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WE WILL ALWAYS TREAT YOU RIGHT.

After Telephone Co.

At the solicitation of a number of the members the Business Men's Association held a meeting at the town hall Tuesday evening to talk over the proposed increased telephone rates which are to be put into force August 1st.

A committee composed of John Kalmbach, Ed. Vogel and H. H. Fenn was appointed to interview all who are interested, and they have been busy getting signatures to the following agreement that was signed by all the business firms in town with two exceptions and also by other telephone patrons to the number of fifty-four:

"We the undersigned, in view of the fact that the Michigan State Telephone Company, has served notice that it would increase the rental of our phones, in the Chelsea exchange, on and after August 1, 1911, and believing that the proposed increase rental is excessive, and that conditions do not warrant any such increase, do hereby agree, one with the other, that we will not pay such proposed increase, and that we will ask the said telephone company to remove their phones from our residence or place of business.

And we further agree, one with the other, that we will assist one another in an effort to obtain other telephone service, and we will agree to become subscribers to a local, or other, telephone company, if the rental is satisfactory.

At a meeting of the subscribers south of here 60 or 70 met at the red school house on the Manchester road Wednesday evening and ninety per cent of the phone renters voted against paying the increased rates. A committee of three was appointed, consisting of Geo. W. Gage, Wallace Patterson and Milo Updike to hold a meeting with the Lima patrons tonight.

Gasoline Stove Fire.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Porter Culling of Dexter was totally destroyed by a fire, which started about 8 o'clock Tuesday morning from an explosion of a gasoline stove. Mrs. Culling was ironing at the time and picked up the burning stove and threw it into the yard, although the flames licked the clothing from her arms and badly burned both her arms and hands. She rushed back to the house, but the flames had already secured a good start and before the fire department arrived, all hopes of saving the building were despairing of. Neighbors assisted in removing all the furniture from the lower floor, but the building and contents of the second story were totally destroyed. By dint of strenuous effort the barn and an automobile were saved. The loss will exceed \$1,000, with only a small insurance.

A Union Sunday School Picnic.

A union picnic of the St. Paul and Baptist Sunday schools of Chelsea will be held at Island Park, Ann Arbor, Wednesday, July 19th.

Among the attractions will be a baseball game between the two schools, tug of war, minor athletics, bathing, etc. Suitable prizes for the contests will be given.

Cars will be at the Chelsea D. U. R. station to take all who are going. Children under ten years of age free; all other 25 cents for the round trip. Cars leave Chelsea at 8:30 a. m. and leave Ann Arbor at 5 p. m. Cars will go as far as the Michigan Central depot and will return from that place.

Tickets are now on sale with the teachers and officers of the two schools.

Death From Apoplexy.

James Birch, sr., died at his home in Lyndon Friday, July 7, 1911, aged 67 years. Mr. Birch was stricken with apoplexy Thursday night. He was well known in this place and for a number of years has resided on what is known as the M. J. Graham farm where his death occurred. He was formerly a resident of Bunker Hill.

He is survived by his wife and eight children—Mesdames Joseph Liebeck, Peter Liebeck, P. Hickey, J. Hadley, Miss Lillie and James, jr., William and Graham.

The funeral was held Monday morning from the Catholic church at Bunker Hill.

Notice.

The Excelsior degree of the L. O. T. M. M. will hold a lawn social Friday, July 14, at the home of Mrs. W. VanRiper. Everybody invited. Bill 5 cents. Bring saucer, spoon and napkin. Come and spend a pleasant afternoon.

CLEAN-UP DAY

State Marshal Palmer Asks All of Michigan to Co-operate.

State Insurance Commissioner Palmer, who, under the recent act passed by the legislature, was made state fire marshal, is endeavoring to make several changes in the present conditions relative to fire protection, and along this line has caused to be sent out to the fire chiefs, presidents of villages and fire marshals of the state a few instructions to follow, and has designated Tuesday, July 25, as "Clean up day for Michigan."

The work is an entirely new departure in the state, and it is hoped that the commissioner's effort will be met with results.

Here is the letter being sent out:

"It is the desire of this department to have a concerted, uniform effort on the part of all officials made so by the fire marshal law to clean up our state, and to accomplish this we have set apart Tuesday, July 25, to be designated as 'Clean up day.'"

"Will you not make it your special business on this date to see that the law is strictly enforced in your community with reference to the cleaning up of basements, alleys and hazardous buildings?"

"This is the time of year when, because of the extreme heat and dry weather, we are especially confronted with the danger of fires, and will you not do your part to help prevent the great loss of life and property occasioned through the carelessness of our people in the storing of rubbish, shavings, excelsior, tissue paper and the like in basements and in alleys, and see to it that your locality upon this date is cleaned up?"

"Read the enclosed printed matter, and then give the department the benefit of your active co-operation in its effort to reduce fire hazard in Michigan, and thereby reduce the cost of fire insurance to our people."

Frederick W. Canfield.

Frederick W. Canfield was born in Chelsea, January 31, 1865, and died in Pontiac, Tuesday evening, July 11, 1911, aged 46 years, 5 months and 11 days.

Mr. Canfield was a son of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Canfield. He has been in ill health for several years. He was a member of the K. O. T. M. M. and joined the order here but later transferred to Imlay City. He was highly respected and his many friends in this vicinity extend their sympathy to the afflicted family.

He was united in marriage with Miss Georgie Vosburg July 27, 1884. He is survived by his father and mother, his wife, two daughters, two sons, and one brother.

The remains were brought here Wednesday and taken to the home of his parents and the funeral was held at two o'clock this afternoon. Rev. J. W. Campbell officiating. Interment at Oak Grove cemetery.

More Houses Needed.

Since the Flanders Manufacturing Co. began to advertise their new motorcycle, less than a month ago, orders have come in so rapidly from all over the United States, that not only will they run the Pontiac branch to its full capacity, but they are also installing over sixty-five thousand dollars worth of new machinery, in building No. 7 here for the purpose of manufacturing the machine.

As soon as they can get quarters for the men they will put an additional force of three hundred men at work here and it is up to Chelsea whether we get an addition of one hundred or three hundred to our already crowded population.

Trunzer Badly Scalded.

Albion Leader: Frank Trunzer, employed by Talmage & Bauer, meat dealers, met with a painful accident last week Monday while scalding hogs at the slaughter house.

The scalding tank is a large one and is level with the floor, and was filled with boiling water. Mr. Trunzer had fixed his hook into the carcass of a large hog, and was trying to roll it into the tank. The hook pulled out and Trunzer lost his balance and fell into the tank himself.

He was immediately helped out and his clothing removed but one side was badly scalded.

Although his burns are bad and painful they are not deep, and he is recovering at his home.

It is doubtful if the man could have extricated himself from the tank without help and it was very fortunate that assistance was at hand.

Mr. Trunzer was a former resident of this place and worked in the meat market of A. Eppler.

Annual School Meeting.

The annual school meeting of district No. 3 fractional Sylvan and Lima, was held in the town hall Monday evening, with about sixty persons present. The meeting was called to order by the president Ed. Vogel.

On motion the chairman appointed John Farrell and H. W. Schmidt as tellers. The oath of office was administered to the chairman, secretary and tellers by John Kalmbach.

Secretary J. Bacon made his report of the receipts and disbursements for 1910-11, and the estimated expenses for the year 1911-12 which were as follows:

RECEIPTS.	
Bal. on hand July 11, '10 gen. fund.....	95 50
Bal. on hand July 11, '10. B. fund.....	17 89
Bal. on hand building and repair fund.....	2,886 27
Sale of bonds.....	3,000 00
Foreign scholars.....	1,257 37
Primary fund.....	3,853 30
Mill tax.....	1,003 84
Direct tax.....	7,528 99
Library.....	25 40
Interest.....	31 74
Laboratory fees.....	67 00
Books.....	9 00
Old buildings.....	563 85
Robate on insurance.....	5 05
Stove.....	5 00
Furnace.....	37 00
Overdraft.....	109 25
Total.....	\$20,474 16

EXPENSES.	
Building and repairs.....	\$ 428 24
Farmers & Merchants Bank.....	1,400 00
Repair order No. 2.....	1,000 00
Teachers.....	7,714 38
Free text books.....	38 41
Library.....	167 71
Insurance.....	329 40
Fuel.....	1,623 69
Janitor.....	466 69
Chemicals and apparatus.....	650 00
Lights and water.....	147 54
Supplies and Incidentals.....	92 61
Officers salaries.....	600 88
Bal. on hand in building fund.....	175 00
Total.....	\$20,474 16

Estimated receipts and disbursements for the coming year.

ESTIMATED RECEIPTS.	
Teachers.....	\$ 8,128 00
Janitor.....	750 00
Secretary.....	125 00
Treasurer.....	50 00
Fuel.....	475 00
Free text books.....	125 00
Lights and water.....	100 00
Supplies and repairs.....	800 00
Interest.....	1,000 00
New roof on old school building.....	1,000 00
No. 3 repair order.....	109 25
Overdraft.....	109 25
Total.....	\$13,284 25

It was moved and supported that both reports be accepted and adopted.

O. C. Burkhardt and John Kalmbach were elected trustees for three years to succeed Ed. Vogel and J. Bacon whose terms had expired.

The board recommended that the tuition of foreign scholars be raised to \$25.00 in place of \$20.00 as at present, which was adopted.

The building committee was extended a vote of thanks and were discharged.

There being no farther business the meeting adjourned.

Accused of Forgery.

Arrested for forgery as he was about to catch a train for New York where his wife had already gone was what happened to Reuben Compton, 1190 Lake Shore avenue, Toledo, Thursday evening.

Compton's household goods had already been packed and shipped as though for a long trip when Deputy Sheriff Mat Max of Ann Arbor arrived with a warrant sworn out by Attorney Joseph Fahrner of Ann Arbor on behalf of Joseph Liebeck of Sylvan charging Compton with having forged a bill of lading for \$300 on the Pere Marquette railroad company. Compton is a hay broker and the alleged forgery took place in connection with the shipment of a car load of hay from Marlette, Mich., to Tampa last April. When Liebeck presented the bill of lading to the railroad company and demanded his hay the southern connection of the Pere Marquette gave him the laugh and denied all knowledge of such a car load, and then Liebeck went after Compton. The broker was brought to Ann Arbor by Deputy Sheriff Max at noon Friday.

Compton was a frequent visitor here and did considerable business with Mr. Liebeck. He sold the bill of lading to Mr. Liebeck when on one of his trips here.

Compton was bound over to the circuit court on the charge of forgery by Justice Doty in Ann Arbor Saturday afternoon.

Solves a Deep Mystery.

"I want to thank you from the bottom of my heart," wrote C. B. Rader, of Lewisburg, W. Va., for the wonderful double benefit I got from Electric Bitters, in curing me of both a severe case of stomach trouble and of rheumatism, from which I had been an almost helpless sufferer for ten years. It suited my case as though made just for me." For dyspepsia, indigestion, jaundice and to rid the system of kidney poisons that cause rheumatism, Electric Bitters has no equal. Try them. Every bottle is guaranteed to satisfy. Only 50 cents at L. F. Vogel, H. H. Fenn Co. and L. T. Freeman.

Coffee and Tea

Are the two articles that have done more toward building up our immense grocery business than any other cause.

It has always been the policy of the FREEMAN STORE to buy the very best grades of Coffees and Teas on the market and sell them at a small profit. As a result we are today enjoying the biggest Coffee and Tea business that we have ever had, and are supplying hundreds of satisfied customers with Tea and Coffee.

Try at Our Expense.

Order a pound of Coffee or Tea, (the kind you want) use half of it in your home. If it doesn't satisfy you we will call for the remaining half pound and return to you your money for the whole pound.

Drug Department.

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TRAINING THE CHILD MIND

Important Thing is Quietly to Point Out to Little Ones Their Imperfections.

