise from the circumstance that the British government will, in order to make things easy for the special visitor, detail to attend him military and naval aids and court officials who will act as gentlemen-in-waiting just as is the case when a king visits the capital of a friendly nation.

These British courtiers will pilot the proxy of President Taft all through the intricate problem of the coronation festivities, telling him just where to go, when to go and what to do when he gets there. In addition Mr. Hammond will enjoy all the privileges and immunities which are secured by international custom to the ambassadors of all countries.

Whereas Mr. Hammond will be the most conspicuous American at all the public events connected with the coronation, he is the head of what is known as a "special embassy" and the other members will come in for their respective shares of glory. The official staff of the special ambassador will include a military aid who will be a brigadier general of the regular army and a naval aid who will be of the rank of rear admiral, and in addition there will be three secretaries—young men chosen more for their social qualifications than because of clerical ability.

The army and navy representatives in the special embassy will of course don their special full dress uniforms on all ceremonial occasions during their stay in London, but the special ambassador, alike to the regular envoy, will not be asked to appear in fancy court attire of any kind or to make any elaboration of the conventional evening clothes such as he would wear at a White House reception. There will be this difference, however, that Mr. Hammond will have to venture forth at all hours of the day in his claw-hammer coat instead of reserving such attire for evening events as he would do here at home. And being somewhat short of stature anyway, this plain American citizen in his unobtrusive costume can scarcely expect to attract as much attention in the big public parades as will the princes of various nationalities who will be present in all the splendor of vivid-hued court costumes, bedecked with jeweled decorations.

Yet another American who will have official standing at the coronation events will be Captain Gray, the naval officer in command of the U. S. S. Delaware, our newest and most powerful battleship. The Delaware, he it explained, is to be sent to England for this special occasion. The huge warship, it may be added, does not go to afford an impressive conveyance for the special ambassador and his suite. On the contrary they will travel on the regular ocean liners, but Great Britain has invited all the nations on the globe to send warships to the coronation marine parades and more especially to a great naval review off the English coast, and it is to enable the stars and stripes

to have a creditable color bearer in this history-making spectacle that our latest "dreadnaught" has been ordered to cross the Atlantic.

Uncle Sam's participation in the coronation will have prelude of a social nature in the United States prior to the departure of the special embassy for London. The British ambassador to the United States may be expected to entertain the special ambassador, and probably all the members of the special embassy, at a formal dinner, provided he follows precedent in the matter, as doubtless he will, for Hon. James Bryce, the present British ambassador to the United States, has earned a reputation for doing the right thing at the right time and, moreover, he is strongly in sympathy with everything American. This hospitality will doubtless be returned by Ambassador Hammond, who is well equipped for entertaining, having, in addition to his spacious summer home at Gloucester, Mass., a rented house in Washington which he has leased at a rental of upward of \$10,000 a year and where he is residing with his wife and children pending the completion of a mansion specially constructed for him at the national capital.

And speaking of Ambassador Hammond's

family it may be noted that Mrs. Hammond is as well qualified for the duties of special ambassador as is her husband for the post of special ambassador. Prior to her marriage she was a resident of the state of Mississippi, but since she formed a life partnership with the mining engineer she has traveled all over the world—one of her latest jaunts being to St. Petersburg, Russia, whither Mr. Hammond was summoned by the czar only a few months ago for a consultation regarding the development of Russian and Siberian mines. Moreover, Mrs. Hammond has lived for considerable intervals in London during the time that her husband was associated with Cecil Rhodes and the British capitalists who developed South Africa, so that she has had considerable experience to fit her for her duties as a hostess during the gayest social season in the interim of the world's metropolises.

Precedent is followed in the case of the coronation of King George commemorative services will be held in Washington (and in all the world's capitals where Great Britain has embassies and legations) simultaneously with the significant ceremony in London. Such commemorative exercises when under the auspices of British diplomats are always especially impressive, one of the most notable within the memory of official Washington being the memorial service in honor of the late King Edward, which was held in Washington at the same hour that the funeral was held in England. Such services are attended by the president of the United States and the members of his cabinet and by all the members of the diplomatic corps in full uniform. When, as in this case, the services are in honor of a British monarch, they are always held in an Episcopal church, that being the denomination of the Church of England. The scene of such commemorative events in Washington is old St. John's church, the famous "Court Church" or "Church of the Presidents," which is located directly opposite the White House. Unfortunately the general public gets never a peep at such ceremonies because the church is a tiny one, seating only a few hundred persons and virtually every pew in the edifice has to be reserved for the diplomats and public officials who by virtue of their positions are entitled to attend.

