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And do not forget that interest on savings will add materially to your income. Here's a little table that will be of interest to you if you become a depositor in the savings department of this bank. It shows how money grows at 3 per cent interest:

Weekly Savings	For Five Years	For Ten Years
\$1.00	\$280.68	\$606.12
\$2.00	\$561.36	\$1,212.24
\$5.00	\$1,403.40	\$3,030.60

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ELECTRICAL STORM

Rain, Hail and Lightning Tuesday Evening—Sub-Station Put Out of Commission.

About 6:30 o'clock Tuesday evening a severe rain and electric storm visited Chelsea and for about thirty minutes the flashes of lightning were almost continuous and for a short time there was a terrific downfall of rain and a slight hail storm.

From all appearances the worst part of the storm was north of Chelsea. From dispatches in the daily papers of Wednesday morning the storm seems to have been almost universal over the state and many of the rivers were reported as overflowing their banks. About 6:30 lightning entered the Chelsea sub-station of the Au Sable Power Co. and put transformer No. 2 and rotary No. 2 entirely out of commission. The plant was unable to furnish power for about two hours before the electricians, George Whittington and Wm. Stocking, who have charge of the local station, could cut out the damaged machinery and get the plant in working order. It will require several days to repair the damage at the sub-station.

One of the circuits of the village electric light plant was put out of commission by the lightning and about fifty of the patrons on the circuit had the fuse blocks in their homes burned out. The large tree on the corner of Main and Lincoln streets, in front of the Graup property, was struck by lightning but it escaped with slight damage.

The Flanders Mfg. Co., which is furnished with power by the Au Sable Power Co., was unable to operate their plant for about two hours and the D. J. & C. electric line service was badly crippled, all of the cars being from two to three hours late.

Memorial Services.

Memorial services will be held at the Baptist church Sunday, May 26, at 10 a. m. Sermon by Prof. Laird. All members of the Post are ordered to be present at the Post room at 9:30 a. m. sharp. All honorary members and sons of veterans are invited to be present at the Post room to act as escort for the W. R. C. and Post. All ex-soldiers are invited to join the Post and march with them to the church.

Mrs. Joseph Goodrich.

Mrs. Anna Katherine Goodrich was born at Badenberger, Hanover, Germany, May 16, 1849, and died at her home in Sylvan, Thursday, May 16, 1912, aged 63 years.

At the age of 22 years she was united in marriage with Joseph Goodrich and the couple have been well known and respected residents of Sylvan for many years. She is survived by her husband, one son, two daughters, one brother and four sisters.

The funeral was held from the Chelsea Baptist church at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon May 19, 1912. Rev. Geo. C. Nothdurft, pastor of Salem German M. E. church, officiating.

Athletic Benefit Play.

The seniors who presented "Mr. Bob" to a large and appreciative audience, will repeat the play, Friday evening, May 24th, in the interest of the Athletic Association and the Senior class combined. The treasury of the Athletic Association is in a depleted condition and as teams are to be sent to Plymouth and Bob-Let it is necessary to have funds. Show your appreciation for clean athletics by attending the play next Friday evening.

The comedy is a good one and there are many laughable situations. The parts are well taken and we guarantee you two hours of good entertainment. The price of admission will be 15 and 25 cents, no seats being reserved.

CAST OF CHARACTERS.

Miss Rebecca Luke, fond of cats..... Esther Schenk
Patty, Miss Luke's maid..... Eileen McQuillan
Jenkins, Miss Luke's butler..... Paul Kohl
Katherine Rogers, her niece..... Agnes Gorman
Marion Bryant, Katherine's friend..... Phyllis Raftery
Mr. Brown, clerk of Benson & Benson..... George Belser
Philip Royson, Miss Luke's nephew..... Paul Belser

SYNOPSIS.

Act I—Scene: Breakfast room at Tresham.
Act II—Scene: The same.
The scene of the play is Tresham, the comfortable home of Miss Luke, a maiden lady with a mania for cats, to which fancy her niece, Katherine Rogers and her nephew, Phill Royson, object. Mr. Brown, her architect, is to come with plans for converting the second story of Miss Luke's house into an asylum for cats. Not wishing her niece and nephew to know of her scheme she warns her visit dark. Katherine expects Marion Bryant, a college friend, whom she calls "Bob." Philip also expects a college friend, Ned Saunders, by name. In the meantime, Brown, a clerk from the law firm of Benson & Benson appears with important papers for Miss Luke. All become involved in a case of mistaken identity from which a series of ridiculous situations proceed.

A Great Building Falls

When its foundation is undermined, and if the foundation of health—good digestion—is attacked, quick collapse follows. On the first sign of indigestion, Dr. King's New Life Pills should be taken to tone the stomach and regulate liver, kidneys and bowels. Pleasant, easy, safe and only 25 cents at L. P. Vogel, H. H. Fenn Co., L. T. Freeman Co.

Two More Victims of Farm Fire.

The fire which Tuesday morning of last week destroyed the home of Jas. Conaty, of Frazer township, near Bay City, and took the lives of his son, Lewis, and a farm hand known only as John, has caused two more deaths. Mr. Conaty died Saturday night from burns inflicted, while he was assisting his aged wife, out of their burning bedroom and their daughter, Mrs. Eugene Wilson, died Monday. Mrs. Wilson was trapped in the second story of the home and after her face and arms were scorched jumped from a window and was picked up unconscious. Her death was due to internal injuries. James Conaty was a brother of John Conaty of this place.