My youngest child is a very sensitive little fellow, throwing himself with complete abandon into everything he does, and so eager to make an impression when he speaks that he shouts everything he says. After much consideration there came to me an idea of a way to correct this, so, as a reply to a remark he made, I asked, pitching my voice on the same key that he had used, and raising it to the same degree of loudness: "What makes you scream so when you talk?"

Quick as a flash, he answered: "Why, I don't scream, do I, mother?" And it was true for that time, for he had brought his voice down, in replying, to a well-modulated tone.

This question and answer were many times repeated between us in the same way, with the result of a marked improvement on his part.

I have thought since that I stumbled upon an important principle in child training, to show children in varying methods, as by a mirror, exactly what their fault is. For children love the good; they have their standards of what is right and fitting that develop as fast as their limited knowledge will permit.

What Plato said of men applies to little men and women, too: "Man holds to the good and will not knowingly or willingly be deprived of it." They only need to have the good clearly presented to them so they can recognize it. It is not fair to them to assume that they are perverse, when probably the trouble simply is that they have not yet had sufficient chance to see the difference between right and wrong.—Harper's Bazar.

Advantages of Funerals.

I used to visit, when a lad, a bleak island which lies some 20 miles off the New Brunswick coast. I was once overtaken by dusk, when crossing the island, and put up for the night at a farmhouse. While the younger women were preparing supper I chatted with Grandma McKinley, then in her eightieth year, who sat in a bed-quilt easy-chair by the fire. Wishing to sustain my end of the conversation, I presumed to suggest that life must have been a bit lonely and tame in the long winter months. The old lady turned her sharp eyes upon me, detecting that my tone was a trifle patronizing, and rejoined: "Now, young 'un, you needn't pity us. There is a plenty of old folk on the island, and winter is the time when they keep droppin' off, and we just fill a picnic basket and go and spend the week, and eat and sing, and it breaks up the long spell some-thing wonderful."—Frederick M. Pateford, in the Atlantic.

Where Budget Comes From.

"Budget" is a word that should find a place in any comprehensive dictionary of slang. "The meaning of this word," writes the late William White, a former bookkeeper in the house of commons, "is a bag or sack. Formerly, no doubt, the chancellor of the exchequer used to bring down his papers, when he had to lay before the house the financial statement for the year, in a bag, green, blue or red; probably green, for that was the color of official bags until the trial of Queen Caroline in 1820. Then, because the government papers and evidence against her majesty were laid upon the table of the house of lords inclosed in a green bag, official green bags all over the country became hateful to the people."—London Chronicle.

Irrelevant.

An associate justice of the Supreme Court of Patagascar was sitting by a river.

"I wish to cross," said a traveler.

"Would it be lawful to use this boat?"

"It would," was the reply; "It is my boat."

The traveler thanked him, and rowed away, but the boat sank and he was drowned.

"Heartless man!" said an indignant spectator. "Why did you not tell him that your boat had a hole in it?"

"The matter of the boat's condition," said the great jurist, "was not brought before me."—Success Magazine.

The Migratory Male.

The census shows 1,178,317 females in excess of males in Great Britain. That is the old story of a colonizing state, of a race with the wanderlust in its bone and sinew. New England to this day illustrates in the same way the effect upon a population of the migratory disposition. The men go first, the women follow, in the movement which will not come to a rest until the west and east squarely meet.

A Slight Mistake.

"He's always been growing, but of late he is getting snappish."

"Hain't you better have him killed?"

"Have whom killed?"

"Aren't you talking about your dog?"

"No—my husband."

A Kid's Interpretation.

Callie—So your sister and her husband are very close mouthed over their management?

Little Ethel—Close mouthed? You ought to see them together!

FOREST FIRES OSCODA AND AU SABLE GREAT LOSS OF LIFE IS FEARED, THOUGH NONE IS REPORTED.

Alpena Also Suffers, Flames Sweeping in From Outskirts Destroying Property Valued at Half a Million Dollars.

Cities of Oscoda and Au Sable, lying across from each other at the mouth of the Au Sable river, completely wiped out by fire. Not a building left standing, and many lives may have been lost, so rapidly did the flames sweep through the towns.

City of Alpena swept by fire which causes half a million dollars loss, with danger not yet over.

Both these fires started by forest and brush fires in the vicinity, being swept by high winds into lumber or slab piles, whence flames spread with tremendous rapidity and fierceness.

All over the northern half of the state forests and fields are as dry from the recent long hot spell that fires are springing up everywhere.

High winds are prevalent, and are fanning these fires into conflagrations that are likely to cause the loss of thousands upon thousands of dollars, and may result in great loss of life, as was the case in the forest fires in Presque Isle county in September, 1908.

Fires have cut off all wire communication on the Detroit & Mackinac railroad north of Oscoda.

All along the line of the Michigan Central in the northern part of the lower peninsula towns are threatened by the forest fires which surround them. Bridges have been burned, as well as many freight cars on sidings.

East Tawas, Mich., July 11.—Oscoda and Au Sable were wiped off the map this afternoon by fire.

Forest fires northwest of the towns were swept into the slab yards west of Au Sable by the fierce gale which was blowing, and in spite of everything that could be done the business section and most of the residences of Oscoda were burned.

No business place is standing in Oscoda tonight. The two mills of the H. M. Loud's Sons' company were burned, together with about 3,000,000 feet of lumber piled on the lake shore.

During the evening the wind changed and swept the flames down into Au Sable, and it is expected that every building in that town will be burned.

Hundreds of people are homeless and have nothing except what they had on when they escaped. The fierce rush of the flames drove hundreds into Lake Huron, and while it is impossible to ascertain whether any lives were lost, it is feared that many have perished.

Fanned by the fierce gale which was blowing at the time, the fire swept over the doomed cities with such rapidity that all the citizens could do was to get away with what few belongings they could snatch up in their mad haste. A relief train was sent from East Tawas by the D. & M. railway, and hundreds of the homeless people will be brought here to be cared for.

It is impossible to estimate the loss, but it will mount into millions, as practically the whole of the two cities are burned. The business of the H. M. Loud's Sons' company is wiped out and every industry in the town is gone, and the citizens are left without a means of livelihood. The charitable citizens of the state will have to care for them until such time as they can look after themselves.

Hundreds of the people driven from their homes by fire took refuge on board the freighter Kongo, which was lying at the docks when the fire broke out. The steamer took on board as many as possible and will probably bring them to this port.

Many more were taken on board the regular southbound passenger train of the Detroit & Mackinac, which made its way around the stricken towns safely by means of some abandoned spur tracks, and reached here all right tonight.

The heat from the flames was intense, say those on board the train, so intense that they had to close the windows and doors of the coaches until they had passed out of the heat zone.

When the train was at Oscoda, the flames were mounting a hundred feet into the air and roaring like a wind. The heat had rendered dry as tinder by the intense heat of the past few days, and once flame touched anything, its destruction was the work of but a few seconds.

Village of Lewiston, on Michigan Central, is in Serious Danger

Bay City, Mich., July 11.—A fierce wind is sweeping the central portion of the northern Michigan and tonight the town of Lewiston, on a Michigan Central branch, is in serious danger. The M. C. has sent assistance to the town. The fire is on the borders of the village and the entire population is engaged in an attempt to control the flames by back-firing.

The little town of Lovella, on the same branch, is tonight reported out of danger, owing to a shift in the wind and back-firing. The M. C. has sent a crew to Lovella, but it returned, reporting that the town was safe for the time being.

At Richardson, on the Trowbridge branch of the M. C., a bridge and 40 freight cars were destroyed this afternoon, and at Hawkwood, near Wolverine, an overhead bridge was burned.

At Sallings, also near Wolverine, the roofs were torn from a string of cars by the high wind.

Towns of Alger and Turner Are Reported in Danger From Fire

Bay City, Mich., July 11.—Forest fires are again breaking out over the north and the towns of Alger on the Michigan Central and Turner on the D. & M. railroad, both in Arenac county, are reported tonight in danger, a brisk breeze fanning the flames through the underbrush. Farther north, near Michelson, other forest fires are reported.

Forest Fires South of Cheboygan Cut Off Communication

Cheboygan, Mich., July 11.—Forest fires are raging on the D. & M. south of here. Reports have it that Millersburg, Larocque and part of Inaway have been cut off by fire and communication is cut off. A relief train left here at 4 o'clock for the stricken section.

MICHIGAN CROP REPORT.

Hessian Fly Cuts Down Wheat Crop Two Bushels Per Acre.

The monthly crop report issued from the secretary of state's office has the following to say relative to farm crops and fruits:

Wheat—The reported excellent condition of wheat for April and May indicated for the state a yield of at least 20 bushels per acre, but the ravages of the Hessian fly in the southwestern portion of the state caused a number of correspondents to estimate the yield at from 15 to 10 bushels. Probably their estimate may prove too low after threshing, and this department still hopes for a return of 20 bushels per acre. The average estimated yield in the state is 18, in the southern and northern counties 17, in the central counties 20, and in the upper peninsula 22 bushels per acre.

Rye—The average estimated yield of rye in the state, central and northern counties is 15, in the southern counties 14, and in the upper peninsula 22 bushels per acre.

Corn—The condition of corn in the state is 92, in the southern counties 93, in the central counties 90, in the northern counties 89, and in the upper peninsula 87. One year ago condition of corn in the state was 79.

Buckwheat—The acreage of buckwheat sown or to be sown, compared with the average for the past five years in the state, is 81, in the southern and northern counties 82, in the central counties 75, and in the upper peninsula 99.

Beans—The acreage of beans planted or to be planted, as compared with an average for the past five years in the state is 100, in the southern counties 92, in the central counties 89, and in the northern counties 112. The condition of beans, compared with an average for the past five years, in the southern counties and upper peninsula 94, in the central counties 93 and in the northern counties 85.

Potatoes—The condition of potatoes in the state is 91, in the southern counties 92, in the central and northern counties 88 and in the upper peninsula 96.

Sugar beets—The condition of sugar beets in the state is 91, in the southern counties 91, in the northern counties 90 and in the upper peninsula 97.

Clover—The condition of clover sown this year, as compared with an average in the state is 87, in the southern counties 88, in the central counties 89 and in the northern counties 86. The acreage of clover sown, compared with an average for the past five years, in the southern counties 77, in the central counties 89, in the northern counties 89 and in the upper peninsula 94.

Timothy—The average of timothy that will be harvested, compared with an average for the past five years, in the state is 89, in the southern counties 87, in the central counties 89, in the northern counties 91 and in the upper peninsula 98.

Peas—The acreage of peas sown or to be sown, compared with an average for the past five years in the state is 84, in the southern counties 87, in the central counties 89, in the northern counties 79 and in the upper peninsula 19.

Fruit—Reports from correspondents show a slight decline in the percentage of apples, peaches, pears and plums from figures given last month.

STATE BRIEFS.

The Pere Marquette railroad received at Saginaw half of a consignment of locomotives. The cost was \$100,000.

A special election was held in Caro to vote on a question of bonding the \$1,500 for the purpose of completing the sewer system now being constructed. The vote was 341 to 18 in favor of the project.

The Michigan Barrel Company of Grand Rapids has been dissolved by an order of Circuit Court Commissioner Eardley. The Michigan Trust Company is named as receiver. The stockholders petitioned for the dissolution.

The fifth electric car of the Ann Arbor Railway Co. is expected at Grand Rapids July 15. This car will run between Grand Rapids and Cadillac and will complete the electric motor service of the line between Grand Rapids and Toledo.

Hanging with one hand to the roof of the court house at Big Rapids, from which he had slipped while painting, George Kelley managed to signal his fellow workmen, who rescued him. The roof was 40 feet from the ground.

Two cars were thrown into a ditch at Alma by an engine backing into them. One of the cars contained wet goods, and it is believed that the night watchman had a busy time keeping thirty Almatians away from the car during the night.

J. F. Simpson, the Dewitt druggist, who disappeared from home few days ago, was found in an unbalanced mental state in a cellar. He had been unable to find his way out of the cellar, and had remained there 36 hours without food or drink.