## Vehicles of the Air

In his comprehensive book on vehicles of the air Victor Loughheed, engineer and student of aviation, emphasizes a few points on the relation of the aeroplane to warfare that serve to bring out his notion that the day is not far off when the expenditure of millions for dreadnaught battleships will be unknown.

The engineer believes many things are possible with the aeroplane and compares the aviator dropping destructive shells into the vulnerable works of a modern battleship from his aerial position to bringing down ducks with a little shotgun.

"If one aeroplane at a cost of, say, \$500, does not destroy a battleship," says Mr. Loughheed, "why, 50 or 100 might do the work. The West Point and Annapolis students may descend

upon getting guns that would destroy the daring aviator if he flew low enough to make accuracy possible in hitting a battleship, and they may say that if the aeroplane destroyer flies beyond the range of those guns he would not be able to drop a shell where it would do its work.

"They may forget, however, that the funnel of a great battleship offers a wide target, and that a perfect swarm of the little, destructive biplane gnats might be turned loose over a battleship and some one of them might drop the shell in the funnel. You could construct a big fleet of these aeroplanes for less than the cost of one battleship.

"Carry the parallel still further. Suppose a hunter out after ducks

with a shotgun were to understand that if he left one of the flock that this one survivor might be able to annihilate him he would not place so much confidence in his shotgun."

Particularly interesting is the relation of navigation to warfare, and the subject obsesses many now that the governments are taking up the experiments along scientific lines. This latest of man's inventions probably will serve first in adding to the terrors and then in laying the grim specter of the centuries.

A very few of the military authorities have pointed out that in the development of the flying machine there is placed, for the first time in history, in the hands of the weak and strong combatants alike, a weapon capable of an effective and unpreventable direction against the kings, congresses, presidents and diplomats who declare war as it is of direction against the

fighting men on the faraway battle fronts.

Already more than one great military and naval captain has suffered disquieting visions of what will happen when, maneuvering unopposed and unseen in the obscurity of the night, not merely one or a few, but veritable swarms of light aeroplanes, in 20,000 lots, costing no more than single dreadnaughts, commence trailing assortments of high explosives at the end of 1,000 foot lengths of piano wire over cities and palaces and through fleets and armies.

Many authorities are inclined to disparage the fighting ability of the aeroplane, basing their views on the fact that it has been demonstrated exceedingly difficult to drop bombs with any considerable accuracy from great heights. But from a slow-moving aeroplane flying very low it should be an easy matter to cast generous parcels of picric acid or fulminate of mer-

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A Cleveland man was reading some book about how the English weren't so slow as they are supposed to be when he got a joke. He believed it, too. So he tried his theory on a British guest of his.  
"Did you ever hear Mark Twain's joke about how the report of his death had been greatly exaggerated?" he asked.  
"No," answered the Englishman, eagerly, "but I'll wager it was good. What was it?"—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

## SCALP WAS BADLY AFFECTED

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# For the Hostess

**A Unique Flower Luncheon.**  
The hostess asked ten guests to come to a luncheon, each wearing a flower (either real or artificial) to represent a country. The flowers were all typically springlike, being daffodils, narcissus and hyacinths. The place cards were original rhymes in which the name of the flower was not mentioned, but to be guessed. A few specimens follow:

Your sweet face says: "I think of you,"  
Your colors are of every hue. (Pansy.)  
Blue as the loving sky,  
Thine emblem constancy. (Forget-me-not.)

"I love you! I love you!" your rich color  
Imparts  
Oh, how fondly we nestle you close to  
our hearts. (Red rose.)

Though dangerous pleasures you imply,  
Your wax-like petals doth please the  
eye. (Tuberose.)

The countries represented are: United States, goldenrod; England, rose; Ireland, shamrock; France, fleur de lis; Japan, chrysanthemum; Canada, maple leaf; Holland, tulip; Scotland, thistle; Germany, cornflower; Switzerland, edelweiss; etc.

One of the many flower guessing contests was used as a pastime, the prizes being a copy of "Elizabeth and Her German Garden," and set of flower-decorated place cards. The center of the table represented a formal miniature garden, the tiny flowers and trees being found in the toy and favor department of a large city store. These novelties are within the reach of most of our readers as prices are gladly quoted and orders filled by mail.

