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## STRUCK BY A TRAIN.

**Charles Doud and Mrs. Nettie Niles  
Instantly Killed at Francisco.**

Charles Doud, aged 50 years, and Mrs. Nettie Niles, aged 35 years, both residents of Francisco, were struck by locomotive just east of the depot at that place Tuesday afternoon, and were hurled 100 feet and instantly killed. The couple, who were cousins, had met but a few moments before and as both were going in the same direction they waited near the tracks until a train on the opposite of the station had departed.

The unfortunate people were about to cross the tracks, thinking the way was clear, when the engine beam or some other projection struck them as it passed and carried them to their death. Mr. Doud was slightly deaf and this combined with the noise perhaps confused him. Both train crews saw the accident but could do nothing to prevent it as everything happened so suddenly. The bodies were carried to the depot and the coroner notified.

Mr. Doud had recently purchased the Hatt property in Francisco and his father and mother resided with him. Mrs. Niles is survived by her husband, who is employed by the Michigan Central as a section man at Francisco, and three children, the youngest being one and one-half years of age.

## County Corn Contest.

The corn contest arranged by the county school authorities and Pomona Grange this year will have a big entry list. Eighty have already entered and more are expected. Seven prizes will be awarded ranging from \$10 to \$2, besides 20 one-dollar premiums. The awards will probably be made in November.

The following are those who have entered from this vicinity: Clara Fahrner, Harold S. Gage, George Vincent, Clara Walz, Sylvan; Herman Gutekunst, Harold Ludwig, Willis Shipley, Freda Gutekunst, Dexter.

## Look Up Your Policy.

Several inquiries have reached the state insurance department relative to the storage of automobiles in barns covered by mutual fire insurance company policies. It has been suggested by the department that farmers owning automobiles who have been in the habit of storing the machines in barns better examine their policies and the charter of the companies to ascertain whether or not by that practice they are invalidating their policies. It is pointed out that most policies contain special requirements relative to gasoline and these provisions in some cases prohibit the storing of the machines in barns when they contain gasoline.

## Michael Seeger.

Michael Seeger was born in Germany, November 1, 1832, and died at his home near Francisco, Thursday evening, April 25, 1912, aged 79 years, 5 months and 24 days.

He came to America in 1842, settling Ann Arbor where he resided for a number of years, and from there moved to the farm where he has made his home for many years. He was married twice, his first wife being a Miss Notten, who died 17 years ago. In 1900 he was united in marriage with a Mrs. O'Brien. He is survived by his wife, six sons and five daughters.

The funeral was held at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon from Salem German M. E. church, Rev. George Nordhurd officiating.

## Jurors for May Term.

The following have been drawn as jurors for the May term of the Washtenaw circuit court which will convene Tuesday, May 7:

Ann Arbor city—First ward, Clement W. Gill; second ward, William F. Seyfried; third ward, Herman Bucholz; fourth ward, Orin Lamphere; fifth ward, Adam Ritz; sixth ward Arthur J. Kitzon; seventh ward, Chauncey Thompson.

Ann Arbor town—Justice Nixon. Augusta—Clarence Davis. Bridgewater—John Anglemeyer. Dexter—Emerson Howard. Freedom—John Eschelbach. Lima—Ed. Weiss. Lodi—Albert Schaible. Lyndon—John Young. Manchester—Ed. Dietle. Northfield—Louis Coyle. Pittsfield—Vernor McNitt. Salem—Angus Helmy. Saline—George Koch. Scio—Patrick Sloan. Sharon—Bert H. Gieske. Superior—Elijah Gale. Sylvan—Theodore Wedemeyer. Webster—William Valentine. York—Edgar Forsyth. Ypsilanti township—Mort Crittenden. Ypsilanti city—First district, W. P. Palmer, Hiram Fisk; second district, Richard Northard.

## Grange Meeting.

North Sylvan Grange will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Leach on Wednesday, May 8, at 7:30 (standard.) The following will be the program:

Song.....Grange Roll Call.....Grange Chips Music.....Phonograph Moulds and Bacteria.....Mrs. J. Walz Discussion—Things Worth While for the Farmers' Wife.....Mrs. Laird Music.....Phonograph Recent Legislation.....Chas. Young Discussion.....Music furnished by Ceres.

## Lafayette Grange.

The next meeting of Lafayette Grange will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mason Whipple on Friday, May 10. The following will be the program:

Roll Call—Responded to by each member naming things that have been "worth while" to him or her. My Early Life in the West—Mrs. Olive Winslow. Question. Recitation. Some points of difference between the South and our own state. The people and general environment.—G. T. English. Closing Song.

## Jury Blames No One.

The coroner's jury at Ann Arbor which has been inquiring into the cause of the D. J. & C. railway wreck at Steimbach hill on April 15, in which one man was killed and 50 injured, returned a verdict Monday night that a misunderstanding in orders was responsible. No blame was placed.

The jury found that the train dispatcher at Ypsilanti and the crew of the eastbound car No. 108 were the ones involved in the misunderstanding, and the following recommendation was made:

"The jury recommends that the state railway commission take steps to see that the D. J. & C. Railroad Co. employs additional and competent help in the train dispatcher's office and properly instruct the employees of the said railroad in the operation of the trains, and especially in taking and giving orders."

## Mrs. Michael Kaercher.

Mrs. Wilhelmina Kaercher, wife of Michael Kaercher, of Lima, and a life long resident of Washtenaw county, died Sunday morning, April 28, 1912, after an illness of several years.

Mrs. Kaercher was the daughter of George Wacker, a pioneer of Freedom, and she was born there, and lived in the township until her marriage. She was the mother of nine children, all of whom are living in the vicinity of the old home, Mrs. Robert Toney, Mrs. Edward Gross, Reuben Kaercher, Miss Lydia Kaercher, Ottmar and Miss Minne Kaercher, Mrs. Wm. Luick and Edwin and Miss Alma Kaercher. Mrs. Kaercher was 58 years old, and she was well known in the section of the county where she spent her life.

Mrs. Kaercher was a member of the Lutheran church at Scio, and the funeral was held Wednesday forenoon from the church, Rev. F. Thrum officiating.

## Pay Attention to the Roadside.

No matter how smooth and well constructed the traveled roads may be, if the roadside is not cared for, the highway as a whole will not give a good impression. All rubbish should be removed; the excavations should be filled and embankments smoothed and planted with grass wherever it will grow. Unsightly brush should be cut and grubbed out. Sometimes however, the brush and small trees, if suitably trimmed, add to the attractiveness of the roadside.

All trees that are ornament or which have value as shade trees should be preserved and protected, unless they grow so close together as to make a dense shade. In hot, dry climates particularly, and indeed, in most places trees are a considerable factor in reducing the cost of maintenance, since they lessen the evaporation from the roadway. In exposed places where the sweep of the wind would otherwise be unbroken they serve to prevent in a measure the blowing away of the binder from the road surface. Unfortunately in such places it is often difficult to make trees grow. Care in the selection of the kinds of trees best suited to the locality is important.

## Only a Fire Hero.

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## CLOSED FOR TEN DAYS.

**Two Diphtheria Cases Close Schools—  
All Danger Past.**

Two cases of diphtheria was reported to the village health officer last Friday morning. The two sons of Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Hesel-schwerdt, Clayton and Theodore, being the patients. An operation was performed on Theodore Friday night by Dr. Palmer and Dr. Canfield, of Ann Arbor, and the boy was taken to the contagious disease hospital at the U. of M. Saturday morning.

The health board ordered both the public and St. Mary's schools to be closed for ten days and both buildings have been thoroughly fumigated during the past week. The board also notified the churches not to hold a session of the Sunday school last Sunday forenoon and orders were issued to the managers of the theatres forbidding the admittance of school children to their places of amusement.

Both patients are recovering quite rapidly and as no new cases have been reported to the health officer the danger of an outbreak of the disease seems to be past.

The schools will, in all probability be opened next Monday morning.

## Bad Eggs—Warning.

The Michigan food law prohibits the sale or offering for sale of eggs unfit for human food, and State Dairy and Food Commissioner is having sent to the grocery stores in the state a placard quoting the law in its application to eggs, with the following suggestions to poultry (egg) raisers:

Provide plenty of clean, dry nests for your hens.

Gather eggs once daily during ordinary times and twice daily during hot or rainy weather.

In summer, place eggs as soon as gathered in a cool, dry room which is free from odors.

Don't sell eggs which were found in a stolen nest.

Market eggs frequently, twice each week at least, and daily if possible.

Don't sell eggs which have been in an incubator.

In taking eggs to market, protect them from the sun's rays.

Eggs rapidly absorb odors. Don't keep them near oil, onions, etc.

## "The Love Tales of Hoffmann."

If Offenbach's famous opera "The Love Tales of Hoffmann" is the greatest comic opera the world has ever known, then by the same standard the Sheehan English Opera Company is the finest comic opera company America has ever known. A short review of the reasons for both of these facts may be given as follows:

"The Love Tales of Hoffmann" is entirely different from any opera in the realms of music. Not only is its melodies of the most delightful and tuneful character but its entire conception is unique and interesting. The opera opens with a short prologue, showing a wine cellar in Munich. Hoffmann, a dissipated young German poet, is induced to tell for the amusement of his fellow revellers, the story of his three love affairs. The following three acts show the enactment of his stories, each act depicting one of his love affairs. In the first act he falls in love with a wonderful mechanical doll which he believes to be alive. The roll of this doll is played by Miss Gladys Caldwell, prima donna of the Sheehan Opera Company and so remarkable in her performance that although Hoffmann believes her to be alive the audience in spite of the fact that she sings, talks and dances, is at times in doubt as to whether she is really alive or a piece of mechanism. The next act shows a moonlight night in Venice. This act is said to be one of the most beautiful ever seen on the operatic stage. It is in this scene that Mr. Sheehan as Hoffmann, fights a fatal duel on account of one Julietta, the second lady with whom he has fallen in love. And after killing his rival the fair Julietta deserts him for another admirer. In the last act is shown the home of Crepsel, a poor musician, with whose daughter Hoffmann has fallen in love. It is during this scene that Charles Swickard, the famous baritone, is heard in the roll of Doctor Miracle, the great part which Renaud played in the New York Manhattan Opera House. For the epilogue the scene returns to the wine cellar. Hoffmann, his story ended, after a night of carousing, falls helplessly drunk across the table.

The Sheehan English Opera Company with its celebrated cast including Joseph P. Sheehan, Miss Gladys Caldwell, Miss Marion Walker, Miss Annabel Tarlton, Charles Swickard, Francis J. Tyler, William J. Jorgenson, Kenneth Dudley, William Young and Joseph Haywood, as well as the celebrated Sheehan grand opera chorus, will be heard at the New Whitney Theatre Saturday night, May 4, in its magnificent production of "The Love Tales of Hoffmann."

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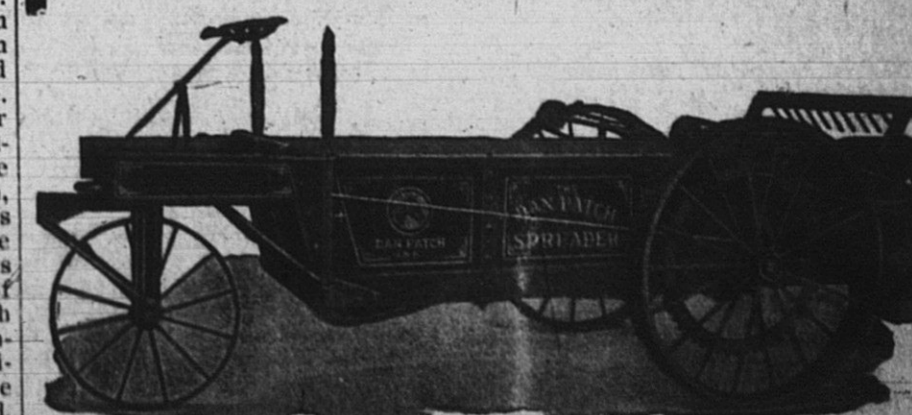
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## MILLIONS OF TAX MONEY COMING IN

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TREASURER HUSTLING TO PLACE MONEY IN DEPOSITORIES.

A Total of \$4,912,000 is Being Paid in by Larger Corporations Alone. —The Railroads Are Paying Up Promptly.

The state treasurer's department is busy receiving and recording taxes from railroad, express, telephone, telegraph, Pullman and car loaning companies. A total of \$4,912,000 is due from these corporations, and already the New York Central lines have sent their check for \$1,513,000, the Michigan State Telephone company \$267,331 and the Pere Marquette \$605,000. Tuesday was the last day in which checks from corporations can be paid without a penalty, which is 1 per cent for each month.