William Jennings Bryan spoke to an audience of between 2,000 and 3,000 people at Coldwater at the last day of the chautauqua. His subject was "The Prince of Peace." The orator was affected by the heat, and had to bathe his head in ice water continually.

Herbert Montague, chairman of the Masonic finance committee, and past grand master of the lodge, has arrived in Alma, to look after the repairs on the new Masonic home, which was the \$150,000 gift of A. A. Wright. It is expected to have the building ready for occupancy by Sept. 1.

A complete revision of the course of study for the Saginaw west side schools has been arranged to meet the requirements necessary to enter the Arthur Hill trade school. Forestry will be included, in addition to the trades that will be taught, and the pupil will be prepared to enter the new marine school when through, the pupils will be qualified to enter the merchant marine. A physical examination is also required.

July 14 the furniture strikers of Grand Rapids plan to have one of the biggest parades in the history of the trade unions, on the streets of Grand Rapids. The parade will be held at night, so that traffic will not be interfered with. Over 10,000 strikers will participate.

The charter commission of Petoskey has practically completed its work. It provides for a council of four aldermen and a mayor, all having equal power in voting. It was at first decided to have three aldermen and a mayor, but this was considered impracticable.

We federal grand jury in session at Los Angeles indicted Jack Doherty, a leader of the Mexican insurgents in Lower California, on a charge of violating neutrality laws. Rhys Price and Ricardo Flores Magdon were reindicted on the same charge.

The Standard Oil company in the district court at Manhattan, Kans., confessed judgment in the suit brought against it by Attorney General John S. Dawson, charging violation of the anti-trust laws. The company will pay a \$500 fine and \$150 attorney's fees. Similar suits are pending in other Kansas counties.

PRISON NEVER IN BETTER CONDITION

Simpson Gives Account of His Six Months' Administration.

ECONOMY IS WATCHWORD

Per Capita Cost of Feeding Prisoners During 1911 Was \$13.56, as Compared With \$14.65 in May, 1910.

Lansing.—At the board of control meeting Warden Simpson submitted a report of his administration from his arrival January 1 to June 30, 1911, and the report gives ample evidence that Jackson prison was never in better condition in every respect than at present. The past six months has been a period of many reforms at the prison, not one of which has fallen short of success, and the board is deeply gratified at the results shown in the report.

The greatest evil in the prison on the warden's arrival, according to his report, was the presence of drugs and the consequent disabling of many convicts, and a general prevalence of slack methods resulting from their use. Today Jackson prison is practically a business institution, every avenue through which drugs entered having been closed.

Economy is the keynote of his administration and to enumerate the instances in which great savings have been effected would take columns. Great reductions of expense have been made by buying products by free bids in the open markets and in great quantities, and thus the per capita cost of feeding the inmates during 1911 was \$13.56, as compared with \$14.65 in May, 1910.

The efficiency and cooperation of the prison officers have been materially increased and at the same time the expense has been decreased. The personnel of the prison force has been much changed, 25 officers having left the institution since last January, 19 of whom were released and 23 new men have been employed to take the places of those who left.

Despite the additional expense of employing six extra wall guards, so that the walls may be guarded day and night, the payroll has been decreased in the last two months \$973.66, as compared with April and May, 1910. This is made possible by reason of seven shops now running by inmate supervision without the presence of an officer.

Indorses Rule of Reason. In an address before the Michigan State Bar association Attorney General Wickersham gave his unqualified indorsement to the application of the so-called "rule of reason" in the Supreme court's decision in the Standard Oil and American Tobacco company cases.

"Those who have yielded to the superficial conclusion resulting from the application by the chief justice of the rule of reason to the interpretation of the Sherman law," said the attorney general, "can find but little to justify the idea that the law has been made ineffective by those two decisions.

"The most cursory examination of the decree in the tobacco case, the most casual consideration of the drastic and remedy imposed, makes it perfectly apparent that the Sherman law, perhaps for the first time, has been demonstrated to be an actual, effective weapon for the accomplishment of the purpose for which it was intended.

"If this law shall now be clearly understood; if its true purpose shall be recognized and its beneficial consequences realized, the twenty years of slowly developed interpretation and widening precedent will not have been without great value."

Will Obtain Data.

Insurance Commissioner Palmer states that the national convention of insurance commissioners has under way an investigation of casualty companies with a view of ascertaining how they are settling with laborers holding their policies, for injuries incurred.

Plans for this important investigation were made at the recent meeting of the executive committee of the national convention in New York when a committee was appointed to supervise the investigation in New York, Chicago and Detroit. The committee consists of Commissioner Palmer of Michigan, W. H. Hotchkiss, New York, superintendent of insurance; Fred W. Potter, superintendent for Illinois and Commissioner Frank H. Hartigan of Massachusetts.

Instructors for M. M. G. Officers of the regular army have been detailed to attend the coming field service tour of duty of the Michigan National Guard at Fort Huron in August. The state military department received advice that the following officers will be at the maneuver camp as instructors and inspectors: Lieut. Col. George A. Zinn, engineer corps; Maj. L. J. Durfee, Twenty-sixth Infantry; Capt. F. L. Wells, Sixteenth Infantry; Capt. L. J. Owens, medical corps; Capt. L. P. Rucker, Twenty-third Infantry.

Keep Students Out of Saloons

Lansing.—It is just possible that when the students return to Ann Arbor next fall those who are frequenters of the local saloons may find themselves up against a surveillance that will be far harder to avoid than the one provided by the laws of the state of Michigan.

The plan is this: That the regents should create a new office, that of special university officer, to see that the law that students must be kept out of saloons is rigidly enforced. The law as it now stands is worthless, and the student who keeps out of these places does so because he wants to, and not from any fear of the law. City officers say it would be impossible for them to arrest a saloonist every time a student got anything to drink in his place, and the saloonist claims he is not able to tell when a man comes into his place whether he is a student or not. As a result there is positively no discrimination made, and a student is served at any bar in town just as quickly as any one else, state law to the contrary notwithstanding. It is a noticeable thing, however, that few of the better class saloons sell to freshmen, and this seems to have little if any difficulty in making that discrimination.

The proposed new university official shall be duly engaged for just this work of surveillance over students. It is no part of the plan that this official shall work in secret, but rather that he shall be known to the students and saloon men alike. Once a student is discovered in a saloon, or drunk, it shall be the duty of this officer to go into the case of the offending student, and unless he has broken some city law, that he shall be dealt with and punished by the university officials.

According to Governor Osborn the regents have it in their power to create this office. That done, it would seem that student drinking in Ann Arbor might be done away with very effectually.

Stirs Up Big Row Among Lawyers.

Before the Michigan State Bar association session ended after an outing and fish dinner at Gull lake, some of the lawyers present were scarcely on speaking terms with the others.

It was all caused by Prof. J. C. Knowlton's argument that all students of law, no matter where graduated, should be made to take the state examination. The University of Michigan law instructor seemed to be hinting strongly that he didn't think a Detroit college of law diploma was sufficient to admit a man to the bar.

Attorney T. A. E. Weadcock of Detroit took exception to everything Professor Knowlton said, insisting that the state board of examiners could not know so much about a man's fitness for the law and three days' examination as a college faculty by three years' observation.

Attorney E. C. Lewis of Battle Creek, late of Detroit, charged Professor Knowlton with a desire to deprive the Detroit law school of the same privilege enjoyed by the University of Michigan. Professor Knowlton denied this, and after an acrimonious debate, Knowlton's statement that it was too easy to become a lawyer in Michigan was given the approval of the convention, by a resolution which did not, however, carry unanimously.

Means Much to State Shippers.

At a conference of railway chiefs with the state railway commission it was agreed that the facilities of one road for transferring freight from another line to customers on its own tracks or sidings should be opened between the roads of the state. The agreement is considered of great importance to the shippers of the state, owing to the rules which some roads have enforced of refusing to accept shipments in carloads from another railway to customers on its sidings. A new tariff to cover these deliveries will go into effect September 1, but the general interchange of these terminal facilities for either local or interstate shipments will be instituted at once.

Shippers in several cities have filed complaints with the commission relative to the attitude of railroads regarding transfers of this character, the Michigan Central in particular, in Detroit refusing for several years to accept any cars of freight from the Grand Trunk for delivery to customers on its own tracks and other sidings.

New Corporations. The following companies have filed articles of incorporation with the secretary of state: Mary Murray, Detroit, \$3,000, principal stockholders Mary Murray, Rena McIntyre; William Gary company, Detroit, \$3,000, principal stockholders, William D. Murray, William J. Chatterton; John Nies Sons' Hardware company, Holland, \$10,000; Vogt-Schmidt company, Saginaw, \$25,000; Bantam Motor Truck company, Detroit, \$100,000.

Michigan Pensions.

The following Michigan pensioners have been granted: Eliza Alleman, \$12; Nelson Bennett, \$15; Jerome Conrad, \$15; Leopold Dunkel, \$20; William H. Ecker, \$20; Horace H. C. Ewing, \$30; William D. Frost, \$12; Mary C. Gallop, \$12; Andrew Himebaugh, \$20; William Hulbert, \$15; John Kennedy, No. 2, \$15; Annie D. Mills, \$12; Melissa M. Willoughby, \$12; Drusilla Wooding, \$12; E. A. Wright, \$24; William O. Albright, \$15; Robert M. Cellars, \$20; Stephen Desanaco, \$15; William P. Edgett, \$20.

JUSTICE HOOKER DIES SUDDENLY

OLDEST MEMBER OF MICHIGAN SUPREME COURT FALLS DEAD OF HEART DISEASE AT AUBURN, N. Y.

WAS JUST ABOUT TO TAKE TRAIN TO RETURN HOME.

Justice Hooker Had Not Been Well for Two Years, But His Unexpected Death Was a Great Shock at Lansing.

Justice Frank A. Hooker, of the supreme court of Michigan, fell dead of heart disease at Auburn, N. Y., after he abandoned an automobile trip because of illness.

He arrived in an automobile with Judge H. A. Mander and Judge George B. Hosmer, of Detroit. Suffering a pain over the heart he decided to go home to Lansing by train. While entering the New York Central station he suddenly toppled over, and when picked up by friends, was dead.

The announcement of the death of Justice Hooker was a great shock to Lansing, both in state capitol circles and among the townspeople generally. Judge Hooker had been so long a member of the supreme court that he was a familiar figure in the city, and as well known as he was widely liked.

He had been in poor health ever since the death of his wife about two years ago and it was in the hope of bettering his health that he started on the automobile trip which ended with his death.

Judge Hooker ascended the supreme bench in 1892, when he was elected to fill the unexpired term of Allen B. Morse, who had resigned. He was thus the oldest member of the court in point of years of service. He was re-elected the following year for a full term, and has been on the bench ever since, being returned each time his term expired. His present term would have expired December 31, 1912. He was considered one of the strongest judges on the bench, especially in constitutional law cases and damage suits, and his opinions were always written with painstaking care.

Invites People to Use Department.

State Insurance Commissioner Palmer, realizing that few people in the state are taking advantage of the information bureau of the state insurance department, desires to make it known to the public that the department is the forum of the people and that all questions involving insurance policies, whether life, casualty or fire, will receive attention when referred to the department.

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Mr. Palmer asserts that a great many poor people have in the past paid at least half of their insurance money to some lawyer who did no more than answer a few questions regarding the policy, or made an effort to hasten the collection from the insurance company.

Mr. Palmer is of the opinion that the people of the state can save many thousands of dollars each year in attorney fees if they will use the department more as a medium of information and makes public the following communication which is addressed to the people of the entire state:

"We desire to call to the attention of the insuring public of Michigan our conception of the functions of the insurance department in its relation with them.

In our opinion the insurance department is the forum of the people, and we cordially invite the people of our state to freely communicate with this department in all matters pertaining to insurance, and particularly where there are differences between the companies and the insured, to consult this department before resorting to legal procedure, as many times large amounts of needless legal expense when the whole matter might be adjusted by coming to the insurance department for advice. The department cannot settle your differences but it can and will gladly advise you as to the law governing in insurance questions submitted to it for consideration."