**Butterfly Dinner.**  
Have butterfly candle shades, butterfly place cards and, if possible, a lovely overhead decoration with a number of delicately made paper butterflies fluttering from the ceiling at the end of fine silk strings. Serve the following menu:

- Consomme With Peas.
- Oyster Croquettes.
- Cucumbers.
- Braised Sweet Breads.
- Asparagus Tips.
- Veal Fillet With Brain Fritters.
- Pineapple and Celery Salad.
- Pistachio and Vanilla Ice Cream in Meringue Shells.
- Black Coffee.

Lovely nut holders may be made (or ordered from a firm making a specialty of novelties) by having small butterflies poised on the rims of the cups which hold the nuts. This is a beautiful decorative scheme especially fitting at this season.

**An Announcement Party.**  
There was nothing unusual about the invitations to this party, which was an affair for about thirty young people who were in the same social set. When the dancing commenced some one observed that the young hostess seemed especially taken with a young man who had recently come to town. Presently some one noticed that the wedding march was being

played by the harp which furnished the music. This was followed by these melodies: "Mendelssohn's Wedding March," the "Bridal Chorus" from "Lohengrin," "Hearts and Flowers," "My Heart at Thy Sweet Voice," "The Voice That Breathed O'er Eden," "Believe Me If All Those Endearing Young Charms," "The Sweetest Story Ever Told," "Beloved It Is Morn," "Oh Promise Me."

The songs were rendered by a vocalist behind a screen. When the program was finished the host and hostess asked all to come to the dining room, where a large loving cup was passed and all asked to drink to the health of the happy pair who stood side by side while the toasts were being offered. Then all went back for a merry, informal dance amid showers of congratulations.

**A Baseball Luncheon.**  
A mother who had two sons in a local baseball nine gave this original luncheon, inviting the "nine" as her special guests. The invitations went out on diamond-shaped bits of pink paper and were received with great enthusiasm. The hour was one o'clock, after which there was a practice game for the approaching "big game" which was to decide a championship; so all were told to come in their baseball suits.

The center of the table was laid out for a game with miniature figures on a "diamond" made from green paper; a wire mesh held flowers and the place souvenirs all represented names of famous baseball nines. There were the "Cubs," little stuffed "Red Socks," the "Pirates," represented by skull and crossbones, the "Tigers," "Giants" and "Indians." There were also miniature bats and balls and the "nine's" mascot, a dog, was not forgotten. A hearty meal of scalloped potatoes, with tomato sauce, baked potatoes, with fruit salad with hot cheese sandwiches, individual apple pies and generous cups of cocoa delighted the youthful guests. Molasses candy and peppermint sticks were the sweets. The boys went off with three cheers and a tiger for the popular mother, and she declared she never had more appreciative guests.

## MADAME MERRI.

## FANCIES OF FASHION.

One of the most exquisite of the new nets has a border of ragged blue that trails off indefinitely into pale green.

Coat suits of plique and linen will be popular garments for the little mill this spring. Some very smart models are fashioned of colored linen.

Many of the new foulards have fine white stripes on dark blue, gray, green, or lavender, brown and over all a conventional satin figure, the same color as the ground.

# For Tweed Cloth



GRAY and black tweed would look exceedingly smart made up in this style. It has the skirt made with a wide box plait down center of front and trimmed below knees by a band of material cut on the cross and edged with black velvet ribbon.

The Russian coat has slight fullness in front, also on basque; a braided band is worn round waist, and bands to match trim the fronts, while a strip to

correspond with skirt is taken down edges of fronts.

Hat of felt is turned up at the sides and trimmed with two quills, kept in position by a buckle. Velvet ribbon encircles the crown. The whole producing a very chic appearance.

Materials required: Six and one-half yards tweed 46 inches wide, nine yards ribbon velvet, four yards braid, twenty buttons, seven yards silk or satin for lining coat.

# ELEMENTARY LESSONS IN PRODUCTION OF PLANTS

In Study of Rudimentary Agriculture One Soon Learns That Things Do Not "Just Happen," But Follow Inexorable Laws.