"The state is in excellent shape financially," remarked Auditor-General Fuller, "there was \$2,586,000 in the general fund and there is yet 28 per cent of the state taxes to be collected. At this time last year my department had received but three checks from non-resident liquor dealers, while so far this year we have collected from 15 of these concerns. I predict that the state will be in excellent financial condition at the close of this year."

With the vast amount of money coming in, the treasurer's department is striving to place the money in the various state banks designated as depositories. The task is no small one, for no bank is entitled under the state law to receive state funds in excess of 50 per cent of its capital and surplus.

Government is Ready to Supply Experts.

Recognizing the growing demand among Michigan farmers for the services of experts on farm cultivation management, Cong. McLaughlin has kept prodding the agricultural department for additional experts for the Ninth and other congressional districts.

In answer the department assured him that they would like to put an expert in every district in the state if the latter will bear its proportionate share of the expenses, which they place at \$1,100 a year per expert.

"This," says Cong. McLaughlin, "means that amount for ten congressional districts outside of Detroit."

"If the state legislature had only acted favorably on my suggestion of a substantial appropriation for the purpose of co-operating with the agricultural department, we would now have experts at work in every district all over the state."

Urges Forest Lands Be Used as Game Preserves.

Augustus Carlton, state immigration commissioner, wants to see some of the land now in the state forest reserves, utilized for game preserves, and with this end in view has called a general conference of all the development companies and educational institutions to meet at Lansing in June and formulate with the public domain commission a plan whereby these state lands can be used for the preservation of game life in this state and for other purposes. Mr. Carlton, who is a close student of wood life, has been working along this line for the past three years and has formulated several plans to improve conditions.

Among other things advocated by him is, that a permanent camp site for the Michigan National Guard can be donated by the state, several ideal locations being situated in the northern section of the state. Playgrounds for children on state lands is another plan urged by Mr. Carlton.

Genesee I. O. O. F. Dedicate Temple.

Last Friday was the greatest in the history of Odd Fellows of Flint and Genesee county, when 1,500 of the fraternity gathered for the double celebration of the dedication of the new temple of the Flint lodges and the ninety-third anniversary of the order. A big parade of the various branches of the order was held. Immediately after the parade the dedication exercises were held in the presence of the throne, which filled the building. The impressive dedication rites of the order were given by A. R. Stocker, commander-in-chief of the Patriarchs Militant of the World, the highest branch of the uniform rank, assisted by Frank R. Hamburger, of Detroit, grand master of the grand lodge of Michigan, and several other noted state officers.

Eason Found Guilty of Murder.

George Eason, aged 20 years, of Port Huron, Ont., was found guilty in Port Huron of manslaughter in connection with the death of Thomas H. Major, a local cigar clerk, whose body was found under the steps of the First Baptist church on Feb. 28. Eight ballots were taken and it is stated that until the last ballot, two of the jurors held out for acquittal.

The Democratic county convention was held in Cheboygan. Delegates to the state convention are unopposed.

Advocates of the Lake union conference, which includes Michigan, Wisconsin, Illinois and Indiana, will have to dig up an extra 15 cents per week per capita, in accordance with a plan outlined by President Allen Moon, South Bend, before the biennial conference. The contribution will be for foreign missionary work, and it will cost each member just \$7.50 a year, in addition to the fee collected for church expenses (10 per cent of the contributor's income).

## MICHIGAN NEWS IN BRIEF

The Democrats of Arenac county will meet in convention Saturday, May 4.

The First National bank of Bessemer is clearing a site for a new bank building.

The Michigan State Telephone Co. will spend \$25,000 in rebuilding the Iron Mountain exchange.

A prize of \$10 is offered the boy or girl in Grand Rapids who kills the most flies in each ward before May 4.

Final arrangements are being made by V. D. Laing for the incorporation of the new Miners' State bank at Iron River.

The saw and planing mills of the O. C. Lumber Co., at Sturgeon Falls, de-stroyed by fire last week, are to be rebuilt.

A general quarantine has been placed in effect in Davis by the Macomb officials. There are many cases of scarlet fever.

The Democrats of Marquette county will convene in Marquette on May 4. They will elect nine delegates to the state convention.

Several children were bitten by a mad dog which ran in the streets of Otsego. They were rushed to Ann Arbor or Chicago.

Dr. William Breakey, professor of dermatology and syphilology in the U. of M. and for 14 years a member of the faculty, has retired.

L. M. and Sherman Schroder, Battle Creek business men, will present 5,000 trees to local school children. Each student is to care for a tree.

Charles House, 56, a farmer, living near Grand Rapids, swallowed a coin and then shot himself while dependent over family troubles.

The government has received many tempting offers for the sale of old Fort Wilkins property in the upper peninsula for resort purposes.

Fire swept through the village of Rockford, near Grand Rapids, and did \$60,000 damage. The main business section of the city was destroyed.

Mrs. Charles Benke of Quincy is dead from the effects of bad burns received three weeks ago when her dress caught fire while she was boiling sap.

The Apollo Musical club of Menominee and Marinette is planning to render a concert, the entire proceeds of which will be used for the benefit of the Titanic sufferers.

Kalamazoo is to follow the lead of other cities and establish a free dental clinic in connection with the public school system. The board has ordered \$500 worth of dental equipment.

Danger besides unsightliness of big signboards was demonstrated in Grand Rapids when the high winds tore a portion off the upper part of a double-decker, inflicting injury to Adrian Vander Male.

Incomplete data indicate that the coal in the bunkers of the old battleship Maine lost about 10 per cent in evaporative efficiency as the result of its immersion in Havana harbor for nearly 14 years.

Two coaches on a southbound passenger train on the Ann Arbor left the track at Ann Arbor, but no one was injured. Spreading rails caused the accident and the two cars tore up the roadbed for some distance.

Joseph Williams, an Indian of Iron Mountain, who was shot last winter by Deputy Game Warden Leisner, of Escanaba, has brought action for damages. The warden is declared to have shot Williams in self-defense.

Contracts for the erection of the Michigan Central station in Detroit by the Geo. A. Fuller Co., of Chicago, were signed last week. The work is to be completed by January, 1914. The station will cost \$2,500,000.

The Clover Blossom farm, one of the finest in the Thumb district, the property of James H. Hall, the bankrupt Kinde banker, will be sold. Mrs. Hall's home near Grindstone was destroyed by fire a few days ago.

The passenger station in the northern outskirts of Alpena, now known as Alpena Junction, on the Detroit & Mackinac road, burned early Monday morning. A lamp exploded. Loss, \$1,000, besides valuable records.

Donald M. Scott, aged 37, city engineer of Laurium, ended his life by lying across a gas range and inhaling the gas. Ill-health and desertion of him by his family is ascribed in a farewell letter as the cause of his act.

The bankers of the Grand Traverse district met in Traverse City and formed an association for their mutual benefit and the development of the country in which they are located. The Robinsons of Traverse City, was elected president.

Showing the great demand for lifeboats since the Titanic disaster details were revealed, the Racine Boat Co. of Muskegon closed order for several scores of such craft with eastern firms and was asked to bid on several other contracts.

The contract for the extension of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railroad between Crystal Falls and Iron River will be let May 1. The extension will be 20 miles in length, and will open up valuable agricultural, mineral and lumber territory.

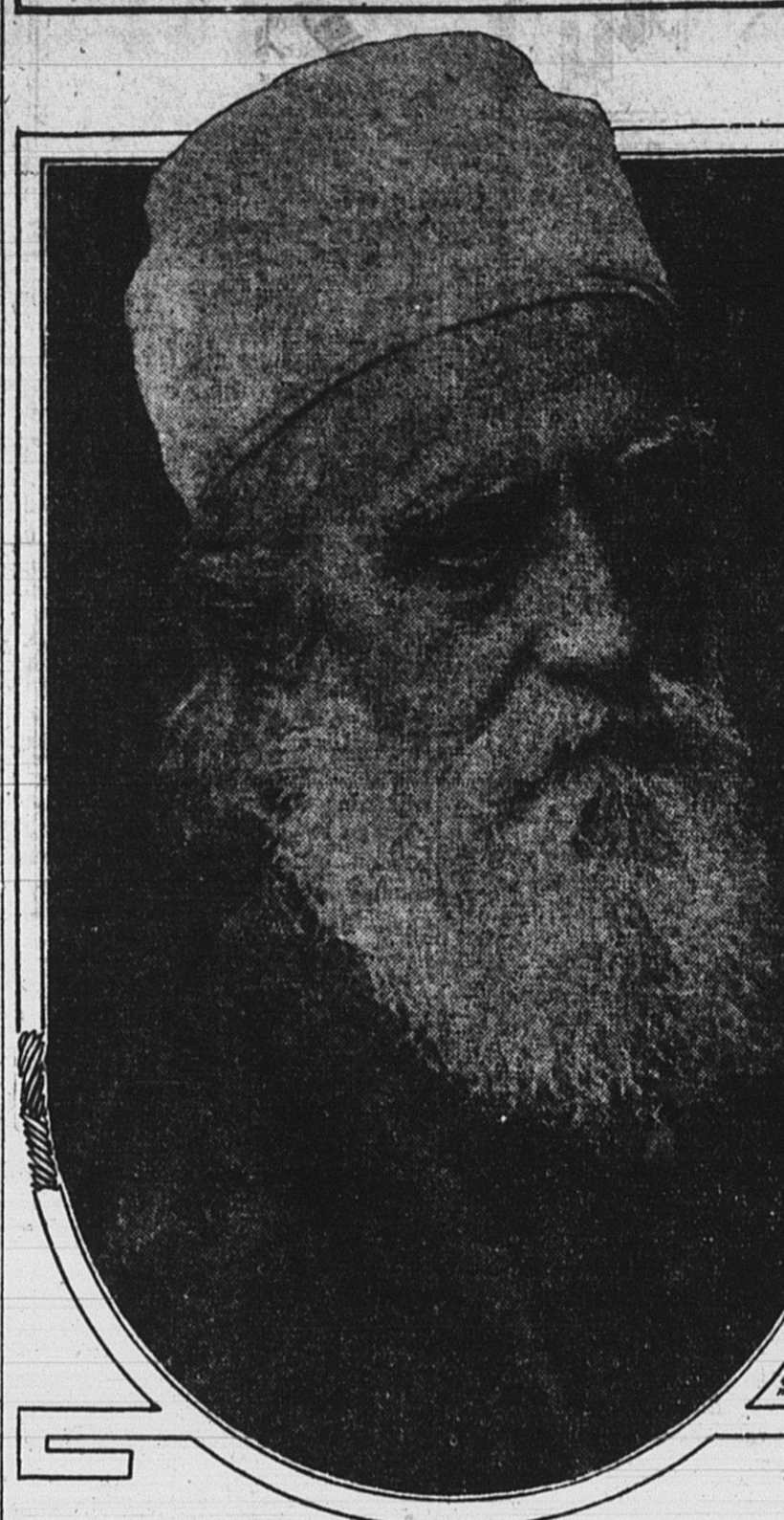
According to freight agents, between \$80,000 and \$100,000 worth of liquor is stored in the freight sheds in Lansing, awaiting the opening of the 31 saloons May 1. According to the law the liquor must remain in the sheds until the local option rule goes into effect.

The debating team of the Albion college was defeated in a debate with Butler college at Indianapolis.

Fire which started in the battery room in the offices of the Citizens' Telephone Co., in Traverse City, destroyed five switchboards before it was placed under control. The fire probably resulted from a short circuit or some other electrical trouble as the operators had trouble with the lines. The company had just finished installing an improved system at an expense of \$25,000, temporary connections were immediately made and service resumed on the phones that were put out of commission.

John Paul, justice of the peace of East Grand Rapids, is plaintiff in a \$10,000 damage case against several Republican candidates in the recent village election. It is alleged by Paul that the defendants were responsible for the circulation of a paper which contained libelous statements about himself and the conduct of his office.

## BAHAI LEADER VISITS AMERICA



Abdul Baha Abbas, head of the sect of the Bahais, has come to the United States for a visit and to deliver several addresses. He has been lionized in France and England, and has several hundred thousand followers in this country, a large majority of whom are women. Abdul has been leader of the movement since the death of Baba Ullah in 1892 and is deeply loved and revered by the Bahais.

## GENERAL NEWS IN BRIEF

Sulphur emitted by the geyser craters of Japan in an almost pure state is refined sulphur in the meaning of the tariff law.

Warden Simpson of Jackson prison has a plan to abolish the old wing cell block, long an eyesore and replace it with a modern concrete block.

A department of journalism will be opened in the University of Notre Dame, Notre Dame, Ind., at the beginning of the school year next September.