State to Have Land and Apple Show.

Michigan is to have its own land and apple show this fall. It will be held in the Coliseum, Grand Rapids, the second week in November under the joint auspices of the Western Michigan Development Bureau and Michigan Development Press, which have together assumed the responsibility of placing before the world the products and resources of the state.

It is proposed to make this show the finest exhibition of Michigan apples ever gathered together. To this end the Western Michigan Development Bureau has decided not to exhibit at the Chicago land show this year, but to combine its energies with the Evening Press.

Besides the display of apples and other fruits there will be packing and marketing demonstrations, lectures on scientific fruit growing methods, and exhibits by manufacturers and others.

John N. Davis, Stevens Point, Wis., has been appointed superintendent of Menominee schools at \$2,500.

The board of supervisors of Huron county have fixed the valuation of the county at \$15,985,249, which is \$25,870 higher than last year's equalization.

Several arrests have been made in Kalamazoo and machinery confiscated by state officials. In some of the ice cream cone manufacturing plants they found that the cones were being made under the most filthy conditions. A dozen guests of one of the local hotels were stricken with pneumonia poisoning, and several were in a serious condition for a time. City Attorney Marvin Schabert was among those poisoned.

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SERIAL STORY

The Girl of My Dreams

A Novelization of the Play by Wilbur D. Nesbit and Otto Hansbach

SYNOPSIS.

Harry Swinton is expecting a visit from his fiancée, Lucy Modders, a Quakeress...

CHAPTER IV.—(Continued.)

"All right!" Harry laughed, dropping his hands. "You always have your way with me. A girl ought to be mighty careful who kisses her after she is married, too, don't you think?"

"Really, I'm mighty sorry I didn't meet you at the train. But you see, I had a little trouble with my machine this morning."

"It was as well that they did not meet us. It would have spoiled father's plans. We wanted to find these in their usual atmosphere."

"And will thy sister—Carolyn—will she show me about the house?" Lucy asked.

"Certainly," Harry answered, gallantly. "But you don't need her. Just make yourself at home. Go anywhere you like."

"Lucy started toward the room where Harry had placed Mrs. Blazes. But Harry was following her to detain her."

not very forcibly. "Thee knowest I do not approve of that."

"How can you approve of a thing until you have it?" Harry wanted to know. And then—

Socrates Primer, hat box in hand, appeared in the doorway, and what he saw sent his heart thumping to his boot heels.

"Wee is me!" he said, sadly. "The time to give her my present is not yet."

And as he turned to go he collided with Carolyn. That plump young lady accepted his apology gaily, and left him still delivering it as he went on down the hall, while she rushed to Lucy and greeted her effusively.

"We're going to have the jolliest time ever!" Carolyn cried delightedly. "Come. Leave Harry to his own miserable company, and I'll show you your room."

As she turned, she remembered something. "Harry," she said, "I want some pillows out of your room."

Carolyn rushed to the door of Harry's bedroom and seized the knob. Harry sank weakly into a chair and awaited the blow.

"It's all over," he said to himself. Carolyn tried the door, but it would not open.

"Why, Harry!" she said. "Your room is locked."

"Eh? Oh! What?" Harry said. "Locked? Now, who could have locked it?"

He fumbled in his pockets, meanwhile listening acutely for the sound which would tell him that Mrs. Blazes was presenting herself. But, blessings upon her head! She did no such thing. With a gasp of relief Harry said:

"I've left the key somewhere. I'll look for it after while."

Lucy looked at Carolyn with an awe-stricken face.

"Is that Harry's bedroom?" she asked, in horrified tones.

"Why, yes!" Carolyn answered. "And I desired to see it! Oh! Harry, what must thee think of me. And how nice it was of thee to tell me it was only a junk room."

She went out with Carolyn, leaving Harry sunk dejectedly in a big chair. After the girls were gone he looked apprehensively first at one door, then at the other. Slowly he shook his head, trying to fathom the muddle into which he had plunged himself.

"If I had tried to fix this up for myself," he said, sighing deeply, "it could not have been worse."

But it could be—and was about to be—much worse.

Harry jumped up suddenly. "I'll go and get you one now," he offered.

Daphne stopped him with a steady glance, and demanded: "Where's that hat I sent here?"

Harry stared at her for the moment with utter blankness. Then it slowly filtered through his brain that she was the milliner to whom Mrs. Blazes had telephoned. Daphne misinterpreted his stare for one of admiration, and with a remarkable imitation of shyness, she asked:

"Do you think my new gown is becoming, really?"

"It's a beaut," Harry informed her, accusingly. "You were always so full of sarcasm that you acted sour. I want that hat I sent over here."

"You never sent any hat here."

"Yes, I did. A yellow hat, trimmed with red poppies. It was a duplicate of an imported model that I sold to one of my best patrons."

"I've heard of that hat," Harry mused. Then he said, brightly: "Why, you're not the renowned Mlle. Daphne, the milliner, are you?"

"None other," preened Daphne. "You see, I have risen to fame and achieved my ambitions, while you have been content to remain in obscurity."

"To my sorrow," Harry replied, "that is too true, Daphne. But about the hat, I really know nothing of it. There must be a mistake."

"It came here, all right," Daphne replied. "The party who got it wouldn't give his name. He just gave this number."

"Well, I wish such a hat were here."

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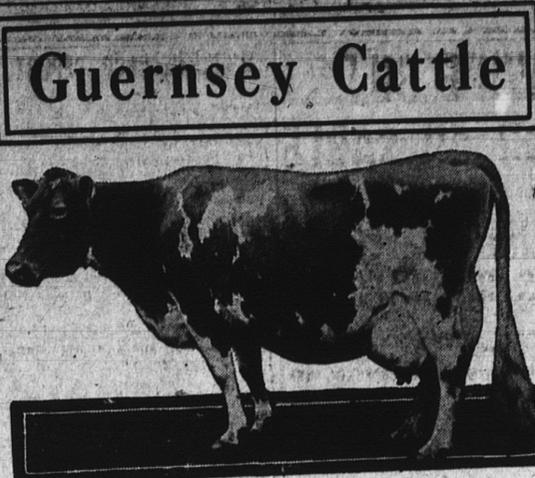
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Unannounced, there entered the room a slender woman, whose face was half hidden by a huge, fopping, bushel-basket type of hat, the brim of which was draped with flaunting, flapping lace, and from whose crown lifted into the air a gorgeous array of feathers and ribbons and flowers. A tight-fitting gown, with the skirt so hobbled that her steps were painfully mincing, encased her form, and from behind her drifted the most remarkable train that ever was. She tottered in on her high-heeled shoes and peered about the place with a mingling of coyness and assurance that was amazing. Harry looked up, saw her, and groaned. Then he lapsed back further into the chair and mentally gave himself up to the inevitable with the words:

"Ye gods! Daphne Daffington!" She looked him over coolly, and said: "You!"



Guernsey Cow, Mary McFarland.

Situated in the English channel about 26 miles west of France and 100 miles south of England is a small group of islands known as the Channel Islands. Although nearer France they are English territory.

The present day type of the Jersey and Guernsey is due to this policy coupled with wise mating and selection through a long series of generations. While the Jersey and Guernsey have many points in common it is of the Guernsey that we are asked to write at this time.

The Guernsey is distinctively a dairy cow, having been developed with that sole object in view. Further she has been reared as a butter producer, butter being the chief dairy commodity marketed from the island. Consequently she is better adapted to a creamery or market milk trade than to a condensing or cheese producing section.

Guernsey Island is smaller than one of Michigan's townships, and an intensive system of farming has been imperative. The methods of management practised are those which would not conduce to large size, and the breed is not more than medium; mature cows averaging somewhat upwards of 1,000 lbs.

The illustration shows a pig trough with a swinging partition suspended over it in such a way that when swung back the pigs are shut away from the trough while the feed is being supplied, and when swung forward again in place, they have access to it.

The top of this swinging partition consists of a two-by-four from which the three foot partition made of inch boards swings by hinges. This partition is held in place at all times by a half-inch iron rod which slips up and down in staples, being received at the bottom in holes bored in a hardwood cleat nailed across the center of the trough.

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\$8,000,000 CROP OF SUGAR BEETS

MICHIGAN'S CROP THIS YEAR TO BE GREATEST EVER OBTAINED IN THE UNITED STATES.

APPROXIMATELY 150,000 ACRES ARE PLANTED.

Michigan Now Ranks First Among the States in Production of the Plant—Crop is Two Weeks in Advance This Year.

Michigan will harvest the greatest crop of sugar beets ever harvested in any state in the Union this year. Approximately 150,000 acres are planted, and next fall farmers will receive more than \$8,000,000 for their beets.

Farmers estimate that the crop is now two weeks in advance of its usual condition. The tops cover the ground, and in all parts of the state from the Menominee region southward the fields are showing health. About 15,000 weeders are caring for the crop, the daily wage ranging from \$1 to \$1.50.

As a beet sugar producing state Michigan now ranks first. Up to 1910 California occupied the first round of the ladder, but last year Michigan jumped far ahead of the southern district. California and Colorado each produce two crops of beets yearly.

The character of the Guernseys selected for the Pan American Model Dairy and the sensational work of the cow, Mary Marshall, seemed to bring the Guernsey breed into considerable prominence. A vigorous plan of advertising followed by the Yelks Sunbeam and her successors have further increased the popular interest in Guernseys, and extended their reputation into dairying sections, in some of which no representatives or at least only a few members of the breed can be found.

The above cut is of the Guernsey cow, Mary McFarland, and shows an animal of excellent type and conformation for dairy performance.

AS TO PASTURING ALFALFA

Too Valuable as Winter Forage in Michigan to Abuse by Pasturing.

Three years ago a portion of field number five on the college farm was seeded to alfalfa with a slight sprinkling of orchard grass and alsike clover in addition. The area of the field thus seeded consisted of a gravelly slope which was inclined to wash badly.

The crop prospects are the best in the history of the state, and that means they are the best in the history of any state in the country. Said an official of the Michigan Sugar Co., which operates six plants in various parts of the state. "The beet sugar industry means the retaining of more than \$20,000,000 in Michigan. This is shown by the fact that the sugar is worth probably \$12,000,000. Michigan farmers get \$8,000,000 or more for their beets, and there is the cost of cultivation, etc., to say nothing of the interest on the money."

JUNE GRASS FOR PASTURE

Most Seed Mixtures for Permanent Pastures Give Way Eventually to June Grass.

The question of establishing permanent pastures on Michigan farms arises most largely in connection with lands not well suited to crop production, such as are too rolling and broken or of unattractive texture and composition. A great many permanent pasture mixtures have been recommended, but all seem to give way eventually to June Grass.

For the first time in the history of the New York state department of health, no cases of tetanus have been reported as a result of Fourth of July celebrations this year. There were 18 cases a year ago.

Libby's Corned Beef advertisement with image of a can and text: "Everybody likes good corned beef. Everybody likes Libby's because it is good and is ready for serving as soon as taken out of the tin."

Not for Mr. Hercules. Hercules had finished his twelfth labor. "That's the last!" he exclaimed. I positively refuse to do another one!

A Busy Place. "Where is that spot you call the 'lovers' lane?" diffidently asks the young man while the young lady waits on the hotel piazza.

Burglar Befriended Him. A burglar was arrested for robbing a house up the state some time since, and the next morning the victim rushed wildly into the magistrate's office.

They Don't Want Wrinkles. She—Mr. Smith advertises all the new wrinkles. He—Fatal mistake. He won't get a woman in his store.

Wrong Sort. Perhaps Plain Old Meat, Potatoes and Bread May Be Against You for a Time.

A change to the right kind of food can lift one from a sick bed. A lady in Welden, Ill., says: "Last spring I became bed-fast with severe stomach troubles accompanied by sick headache. I got worse and worse until I became so low I could scarcely retain any food at all, although I tried about every kind."

"I had become completely discouraged, and given up all hope, and thought I was doomed to starve to death, until one day my husband, trying to find something I could retain, brought home some Grape-Nuts.