(By D. J. CROSBY.)  
To show that plants absorb moisture from the soil, take two one-quart tin cans as near alike as you can get them and punch holes in the bottoms for drainage. Secure enough garden soil to fill both cans, mix it thoroughly, and sift it to remove pebbles and clods. Fill both cans level full of loose soil, which should then be packed by jarring each can three times on the table or floor. It is important to have the soil packed alike in both cans. Weigh the filled cans, and if one is heavier than the other, take out enough soil to bring them to the same weight. Plant five or six kernels of corn in one can, water both cans alike, and set them aside for the corn to grow. Whenever water is applied to the can containing corn, an equal amount should be applied to the other can in order to keep both soils in about the same physical condition.

When the corn is three or four inches high, wet both soils thoroughly, allow the cans to stand until water ceases to drip from the bottom, weigh them, and record their weights separately. Set both cans in a warm light place where the corn will continue to grow rapidly. Weigh the cans twice on the following day—morning and afternoon—and record the weights. Keep this up for three or four days, or until the corn begins to suffer from lack of moisture. Water again and continue as before. You will probably find that the can containing the growing plants loses moisture much more rapidly than the other.

This experiment may be performed in another way by using flower pots instead of tin cans. When the corn is three or four inches high, set two large pails or cans just large enough to take in the pots to their rims. Mark on the outside of the pails the depth to which the pots will extend on the inside, and at a point one inch above each mark made a dent which can be distinctly seen on the inside of the pail. Now fill each pail with water up to the dent, water both pots thoroughly, and set them in the pails as shown in the figure. Set both pails and pots in a warm, light place so that the corn will continue to grow. The next day remove the pots, and you will find that the water is not up to the dents, you will conclude, and naturally, that the soil has taken up

plant normal by supplying it with water. Note what happens inside the glass tube, making observations every few hours.

To show that water and whatever substances it holds in solution circulate to all parts of the plant, fill a tumbler about one-third full of lukewarm water colored with a few drops of red ink or some other brilliant coloring matter, and place in colored water the freshly cut stems of white carnations, or white roses, lilies of the valley, or other white flowers, or the twigs of trees with young leaves on, or almost any soft green plant. Be sure that they are fresh. In a short time the colored water will rise through the stems or twigs and may be seen distributed in vein-like pattern through the petals of the flowers or through the leaves. Hold the leaves up to the light and the coloring matter can be seen more clearly. In this manner the stem of the plant carries food in solution which has been absorbed by the roots.

## GUARD YOUNG FRUIT TREES

If Mulched and Not Properly Protected Much Damage Will Have Been Done By Mice—Best Material Is Wire Screening.

(By W. A. PATRICK.)

If your young trees were mulched last fall and not properly protected from mice and rabbits, you will probably be surprised when you visit the orchard to find that many of them have been ruined. Mulch is a good thing for the trees, but it is also a good thing for mice, as it affords them the best protection during the winter and they gather in large numbers around the foot of the trees and eat away the bark.

Protection is easy. The best material is wire screening, although some use tarred paper and veneer from wood. Some orchardists practice tramping snow around the base of their trees, but oftentimes this is neglected and the trees are injured before the work is accomplished. The protectors should be pressed into the ground deep enough to prevent the mice from crawling under. Personally I prefer wire screening, but in case tarred paper is used it should be promptly removed in the spring to prevent injury from scalding.

## Transplanting Asparagus.

Some growers prefer lifting asparagus plants in the fall, choosing only the strongest for planting in the permanent plantation. If the ground is prepared early in the spring, the plants need not be lifted until planting begins, but the safer course is to take the plants up in the fall and store them in a cool, moist cellar or pit. Experiments at the Pennsylvania state college indicate that too much care cannot be exercised in the selection and planting of asparagus roots. This is one of the main arguments for growing one's own plants. If they are purchased at about \$4 a thousand, it is not likely that many will be discarded, while if grown at home and there is a surplus of several thousand, the grower does not hesitate to select the strongest. It is important that thinning be practiced in the nursery with a view to growing the best plants. This should be done when the plants are about two inches high. They should be thinned to one or two inches apart.

## Mulch the Beds.

A mulch should be placed over the beds in the fall. It prevents the plants from heaving out of the ground by frost, protects them during the winter, conserves moisture the second season before and during the harvesting season, discourages growth of weeds and protects the berries from sand and other dirt.

## Scraping and Pruning.

Scraping old apple trees to remove loose bark is a good practice when combined with judicious pruning. It makes the trees look better and do better, and it reduces the number of insect hiding places. Once in three to five years if often enough to do it.

## Dividing Point.

In the garden the Fourth of July is the natural date or dividing point between the early or first crops, and the late or second crops.