Four granite drinking fountains, the gift of the National Humane Alliance of New York, were dedicated in New York by the Anti-Cruelty society of Chicago.

Hiram H. Waldo, said by publishers to be the world's oldest bookseller, is dead in Rockford, Ill., aged 85. He conducted a book store in Rockford for 37 years.

The house will not act on the constitutional amendment for direct election of senators until the postoffice appropriation bill now before it has been disposed of.

The annual cost to New York state for the maintenance for foreign-born insane patients is \$3,500,000, according to statistics gathered by the state hospital commission.

Owing to an immense mass of ice between the mainland and Goat Island, about a mile above the cataract at Niagara Falls, the American channel was dry for the second time on record.

State Senator L. R. Andrews, of Ironton, convicted of accepting a bribe for his senatorial vote, has been sentenced in Columbus, O., to nine months in the penitentiary by Judge Dillon in the criminal court.

To replace the \$20,000 tabernacle of the Latter Day Saints recently destroyed by fire in Magrath, Alta., members of the organization will give toward the fund all the eggs laid by their hens on Sunday.

The board of education has decided to discontinue the singing of Christian hymns in the public schools in Yonkers, N. Y. A parent named Levy recently made a protest to the school board against the hymns.

To offset the edict issued in Sweden last year barring all Mormons from that country, the Mormon board of school directors at Gateway, Col., has issued an order to exclude all Swedish children from the Gateway schools.

The committee on privileges and elections has reported favorably the resolution of Senator Culberson providing for an investigation as to the amount of money and by whom contributed during the campaign of 1904 and 1908.

Charlevoix county residents, at a public meeting in Boyne City, petitioned the supervisors to hold a special election in June to allow a vote in bonding the county for \$50,000 for road work. This amount, with state aid, would build 15 miles of stone roads.

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Telegraphers to Get Wage Raise. An average of 5 per cent increase in the wages of all telegraphers employed by the Michigan Central railroad has just been agreed upon at a conference between the officials of the road and the key men. The increase is considerably greater than 5 per cent in some instances while in other cases it is less. The company and the men have taken up each case of the men separately and the scale has been adjusted in numerous instances to conform to the peculiar or particular conditions surrounding individual cases.

## 170,000 MINERS RETURN TO WORK

MINERS AND OPERATORS SETTLE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN UNION AND EMPLOYERS.

The labor war between the hard coal miners of America and the mine owners is ended, and 170,000 men will return to work within a few days.

The men have won 10 per cent increase in wages.

The terms and conditions will not be made public until after the meeting of the general committee May 3.

The report, however, that the sub-committee had reached an agreement including a 10 per cent increase in wages, was received, and with satisfaction, in all parts of the anthracite region.

The full committee is 10 operators and 10 miners. If this committee approves it the proposed agreement will have to be ratified by the miners before it can be put into effect.

According to the reported agreement the miners are conceded a 10 per cent increase in wages. They asked for 20 per cent.

The board of conciliation created by the anthracite coal strike commission after the strike of 1902 with some modifications, is continued.

The miners asked for a "more convenient and uniform system of adjusting local grievances."

The aliding scale by which the men were given an increase of 1 per cent when the price of coal was advanced five cents a ton above the \$4.50 basis at tidewater, is abolished.

A four-year agreement is reached. The miners asked for a one-year arrangement.

Nothing has yet been made public regarding the demand for a reduction of hours, recognition of the union or the minor demands.

The sub-committee has met almost daily since April 1. It is expected if the agreement is ratified by the miners the 170,000 men who have been idle since April 1 will have returned to work by May 10.

It is likely the executive committee of the anthracite districts, headed by National President John White, may order the workers back at an earlier date and trust to the convention to endorse their course.

## Find Bodies of Three Noted Victims.

The bodies of Col. John Jacob Astor and Isidor Straus, the millionaire merchant of New York, who lost their lives in the Titanic disaster, have been recovered and are on board the cable ship Mackay-Bennett.

The skeleton of a man thought to have been murdered 15 years ago was found in a swamp in Arenac county by Fred Ish, a farmer. An effort is being made to identify the remains.

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## SHIP BRINGS 190 OF TITANIC DEAD

THE MACKAY-BENNETT DID NOT PICK UP ALL THE BODIES IT SAW.

BODIES WERE LAID IN PILES ON DEATH SHIP.

Astor's Corpse Was Found Upright Frozen in Life Belt, With \$2,500 in His Pockets—Straus Body Found.

One hundred and ninety bodies and among them those of Col. John Jacob Astor and Isidor Straus, were brought to Halifax, on the cable ship Mackay-Bennett, which had been searching an area of more than 30 square miles in the vicinity where the great White Star line Titanic sank after striking an iceberg.

Church bells tolled and flags fluttered at half-mast as the funeral ship docked.

Geo. B. Widener's body, although previously reported as recovered, was not among those on the ship, and her commander explained that a body at first thought to have been that of Mr. Widener was buried as that of his valet. All told, 206 dead were found and 116 were consigned again to the sea. Not one name of prominent persons missing was added to the list of recovered dead by the Mackay-Bennett's arrival. Sailors worked four hours unloading her and the dead were taken to an improvised morgue in a curling rink, where relatives will have opportunity to claim them.

The total number of bodies found was 306. Of these 116, most of them members of the Titanic's crew and unidentified, were consigned to the sea, and the remaining 190 brought to Halifax. Only 10 bodies of women were found afloat.

Relics of the great Titanic dotted the sea over an area of 30 miles square, the captain said. Doors, windows, and chairs by the score were found floating, but to none of them were bodies lashed. In several instances there were bodies numbering 50 or more, but none were lashed together.

## Gen Grant Laid to Rest.

The funeral of Major-General Frederick Dent Grant took place in New York. From the Battery to the West Forty-second street ferry the streets through which the funeral procession passed were lined with people who paused, hat in hand, while the caisson on which the casket rested, followed by the general's horse, "Pet," caparisoned in black, went by. The interment was in Cadets' cemetery, West Point, in a spot which the general himself had chosen, from where one could see the military academy and the whole sweep of the Hudson. President Taft, Senator Root, Major-General Leonard Wood, chief of staff of the army, Vice-President Sherman and Mrs. Sherman, Henry W. Taft, Mayor Gaynor, and other men in public life attended the services.

## Believe Railroad Strike Is Averted.

Belief that the threatened strike of 28,000 locomotive engineers employed by railroads east of the Mississippi and north of the Potomac and Ohio rivers has been averted through the efforts of Judge Martin A. Knapp, of the court of commerce and Charles P. Neill, United States commissioner of labor, was expressed by participants in the conference in New York last week with the government representatives. The question of arbitration has now been agreed to by both sides, it is said, but with some modification from the original proposal made to the mediators by the railway managers.

## Dr. Pearson, Philanthropist, Is Dead.

Dr. Daniel Kimball Pearson, 92 years old, who in recent years gave more than \$5,000,000 to small colleges, chiefly in the middle west, died in a sanitarium at Hinsdale, a suburb of Chicago, comparatively a poor man. Pneumonia, with complications, due to old age, was the cause. For several days he had been sinking. A patient in an institution where he maintained himself on an income of \$5,000 a year paid him by a college to which he had contributed \$250,000, on the condition that he would be given 2 per cent of that amount for the remainder of his life.

## Titanic Bodies Seen on Iceberg.

Officers of the North German Lloyd liner Princess Irene told of a wireless message which they intercepted in which a ship—the name not learned—reported that in passing 50 miles from the scene of the Titanic disaster, she had sighted an iceberg on which were the bodies of more than a dozen men. All wore life belts and the bodies were huddled in groups at the base of the berg. It was the opinion of officers of the ship that the men had climbed on the mass of ice and had frozen to death as they were swept southward. No attempt was made to take off the bodies.

Elder A. G. Daniels, of the Seventh Day Adventists, of Battle Creek, says the denomination sold \$2,000,000 worth of literature last year.

After being in session for 67 days, seven days beyond the time for which the members are allowed pay by the state, the Rhode Island general assembly was prorogued shortly before daybreak Saturday.

Exports from the United States to the Orient for the fiscal year ending March 31, 1912, were valued at \$1,200,000,000, the closing year of the Russo-Japanese war. The monthly statement of the commerce of labor 33, parliament's bureau of statistics indicates that the value of American products sent into the Orient will be about \$120,000,000.

## REBELLION IN MEXICO

Insurgent Orozco Issues Proclamation—Conditions Approach Anarchy.

Paving the way for a formal demand for the recognition by the American government of the belligerency of the Mexican revolutionists, Manuel Luján, Orozco, and the little junta representing one of the state departments, submitting to the state department a signed copy of a proclamation issued by their leader addressed "on behalf of the revolutionary party to all of the people of the republic of Mexico and its foreign colonies."

In this pronouncement Orozco declares the objects of his party to be a complete recognition of the principles of the Mexican constitution and establishment of law and order which the Madero government has failed to achieve. Stress is laid on the charge that at present the lives and property of Mexicans as well as foreigners are in jeopardy; that, through acts of violence Mexico has lost moral and financial prestige and "provoked the determination on the part of the United States and other foreign countries to forcibly intervene in behalf of their citizens residing in our midst for the purpose of protecting their lives and property."

## THE MARKETS.

DETROIT—Cattle—Receipts, 1,283; best steers and heifers, \$7.50@7.90; steers and heifers, \$6.00@7.00; choice fat cows, \$5.00@6.25; common cows, \$4.00@5.25; choice fat bulls, \$5.00@6.25; common fat bulls, \$4.00@5.25; stock bulls, \$3.50@4.50; milks, large, young, medium age, \$4.00@5.00; common milks, \$3.00@4.00; Veal calves—Best, \$7.00@7.75; common, \$5.00@6.50.

Best lambs, \$7.75; fair to good lambs, \$6.50@7.50; light to medium lambs, \$4.50@5.50; wool lambs, \$3.50@4.50; good sheep, \$4.50@5.00; culls and common, \$2.50@4.00; spring lambs, \$1.00@1.50.

Hogs—Good butchers, \$7.80@7.85; pigs, \$6.75@7.00; light Yorkers, \$7.00@7.75; stags, 1-3 off.

EAST BUFFALO, N. Y.—Receipts, 2 cars; market steady; best, \$14.00; 1,000 lb. steers, \$8.50@8.75; good prime 1,200 lb. steers, \$7.50@8.25; good prime 1,200 lb. steers, \$7.25@7.75; best 1,100 to 1,200 lb. shipping steers, \$7.00@7.25; medium butcher steers, \$6.00@6.50; light butcher steers, \$5.50@6.00; best fat cows, \$5.50@6.50; fair to good do, \$4.75@5.25; common to medium do, \$4.25@4.75; fair to good do, \$3.75@4.25; best fat heifers, \$6.25@6.75; good fat heifers, \$5.50@6.00; fair to good do, \$4.50@5.25; common fat heifers, \$4.00@4.50; best feeding steers, \$4.00@4.25; common feeding steers, \$3.50@4.00; export bulls, \$5.50@6.00; butchers bulls, \$4.50@5.25; boloma bulls, \$4.00@4.50; stock bulls, \$3.50@4.00; best milks and springs, \$4.00@5.00; good milks and springs, \$3.50@4.00; sheep—Steady; heavy, \$8.50@8.80; Yorkers, \$8.25@8.50; spring lambs, \$2.50@3.00; weathers, \$6.50@6.75; ewes, \$6.00@6.25; Calves—\$5.00@5.50.

GRAIN, ETC. Wheat—Cash No. 2 red, \$1.14-1.2; May, opened without change at \$1.14-1.2; July, opened at \$1.14-1.2; advanced to \$1.14-1.2 and declined to \$1.14-1.2; September opened at \$1.13-1.4; advanced to \$1.13-1.4, declined to \$1.13-1.4 and closed at \$1.13-1.4; No. 1 white, 5 cars at \$1.12-1.4; No. 2 white, 5 cars at \$1.12-1.4; No. 3 yellow, 2 cars at \$1.12-1.4; No. 4 yellow, 1 car at \$1.12-1.4; Oats—Standard, 3 cars at \$1.12-1.4; No. 3 white, 5 cars at \$1.12-1.4; Rye—Cash No. 2, 95-1-2c bid; Beans—Immediate and prompt shipment, \$2.47; May, \$2.52 bid; October, \$2.25.