"To my surprise the food agreed with me, digested perfectly and without distress. I began to gain strength at once. My flesh (which had been flabby), grew firmer, my every day, and in a very few weeks I gained 30 pounds in weight."

"I liked Grape-Nuts so well that for four months I ate no other food, and always felt as well satisfied after eating as if I had sat down to a fine banquet."



"Well, Let Us Make Up. One Kiss to Show Me You Forgive Me."

determinedly, "you're away off if you think you can shake me as easily now as you did the last time."

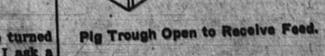
"I'm sorry, Daphne," Harry told her. "I know you have a right to think harshly of me."

A Pig Trough Easy to Fill and Easy to Clean

By R. S. SHAW, Dean of Agriculture

The illustration shows a pig trough with a swinging partition suspended over it in such a way that when swung back the pigs are shut away from the trough while the feed is being supplied, and when swung forward again in place, they have access to it.

Enlightened. "Pa," said little Frank, as he turned the pages of his history, "can I ask a question?"



Pig Trough Open to Receive Feed.

head, resting at the ends between the posts. This permits pigs to be driven out or in, or the cleaning of the pens from the alley.

Only One. "How often, my good man," said the stranger at the wayside station, "do the trains stop here?"

The Style of our Summer Suits IS CONVINCING.

The materials are everything that could be desired, and the superb tailoring adds the finishing touch to the splendid values we are offering at

\$12 TO \$30.

COME IN AND LET US SHOW YOU THESE SUITS.



Summer Underwear FOR MEN AND BOYS.

All kinds of gauze, poros-knit, balbriggan, etc., in union and two-piece suits at

25c, 50c, 75c and \$1.00.

IT HAS RAINED

Straw Hats

AT OUR STORE

and we have dozens of styles for your choosing. Dandy sun shades for men and boys. Dress up hats if you want 'em. All at popular prices.



DANGER BROTHERS.

CLOTHING FOR THE MAN WHO CARES.

LOCAL ITEMS.

The rooms over the Farmers & Merchants bank are being fitted up for offices.

Godfrey Kempf who is employed at Pullman, Ill., is spending sometime at his home in Chelsea.

Ed. Weiss has purchased of Mrs. Warren Cushman thirty acres of land laying across the road, south of his farm.

The H. S. Holmes Mercantile Co. is having the brick delivered on the ground for the addition to their store building.

W. Wade has moved his restaurant from the Wilkinson-Raftrey building on east Middle street to the Klein building on Main street.

A number of young people from here spent Sunday evening at the home of Miss Alice Hanker, of Lyndon. Ice cream and cake were served.

M. Conway has resigned his position as baggage man at the Chelsea passenger station of the M. C. Geo. Adair is doing the work for the present.

The Willing Workers met at the home of Mrs. Fletcher on Tuesday of this week. The next meeting will be held August 1st at the home of Mrs. H. H. Avery.

The bed blankets that have been discarded for the past few weeks, were hunted up last night, and were very acceptable. The mercury went down to 56 degrees.

Ed. Beissel has been confined to his home for several days of the past week as the result of a slight accident which he met with at the Flanders Mfg. Co. plant, where he is employed.

Chas. Hepburn was overcome by the heat Tuesday. For a time it was feared that the result might prove fatal. Toward evening he recovered somewhat and was removed to the home of his brother, Bert Hepburn.

The Sunday school teachers of St. Paul's church gave a farewell reception in honor of Miss Pauline Schoen at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Emanuel Bahnmiller of east Middle street on Friday evening. Ice cream and cake was served.

L. H. Hindelang Monday evening at the annual school meeting of district No. 6, Dexter township severed a connection of 30 years service as an officer of the district. During that period he has filled either the office of treasurer or director.

The village authorities call the attention of bicycle riders and boys coasting on the sidewalks that there is an ordinance prohibiting the use of the sidewalks for riding. The marshal has been instructed to see that the provisions of the ordinance are enforced.

Married, on Thursday, July 6, 1911, Miss Amy Church of Beloit, Wis., and Mr. C. E. Gardner of Chelsea. Mr. Gardner is a draughtsman in the employ of the Flanders Manufacturing Co. Mr. and Mrs. Gardner have commenced housekeeping in the residence of T. E. Wood on Summit street.

Married, at twelve o'clock Monday, July 10, 1911, at Salem Lutheran church, Scio, Miss Mary Dorothea Zahn and Rev. George N. E. Luetke. A reception was held at Dexter from two to five o'clock in the afternoon. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gottlieb Zahn and the groom has charge of a Lutheran church in Phoenix, Arizona.

At a late meeting of the Modern Maccabee Executive Board held in Detroit, it was decided to call a special convention in Port Huron for September 12, for the purpose of re-adjusting rates in the class No. 1 membership. This meeting is called in accordance with a demand from the State Insurance Committee that all fraternal orders adopt adequate rates. The rates are to be adjusted by a table prepared by the National Fraternal Congress.

Wirt S. McLaren was in Detroit the first of the week, where he assisted in organizing "The Exhibitors League of Michigan," a protective organization of the motion picture men. There were about 35 in attendance from out in the state and about 40 from Detroit. The object of the league is to protect the interests of the theatre managers and owners against the film men, express and insurance companies and to prevent adverse legislation. Mr. McLaren was appointed chairman of the committee to draft by-laws and constitution for the league. Bert Reynolds of the Star, Ann Arbor, and W. Baumgartner, of the Dreamland theatre Detroit, were the other members.

Born, July 5, 1911, to Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Bahnmiller, a son.

Mrs. J. D. Day and son, of Owosso, are guests of Mrs. Fannie Crawford.

Born, Wednesday, July 12, 1912, to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Koch of Sylvan, a daughter.

The North Lake Band will furnish the music for the Homecoming at Pinckney, August 2 and 3.

The Ladies' Aid Society of Zion church, Rogers Corners, Freedom, has had the parsonage repainted.

The Wilkinson-Raftrey store building on east Middle street, occupied by The Standard has been repainted.

Mrs. D. H. Wurster and daughter Nina Belle and Miss Mildred Cook left today for an outing at Bay View.

Miss Elma Schenk entertained six young ladies last Friday afternoon in honor of Miss Mabel Price, of Battle Creek.

The second annual Farmers' Picnic will be held in Stevenson Bros. grove at North Lake on Wednesday, August 23.

Rev. Wm. P. Considine gave the altar boys of the Church of Our Lady of the Sacred Heart a picnic at Long Lake Monday.

Chas. Paul started his threshing outfit Monday and reports that the yield of wheat runs from 22 to 28 bushels to the acre.

Miss Ella Ruth Hunter returned Wednesday from Tecumseh, where she has been spending the past two weeks with relatives.

Dr. T. F. Heatley left Friday for Rochester, New York, where he will spend some time as interne, in the Women's and Children's Hospital of that city.

The Hayes Wheel Works ball team from Jackson, met defeat at Ahnemiller's park, Saturday afternoon, at the hands of the Chelsea Cardinals. Score 7 to 1.

There will be a grange picnic at the Hoppe grove August 4th. State Master Mr. Hall, of Diamondale, will be the speaker of the day. Everybody invited.

Arrangements are being perfected for the annual picnic of the Church of Our Lady of the Sacred Heart, which will be held on Tuesday, July 25, at Taylor's grove on McKinley street.

Died, Wednesday July 12, 1911, the two weeks old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Mohrlock. The funeral will be held from the home of the parents Friday, Rev. J. W. Campbell officiating.

Mrs. Wm. Campbell, Mrs. L. Bagge, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Leach, Mrs. Ed. Chandler, Mrs. F. P. Glazier, Miss Margaret Miller, Mrs. W. S. Stocking and Miss Jennie Winslow were Jackson visitors Wednesday.

The receiver of the Geo. Rickman Sons Co., of Kalamazoo, have a force of men at work tinning the interior walls of the high school building. This is a portion of the contract which was held up when the builders went into the hands of the receiver about a year ago.

Chas. Kelly, who is employed at the Michigan Portland Cement Works of Gray Village, Lima, met with an accident Monday. He was assisting in moving some machinery and received a rather severe scalp wound and other slight bruises but he was not seriously injured.

A number from here met at the home of Mrs. Addie Perry in Grass Lake, Sunday, and gave her a very pleasant surprise party. Those present from here were: Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Denman, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Aichele and child, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Whipple and children, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Downer and sons and Mrs. Martha Dean.

Corn, it is said, was never so far advanced in Michigan on July 12th. "Knee high" at this time has always been considered first class progress, but it is not unusual to see plants bearing tassels, and standing high as a horse's back. Now the pessimist is predicting an early frost as summer crops and fruits bid fair to mature several weeks earlier than usual.

The team of Emanuel Bahnmiller started out on a runaway trip on Adams street, Saturday forenoon that proved disastrous in more ways than one. In trying to stop the team Mr. Bahnmiller had one of his feet injured by the vehicle running over it, the wagon tongue and some of the harness was broken. When the team came to a stop they landed on the rig of H. Lighthall which made the out fit look like "thirty cents" for a few minutes. While no serious damage was done, the repair bill will probably make quite a draft on Mr. Bahnmiller's reserved fund.

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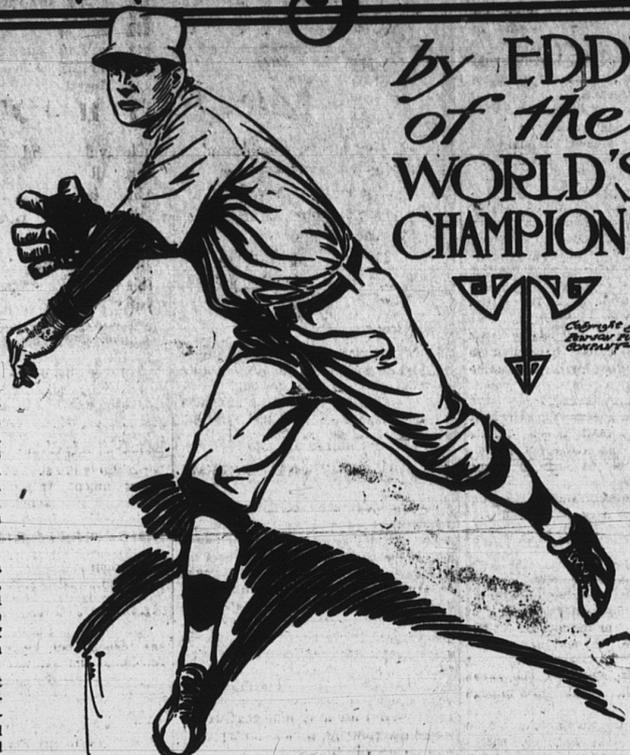
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Outguessing The Pitcher

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EDWARD TROWBRIDGE COLLINS



RUMORS had been circulated by the "underground" routes of baseball during the season of 1909 that signals were being tipped off in New York and Detroit. About this time, I noticed Ira Thomas and "Eddie" Plank working together in a game against the substitutes one day in morning practice. Thomas's signals were so ridiculously plain that I yelled to him from my position at second base.

"For heaven's sake, Ira," I called, "what are you trying to do? A blind man in center field could get those signals."
"All right, Eddie," he answered, "That's what they're for. It's a stall. We open a series in New York Monday, and they may be tipping signals there."

Instead of covering up his signs with his legs as any good catcher will, when he crouches behind the batter, Thomas was displaying his signals so that coaches at both first and third base could see them. I learned in due time that the pitchers were giving the real signs, and that Thomas had devised this scheme to throw any observers with spy glasses or other artificial aids off their guards. I might add that, as a result, in the following series four of the New York batters were hit with pitched balls and badly hurt.

All this means that, every time a batter faces a pitcher in a game of baseball in the big leagues, there is a duel of wits. In fact, the batter is pitted against both the pitcher and the catcher, as the incident related above will show. The acuteness of the duel depends on the amount of wits enlisted on each side. Some are not very keen.