# MAKING HOTBED ON SURFACE



If plenty of manure can be obtained a hotbed may be made on the surface by making a layer 2 1/2 feet deep and extending several feet beyond the sides and ends of the frame. Pack the manure solid and leave for a few days before putting on the soil. Rich garden loam is best for the purpose.

**Value of Mulching.**  
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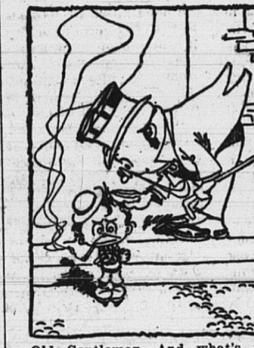
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## IGNORANCE!



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Council Proceedings.

OFFICIAL. COUNCIL ROOMS, Chelsea, Mich., May 1, 1911. Board met in regular session. Meeting called to order by Geo. P. Staffan, president. Roll called by the clerk. Present, trustees, Hummel, Dancer, Palmer, McKune, Lowry. Absent, Brooks. Minutes of the last meeting read and approved. The following bills were presented and read by the clerk as follows:

ELECTRIC LIGHT AND WATER WORKS Henry R. Worthington, pump, repairs, \$ 7 93 W. G. Nagle Co., lamps \$50.12 less 2 per cent, 49 12 Frank C. Teal Co., supplies \$57.83 less 2 per cent, 56 68 A. T. Knowlson Co., fixtures \$51.82 less 3 per cent, 50 79 Consolidated Coal Co., 1 car coal M. C. R. R., 4 days car service 4 00 G. H. Foster & Son, 2 tds., 18 00 John Kelly, freight, cartage, 18 00 John Maier, 1 mo. salary, 37 50 Dave Alber, 1 mo. salary, 27 50 Ed. Fisk, 1 mo. salary, 27 50 E. Paul, 8 days salary, 14 66 Ed. Chandler, 7 days salary, 12 82 Anna Hoag, 1 mo. salary, 10 00

STREET FUND. Hugh McKune, 2 1/2 days on scraper, 5 00

GENERAL FUND. M. Wackenhut, cleaning ditch 10 00 Frank Staffan, 1/2 years rent for Bremen hall, 50 00 Chas. Hopburn, 1/2 mo. salary, 22 50 Chelsea Elevator Co., tile, 10 58 Chelsea Standard, printing, 6 25 Moved and supported that the bills as read be allowed and orders drawn on the treasurer for their amounts. Carried.

Moved by Hummel, supported by Dancer that the bonds of L. P. Vogel, with Edward Vogel and Clarence Maroney as sureties, and Henry H. Penn Co., with Frank Staffan and R. S. Armstrong as sureties and L. T. Freeman Co. with Sumner G. Bush and Edward Vogel as sureties in the sum of \$2,000 each be accepted. Yeas, Hummel, Dancer, Palmer, McKune, Lowry. Nays, none.

Moved by Hummel, supported by Lowry, that the street committee investigate the matter of paving and report at next meeting. Carried. Archie W. Wilkinson appeared before the Board and presented in behalf of the Chelsea Land Co. for examination, acceptance and approval a plat of the Grantwood addition to the Village of Chelsea, dedicated by said Co. to said Village.

Moved by McKune, supported by Lowry, that the above plat be accepted. Carried. Moved by Hummel, supported by Dancer, that we adjourn until Monday, May 8. Carried. H. E. COOPER, Clerk.

Chelsea, Mich., May 8, 1911. Pursuant to regular adjourned meeting of May 1st Board met in regular session. Meeting called to order by Geo. P. Staffan president. Roll called by the clerk. Present, trustees, Hummel, Dancer, McKune, Lowry. Absent, Palmer, Brooks. The following bills were then presented and read by the clerk as follows:

ELECTRIC LIGHT AND WATER WORKS Sunday Creek Coal Co., 1 car coal No. 2287, \$ 26 90 M. C. R. R. Co., freight on car coal No. 2287, 43 04

STREET FUND. Tim Drislane, 81 hours with team at 40 cents, 32 40 Hector Cooper, 117 hours laying sewer at 22 cents, 26 32 Jas. Wade, 24 1/2 hours laying sewer at 20 cents, 4 90 John Galatian, 10 hours on street at 20 cents, 2 00 Ed. Negus, 30 hours on street at 20 cents, 6 00 E. Uptegrove, on street, 2 50

Moved by McKune, supported by Dancer, that the bills be allowed as read and orders drawn on the treasurer for their amounts. Carried. There being no further business it was moved and supported to adjourn. Carried. H. E. COOPER, Clerk.