Cloves—Prime spot, 40 bags at \$12.00; 10 bags, 10 bags at \$11.50; 15 bags, 15 bags at \$11.00; 20 bags, 20 bags at \$10.50; 25 bags, 25 bags at \$10.00; 30 bags, 30 bags at \$9.50; 35 bags, 35 bags at \$9.00; 40 bags, 40 bags at \$8.50; 45 bags, 45 bags at \$8.00; 50 bags, 50 bags at \$7.50; 55 bags, 55 bags at \$7.00; 60 bags, 60 bags at \$6.50; 65 bags, 65 bags at \$6.00; 70 bags, 70 bags at \$5.50; 75 bags, 75 bags at \$5.00; 80 bags, 80 bags at \$4.50; 85 bags, 85 bags at \$4.00; 90 bags, 90 bags at \$3.50; 95 bags, 95 bags at \$3.00; 100 bags, 100 bags at \$2.50.

Flour—In one-eighth paper sacks, per 100 pounds, jobbing lots: Best patent, \$5; extra, \$4.75; No. 1, \$4.50; straight, \$4.40; spring patent, \$4.00; No. 1, \$3.75; No. 2, \$3.50; No. 3, \$3.25; No. 4, \$3.00; No. 5, \$2.75; No. 6, \$2.50; No. 7, \$2.25; No. 8, \$2.00; No. 9, \$1.75; No. 10, \$1.50; No. 11, \$1.25; No. 12, \$1.00; No. 13, \$0.75; No. 14, \$0.50; No. 15, \$0.25.

Feed—In jobbing lots in 100-lb sacks: Bran, \$3.00; coarse middlings, \$2.50; fine middlings, \$2.25; shorts, \$2.00; oat chop, \$1.75; cracked corn and coarse cornmeal, \$1.50 per ton.

GENERAL MARKETS. Strawberries are higher and rather scarce. Apples are firm and oranges easy. Potatoes are steady and in moderate demand. Receipts are not large. Poultry is in light supply and firm, and there is an easier tone in dressed calves and butter steady. Demand for farm stuff is active and the general tone steady.

Butter—Extra creamery, 21c; first creamery, 20c; dairy, 25c; packing, 21c per lb. Eggs—Current receipts, cases included, 19c per dozen.

Apples—Baldwin, \$3.50@4.00; steel red, \$3.00@3.50; Ben Davis, \$2.75@3.25 per bu. Strawberries—24-pint cases, \$2.50@3.00.

Pineapples—Florida, \$4.50@5.00 per case. Cranberries—Howes, \$8.50@9.00 per bu. Potatoes—Car lots, bulk, \$1.15@1.20; sacks, \$1.25 per bu. Onions—\$2.40 per bu. New cabbage—\$4.75@5.00 per case. Dressed calves—Ordinary, \$8.00; fancy, \$9.00 per lb. Honey—Choice fancy comb, 15@16c per lb; amber, 12@13c.

Fancy poultry—Spring chickens, 15@16c; hens, 13@14c; ducks, 11@12c; young ducks, 15@16c; geese, 11@12c; turkeys, 16@17c per lb.

Vegetables—Beets, 80c per bu; carrots, 80c per bu

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to marry Sophie, whom she could rule. Forced to yield to Francis Joseph's infatuation, she resolved that the blonde Cinderella should no longer rule over the light and thoughtless heart of the emperor.

The first deceptions were wrapped in mystery. His mother feared to risk the tears of Elizabeth.

At that moment they spoke of a beautiful Italian countess. How had she entered the closed circle of Vienna? Just before the birth of Elizabeth's first child, when the mother-in-law again directed ceremonies, the Italian woman was invited to a great court ball, and Francis Joseph paid her such attentions that she was at once dubbed favorite.

Within twenty-four hours a charitable society informed the tender Elizabeth of her misfortune. She was so stricken that she fell gravely ill, but remained faithful to her self and silent dignity.

Time passed.

The birth of a little son, Rudolph, was a great joy to Elizabeth; yet before he was six months she learned that his bringing up was to be taken out of her hands.

"But he is my son," she cried.

"He is the heir of the Hapsburgs," replied the Archduchess Sophie.

"But the emperor has authorized me—"

"I withdraw the authorization," said the terrible mother-in-law. Tears, protests were without result; the baby boy was given a wet nurse and governess, replaced later by a tutor, the Count Bombelles, who, many years later took part in the orgie of Meyerling which terminated Rudolph's life, which shows the character of the tutor.


And Elizabeth was only at the beginning of her troubles.

At this moment there appeared at the palace theater—directed and financed by the emperor—a Mme. Roll, actress of small talent but radiant beauty. During a whole season the court asked one question: "Who is Mme. Roll's protector?" It could not be the emperor. He was never seen with her. At vacation, when it was learned that the Roll would take a villa at Ischl, summer residence of the imperial family, everyone said, "Now we shall know who is the protector!" The bijou town was too small to keep a secret. And within a week it was known to the general stipulation. The phantom lover of Mme. Roll appeared unmistakably. It was the emperor!

It was too much. Never before had he haunted a favorite so publicly. Elizabeth told him that he must choose between Mme. Roll and herself; and the emperor pretended to send away the actress. But the wife was not deceived. She waited. She had taken her resolve.

The occasion was a hunting scandal. Francis Joseph, with certain gentlemen, had gone to Murzschlag, and when he did not return with them a strangely piquant story was spread by one, Count K—— to his young wife on oath of secrecy. The emperor had been struck by the beauty of a peasant girl of twenty years, whose conquest had details worth of a rider age. Now the emperor was staying "to console the child."

The Countess K—— hurried to the test the empress. In a circle of spiteful young women all the details of the adventure were whispered with such tact that Elizabeth heard every word. When the last guest had left



her hand she called her old nurse, brought from Possenhofen.

"Pack my valises," said Elizabeth, "and leave tonight."

"For long?"

"For always."

The two women slipped from the Hofburg and took the first train at the southern station. Only the next morning did her mother-in-law learn of Elizabeth's flight. An hour later chief of police had discovered that the empress was en route for Trieste and the imperial yacht. A telegram was sent to retard its departure on some pretext, while high functionaries followed on a special train.

What they were empowered to promise was not known, but Elizabeth returned.

The scene was terrible, between husband, wife, and mother-in-law. Francis Joseph, in a rage, dragged himself on his knees before Elizabeth and even reproached his mother for her cruelty.

But nothing could change Elizabeth's determination. She would only consent to a scandal. That night Professor Skoda of the Vienna faculty, after much repugnance and long discussion, signed a bulletin declaring that the health of the empress demanded a milder climate than Vienna. The next day accompanied by high dignitaries, she left for Antwerp, where a magnificent yacht was hired to take her to Madeira.

She fled of Madeira. The imperial yacht was put at her disposition. She visited the Azores, the Mediterranean, the Adriatic. Francis Joseph came on her unexpectedly at Venice and persuaded her to return temporarily to Vienna, for the sake of appearances.

To distract her mind she spent months on a chateau at Linz, where her great misfortune became to break in young horses. This was the period of her friendship with the famous circus woman, Eliza Renz, whom Elizabeth declared to be a better lady than any of the Viennese court. Finding Linz too near Vienna she spent other great sums on the chateau of Eszterházy, in Hungary, where her taming of man-killing stallions of Count Festetics became almost a historical event.

It was whispered that Elizabeth was going to get killed without the sin of suicide. There were reconciliations. To return to her husband was represented to her as her duty. Each time, however, the interest of Francis Joseph in the theater seemed so great that she started off again.

She returned for Rudolph's marriage, but she wept bitterly. She rejoiced a while at Rudolph's baby child. On the morning of the tragedy of Mayerling it was to her Count Bombelles brought the awful tidings. Rudolph had committed suicide with Mary Vetschera, and it was Elizabeth who broke the news to the emperor.

Her hobby now became her palace at the Villa Achilleion, which will remain in history as the greatest folly of luxury and art of a prodigal sovereign. It cost \$16,000,000.

William II. of Germany now has it.

Only a terrible craving for sleep could induce Elizabeth to leave Corfu. Now commenced a round of climates and specialists. At Naumburg the population so followed her that she decided for Switzerland. Francis Joseph, who had joined her for a week, observed:

"I have had reports on Switzerland from all sides. Full of anarchists."

"I am only a poor woman," Francis Joseph replied. "They will not hurt me."

Yet Luchini stabbed her as she boarded the lake steamer at Geneva—like a tourist, with a single companion. Nor expected that she was more than a jostled

boat steamed slowly out. The Hungarian orchestra struck up a lively waltz.

Elizabeth fainted. The Countess Szarcut her corset strings and found a tiny triangular wound below the left breast.

"Quick, a doctor. The empress is wounded."

There was no doctor, and the boat put back to Geneva. Opening her eyes Elizabeth asked: "What is the matter?"

"Do you suffer?" faltered the countess.

Elizabeth smiled "no" and feebly waved her hand in time to the jaunty music of the waltz. There was a melancholy smile on her face as she slowly shut her eyes.

Elizabeth had died in beauty.

An aged emperor dines alone on gold plate from the famous service whose central decorative piece is worth \$15,000. There is but one guest—a general aide-de-camp or high official of the court. The proudest monarch of Europe is alone with one guest. Etiquette demands.

Five gorgeous flunkies in pale blue, pink and gold, serve the two men. There have been no flowers on the table since the tragic death of the Empress Elizabeth; but the light of wax candles glint the golden service and rare wines in cut glass. They flit from the tapestries to carved wood furniture and panels such as no museum possesses to make dancing shadows in the distant corner.

Silence.

The aged emperor is dreaming of the gorgeous gala dinners of the past. He sees the ideal throngs of other days. Again he hears the three taps of the grand chamberlain came to announce the entrance of the imperial and royal majesties. How lonely is the immense palace, full of hiding courtiers, footmen, servants. It is still early, not yet seven.

Francis-Joseph rises. His guest takes a monomous leave and the sovereign goes to study.

His real life begins.

A confidential valet helps him into his overcoat. By a bijou elevator, whose door opens a bookcase, he descends to the ground floor.

He walks twenty steps across the little courtyard to the door, where an auto-limousine awaits him. There is no special ceremony to avoid ceremony merely. He gives no directions; the chauffeur knows where to go.

Quitting the frigid, solemn Hofburg, out the bright-lit bustling early evening of Vienna crowds hastening to theater and mall, into fair streets of residence, the emperor stops at a comfortable villa. The old sovereign enters the gate alone. The front door opens as he mounts the three marble steps. The door shuts he is no longer the dread emperor and apostolic king, but Herr Schratz, regularly called the "colonel," carefree and easy, negligent and slouchy, bright, witty, snug among old friends.

Years ago, when the Burg theater wing of the Hofburg, the great actress Kirska Schratz—the Sarah Bernhardt and Reine Vienna—was presented to Francis-Joseph, Empress Elizabeth herself. For long, she has lived retired; and the mourning emperor found her so intelligent, so fine and also that old loves and sorrows having burnt an affectionate friendship grew up to give a kind of peaceful solace.

Leaving crown and scepter on the hat he enters the bright little cardroom that joins two bijou little parlors and takes the best easy chair, while Madame Katharina tents with the foot-warmer.

Herr Schratz sprawls in unspeakable comfort. The bell rings, and the partners of interable games of tarok—a sort of Austrian bridge—arrive. They are two ancient friends of great actress, become friends of Herr Schratz always the same: Herr Palmer, director of Bank des Pays Autrichiens, and an influential private banker so extremely illustrious that his name is as well known as Franz's, and—a thing that never ceases to amuse the court—an Israelite by race, birth and religion in the strict sense!

The Jewish banker and Monsieur Schratz not the head of the Holy Roman empire fast old cronies to the sorrow and scandal of the Countess Chotek, morganatic but divorced wife of Archduke Francis-Ferdinand, but the dual crown.

Often the emperor loses all the money purse—a dozen florins—at the nightly game of tarok. He plays badly. None wants his partner; so they cut to see who takes him laughs boisterously. Meanwhile tea is prepared in the adjoining dining room.

At ten o'clock the auto-limousine is announced, and Madame Katharina helps the emperor into hat and overcoat.

The auto rolls through the streets of Vienna, still bright and boisterous, cold, solemn Hofburg. It stops at the door of the small courtyard. The old masters, and a silent valet meets him. The bijou elevator they ride, to the study he left three hours ago. The confidential valet takes his hat and coat.

The emperor has returned.

**Getting Americanized.**  
It does not take long for America's future citizens to adopt American styles. He had just landed at the Battery, and was toiling up Broadway with a big canvas-covered trunk up on his back. A bright orange tie set off his crisp black clothes, and a long, heavy ulster flapped at his heels. But, crowning glory of all—perched on his head, and toyed with by the biting winds that swept in from the sea, was a brand-new American straw hat—a fitting crown for a citizen in a country where every man is a king.

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**Was Sure He Knew It.**  
The philosophy class in a country school was studying about the backbone.