But, although in the vernacular of baseball, it is called "outguessing the pitcher," it is really outwitting the catcher, for the receivers almost universally decide what kind of a diet shall be served to the batter. Occasionally a pitcher disagrees and shakes his head. Successful men behind the bat in the big leagues have made a careful study of batters, their "grooves" and mannerisms, and it is on this knowledge that a pitcher depends. Therefore, in the majority of cases, it is the batter outguessing the catcher. In only a few instances does the pitcher give the signals.

So much faith have some pitchers in certain catchers that they pitch altogether a different brand of baseball to other men. This is particularly true of Krause, the Philadelphia left hander, who pitched such sensational ball in the season of 1909, and of Ford, of the New York American league club, who was the thrill of the league last season with his double breaking spitball. Krause had no confidence in any catcher except Ira Thomas, and Ford could not work harmoniously without "Eddie" Sweeney. These catchers did all the thinking for the two great twirlers, and their work in the box was purely mechanical.

Krause ranted ten straight victories in a row before he fell, in a ten-inning game with the St. Louis team, then, as usual, in last place. The secret is this. Thomas was catching him for the ten he put on the shelf. Lapp was behind the bat for the eleven, and it fell off and smashed. Krause pitched without confidence in his catcher's judgment to outguess the batters, and he lost.

The same thing was true of Ford in the post-season series with the Giants. In the early innings of the first game, Sweeney had his hand split open with one of Ford's eccentric spitballs. The Highlander was never the same again. He did not pitch the wonderful ball he is capable of in that series. He had no confidence in the lumbering Mitchell to handle his "spitters," to think fast, in short, to outguess the batters.

Some catchers have a very busy habit of talking all the time to annoy a batter in an effort to distract his attention from his work. John Kling, of the Chicago Cubs, known in baseball as a bad man with a batter, "chewed" incessantly during the world's series in which we won the championship from the Cubs. He seemed to want to distract attention from the pitcher. A favorite line of his was:

"Now, let's try him on a fast one."

It is sort of an unwritten law of baseball to let the first one go by to get a look at the style. Kling would say:

"He liked the looks of that. Let's try him on another." Then up would come a curve. A favorite trick of his is to get the batter into an argument, and have his pitcher shoot over a fast one. He tried this on me in the first world's series.

"So they say that you are the best base runner in the American league," was his opening line. "Well, you are not up against American league catchers now, young fellow. Let's see you steal a base if you get down."

I paid no attention to him, although he evidently hoped that I would turn around and reply, so that I would be caught off my guard. And not in conceit, but, as a historian, I relate the sequel. I did get down to first base, and by pretending I was going to steal, made him signal to Overall to waste two balls. Then, when he had to put a strike over, I went down.

Sometimes a catcher will overplay his part in this respect, and a remark dropped by him will give a batter the key to the situation which will enable him to outguess the pitcher. A thing of this sort happened to me in Chicago, one day last season, with Walsh pitching and Ford catching.

working and which led me to forecast what was coming. This cue and the resultant conclusion I drew, based on the hasty hypothesis of Payne's remark, resulted, in a timely base hit. The conditions and circumstances of the hit are not likely to occur often in a game with Walsh pitching. He is a spit ball pitcher entirely. He uses his "spitter" and a fast ball with no curves. On this occasion, Payne signalled for either a spit ball or a fast one, I don't know which. Walsh shook his head in reply, and Payne gave him another signal to which he again shook his head.

"You don't want this one?" Payne mumbled in his mask, but loudly enough for me to hear as he gave another signal. Walsh nodded assent.

Now here is what passed through my mind, after listening to the hint carelessly dropped by Payne. Two were out at the time, a man was on third base, who, if he scored, would put us ahead, and the count on me was two strikes and no balls. My flash of thought must have been instantaneous. I try never to pay any attention to the monologue of a catcher, but Payne is naturally a reticent man, and his remark surprised me.

Walsh had refused to pitch until he had received a certain sign. This made me think that it was not going to be a "spitter" or a fast one, evidently the first two signals given by Payne. He can't intend to waste a ball, I reasoned, because the man is on third, and he doesn't think he is going to try to steal. Then it struck me.

"Can it be a curve?" I asked myself surprised. "But he never throws one," I argued in my mind. Then I remembered the surprise betrayed in Payne's "You don't want this one." The remark mumbled in his mask had supplied the key. I took a chance. It was a curve, and I called the turn. It was the first and last one Walsh ever threw me, and probably he would have slipped it over, had it not been for Payne's poorly suppressed surprise. That cost Walsh the game. It must be remembered by the reader that all this giving of signals and reasoning took place in about a minute's time. A ball player must think fast.

Old "Cy" Young, one of the Solons of baseball, crossed me once in almost the same way with regular English on it. It was a case of him outguessing me. The veteran Cleveland pitcher is as different from Walsh, in his style, as white is from black. "Cy" relies on a curve and a fast ball, never using a "spitter." Young had two strikes and one ball on me in a game in Cleveland. He walked out of the box and part way to the catcher to receive the ball. Easterly, catching, signalled for an offering that did not coincide with "Cy's" idea of the exigencies of the situation. The old fellow shook his head twice, which immediately forced me to conclude that it would be neither a curve nor a fast one.

Oldring was on first base at the time, and I guessed that "Cy" must want to waste one, thinking he was going to try to steal. When the ball came to me about chin high, I at once concluded that my diagnosis was the correct one, and I let it go. But, when about two feet in front of me, it broke across my letters, a beautiful strike, and I had not even taken my bat off my shoulder. "Cy" had dished up a spitter from somewhere in his assortment, and I didn't even know that he could throw one. He simply outguessed me and caught me in the arms of Morpheus.

He had set the ball, while walking away from the plate with his back to me, after getting it from Easterly, this giving me a hint that he was going to throw a "spitter."

Young invented this trick and applied it occasionally to great advantage, I have learned since, catching a batter off his guard. But he depends for the most part on a curve and a high, fast ball, relying on his wonderful control to put the ball where he wants it. That "whisker" trimmer of his, which is a high, fast one in the vicinity of the neck, is a villainous ball. A pitcher of Young's type would just as soon tell the batter where he is going to try to throw the ball, because it is generally known that he is pitching at a batter's weakness.

So batting in the big leagues is largely a game of thought. The man who outguesses the pitchers accumulates the most hits and the largest batting average. Lajoie is the only exception to this that I can recall. Of course, self-confidence is an absolute necessity to any successful hitter, but the Cleveland second baseman is more chock full of reliance in his own batting ability than any other player I know. It is not conceit, just faith in his eye. He shuffles out to the plate, almost carelessly, and bangs his bat down two or three times as if to say to the pitcher:

"Toss one up here and hurry up about it. I'm not particular."
He seldom lets the first one go past him. He gets his poise, takes a couple of short steps, wades into the ball, and bang!

"You can't get one by me," his manner appears to challenge. He is simply bulging with confidence. He is the one hitter and the only successful one I ever saw who apparently doesn't try to guess what the pitcher is going to throw and really doesn't care. Pitchers have never been able to discover any "groove" that he is concealing. He simply wades in and hits at any kind of a ball. He is one batter in a thousand.

Tyrus Cobb, the Detroit star, is the exactly opposite type of hitter. He is thinking all the time he is at the bat, figuring, planning, to outguess the pitcher and the fielders, in baseball parlance "to cross" his opponent's, a legitimate procedure. If he thinks that the third baseman expects a bunt, he will hit it out. He never chases a bad ball, and he makes a pitcher work to the last notch. He worries many of the men in the box by his restlessness, and because he is constantly guessing right. He has almost clairvoyant ability to outguess a pitcher.

In some games, I have been able to guess right almost every time that the pitcher has thrown the ball to me and yet have not been able to get a hit.

There is a great difference in pitchers. Some are easy to outguess, and others are as bad as a jigsaw puzzle, and I never worked out one of those in my life. I know some men who have mannerisms in the box which betray definitely the sort of a ball to be delivered. These little physical eccentricities are true indices and often cost men, who would otherwise be successful pitchers, many games. It may be the twist of the wrist in throwing a curve ball, or some motion of the foot peculiar to a "spitter" that divulges the essential secret. This tell-tale sign is fatal to a pitcher, when players get on to it, and it usually does not take his opponents long to discover and associate it with a certain kind of ball.

Working in combination to outguess the batters, a catcher will often help a pitcher out by talking incessantly, hoping in this way to distract a hitter's attention from his business. Great of the Washington club is one of the worst talkers in the business, and is called in some strata of baseball "Gabby." From the

time that a catcher throws the ball back to the pitcher until he delivers it again, a batter should never take his eyes off the pitcher.

All of the "grooves" of batters are carefully catalogued. Every hitter in baseball, with the possible exception of Lajoie and Wagner, is supposed to have what is known to the profession as a "groove," a certain real or imagined weakness. Some pitchers work to fool a batter, and others aim at his "groove." Young and Powell are of the second type, and it is this style of pitcher that I always try to make pitch to the limit, as they have to depend absolutely on their control.

The catcher is obviously included in the guessing match which always results when a batter faces a pitcher. I recall a funny instance of "Hal" Chase making Ira Thomas look like six nickels in a game last summer. Thomas formerly played on the Yankees, and at the time, Chase's sign for the squeeze play was given by putting his right hand to his nose. Ira had seen him give this many times when they were team mates.

But on this occasion, Chase was playing on the New York club, and Thomas was catching on the Philadelphia team. It was in the eighth inning with the score tied, and a New York runner on third base, champing on his spikes to get home when Chase stepped to the bat. One was out. "Hal" went through the usual preliminaries of knocking the dirt out of his spikes, fixing his hat the firmer, as if he expected to take a long run and didn't want to be called back to get the cap, and spitting on his hands. Then he put the first digit of his right hand to the side of his nose.

"What are you going to do, Hal," asked Ira, "frame up something here?" Thomas did not expect to find out anything by the question, but wanted to drag Chase into conversation to get his mind off his work.

"Sure I am," replied Chase, and he repeated the old sign very deliberately.

"What," exclaimed Ira, "you're not giving me that sign, thinking I'm not jerry to it?"
"That's right, Ira," answered Chase carelessly. "I had forgotten, you know, but it goes anyway."

This conversation was carried on while Plank was pawing around in the box and preparing to pitch. As the tall outpawer wound up, Daniel started in from third base. Plank delivered a perfect strike, and Chase half bunted and half hit the ball, which allowed Daniels to score. "Hal" had beaten Thomas at his own game. He had given a sign that Thomas knew, and which the latter did not for a moment think had been passed out seriously. Therefore Ira did not signal for a pitchout as he would have done if he had guessed the play was coming. Thus Chase double-crossed Ira. A ball player is trying to outguess the pitcher from the time he leaves the bench until he sits down again. He doesn't terminate his engagement at the plate. As soon as a batsman becomes a base runner, his object is advancement.

Every ball player knows exactly how much of a lead he can take off first base on a certain pitcher and not get caught. There are recognized standards in the big leagues. For instance, I know that I can go fifteen feet away from the bag and get safely back with "Doc" White of Chicago pitching, but if I go a step over ten feet on Walsh of the same club I will probably get nipped. I can't exactly explain what I mean, but when I once get accustomed to a pitcher's delivery, I know how far to venture.

In base running, I believe that the secret of success is the start, absolutely. Speed is a great asset, but the start is everything.

Outguessing the pitcher and catcher is a sort of instinct which some players have and others never attain. A man seems to do it by intuition and often cannot tell just what concrete hypothesis leads him to reach a certain conclusion. But believe me, it is a great art for a ball player to have, a great art, and one to be cultivated.