Starts Much Trouble.

If all people knew that neglect of constipation would result in severe indigestion, yellow jaundice or virulent liver trouble they would soon take Dr. King's New Life Pills, and end it. It's the only safe way. Best for biliousness, headache, dyspepsia, chills and debility. See at L. P. Vogel, H. H. Penn Co. and L. T. Freeman Co.

BREVITIES

DEXTER—James Doody of Dexter township has begun the construction of a new barn.

BRIDGEWATER—Fred Randall is adding 35 feet to his barn. The work was commenced on Monday of this week.

YPSILANTI—Christopher Reahkugler, of Lodi, was arrested Saturday in Ypsilanti for accosting and insulting women and fined \$4.40 costs by Justice Stadtmiller.

TECUMSEH—Signs have been painted and put up at the seven roads entering the village warning automobile drivers to slow up and not run over 10 miles an hour within the village limits.

TECUMSEH—Judge Golden has handed down his decision in the Maccon drain case 80 per cent to be paid by Lenawee Co. and 20 per cent by Monroe Co. The drain lies mostly in Monroe Co. but the most of the land benefitted lies in Lenawee.—Herald.

DEXTER—Len Rosler, who works for Emmett Farrell of Dexter township, came Saturday evening for a visit with his sister, Mrs. Clarence Alley, over Sunday. Upon opening the cellar door, mistaking it for an outside door, he fell down the cellar stairs, cutting his face and bruising himself quite badly.

BRIGHTON—Grace Love is attempting to secure a divorce in the circuit court of Livingston county from her husband Floyd J. Love. She used to call him Love, then she consented to be his Love. For a while it was all love but after a while the love died out and now there is no more love in this Love family.—Argus.

ANN ARBOR—Judge E. D. Kinne Friday morning took the oath of office for his fifth term as circuit judge. His present term does not expire until the last day of next December, but the judge wanted to be ready. The oath was administered by County Clerk Charles Miller. Judge Kinne will have been on the bench 24 years when he begins the new term.

ANN ARBOR—Deputy Sheriff Freire Stark Friday went to Niles and brought back John Wooly of Detroit wanted in this city for the theft of a horse belonging to William Popkins of Northfield. The horse was stolen several months ago, but Wooly was among the missing until located in Niles on the description sent out from the local office. He had just finished serving time at Niles for larceny and may have an opportunity to serve some more unless he can prove an alibi as he claims he can.

MASON—A paper received from Lodi, Wis., Saturday, contains an item of news which took the Mason people by surprise. It announced the marriage of Mrs. Edna M. Gunnison Hawley of that place to Col. L. H. Ives of Mason, which took place on April 29. Mrs. Ives formerly lived here, and is well known as a woman of great literary ability, several books of her poems having been published. Col. L. H. Ives' name is a familiar one to everyone in this section of the state as he is active in all patriotic affairs, farmers' club, both local and state organizations. Their home will be at Sunny Side, Col. Ives' beautiful suburban residence.

ANN ARBOR—When the night man at the Michigan Central freight depot returned to work at 5 o'clock Sunday morning he found a pane neatly kicked out of the office door and several boxes of freight inside considerably muddled up. Investigation showed that a box of chewing gum and notions from a Chicago mail order house had been taken along with 12 bottles of whisky. The gum and the notions were later found lying near the track north of the freight house, but the whisky is still missing. Deputy Sheriff Max and Railroad Detective Navarre went to work on the case Sunday and arrested four hoboes, George Elliott, James Allen, Gus Erded and Burt Andrews on suspicion.—Times-News.

SALINE—While digging close to the fence along the edge of his garden Saturday, where the soil has not been disturbed for years, E. W. Hunt discovered a rather uncommon relic, it being a piece of a cast iron cannon weighing nearly ten pounds. Almost immediately when he realized his find, there flashed through his mind an incident which happened here about seventy-two years ago when, during a celebration a cannon comparing favorably with the piece found was exploded in the street in front of the now Guthard & Schroen store, the pieces of which were hurled in all directions, yet not a person was hit, one piece however plowed its way through three rooms of the old American Hotel. While Mr. Hunt is not positive that this is a piece of that cannon, he feels that there can be little if any doubt of such fact as no other similar gun was ever known to go to pieces here and the piece found with its 1 1/2 bore compares with the exploded one.—Observer.