Teacher—What are the pieces of cartilage for between the vertebrae?  
A little boy raised his hand.  
"Well, Eddie, you may tell us," the teacher said.

"To take the jars off the jumps," answered the triumphant Eddie.—Norman E. Mack's Monthly.

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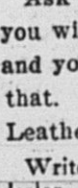


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## PERSONAL MENTION.

W. S. McLaren was in Saline Tuesday.

Francis Lusty spent Monday in Ann Arbor.

Julius Strieter spent Sunday in Detroit.

Chas. Paul spent Monday in Ann Arbor.

May Kelley was a Jackson visitor Sunday.

Mrs. B. McClain spent Saturday in Ann Arbor.

H. H. and Frank Fenn spent Sunday in Detroit.

Harvey Spiegelburg was a Detroit visitor Tuesday.

Miss Mary Haab was in Detroit on business Monday.

Mrs. B. Steinbach was in Jackson Monday and Tuesday.

John Hindelang, of Detroit, was the guest of his parents last Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Brenner, of Ann Arbor, visited Chelsea relatives Sunday.

Vincent Burg, of Detroit, was the guest of his parents here Sunday.

Harry O'Brien, of Detroit, was the guest of Chelsea friends Sunday.

Miss Dora Reeves is spending this week at her home in Stockbridge.

Earl McCallum and Luther Holt spent Sunday in Ann Arbor.

William Kolb and August Lambert were Detroit visitors Sunday.

Miss Kathryn Hooker spent Monday in Detroit on business.

Miss Anna Mast spent Saturday with her sister in Jackson.

Ed. Weber and J. E. McKune were in Ann Arbor Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Lighthall were Manchester visitors Sunday.

Eleanor Dancer spent Saturday and Sunday with Ann Arbor friends.

Richard Kannooski, of Detroit, was the guest of his parents here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lowry were Detroit visitors Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Tiplady, of Webster, were Chelsea visitors Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leander Tichenor returned to their home in Lansing Monday.

A. R. Welch and family, of Pontiac, visited relatives here the first of the week.

V. D. Hindelang and family, of Albion, spent Tuesday with relatives here.

Ralph Holmes, of Battle Creek, was the guest of his parents here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Monks, of Belleville, spent Wednesday with Chelsea friends.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Lowry spent Sunday and Monday with friends in Detroit.

Mrs. Harry Keusch, of Jackson, is spending a few days with Chelsea relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Witherell and son spent Sunday with Manchester relatives.

Mrs. J. H. Osborne, of Omaha, Neb., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Noyes.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Bennett, of Ann Arbor, were guests at the home of G. A. Young Sunday.

Mrs. L. C. Watkins, of Grass Lake, was the guest of Mrs. J. L. Gilbert several days of this week.

Supt. Hendry was in Ann Arbor Tuesday looking for a mathematics teacher for the high school.

Myron Fitchett, a conservatory student of Albion, visited at the home of Supt. Hendry over Sunday.

Mrs. C. Hoffman, of Douglas, Wyoming, is spending today at the home of Dr. and Mrs. B. Defendorf.

Arthur Veillette, of Big Rapids, spent the first of the week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. Lusty.

Miss Helene Steinbach attended the initiation and banquet of the Mu Phi Epsilon sorority in Ann Arbor last Friday.

Miss Helene Steinbach attended the Mu Phi Epsilon party at the "Country Club" near Ann Arbor last Monday evening.

Little Alice Cambell, who has been spending several weeks with her grandparents, Dr. and Mrs. B. Defendorf, will return with Mrs. Hoffman to her home in Douglas, Wyoming, this evening.

## CORRESPONDENCE.

## FRANCISCO NOTES.

Pearl Ortbring has the measles. H. Harvey and family spent Monday in Chelsea.

Mrs. J. Richards and daughters spent Sunday in Chelsea.

H. J. Musbach and wife spent Sunday with the latter's parents.

The village and Palmer schools closed Friday for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Holden, of Chelsea, spent Sunday at the home of H. Harvey.

Several from here attended the funeral of E. Harr in Munith Wednesday.

E. J. Musbach, of Munith, was a caller at the home of H. J. Lehmann Monday.

Mrs. Manfred Hoppe entertained the German M. E. Ladies' Aid Society Wednesday afternoon.

The Cavanaugh Lake Grange will meet May 7 with Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Lehmann in the evening.

Mrs. James Palmer, who has been at the Ann Arbor hospital for some time, will soon be able to return home.

P. Schweinfurth and wife entertained Mr. and Mrs. Carl Mast of Chelsea, and Elmer Schweinfurth, of Jackson, Sunday.

Friends from Ann Arbor, Dexter, Jackson, Hudson, Springport, Grass Lake, and Munith attended the funeral of M. Seeger Monday.

## SHARON NEWS.

Virgil Burch is seriously ill. Clara Romelhart and Eva Mae Heselwerdt have the measles.

Corra Dresselhouse spent Sunday with her cousin, Hazel Dresselhouse.

L. B. Lawrence made a business trip to Dundee the first of this week.

Miss Susie Dorr, of Grass Lake, was the guest of her parents here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Cooper, of Grass Lake, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H. P. O'Neil.

Misses Lucie and Florence Reno spent Sunday at the home of Chas. Finkbeiner in Lima.

J. W. Dresselhouse has a new Overland touring car and Wm. Heselwerdt has a new Ford automobile.

Al. Walz and family, of Ann Arbor, drove out to Geo. Klump's Sunday in their auto. Al. returned Monday but Mrs. Walz remained for a few days.

## SYLVAN HAPPENINGS.

The little son of Mr. and Mrs. P. Lingane has been on the sick list.

Mrs. P. Lingane and son attended the wedding of her brother at Detroit last week Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lowry and daughter attended the funeral of Mrs. Kaercher at Scio Wednesday.

The children of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sager are recovering from the measles as is also Rowena Waltrous.

Mr. and Mrs. Emanuel Bristle have the sympathy of their many friends and neighbors in the death of their infant son, which passed away Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Chapman and son were called to Fishville Tuesday afternoon by the death of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Fred Niles, who with her cousin, Mr. Doud, were killed by the fast train at Francisco. The deepest sympathy is expressed for the bereaved family.

## CAVANAUGH LAKE

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Phelps visited at the home of Willis Johnson over Sunday.

Frank Langdon went to Detroit Sunday with Mr. Lovejoy, making the trip in the latter's auto.

Miss Nellie Garnsey, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Frank Langdon, returned to her home in Detroit Tuesday.

Mrs. A. L. Lovejoy has been spending the past week with Mrs. Eugene Smith. She was joined by her husband Saturday evening, he returning Sunday. Mrs. Lovejoy returned to Detroit Tuesday accompanied by Miss Flossie Smith.

## Flagged Train With Shirt.

Tearing his shirt from his back an Ohio man flagged a train and saved it from a wreck, but H. T. Alston, Raleigh, N. C., once prevented a wreck with Electric Bitters. "I was in a terrible plight when I began to use them," he writes, "my stomach, head, back and kidneys were all badly affected and my liver was in bad condition, but four bottles of Electric Bitters made me feel like a new man." A trial will convince you of their matchless merit for any stomach, liver or kidney trouble. Price 50 cents at L. P. Vogel, H. H. Fenn Co., L. T. Freeman Co.

## Saturday Half Holiday.

Beginning with this week all the offices in the court house will close at noon each Saturday and will continue to do so during May, June, July, August and September. The law gives the county officials the right to close their offices at noon on all Saturdays during the year, but the privilege is only taken advantage of in this county during the warm months.

## The One Cent Sale.

Say did you get one of the J. Bacon Mercantile Company's sale bills for this week? 'Tis the store of "certain satisfaction" on the hill. Well I did and when I saw they were selling one pair of large nickel plated dress-makers shears for 25 cents or two pair for 26 cents they were just what I wanted and those spoons too, but how could I use two? and the machine oil, soaps and matches and the long list of other things that I use every day, those brooms with soft cloth coverings at half price too, I just could not wait, so I ran over to Mirandy's and we together went over the whole list and we marked down nearly every thing on the bill, they all seemed such bargains we did not have much money on hand so just went out and gathered up all the eggs we could find and drove to town and Mr. Bacon took them same as cash. Mr. Bacon had two extra clerks to wait on the people and we had just a lovely time trading. Mirandy bought two lovely pictures for 19 cents each and got some nice coffee for 25 cents a pound and a 5 cent bag of candy kisses for the kids. We had two basketsful each and when we got home we divided up the lots of two spoons, scissors, shoe blacking and found we had saved nearly half the price and had lots of fun too, you bet I shall watch out for Bacon's sales. I hope I can get down again Saturday for Jennie and Mary both want one of those brooms and Sarah wants a mop, some soap, and a new ironing board, and Jim wants me to get some paint for the stoop.

## WANT COLUMN

RENTS, REAL ESTATE, FOUND LOST WANTED ETC.

FOR RENT—House with garden, on North street. Inquire of Frank Leach. 40

FOR SALE—Some desirable building lots on west Middle street. Inquire of G. Hieber or John Schenk. 40

WANTED—A boy to deliver clothes. Inquire of Tommie Wilkinson. 39

FOR SALE—Second hand bicycles; in good condition. Inquire of John Faber. 39

FOR SALE—Estey organ. Inquire at Standard office.

FURNISHED ROOMS—Central location. Inquire of Mrs. J. G. Hoover.

EGGS FOR HATCHING—Rose comb R. I. Reds, (Sibley strain); \$1.00 per 15; \$4.50 per 100. N. W. Laird Phone 191-21. 36tf

EGGS FOR HATCHING—S. C. White Orpingtons \$2.00 per 15; S. C. White Leghorns \$1.50 per 15. N. C. Hall. 36tf

FOR SALE—The large barn belonging to me and known as the "Snider barn." Will be sold cheap. Must be moved off from present location. H. S. Holmes. 36tf

WANTED—Man or woman to work in greenhouse. Inquire of Chelsea Greenhouses. 36tf

NOTICE—Cockerels all sold, but will have about April 1st some choice full blood Barred Rock eggs for sale, \$1.00 per 15. Philip Broesamle Phone. 25tf

JERUSALEM MILLS—Feed ground every Tuesday and Saturday. Emanuel Wacker. Phone 144 2s. 31tf

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FOR SALE—House and lot, corner South and Grant streets. Inquire of Edward Fahrner. 35tf

EGGS FOR HATCHING—Thoroughbred White Wyandotte; good strains. \$1.00 per 15. Geo. Turck, Chelsea. 38

FOR SALE—Good work horse or will exchange for new milch cow. Inquire of Jacob Hummel. 38tf

A piece of corn land to let. Inquire of E. J. Whipple. 39

PASTURE—I have pasture for 15 head of young cattle. Inquire of Samuel Tucker. 39

GIRLS WANTED in the Ball Inspection Department of the Flanders Manufacturing Company. Only girls 16 years and over need apply. 40

FOR SALE—House with all modern improvements; good barn and garden, on east Middle street. Inquire of Mary H. Haab. 39

BOATS FOR SALE—Five of the famous Tichenor boats. This is the last of this make of boats that you will be able to get, as the factory has closed. Inquire at Standard office.

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Friday morning we shall place on sale about 50 Women's New Coats, of the best makes in this country, values \$17.50 and \$20.00 at \$15.00.

Another lot of new Coats in Navy Serges, Black Serges and Fancy Mixtures, at \$12.50.

Big lot of newest style Skirts in Navy, Gray, Black and White Serge, at \$5.00, \$5.98 and upward.

## Special Values in New Lingerie Waists

For Wednesday we have selected three special items in new Lingerie Waists, which will prove to be of unusual interest. They are neatly trimmed with Val and German laces, also Swiss embroideries, and come in high or low neck, long or short sleeves, \$1.50 values \$1.00, \$2.50 and \$3.00 value \$1.98, \$4.00 value \$2.98.

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"A good Silk never was and never can be out of style" Genuine "Rainproof Cheney Brothers" Foulard Satin faced, and so soft, fine, smooth that you would mistake them for Messalins, regular \$1.00 values everywhere, come in Navy, Cadets, Brown, Tan and Black with all small figures, 22 inches wide. Our price now 89c.

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## Muslin Underwear Specials in our New Basement

Women's Gowns, as beautifully trimmed as you ever bought at \$2.00 and \$2.50, now on sale at \$1.50.

Women's Gowns, \$1.50 values, embroidery and lace trimmed regular and also extra large size, now 98c.

Women's lace and embroidery trimmed Gowns "Slip-on" shape or button, long or short sleeves, now 50c. 59c. 75c.

## Women's Wide Embroidery Flounced Petticoats

As good as most stores offer at \$5.00, now \$3.00.