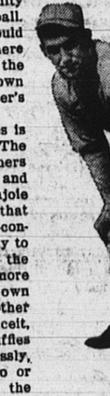
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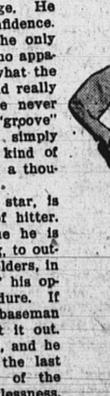
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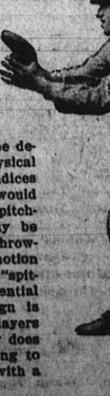
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At a conference of railway chiefs with the state railway commission it was agreed that the facilities of one road for transferring freight from another line to consumers on its team tracks or sidings should be opened between the roads of the state. The agreement is considered of great importance to the shippers of the state, owing to the rules which some roads have enforced of refusing to accept shipments in cars from its another railway to customers on its sidings. A new tariff to cover these deliveries will go into effect September 1, but the general interchange of these terminal facilities for either local or interstate shipments will be instituted at once.

Shippers in several cities have filed complaints with the commission relative to the attitude of railroads regarding transfers of this character.

Charles L. Johnson, Chicago capitalist, charged with abetting Frank M. Jones of Muskegon in fraud against the Old National bank of Grand Rapids, is out on \$5,000 bail. He says he will fight for exoneration.

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DETROIT—Cattle—Market for butchers' grades 10@15c higher; good grades steady; extra dry fed steers and heifers, \$15.00@17.00; steers and heifers, 1.00@1.20, \$5@5.50; steers and heifers, 800 to 1,000, \$4.25@5; grass steers and heifers that are fat, 800 to 1,000, \$4.25@5; grass steers and heifers that are fat, 800 to 1,000, \$3.50@4.25; choice fat cows, \$4@4.25; good fat cows, \$3.25@3.75; common cows, \$2.75@3; canners, \$1.50@2.50; choice heavy bulls, \$4@4.25; fair to good hologna, bulls, \$3.25@3.75; stock bulls, \$3@3.25; calves, \$1.50@2.50; steers, 800 to 1,000, \$4.00@4.75; fair feeding steers, 800 to 1,000, \$4@4.50; choice stockers, 500 to 700, \$4@4.25; fair stockers, 500 to 700, \$3.50@4.25; stock heifers, \$3@3.50; milkers, large, young, medium age, \$4@5.50; common milkers, \$3@3.50.
Veal calves—Market 25@50c higher than last week; best, \$8.50@9; others, \$4.50@8; milch cows and springers, \$3 per head higher.
Sheep and lambs—Market 25c higher than last week; best lambs, \$7.40; fair to good lambs, \$6.50@7; light to medium lambs, \$4.50@5; yearlings, \$5; fair to good sheep, \$3.25@3.75; culls and common, \$1.50@2.50.
Hogs—Aasking \$7 for best; pigs, \$6.50.

EAST BUFFALO, N. Y.—Cattle.
Slow; best 1,350 to 1,600-lb steers, \$5.50@6.75; good to heavy, 1,200 to 1,350-lb steers, \$5.25@5.50; best 1,100 to 1,200-lb shipping steers, \$5.05@5.25; medium butchers' steers, 1,000 to 1,100 lbs, \$5.25@5.50; light to heavy, 800 to 1,000 lbs, \$4.75@5.25; best fat cows, \$4.75@5.25; fair to good fat cows, \$3.60@4.40; common to medium fat cows, \$2.12@2.75; trimmers, \$2.25@2.75; best fat heifers, \$5.50@6; good fat heifers, \$4.50@4.75; best stock heifers, \$4@4.25; best feeding steers, dehorned, \$4.50@4.75; common feeding steers, dehorned, \$3.75@4; best bulls, \$4.75@5; hologna bulls, \$3.75@4; stock bulls, \$3@3.25; best milkers and springers, \$5@5.50; common to good milkers and springers, \$2@2.50; 2-year-olds, \$1.75@2; heavy, \$1.15@1.75; yorkers, \$1.20; pigs, \$7.
Sheep—Steady; top lambs, \$7.25@7.50; yearlings, \$6.50@7; wethers, \$4.50@4.65; ewes, \$3.50@4.
Calves—\$8@8.50.

GRAIN, ETC.
WHEAT—Cash and July No 2 red, 87 1/2c; September opened with a decline of 1/2c to 92 1/2c; No 2 white, advanced to 92 1/2c and declined to 90 1/2c; December advanced to 95 1/2c, declined to 95c, advanced to 95 1/2c and closed at 95c asked; No 2 white, corn and oat chop, closing at 85 1/2c asked; No 2 mixed, 1 car at 83 1/2c.
COAL—Cash No 3, 6 1/2c; No 2 yellow, 6 1/2c; OATS—Standard, 2 cars at 46 1/2c; No 3 white, 46c.
BEANS—Immediate, prompt and July shipment, \$2.22 bid; October shipment, 1 car at \$2.12; November shipment, \$2.05 bid; December shipment, \$2.
CLOVERSEED—Prime spot, \$9.75; October and March, \$9.25; prime alsike, \$9; August shipment, \$8.75.
FEED—in 100-lb sacks, jobbing lots; Bran, \$27; coarse middlings, \$25; fine middlings, \$28; cracked corn and coarse cornmeal, \$22; corn and oat chop, \$20 per ton.
FLOUR—Best Michigan patent, \$4.90; ordinary, \$4.75; No 2, \$4.50 per 48-lb sack; clear, \$4.75; pure rye, \$5.75; spring patent, \$5.65 per 48-lb in wood.

FRUITS.
CHERRIES—\$2 per bu.
CURRANTS—Red, \$2.50@3 per bu.
GOOSEBERRIES—\$1 per 16-qt. case.
APPLES—New, \$1.75@2 per box, \$2.7 per bu.
BLACKBERRIES—\$1.50@1.75 per 16-qt. case.
HUCKLEBERRIES—\$1.50@1.75 per 16-qt. case.
RASPBERRIES—Home-grown, \$2.50@3 per bu.
RASPBERRIES—Red, \$4.50@5 per bu; black, \$4@1.25 per 16-qt. case.
MELONS—Watermelons, \$1@1.50 each; Rocky Ford, \$2.25@2.75 per crate.

FARM PRODUCE, ETC.
GREEN CORN—\$4@5 per doz.
CABBAGE—New, \$2.75@3 per bu.
NEW POTATOES—Southern, \$4.75 per bu.
COCONUTS—50@70c per doz, \$2.75 a 4 per sack.
DRESSING CALVES—Fancy, 10@10 1/2; choice, 8@9c per lb.
TOMATOES—\$1.25@1.50 per 4-basket crate; hothouse, 15@20c per bu.
POTATOES—Michigan, per sack, 70@80c; store lots, 85@90c per bu.
NEW MAPLE SUGAR—Pure, 11@12c per lb; syrups, 10@11c per gal.
ONIONS—Egyptian, \$2.25 per crate; Texas Bermudas, \$2.75 per crate.
LIVE POULTRY—Broilers, 20@21c; hens, 18c; old roosters, 16c; turkeys, 14@15c; geese, 8@9c; ducks, 12@13c per lb.
CHEESE—Michigan, old 17c, new 13@14c; York state, new, 13 1/2@14c; Swiss, 16@18c; imported Swiss, 28@31c; brick, 13@14c; Limburger, 13@14c per lb.

VEGETABLES.
Asparagus, \$6@6 1/2 per doz; best, new, 25@30c per doz; carrots, 25c per doz; cauliflower, \$1.75 per doz; cucumbers, hothouse, 65@80c per doz; Florida celery, \$3.25@3.50 per doz; green onions, \$1.25@2 per doz; green onions, 12 1/2c per doz; green peppers, 15c per basket; green beans, 11@12c per bu; head lettuce, 17 1/2c per bu; mint, 25c per doz; parsley, 20@25c per doz; radishes, 12 1/2@15c per doz; string beans, 25@30c per doz; watercress, 25@30c per doz.

The Lehigh Valley railroad, recently convicted in the United States circuit court of granting concessions or demurrage charges on freight rates to the Bethlehem Steel company, paid the fine of \$40,219.48 imposed by Judge Hoak.

SEVEN YEARS OF MISERY

All Relieved by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.



Sikeston, Mo.—"For seven years I suffered everything. I was in bed for four or five days at a time every month, and so weak I could hardly walk. I cramp and had backache and headache, and was so nervous and that I dreaded to see anyone or have anyone move in the room. The doctor gave me medicine, but it did me no good. I would not listen to him, and when a friend of my husband told him about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and what it had done for his wife, I was willing to take it. Now I look the picture of health and feel like I too, I can do my own housework, go to my garden, and milk a cow. I can entertain company and enjoy them. I can visit when I choose, and walk as far as an ordinary woman can any day in the month. I wish I could talk to every suffering woman and tell her of my trouble. I am now well and happy. Mrs. DEBA BETHUNE, Sikeston, Mo.

The most successful remedy in the country for the cure of all forms of female complaints is Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. It is more widely and successfully used than any other woman's remedy. It has cured thousands of women who have been troubled with displacements, inflammation, ulceration, fibroid tumors, irregularities, periodic pains, backache, that bearing down feeling, indigestion, and nervous prostration, after all other means had failed. Why don't you try it?

No Wedding Day Bargain. The Husband (during the quarrel)—"You're always making bargains. Was there ever a time when you didn't?"
The Wife—Yes, sir; on my wedding day.

Exactly. Noting that another piece of valuable china had been broken, Senator Allen asked his housekeeper how the breakage occurred, and she hastily replied: "It fell down and just broke itself." "Merely an automatic break," quickly commented the senator.

A Catastrophe. A cat was being chased along the roof of a New York building. It lost its balance and fell on a boy who was standing on a balcony on the second floor. The startled boy fell in his turn, landing on a baby carriage, fortunately empty, which another boy was wheeling in the street. The first boy dislocated his wrist; the cat was killed.

NATURALLY.
After the hostess. Some playing, some dancing, some "Star-Spangled Through Gem of the Republic." "When I Home Ag America." The guests opposite the after each used in my was a small stack; "his flutrons; Hix—Did you notify the police the robbery? Dix—Yes, and I am expecting any moment to hear that they arrested the wrong man.

To The Last Mouthful
one enjoys a bowl of crisp, delightful
Post Toasties
with cream or stewed fruit—or both.
Some people make an entire breakfast out of this combination.
Try it!
"The Memory Lingers"
Sold by Grocers

BREVITIES

DESTER-Bennie Cole, the 14 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Cole, was bitten by a rattlesnake Sunday morning while sitting under a shade tree. The lad had no warning of the bite and was taken immediately to a physician. The father killed the snake which had seven rattles.

DEXTER-Miss Donie Kenny, 18 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Kenny of Webster, broke her right leg in a runaway Sunday afternoon when the horse became frightened at an automobile and ran away throwing her to the ground and badly bruising her companion. They were just returning from church.

YPSILANTI-The girl whom it is alleged Stephen H. Bridges, father of Mildred Bridges, high priestess took to Chicago to testify against See, is still a mystery. Bridges, a former resident of this city, made a secret visit here and induced the girl to return and tell all she knows about the God man, his teachings and his life.

GRASS LAKE-Deputy game warden Smith planted 3,000 black bass fry in the lake last week. For several years past bass, catfish and wall-eyed pike have been planted in the lake each summer. There have been but few of the pike or catfish caught but the lake abounds in bass of a fair size and in a few years more Grass Lake promises to be one of the best bass lakes in the state.-News.

HILLSDALE-Arthur C. Klicksiern of Ann Arbor has accepted the position of Professor of Modern Languages in Hillsdale college for the coming year. Mr. Klicksiern has had seven years' experience in teaching French and German and during his study in the University of Michigan has been an assistant in German. Mr. Klicksiern has completed the residence work at the university for the degree of Ph D.

ANN ARBOR-Immigration officers arrested John Kolowopolis, the Greek restaurant proprietor here, who was brought up early this spring on a peonage charge and later dismissed. He will be deported. Kolowopolis was charged with keeping his nephew, Apptomous Nicalou, a 14-year-old boy, in peonage, but the federal authorities could not convict him. They looked up his record, however, and found that he had served three prison sentences in Greece, one of them for slaying, and his arrest followed. He was taken to Detroit.