JACKSON—Since February 1 the prison twine plant has made 2,000,000 pounds of twine.

DEXTER—John Dunlavy of West Hamburg has sold his farm of 80 acres in Webster to Henry Canley of Webster. Consideration \$4,800.00. The home on the farm is now occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kenny.—Leader.

SUPERIOR—Mrs. Cassie Pearson who is claimed to have been the first white girl born in Livingston county, died at her home in Superior, last Thursday, and was buried Saturday. Mrs. Pearson, whose maiden name was Walker, was born in 1837.

Notice to Ice Consumers. Private residences taking ice before May 16, get in on the monthly rate of \$1.50 and \$2.00 per month; all starting after that date will be charged at the weekly rate. R. H. SCHOENHALS.

Balked at Cold Steel. "I wouldn't let a doctor cut my foot off," said H. D. Ely, Bantam, Ohio, "although a horrible ulcer had been the plague of my life for four years. Instead I used Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and my foot was soon completely cured." Heals burns, boils, sores, bruises, eczema, pimples, corns. Surest pile cure. 25c. at L. P. Vogel, H. H. Fenn Co. and L. T. Freeman Co.

Card of Thanks. We wish to extend to all of the neighbors and friends our heartfelt thanks for their many kind acts extended to us during our recent bereavement. MRS. ED. GALLAGHER AND FAMILY, MRS. PETER HAGAN AND FAMILY.

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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 6th day of May in the year one thousand nine hundred and eleven.

Present, Emory E. Leland, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Margaret McKone, deceased. On reading and filing the duly verified petition of Anna Gallagher, sister, praying that administration of said estate may be granted to J. A. Ward McKone or some other suitable person, and that appraisers and commissioners be appointed, it is ordered, that the 2d day of June next at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office be appointed for hearing said petition. And it is further ordered, that a copy of this order be published three successive weeks previous to said time of hearing, in The Chelsea Standard, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Washtenaw. EMORY E. LELAND, Judge of Probate. (A true copy.) DOUGLAS C. DONOHAN, Register.

Commissioners' Notice. STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw, ss. The undersigned having been appointed by the Probate Court for said county, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of Lizzie Burns, late of said county, deceased, hereby give notice that four months from date are allowed, by order of said Probate Court, for creditors to present their claims against the estate of said deceased, and that they will meet at the office of John Kalmbach in the village of Chelsea, in said county, on the 28th day of June and on the 28th day of August next, at 10 o'clock a. m., of each of said days to receive, examine and adjust said claims. Dated April 28th, 1911. GEORGE BACKWER, GEORGE HASTON, Commissioners.

Probate Order STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw, ss. As a session of the probate court for said county of Washtenaw, held at the probate office in the city of Ann Arbor, on the 29th day of April in the year one thousand nine hundred and eleven.

Present, Emory E. Leland, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of George Boyd, deceased. Homer H. Boyd, executor of said estate, having filed in this court his annual account, and praying that the same may be heard and allowed. It is ordered, that the 22nd day of May 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.) DOUGLAS C. DONOHAN, Register.

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Present, Emory E. Leland, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Lettie S. Holmes, deceased. On reading and filing the duly verified petition of Thomas Holmes, husband, praying that administration of said estate may be granted to Thomas Holmes or some other suitable person, and that appraisers and commissioners be appointed, it is ordered, that the 22nd day of May next at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office be appointed for hearing said petition. And it is further ordered, that a copy of this order be published three successive weeks previous to said time of hearing, in The Chelsea Standard a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Washtenaw. EMORY E. LELAND, Judge of Probate. (A true copy.) DOUGLAS C. DONOHAN, Register.

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Present, Emory E. Leland, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Frederick Niehaus, deceased. On reading and filing the duly verified petition of Catherine Niehaus, widow, praying that administration of said estate may be granted to Catherine Niehaus, or some other suitable person, and that appraisers and commissioners be appointed, it is ordered, that the 12th day of May next at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office be appointed for hearing said petition. And it is further ordered, that a copy of this order be published three successive weeks previous to said time of hearing, in The Chelsea Standard a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Washtenaw. EMORY E. LELAND, Judge of Probate. (A true copy.) DOUGLAS C. DONOHAN, Register.

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