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Very special value at 50c. 75c. and \$1.00.

## You're Going to Wear "White" Shoes This Season

Every Woman, Miss and Child probably will have white footwear as soon as the weather "moderates." We believe we have enough for all who come.

Women's high boots of white "Nu-Buck" at \$3.50, \$4.00 and \$4.50.

Women's and Girl's white high boots of Sea Island soft canvas at \$2.50 to \$4.00.

Children's white canvas high Boots at \$1.50 to \$2.00.

Women's white "Nu-Buck" and Canvas Pumps in plain and Colonial styles, \$2.00 to \$4.00.

Children's white "Nu-Buck" and Canvas Pumps at \$1.00 to \$2.50.

We predict that when the rush comes for White Footwear that it will get very scarce, and late customers will have to take what they can get.

## Women's Pingree Shoes in Newest Styles at \$3.50, \$4.00 and \$4.50 All Leathers.

Women's Newest Style Colonel Pumps in Dull Leather, Kid or Tan, at \$3.00, \$3.50 and \$4.00.

Children's Pumps and Oxfords in Tan, Black or Dull Calf, at \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50.

Misses' Pumps, same as above, at \$1.75 to \$3.00.

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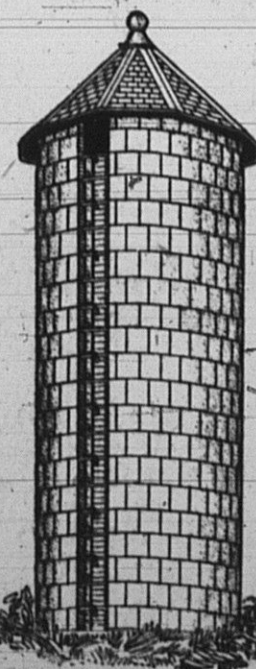
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### LOCAL ITEMS.

E. E. Wood is having his residence on South street repainted.

Carl Bagge has had his residence on south Mainstreet wired for electric lights.

The high wind Friday blew the wheel off the windmill on the farm of F. H. Sweetland.

Chas. Steinbach is having a new porch built around the front of his residence and the house painted.

A party of eight from Stockbridge and Pinckney took the train here for Detroit where they went for automobiles.

The Lima and Vicinity Farmers' Club will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Burdick Schank on Wednesday, May 8th.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Dennis have moved into the residence on McKinley street which they recently purchased of Mrs. V. Fletcher.

A regular meeting of Excelsior Degree, L. O. T. M. M., will be held on Tuesday, May 7, at 7:30 p. m. Election of officers will be held.

Dr. J. T. Woods has carpenters at work finishing the porch and cement workers putting down the inside walks at his house on west Summit street.

John F. Maier, electrician at the plant of the Michigan Cement Co., is nursing a badly burned hand as the result of a short circuit in a motor.

The "University Four" of Ann Arbor will give a musical, acrobatic and gymnastic entertainment at the Sylvan Theatre on Friday evening, May 10.

Charles Stapish began work as the caretaker of the Church of Our Lady of the Sacred Heart, St. Mary's school and Mt. Olivet cemetery on Monday of this week.

Mrs. R. B. Waltrous has received word from her sister, Mrs. L. W. Allyn, of Wenatchee, Washington, that her home with its contents were destroyed by fire recently.

Ernest Pierce, who has been employed in the office of the Flanders Mfg. Co. for the past year, has resigned his position and accepted one with the Fisher Body Co. of Detroit.

Last Saturday A. G. Faist, who has the Chelsea agency of the Overland automobile, made a delivery of two machines, Chas. Grieb, of Freedom, and John Dresselhouse, of Sharon, being the purchasers.

Carl Bagge had a rather unpleasant experience with his automobile Sunday evening. As he was turning the corner at the Old People's Home the rear axle broke at the wheel and gave the occupants a shaking up.

F. K. McEldowney met with an accident last Saturday afternoon. He was riding a motorcycle on the Flanders track when the machine stopped suddenly, and in the fall the fingers of his right hand were badly lacerated.

Scout Master S. P. Foster was out Wednesday afternoon with a number of the Boy Scouts. They took a hike to the Sears woods and were put through a number of tests which are required for membership in the organization.

The Ladies' Aid Society of St. Paul's church will give their supper in the town hall on Saturday, May 11. The supper was to have been served on Saturday of this week but was postponed on account of the children being restricted from attending public gatherings.

The Flanders baseball team and the Sparks-Worthington team, of Jackson, will play a game of ball at 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon. On Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock the Flanders and Ann Arbor city teams will play a game. Both games will be played at Ahemiller park.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Tichenor have sold their residence on Congdon street to Mrs. Newberry, of Durand. Mrs. Newberry is a sister of Dr. S. G. Bush and she will occupy the place as her home. Mr. and Mrs. Tichenor have shipped the remainder of their household goods to their Lansing home.

The Chelsea friends of John Lingane, who was visiting in Ireland, and was thought to have been a second cabin passenger on the ill-fated Titanic, having received no word from him during the past week are of the opinion that he was among the unfortunate ones who met their death at the time of the sinking of the steamship.

According to a report in the Jackson Patriot of Tuesday the police station in that city is not large enough to hold the tramps and drunks that are run in over Sunday. The police judge at the Monday morning session sentenced thirteen tramps to the Detroit house of correction for five days each. In addition to the tramps eleven drunks were run in and nine of them drew jail sentences.

Uncle Sam has sent out through the department of "Public Roads," circulars to all the township officials, asking them to fill in an enclosed blank and furnish information regarding the first cost of bridges and general expense of upkeep. He also requests the cost and valuation of the district roads, as well as the issued bonds for those purposes. The object is to have the government cognizant of the minutest detail affecting one of the leading public questions of the near future, that of better and more roads.

Matt. Alber is building an addition to his residence on west Middle street.

Mrs. Jacob F. Koch, of Lima, was taken to the hospital at Detroit Tuesday.

Wm. Long purchased a Brush runabout auto the last of the past week.

Mrs. A. Dora BeGole, of Detroit, has sold her house and lot on Main street to L. G. Palmer.

The Flanders baseball team have received their suits. They were furnished by J. G. Webster.

The Willing Workers will meet at the home of Mrs. Ed. Hammond on Tuesday afternoon, May 7th.

Thomas Leach, of Sylvan, has purchased of Watson Lane of Unadilla, a fine driving horse.

The Flanders Mfg. Co. are having installed a large blower system in the ball department of their Chelsea plant.

Gov. Osborn on Tuesday issued a proclamation calling attention to Mothers' day to be observed Sunday, May 12.

There will be services in St. John's church, of Francisco, at 2 o'clock next Sunday afternoon. Sunday school at 3 o'clock.

The Orient Circle will be entertained at the home of Mrs. N. F. Prudden Tuesday, May 7th. A scrub lunch will be served.

The three-year-old son of Martin Wenk was taken to the hospital at Ann Arbor suffering with an attack of appendicitis.

Rev. Fr. Considine was in Jackson Sunday afternoon where he attended the initiation of seventy-five candidates into the Knights of Columbus.

The production of "The Missouri Girl" at the Sylvan theatre advertised for Friday evening has been called off by Managers Geddes & McLaren.

H. S. Holmes has plotted the part of his land which lays in the village and was formerly owned by R. A. Snyder, and has had one hundred shade trees set out.

Albert Watson has exchanged his stock of merchandise at Unadilla for a farm near Grass Lake. Mr. and Mrs. Watson will continue to make their home at Unadilla.

According to the reports from the farmers in this part of Washtenaw county the wheat crop is badly damaged, and from the present outlook the crop will be almost a total failure.

Some of the owners of bicycles in this place are in the habit of riding on the sidewalks. There is an ordinance prohibiting the use of public sidewalks for this purpose and the rider is liable to a fine.

Emanuel Eisenman, who resides on the Walter H. Dancer farm in Lima, reports that on Monday he discovered dogs at work in his flock of sheep. He was able to drive them away before they did any damage to the flock.

C. Finkbeiner has purchased the Ben Huehl property on Madison street and is making arrangements to move to his new home. The Koebe residence, at present occupied by Mr. Finkbeiner, will be occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Russell Jewett as soon as it is vacated.

The Standard last week stated that Miss Josephine Bacon was ill with typhoid fever at Marine City. This was a mistake. Miss Bacon was ill, but she returned to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bacon the last of the past week and able to be out again.

Rev. Aloysius Parodi, S. J., an Italian priest from Detroit, will come to Chelsea Tuesday, May 7, and will celebrate mass and preach on Wednesday, May 8 at 8 a. m. for the Italians who belong to the Church of Our Lady of the Sacred Heart. All the Italian Catholics are cordially invited to attend.

Special efforts are being made this year to insure an accurate census of the children of school age in the state of Michigan. The new law requires those who take the census to make a house-to-house canvass in the fifteen or twenty days before June 1. It is upon this census that the primary apportionments is made.

Fred H. Belser began work this week on a new warehouse in the rear of his store. The building will be 22x41 two stories high. The ground floor is to be used for agricultural implements and the second floor for the storage of lightweight goods. The building is to be constructed of corrugated steel and an elevator will be installed.

The twenty-sixth annual meeting of the Women's Home Missionary Society of the Ann Arbor district of the Methodist Episcopal church will be held in the Chelsea M. E. church on Thursday and Friday, May 9 and 10. There will be two sessions each day, and the election of officers and treasurer's report will be Friday forenoon. A well arranged program has been prepared and the musical numbers will be rendered by Chelsea talent.

"East Lynne" one of the most popular books ever written, has been pictured by the Thanet House company and will be shown at the Princess on Saturday evening, in two reels. This is by far the greatest feature ever shown on Saturday evening at the Princess and the very fact that it is the well known "East Lynne" should pack the Princess, especially with ladies, among whom the book was very popular in years past.

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## SYNOPSIS.

Dan Blair, the 22-year-old son of the fifty-million-dollar copper king of Blairtown, Mont., is a guest at the English home of Lady Galorey. Dan's father had been courteous to Lord Galorey during his visit to the United States and the courtesy is now being returned to the young man. The youth has an ideal girl in his mind. He meets Lily, Duchess of Breakwater, a beautiful widow, who is attracted by his immense fortune and takes a liking to her. When Dan was a boy, a girl sang a solo at a church, and he had never forgotten her. The Galoreys, Lily and Dan attend a London theater where one Lily Lane is the star. Dan recognizes her as the girl from his town, and going behind the scenes introduces himself and she remembers him. He learns that Prince Poniatowsky is a suitor and escort to Lily. Lord Galorey and a friend named Ruggles determine to protect the westerner from Lily and other fortune hunters. Young Blair goes to see Lily; he can talk of nothing but Lily and this angers the Duchess. The westerner finds Lily ill from hard work, but she recovers and Ruggles and Dan invite her to supper. She asks Dan to build a home for disappointed theatrical people. Dan visits Lily for the time "forgetting" Lily, and later announces his engagement to the duchess. Lily refuses to sing for an entertainment given by Lily. Galorey tells Dan that all Lily cares for is his money, and she is disclosed that he and the duchess have been mutually in love for years. Lily sings at an aristocratic function, Dan escorting her home. Dan confronts Galorey and Lily together. Later he informs Lily that his engagement with Lily is broken, asks the singer to marry him, and they become engaged. Ruggles thinks the westerner should not marry a public singer, and endeavors to induce Lily to give him up. She runs away, fearing she is not good enough for Dan, and Ruggles makes the latter believe she has abandoned him in love. Finally Dan finds Lily in Paris.

## CHAPTER XXVI.—Continued.

"Are you alone?" he persisted. "I have got to know."

"Higgins is with me."

"Oh, God," he cried wildly, "how can you joke with me? Don't you understand you're breaking my heart?"

But she did not dare to be kind to him, knowing it would unnerve her for the part she had promised to play. He sat gripping his hands tightly together, his lips white. "When I leave you now," he said brokenly, "I am going to find that devil of a Hungarian and do him up. Then I am going to tackle Ruggles."

"Why, what a poor Mr. Ruggles got to do with it?"

Dan cried scornfully. "For God's sake, don't keep this up! You know the rot he told you? I made him confess. He has had this mania all along about money being a handicap; he was bent on trying this game with some girl to see how it worked." He continued more passionately. "I don't care a rap what you marry me for, Lily, or what you have done or been. I think you're perfect and I'll make you the happiest woman in the world."

She said: "Hush, hush. Listen, dear; listen, little boy. I am awfully sorry, but it won't do. I never thought it would. You'll get over it all right, though you don't, you can't believe me now. I can't be poor, you know; I really couldn't be poor."