MILAN-The Belleville Flouring Mill, owned by James R. Clark and Son, with all of its contents was totally destroyed by fire last Thursday night about 6 o'clock. The fire originated in the north end of the first floor of the building but what started it no one seems to know. The large quantity of wheat, corn, flour, etc., as well as the machinery which were in the immense building were all destroyed. The books and accounts and a small portion of seed were all that was saved. The loss, which was covered by insurance, was estimated at \$20,000.-Leader.

ANN ARBOR-Sheriff William Stark went to Jackson Thursday to take Ralph W. Venson and Howard Race of Detroit, to state prison to begin serving their sentence of from one to 15 years for burglary in Ypsilanti. When arrested the boys gave the names of Frank and George Mund, and claimed to live in Missouri. It was not until their pictures had been taken for the rogues' gallery that Under Sheriff Stark was able to secure the admission of their real names by pointing out that they wouldn't care to spend 15 years in prison without their parents knowing what had become of them.

ANN ARBOR-Charles Sink, secretary of the university school of music, received a telegram Sunday afternoon from Prof. Albert A. Stanley, head of the university school of music, stating that Mrs. Stanley, his wife, was dead in London. Prof. and Mrs. Stanley left here a month ago for London, where the professor was to represent United States at the international musical meeting at that place. Mrs. Stanley was apparently in the best of health at that time and her death came as a shock to her many friends in Ann Arbor. About one year ago Miss Elsa Stanley, their daughter, died very suddenly.

YPSILANTI-Henry Miller, a former pal of Oscar Lawrence of this city, is reported to have furnished information to R. J. Pierce, the Detroit man who about a year ago lost a pocketbook containing \$1,025, at Pine lake, which led to the recovery of a part of the amount. As soon as Mr. Pierce heard of the whereabouts of his missing property he notified Officer Ryan, and upon investigation the sum of \$600 was located in a cement block in the cellar of the home of Oscar Martin's father. Martin was arrested shortly after the incident he was arrested, tried in Pontiac before Judge Smith, and sentenced to Jackson for a term of years.

Prosecutor's Report.

During the half year ending June 30, proceedings were brought by Prosecutor Burke against 331 persons, of whom 344 were convicted, one was acquitted and five nolle prossed.

The list of prosecutions and convictions is as follows:

Assault and battery, 18 prosecuted, 17 convicted; assault with intent to kill, one prosecuted and convicted; assault with intent to kill, one prosecuted and convicted; begging, one prosecuted and convicted; boarding railway cars in motion, two prosecuted and convicted; burglary, one prosecuted and convicted; breaking and entering car, two prosecuted and convicted; burglary and larceny, two prosecuted and convicted; cruelty to animals, two prosecuted and convicted; carrying concealed weapons, one prosecuted and convicted; careless use of firearms, one prosecuted and convicted; drunks, 176 prosecuted, 175 convicted; drunkards and tipplers, 11 prosecuted and convicted; drunkard and tippler, second offense, one prosecuted and convicted; defrauding hotel, one prosecuted and convicted; disturbing peace, one prosecuted; defrauding boarding house, nine prosecuted and convicted; fraudulently connecting and using gas, one prosecuted and convicted; false pretense under \$25, four prosecuted and convicted; forgery, one prosecuted and convicted; forgery, one prosecuted and convicted; gamblers, three prosecuted and convicted; horse stealing, one prosecuted and convicted; indecent language, three prosecuted and convicted; keeping a gambling room, one prosecuted and convicted; larceny under \$25, ten prosecuted, eight convicted; larceny from the person, one prosecuted and convicted; marring public property, one prosecuted and convicted; malicious injury to personal property, one prosecuted and convicted; nonsupport, six prosecuted and convicted; opening a bar within 400 feet of a church, one prosecuted and convicted; resisting an officer, one prosecuted and not convicted; robbery, one prosecuted and convicted; selling cigarettes to minors, one prosecuted and convicted; seduction, one prosecuted and convicted; perjury, one prosecuted and convicted; vagabonds, 68 prosecuted and convicted; violation of school laws, four prosecuted and convicted; violation of veterinary act, one prosecuted and convicted; violation of fish and game law, five prosecuted and convicted; violation of motor law, three prosecuted and convicted; violation of liquor law, one prosecuted and convicted.

Council Proceedings.

[OFFICIAL.]

COUNCIL ROOMS, Chelsea, Mich., July 3, 1911.

Board met in regular session. Meeting called to order by Geo. P. Staffan, president. Roll called by the clerk.

Present-Trustees, Hummel, McKune, Dancer, Palmer, Lowry, Brooks.

Absent-None.

Minutes of the last meeting read and approved.

The following bill were presented and read by the clerk as follows:

LIGHT AND WATER FUND.

Sunday Creek Co., 1 car coal, \$ 36 50

Chas. Merker, unloading coal, 4 50

M. C. R. R. Co., frt. car coal, 58 40

N. F. Prudden, 1 tap, 9 00

F. C. Teal Co., fans and insulators, 86 82

American Elect. Supply Co., fixtures, 41 54

American Elect. Supply Co., sad irons, 95 76

W. G. Nagel Co., supplies, 29 29

A. T. Knowlson Co., fixtures, 2 63

G. H. Foster & Son, 1 tap, 9 00

Frank Brooks 14 hours mason 7 hours tender, 10 15

Geo. W. Beckwith, premium on power plant insurance, 24 75

E. G. McCarter, 22 hours on power wells, 4 40

J. Jones, 1 mo. salary, 37 50

M. A. Lowry, 1 mo. salary, 30 00

Ed. Fisk, 1 mo. salary, 11 hours extra, 32 20

Ed. Chandler, 1 mo. salary, 12 hours extra, 32 40

Anna Hoag, 1 mo. salary, 10 00

GENERAL FUND.

Geo. Millsbaugh, postage, 6 40

The Chelsea Tribune, printing, 6 00

Chas. Hepburn, 1 mo. salary, 22 50

Chelsea Standard, printing, 8 50

J. W. VanRiper, taking assessment, 100 00

STREET FUND.

Gil Martin, 105 hours on street at 20 cents, 21 00

Tommie Wilkinson, 22 hours surveying at 20 cents, 4 40

H. H. Corbin, surveying, 20 10

E. E. Bannmiller, drawing gravel, 4 40

Geo. Wahr, stationary, 1 55

Moved and supported the bills as read by the clerk and orders drawn on the treasurer for their amounts. Carried.

Moved by Brooks, supported by McKune, that we pay M. A. Lowry \$80 a month.

Yeas-Hummel, Dancer, Palmer, McKune, Brooks.

Nays-None.

Moved by Lowry, seconded by Hummel, that the lighting rate be raised to .08 cents per kilowatt to take effect July 1, 1911.

Yeas-Hummel, Dancer, McKune, Lowry, Brooks.

Nays-Palmer. Carried.

Moved by Palmer, seconded by Brooks, that a committee be appointed to submit the proposition of paving to a vote of the taxpayers on July 20, 1911.

Yeas-Hummel, Dancer, Palmer, McKune, Lowry, Brooks.

Nays-None.

Moved by Lowry, supported by Hummel, that the petition of J. B. Cole be referred to the ordinance committee. Carried.

There being no further business it was moved and supported to adjourn to Monday evening, July 10, 1911, at 7:30. Carried.

H. E. COOPER, Clerk.

Chelsea, Mich., July 10, 1911.

Persuant to regular adjourned meeting of July 3. Board met in regular session. Meeting called to order by Geo. P. Staffan, president. Roll call by the clerk.

Present-Trustees, Hummel, Dancer, Palmer, McKune, Lowry, Brooks.

Absent-None.

The following bills were presented and read by the clerk as follows:

LIGHT AND WATER.

American Elect. Supply Co., 1 gal. varnish, \$ 1 40

The W. G. Nagel Co., lamps and meters, 165 22

The Toledo Chandelier Mfg. Co., fixtures, 14 75

M. C. R. R., frt. 2 cars coal, 137 76

Consolidation House, 1 car coal, 29 34

Sunday Creek Co., 1 car coal, 37 20

M. A. Lowry, help unloading 1 car coal, 4 65

Standard Oil Co., 1 bbl. oil, 12 10

County Auditor's Report.

Board of County Auditors-April session, 1911.

The Board of County Auditors met in regular session in the court house, in the city of Ann Arbor, in the Auditors room, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, April 4, 5 and 6, 1911.

Present-Auditors Fischer, Bacon and Stowell.

COUNTY BILLS.

Doubleday Bros., supplies, \$ 3 50

Chelsea Standard, printing, 8 00

Dr. Jeanne Solis, examination, 5 00

Gruner & Co., supplies, 80 00

Washtenaw Home Telephone Co., toll, 1 10

John R. Minor, Aud. D. C. books, 15 00

Doubleday Bros., supplies, 11 75

Ann Arbor Water Co., at jail, 10 00

Ann Arbor Water Co., water, 51 95

George Kusterer, painting, 8 25

St. Joseph Retreat, care of patients, 65 00

Dr. F. E. Westfall, ex. insanc., 7 00

Dr. Geo. F. Clark, ex. insanc., 7 00

Dr. M. J. Cassidy, ex. insanc., 10 00

J. H. Shultz, election supplies, 64 86

Columbia Refining Co., soap powder, 27 37

Dr. H. L. Zierman, ex. insanc., 9 60

Dr. W. C. Wyle, ex. insanc., 7 00

M. Haller, floor covering, etc., 147 68

John C. Fischer, supplies, 10 46

S. W. Millard, election supplies, 5 50

Emanuel E. Schneider, plumbing at the jail, 132 86

Detroit House of Correction, care of prisoners, 343 22

Mayer, Schoettle & Schaefer Co., printing, 4 25

J. H. Shultz, election supplies, 16 16

Geo. Wahr, supplies, 5 24

W. R. Schneider, work at jail, 7 13

Times News Co., printing, 50 60

N. E. Freeman, cleaning cistern, 3 00

R. S. Ellis, hauling ashes, 11 34

M. Haller, repair of chairs, 80 80

Chas. Meyers, printing, 19 85

Dr. E. L. Zierman, ex. insanc., 5 00

West Disinfecting Co., 40 00

P. J. Schlede, binding, 14 00

Athens Press, printing, 18 50

Dr. J. P. Breakey, ex. insanc., 5 00

J. E. Moore & Co., burial indigent soldier, 55 00

Ann Arbor Press, printing, 115 00

M. Haller, linoleum, 114 84

Henry O'Neil, Supt. of Poor, Washtenaw Home Telephone Co., rental, 7 50

Herman W. Pipp, services, 8 61

COUNTY OFFICER BILLS.

W. J. April, prisoner Detroit House of Correction, 3 50

W. A. Seery, transient officer, 21 00

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Wm. Walsh, deputy sheriff, expense bill, 4 30

J. E. McKune, deputy sheriff, expense bill, 51 85

J. N. Lawrence, J. P., 3 20

H. D. Witherell, J. P., 30 00

W. C. Gerstner, deputy sheriff, 1 05

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Joe Gross, constable, 4 20

W. H. Stark, soap bill, 25 00

Mat. Max, deputy sheriff, expense bill, 1 70

Michigan State Telephone Co., toll, 7 45

Michigan State Telephone Co., phones, 48 75

W. Stark, board bill, 327 30

Geo. H. Fischer, Auditor, 15 28

Frank Stowell, Auditor, 16 80

Wm. Bacon, Auditor, 17 52

Polhemus Transfer Co., livery for officers, 13 25

George Dietle, deputy sheriff, 6 30

M. B. Stadtmiller, J. P., 5 51

W. Gauntlett, deputy sheriff, 14 00

W. G. Doty, J. P., 60 75

Frank A. Ritchie, J. P., 120 80

Leo J. Kennedy, dep. sheriff, 10 10

Chas. Hipp, deputy sheriff, 14 60

Willis Johnson, coronor, 12 20

William Eldert, dep. sheriff, 30 00

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H. J. Brown, supplies, 11 15

L. A. Groat, service, 38 39

Quarry Ford Store, supplies, 3 60

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