He interrupted roughly: "Who says you'll be? What are you talking about? Why, I'll cover you with jewels, sweetheart, if I have to rip the earth open to get them out."

She understood that Dan believed Ruggles' story to have been a cock-and-bull one.

"You talk as though you could buy me, Dan. Wait, listen." She put him back from her. "Now, if you won't be quiet, I'm going to stop my cat."

He repeated: "Tell me, are you alone in Paris? Tell me. For three days I have wandered and searched for you everywhere; I have hardly eaten a thing, I don't believe I have slept a wink." And he told her of his weary search.

She listened to him, part of the time her white-gloved hand giving itself up to the boy; part of the time both hands folded together and away from him, her arms crossed on her breast, her small shoes of coral did tapping the floor of the car. Thus they rolled lazily along the road by the Bois.

"Are you alone in Paris, Lily?"

And she said: "Oh, what a bore you are! You're the most obstinate creature. Well, I am alone, but that has nothing to do with you."

A glorious light broke over his face, his relief was tremendous. "Oh, thank God!" he breathed.

"Poniatowsky"—and she said his name with difficulty—"is coming to-night from Carlsbad."

The boy threw back his bright head and laughed wildly.

"Curse him! The very name makes me want to commit a crime. He will go over my body to you. You hear me, Lily, I mean what I say."

People had already remarked them as they passed. The actress was too well known to pass unobserved, but she was indifferent to their curiosity or to the assistance of anyone but this excited boy.

Blair, who had not opened a paper since he came to Paris, did not know that Letty Lane's flight from London had created a scandal in the theatrical world, that her manager was suing her, and that to be seen with her driving in the Bois was a conspicuous thing indeed. She thought of it, however.

"I am going to tell the man to drive you to the gate on the other side of the park where it's quieter, we won't be stared at, and I want you to leave me—and let me go to the Meurice alone. You must, Dan, you must let me go to the hotel alone."

He laughed again in the same strained fashion and forced her hand to remain in his.

"Look here. You don't suppose I am going to let you go like this, now that I have seen you again. You don't suppose I am going to give you up to that infamous scoundrel? You have got to marry me."

Bringing all her strength of character to bear, she exclaimed: "I expect you think you are the only person who has asked me to marry him, Dan. I am going to marry Prince Poniatowsky. He is perfectly crazy about me."

Until that moment she had not made him think that she was indifferent to him, and the idea that such a thing was possible, was too much for his overstrained heart to bear. Dan cried her name in a voice whose appeal was like a hurt creature's, and as the motor flew along, tore open the door to spring out or to throw himself out, but clinging to him she prevented his mad act. She stopped the car along the edge of the quiet, wooded alley, and Blair saw that he had terrified her. She covered her beating heart with her hands and gasped at him that he was "crazy, crazy," and perhaps a little late his dignity and self-possession returned.

"I am mad," he acknowledged more



"Are You Alone?" He Persisted, "I Have Got to Know."

calmly, "and I am sorry that I frightened you. But you drive me mad." Without further word he got out and left her agitated, leaning toward him, and Blair, less pale and thoroughly the man, lifted his hat to her and, with unusual grace, bowed good-night and good-by. Then, rushing as he had come, he walked off down through the alley, his gray figure in his gray clothes disappearing through the vista of meeting trees.

For a moment she stared after him, her eyes fastened on the tall, slender, beautiful young man. Blair's fire and ardor, his fresh youthfulness, his protection and his chivalry, his ardent devotion, touched her profoundly. Tears fell, and one splashed on her white glove. Was he really going to ruin his life? The old ballad, "The Earl of Moray," ran through her head:

"And long may his lady look from the castle wall."

Dan had neither title nor, according to Ruggles, had he any money, and she could marry the prince; but Dan, as he walked so fast away, misery snapping at his heels as he went, stamping through the woods, seemed glorious to Letty Lane and the only one she wanted in the world. What if anything should happen to him really? What if he should really start out to do the town according to the fashion of his Anglo-Saxon brothers, but more desperately still? She took a card from the case in the corner of the car, scribbled a few words, told the man to drive around the curve and meet the outlet of the path by which Dan had gone. When she saw him within reaching distance she sent the chauffeur across the woods to give Mr. Blair her scribbled word and consoled herself with the belief that Dan wouldn't go to the dogs or throw himself in the river until he had seen her again.

## CHAPTER XXVII.

At Maxim's.

At the Meurice, Miss Lane gave strict orders to admit only Mr. Blair to her apartments. She described him. No sooner had she drunk her

cup of tea, which Higgins gave her, than she began to expect Dan. He didn't come.

Her dinner, without much appetite, she ate alone in her salon; saw a doctor and made him prescribe something for the cough that racked her chest; looked out to the warm, bright gardens of the Tuilleries fading into the pallid loveliness of sunset, indifferent to everything in the world—except Dan Blair. She believed she would soon be indifferent to him, too; then everything would be done with. Now she wondered had he really gone—had he done what he threatened? Why didn't he come? At twelve o'clock that night, as she lay among the cushions of her sofa, dozing, the door of her parlor was pushed in. She sprang up with a cry of delight; but when Poniatowsky came up to her she exclaimed: "Oh, you!" And the languor and boredom with which she said his name made the prince laugh shortly.

"Yes, I. Who did you think it was?" Cynically and rather cruelly he looked down at Letty Lane and admired the picture she made; small, exquisite, her blond head against the dark velvet of the lounge, her gray eyes intensified by the fatigue under them.

"Just got in from Carlsbad; came directly here. How do you? You look, you know—" he scrutinized her through his single eye-glass—"most frightfully seedy."

"Oh, I'm all right." She left the sofa, for she wanted to prevent his nearer approach. "Have you had any supper? I'll call Higgins."

"No, no, sit down, please, will you? I want to know why you sent to Carlsbad for me? Have you come to your senses?"

He was as mad about the beautiful creature as a man of his temperament could be. Exhausted by excess and bored with life, she charmed and amused him, and in order to have her with him always, to be master of her caprices, he was willing to make any sacrifice.

"Have you sent off that imbecile boy?" And at her look he stopped and shrugged: "You need a rest, my child,"

As an illustration of the commendable zeal and enterprise manifested in the erecting of a Grange home may be cited Androsoggin Grange at Greene, the home Grange of the present state master, located in a purely agricultural town without a single manufacturing industry in it and having a population of less than 900 people.

This Grange erected a Grange hall 30x70 feet at a cost of \$3,500. Upon the day it was dedicated it carried an incumbency of \$2,800, drawing interest at 6 per cent. Within eight years this Grange cleared itself of all debts besides buying and paying for all necessary furnishings for the entire building and since that time a piano has been purchased, also stage scenery. The walls and ceilings have been handsomely frescoed, a stable has been built at a cost of \$900, large enough to accommodate 60 horses, with sufficient floor space to house vehicles in stormy weather. A furnace has been installed, also an electric lighting plant, the latter at a cost of \$1,000, all of which is paid for and the Grange now has a membership of 300.

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The erection of these halls and their possession of Grange homes has done much towards increasing the membership and sustaining a vital interest in Grange work in Maine. It is the ambition of every Grange, however small, to some time own its own hall, which desire becomes an incentive to ways and means for accomplishing this purpose. All personal ambitions and animosities are laid aside and all work for the one great object—a home. Special entertainments are arranged for to raise the money, energetic are centered upon interested eligible persons outside the gates, thus increasing the membership; and from the oldest to the youngest members, all feel the individual responsibility of assisting in making the program of worth and interest.

The youngest lecturer.

One of the characteristics of the Grange is its powerful hold upon the young people, due in large measure to the success it has shown in being able to set young people at work. The latter are usually found in the front rank of Grange activity and not infrequently are early filling important official positions in the order.

What is said to be a case of the youngest lecturer in New England, and perhaps in the United States, is reported from Everett, Mass. The lecturer in question is Miss Winifred Whitcomb, who at the age of fifteen years has been installed as lecturer of Everett Grange and has entered heartily upon the duties of that position. Her programs thus far have been very instructive, as well as entertaining, and the young lady in question is very fortunate in possessing exceptional literary and dramatic talent.

Everett Grange is a good one to work in because made up of an enthusiastic group of patrons, most of whom have belonged to the order elsewhere and on coming to the city to live, so missed their Grange privileges that they determined to have one close at hand. And Everett Grange was the result.

Ancient Roman Long Branch. The sea coast of Laurentum may have been in favor with the fashionable and the wealthy for a brief space of time under Augustus and his immediate successors, but was given up quite soon to parvenues and merchants and retired officers, and the same set of noisy people who haunt at the present day the popular watering places of the world. To make the analogy more striking, an inscription has been found at La Capocotta singing the praises of a wealthy Jew, and revealing the fact that a synagogue had been built at Ostia for the use of the Semitic "villagians" on the neighboring coast.

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of the National Grange, Westfield, Mass.

## GRANGE HALLS IN OLD MAINE

Unexcelled Prosperity of Order in  
State Shown by Number of  
Buildings Owned.

The state of Maine boasts of more Grange halls owned and occupied than any other state in the Union; and the record of the Order in this respect is most remarkable. In fact the unexcelled prosperity of the Grange in that state, with its exceptional growth and stability, is due in large measure to this very fact. The situation can be adequately understood from the knowledge that of the 430 Granges in the state of Maine, 350 of them occupy and own their halls; while the value of Grange halls in that state aggregates \$1,250,000.

These halls range in value from \$1,500 to \$16,000. A large proportion of the Granges also own stables, either connected with or in close proximity to the halls. The halls are all two-story buildings having banquet hall, kitchen, store-room, and check room on first floor, anteroom, main hall and stage, with anterooms on second floor. Many are beautifully finished and attractively furnished, while a large majority of them have pianos and handsome stage scenery, also libraries. The kitchens are fully equipped with ranges and a supply of dishes and attractive table furnishings. Some have running water and electric lighting plants. When completed most of the halls are formally dedicated by the state officers, which ceremony is considered a very important feature and many members from neighboring Granges take great interest in attending.

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With Should be Made Before Selecting  
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Orchard Sprayed Several Times Each Year.

(By G. H. ALFORD.)

Every owner of fruit trees should plan to give them some attention in the way of spraying. There is nothing that will pay so well if intelligently done. The very enemies that prey on the fruit trees prove a blessing to the farmer who sprays, as their ravages on unprotected orchards enable him to realize prices for his perfect fruit undreamed of before their appearance.

Not only does spraying protect the crop, but it makes packing and selling easier. Fruit buyers and dealers now recognize the business value of spraying and do not care to buy or handle fruit that has not been thoroughly sprayed.

The principles of spraying are few and simple, and the work is not complex, but very easy if done with a power sprayer. Spraying is not an expense as is generally supposed. It not only pays for itself but yields a handsome profit besides.

Orchards are not alone benefited by spraying. Vineyards, truck gardens, and, in fact, nearly all commercial crops return proportionately as great dividends for money invested in spraying as do orchards.

Before starting to spray, a careful study should be made of the insects or fungi you have to deal with, in order to determine the best mixture as well as the best time to spray.

The man who would be successful in spraying must learn to know the insects and diseases by their appearance and their work so as to apply the right treatment at the proper time.

There are three general kinds of enemies to combat—insects which gnaw or eat into the plant; insects which suck the plant juices, and fungi diseases. Insects that gnaw or eat the plant are killed with poison spray such as arsenic, heliothene, etc. The entire plant or tree is covered with the spray, so that the insects will have to eat the poison.

Insects that suck are more difficult to dispose of. The method usually



A Well Kept Orchard.

adopted is to drench them with an emulsion, and one of the scale washes. A coating of one of these mixtures is sprayed on them, and kills them by smothering, as they breathe through little spiracles along the sides of their bodies.

The fungus growths are parasitic, consisting of plants or growths of low form, which live on other living plants, and kill the vegetation they attack by filling up their pores or respiratory organs. They spread by small dust-like bodies called spores, which correspond to the seed in higher forms of plant life. These spores are born on the surface and produced in great numbers. Each one is capable of starting a new fungus growth. They are carried from one plant to another by means of the wind, water, and insects. Chemicals which stop their growth are used to combat fungus diseases.

The most effective spraying is preventive spraying. If the foliage and fruit be thoroughly coated with poison or fungicide before the first chewing insect, or the first fungus spore lights upon them, the insect will be destroyed at its first meal, and the first fungus infection will be prevented. When insects or fungus diseases have become plentiful, both are more difficult

to control. Spray to coat, the foliage, twigs, or fruit with poison or fungicide just before an attack by chewing insects or fungus is expected.

Thoroughness, and timeliness are the two most important points in successful spraying. Remember, it costs just as much to do a poor job of spraying as it does to do a thorough one, and the results are usually widely different.

Do not spray when trees are in full bloom, as it will reduce the crop, and kill the bees, which are valuable friends of the fruit grower.

Do not spray immediately after a rain.

It is better to spray on a still day, or, if there is a wind, to spray only on the windward side of the trees, spraying the other side on the first still day, or when the wind changes.

Wooden tubs, barrels, or earthen jars should be used when preparing the mixtures which contain copper sulphate, corrosive sublimate, or arsenate of lead.

Carefully label all substances used in making spraying mixtures, and keep them some place where they cannot be used by mistake.

Arsenical sprays should not be applied to fruits, etc., within two weeks of the time they are to be used as food.

When through using, the spray pump should be cleaned by forcing water through it.

Keep all spraying apparatus in repair, so that the work will not be delayed at the critical time.

Don't spray immediately after a shower, or heavy dew.

Do not spray indiscriminately, but study the pests you have to combat, and adopt the most effective means of destroying them.

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Fifteen rations were fed to as many lots of horses and every meal for every one of those 937 horses was weighed and mixed in the proper proportions. Military discipline helped to make the experiment a success. Soldiers at Fort Riley, where the feeding was done, were under orders to do the work with the utmost care. Every horse was weighed before and after the test. The average weight of the horses used was 1,150 pounds. They were artillery horses doing as much work as horses on the farm.

To find, if possible, a grain or mixture of grains that would take the place of oats as a horse feed and give as good results, but be more economical, was one object of the test. Another reason for the experiment was to find the value of various ways for feeding to determine the effect of grains on the health of the animals used. All these questions were answered.

Oats, once and for all, was proved a better feed for work horses than corn, though more expensive. Seventy-seven average gain—while the same number of horses eating corn lost 29 pounds apiece in the same time. But corn, when fed with the proper amount of alfalfa with the right quality, gave as good results as oats and was 50 per cent. cheaper. Alfalfa hay, properly fed, was found to be a more valuable roughage than either timothy or prairie hay, and it cheapens the cost of the daily ration from 25 to 40 per cent. The ration six parts of corn, four of oats, four of bran, and timothy hay probably is the best that can be fed a work horse, though not the cheapest. Horses fed an oat ration did not show any more spirit than those that ate corn, which disproves an old theory.

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## BREVITIES

**HOWELL**—The dates for holding the Livingston county Sunday school convention has been postponed until June 18 and 19.

**GRASS LAKE**—The board of education has tendered the superintendency of the public school of that village to Mr. Dorr of Mt. Vernon, Illinois.

**STOCKBRIDGE**—Geo. Hoffman of near Munith was badly hurt Monday while working on the telephone line. A pole had fallen and in trying to raise it, one of the wires loosened and the insulator struck him in the eye.—Brief-Sun.

**MANCHESTER**—We learn that Noah Zimmerman left home about two weeks ago and has not returned. It was reported that he was in Jackson last week. No just cause is given for his leaving further than that he was discouraged.—Enterprise.

**MILAN**—Contract has been let to W. E. Tench and Co. of Detroit for grading embankment for new second track between Oakwood, Michigan, and Milan, Michigan, a distance of 29 miles. There will have to be moved approximately 100,000 cubic yards. This work will be completed July 1st.—Leader.

**HOWELL**—Growing out of the club raid in Howell last December some of Howell's citizens made petitions to the governor for the removal of Sheriff Stoddard from office on the ground of incompetency. The law makes it the duty of the prosecuting attorney to investigate and report. This the prosecuting attorney, Mr. Robb, has now done and the same has been filed with the governor.—Democrat.

**TECUMSEH**—A dog belonging to Mrs. Jackson Baird of Brownville went mad Wednesday and drove the family out of the house with his rabid actions. Marshal Smith was summoned and on arriving there found the dog snarling at the head of the stairs. The marshal intended to shoot the dog, but could not do so in the house so took an axe along. The dog retreated into a bedroom and John abandoned the axe for a bed slat that was handy by and laid the dog out with it.—News.

**DEXTER**—Geo. A. Peters of Scio called at The Leader office Tuesday and informed us that last week he "harvested his winter wheat," cultivated it up and sowed the ground to oats and barley. This is the first time in sixty years, during which time Mr. Peters has been in active farming, that he has ever "harvested his winter wheat in April." He also informs us that many of his neighbors are doing the same thing. It is Mr. Peters' opinion that Washenaw county will not raise wheat enough for bread and seed this coming season, and that it is the Hessian fly and not the winter that has ruined the crop, as those who sowed late are the only ones who have wheat.—Leader.

**MANCHESTER**—There came near being a serious wreck of the 842 passenger train south last week Wednesday night when the wheels of the tender left the track at the west end of the "black bridge" sometimes called the Weir bridge, near Wm. Reh-fuss' farm residence. For a quarter of a mile the wheels bumped along on the ties before the limited train was brought to a standstill, and the train crew and passengers were badly frightened. Luckily no serious damage was wrought. From Mr. Reh-fuss' residence they phoned to Operator Maguire who reported the accident and all the section men were ordered out to repair the track. The wrecker was sent from Jackson and about 12:30 a. m. the train proceeded south.

**HOWELL**—The mill dam at Howell went out during the recent high water, lowering the level of Thompson Lake several feet. The break is 15 feet deep and 40 feet wide and it will be impossible to repair it until summer.—Democrat.

**ALBION**—H. M. Dearing and his son, P. M. Dearing, the wreckers of the Albion National Bank, who have been in the Wayne county jail since the first of January, where taken to the federal prison at Leavenworth, Kas., Wednesday night. They are to serve five years each.—Leader.

**ANN ARBOR**—Professor Filbirt Roth, who recently accepted a call from Cornell to assume direction of the forestry work there, has reconsidered his decision and will remain at the University of Michigan—he has already tendered his resignation from the Cornell appointment.

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Prof. S. B. Laird will preach at the morning service.  
Sunday school and B. Y. P. U. at the usual hours.  
Prayer meeting Thursday evening.

**ST. PAUL'S.**  
Rev. A. A. Schoen, Pastor.  
Morning service at 10 o'clock.  
Sunday school at 11 a. m.  
The Young People's Society will meet at 7 p. m.

The annual business meeting of the Ladies Aid Society will be held at the church on Friday afternoon, May 10. Election of officers for the coming year will be held at this meeting.

**METHODIST EPISCOPAL.**  
Rev. J. W. Campbell, Pastor.  
Preaching next Sunday at 10 a. m.  
Bible study at 11 a. m.  
Junior League at 3 p. m.  
Epworth League devotional service at 6:15 p. m. Topic: "Are men the product of the times in which they live?" Leader, Mark Hendry.  
Prayer meeting Thursday at 7:15 p. m.

Remember the Women's Home Mission Convention Thursday and Friday, May 9 and 10.  
Every body welcome at these services.

## "The Price."

The New Whitney Theatre, Ann Arbor will have for its attraction on Monday, May 6, Helen Ware in "The Price" by George Broadhurst. She is booked for an engagement of one night only. Henry B. Harris is managing her tour. The high promise of a brilliant future which Miss Ware gave her acting in "The Road to Yesterday" and "The Third Degree" is being borne out by her interpretation of the role of Ethel Toscani, the secretary, in "The Price." The premiere of this powerful drama at the Hudson theatre, New York, early in the fall witnessed the unusual spectacle of the Metropolitan critics vying with one another to be the first to hail Miss Ware as the greatest emotional actress of today.

"The Price" first relates the story of the domestic infelicities of an artist and his wife. It then shows the happiness which comes to the artist through the entrance into his household of a charming young woman as his secretary. It is a foregone conclusion that they will fall in love; but for awhile the fact does not develop how much in love the secretary has fallen. The appearance of the family doctor establishes quickly just where her affections lie. An impassioned scene between the secretary and the artist results in his sudden death from shock.

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## REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE Farmers & Merchants Bank

At Chelsea, Michigan, at the close of business, April 18th, 1912, as called for by the Commissioner of the Banking Department:

| RESOURCES.                                |                      |
|---|----------------------|
| Loans and discounts, viz:—                |                      |
| Commercial Department.....                | \$1,878.44           |
| Savings Department.....                   | 23,200.00—\$1,078.44 |
| Bonds, mortgages and securities, viz:—    |                      |
| Commercial Department.....                | 50.00                |
| Savings Department.....                   | 145,128.78           |
| Premium account.....                      | 250.00               |
| Overdrafts.....                           | 69.00                |
| Banking house.....                        | 928.70               |
| Furniture and fixtures.....               | 2,800.00             |
| Items in transit.....                     | 1,518.67             |
| Reserve.....                              | 1,000.00             |
| Due from banks in reserve cities.....     | \$11,223.11          |
| Exchanges for clearing house.....         | 462.91               |
| U. S. and National bank currency.....     | 1,960.40             |
| Gold coin.....                            | 697.50               |
| Silver coin.....                          | 609.05               |
| Nickels and cents.....                    | 429.35               |
| Checks, and other cash items.....         | \$15,278.90          |
| Total.....                                | \$45,787.31          |
| Capital stock paid in.....                | \$25,000.00          |
| Surplus.....                              | 4,000.00             |
| Undivided profits, net.....               | 6,571.08             |
| Commercial deposits subject to check..... | 15.00                |
| Cashier's checks outstanding.....         | \$38,544.23          |
| Savings deposits (book accounts).....     | 170,186.69           |
| Savings certificates of deposit.....      | 49,954.04            |
| Total.....                                | \$284,310.40         |

State of Michigan, County of Washtenaw, ss.  
I, P. G. Schaible, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief and correctly represents the true state of the several matters therein contained, as shown by the books of the bank.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25th day of April, 1912. P. G. Schaible, Cashier.  
B. B. Turnbull, Notary Public.  
My commission expires Feb. 5, 1915.

CORRECT—Attest:  
JOHN KALMBACH,  
JNO. FARNELL,  
J. P. WALTRON, Directors.

## REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE Kempf Commercial & Savings Bank

At Chelsea, Michigan, at the close of business April 18 1912, as called for by the Commissioner of the Banking Department:

| RESOURCES.                                |              |
|---|--------------|
| Loans and discounts, viz:—                |              |
| Commercial Department.....                | \$112,247.14 |
| Savings Department.....                   | 46,400.00    |
| Bonds, mortgages and securities, viz:—    |              |
| Commercial Department.....                | 34,275.65    |
| Savings Department.....                   | 389,075.65   |
| Premium account.....                      | 948.71       |
| Overdrafts.....                           | 15,000.00    |
| Banking house.....                        | 5,000.00     |
| Furniture and fixtures.....               | 3,884.54     |
| Items in transit.....                     | 7,987.50     |
| Reserve.....                              | 330.04       |
| Due from banks in reserve cities.....     | \$42,767.63  |
| Exchanges for clearing house.....         | 30.45        |
| U. S. and National bank currency.....     | 9,185.00     |
| Gold coin.....                            | 2,275.00     |
| Silver coin.....                          | 822.40       |
| Nickels and cents.....                    | 76.02        |
| Checks, and other cash items.....         | \$55,196.53  |
| Total.....                                | \$704,992.32 |
| Capital stock paid in.....                | \$25,000.00  |
| Surplus.....                              | 271.20       |
| Undivided profits, net.....               | 125,395.78   |
| Commercial deposits subject to check..... | 15.00        |
| Cashier's checks outstanding.....         | 105,471.71   |
| Savings deposits (book accounts).....     | 51,422.59    |
| Savings certificates of deposit.....      | 492.00       |
| State money on deposit.....               | \$54,711.47  |
| Savings deposits (book accounts).....     | 60,835.19    |
| Savings certificates of deposit.....      | 574,862.86   |
| Total.....                                | \$860,518.48 |

State of Michigan, County of Washtenaw, ss.  
I, Geo. A. BeGoole, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief and correctly represents the true state of the several matters therein contained, as shown by the books of the bank.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25th day of April, 1912. Geo. A. BeGoole, Cashier.  
J. L. Fletcher, Notary Public.  
My commission expires January 12, 1915.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw, ss.  
As a session of the probate court for said county of Washtenaw, held at said county office in the city of Ann Arbor, on the 10th day of April, in the year one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

Present, Emory E. Leland, Judge of Probate, and the members of the said court, to-wit: Joseph L. Sibley, executor, praying that the will of George Handman, testator, be admitted to probate, and that G. W. Palmer, the executor named in said will, or some other suitable person be appointed executor thereof, and that said probate and commission be appointed.

It is ordered, that the 4th day of May, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, said probate office be opened for hearing said petition. And it is further ordered, that a copy of the order be published three successive weeks prior to said time of hearing, in the Chelsea Standard, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county of Washtenaw.