A Pioneer Resident.

Rudolph Kruse was born in Germany, March 23, 1836, and died at his home in Sylvan, Sunday morning, May 19, 1912.

Mr. Kruse came to this country in 1864 and settled in Sylvan where he has since made his home. He was united in marriage in 1863 with Miss Wilhelmina Nicolai. To this union nine children were born. Mr. Kruse was a member of the Salem German Methodist Episcopal church, and for many years he served in the church as class leader, steward and superintendent of the Sunday school. He is survived by his wife, and nine children who are all grown up. The funeral was held from Salem German M. E. church Wednesday, May 22, Rev. Geo. C. Nothdurft, officiating.

Began Life Sentence.

Sheriff Stark took Mrs. Frances Dewey, the Ypsilanti murderess, to the Detroit house of correction Tuesday morning to begin her life sentence for the murder of her 11-month-old adopted son, Charles Wildsmith, at Ypsilanti, last February.

Mrs. Dewey, showed the same indifference Tuesday morning that she displayed during the trial two weeks ago. It did not seem to trouble her in the least that she was leaving to spend the rest of her life behind bars. If the supreme court does not upset the result of the recent trial she will spend the rest of her life in the Detroit house of correction. The trial occupied Judge Kinne's court three days, and the jury was out an hour.

New Pension Law.

The new pension law combining age and lengths of service as a basis of compensation will increase the pensions of many veterans and widows in Chelsea.

The new law will benefit all veterans, except those receiving pensions for the loss of a hand or a foot or for other disability received in the service; that is to say it will benefit all who are now under the act of June 1890. The old act awarded a veteran of 62 \$12 a month. The new act will give him \$13.50 if he served three months and \$16 for three years. Veterans of 75 under the old act received \$20; under the new act if they served three months they will get \$21 and an increase for longer service up to \$30 for two or three years of service.

The Standard has a number of blank applications which we will be pleased to give to applicants.

The May Festival.

The Standard's musical editor attended the May Festival at Ann Arbor last week, and the closing concert impressed him as follows:

The May Festival at Ann Arbor was closed Saturday night with the opera Sampson and Delilah. In the first act, while Sampson seemed to have the hair the part called for, his strength did not show much in his voice, another gentleman with a baritone voice seemed to be getting the best of it over him with Delilah. This fact also affected a tall man with a bass voice who just sung a little and when the baritone sang he went right away and they could not coax him back.

In the second act Sampson appeared to be making a little gain with the lady, but maybe the baritone was just playing for side bets, or Delilah trying to make Sampson jealous. The baritone talked right out in English and that so offended Sampson and Delilah that they just yelled. No one seemed to know just what they did want.

The third act seemed a little livelier, the musicians started in with one of those dance pieces from the waist up, but the dancers were not ready or had not yet left home. Everybody woke right up and took notice, and as the musicians kept right on playing, the older portion of the audience, who had been at the world's fair, began to get impatient that the dancers did not arrive. Maybe it is just as well, for if they had come and done justice to the music, the audience would have been so filled with that sort of thing that the attendance at the Majestic this week would have been light. But they did not come and the singers commenced to dare Sampson to do what he could. Sampson stood it longer than Ty Cobb and never made a move; but they kept right on daring him and your critic went to sleep.

Sampson must have finally taken the dare, for there was a fearful smash which woke him up. It looked as if the orchestra had busted all their fiddles and the bass drums and blown the "dickens" out of the horns, and everyone including the orchestra, was running from the house. Some of the orchestra never stopped till they got clear down to the M. C. R. station.

While heretofore we have always considered Sampson weak for giving in to Delilah, after seeing the opera we are glad to tender him our apology.

DECORATION DAY.

The Exercises Will be Held in the Town Hall Thursday Afternoon, May 30.

Decoration Day exercises will be held at the town hall at 1:30 Thursday afternoon, May 30. A good program has been arranged and the public is cordially invited to attend.

All honorary members, sons of veterans and ex-soldiers are invited to meet with the Post and W. R. C. at 1 o'clock, sharp, at the Post room. All school children are invited to take part in the parade, where flags will be given them. The Boy Scouts with their officers are invited to join in the parade in a body.

The following will be the program at the hall:
Music.....Band
Reading—Logan's order.....Adjutant
Music.....Children
Prayer.....Rev. J. W. Campbell
Music.....Children
Lincoln's Address.....F. Hendry
Address.....Rev. C. J. Dole
Music.....Children
Benediction.

The W. R. C. and Post will be very thankful for any one having flowers who will contribute them, for the purpose of decorating the graves of the ex-soldiers in the cemeteries in this vicinity.

Lafayette Grange Meeting.

Lafayette Grange will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. T. English Friday evening, May 24. A humorous program is to be given and will be as follows:

Toll call—Mother Goose rhymes.
Comic song.
Dialogue.
Recitation.
Story—told by the Gate Keeper.
Exhibit of photos of all present taken during school days.
Closing song.

School Notes.

Prof. Nadal of Olivet will deliver the commencement address to the seniors of 1912. There are twenty-four in the class.

Supt. Hendry conducted the eighth grade examinations Thursday and Friday. There were thirty-five who wrote.

Miss Lusch, teacher of music, is drilling the children of the lower grades in the cantata entitled "Cinderella in Flowerland." It will be given about June 4th.

Test examinations will be held in the high school Thursday and Friday of this week.

A consignment of about three hundred trees consisting of elms, maples and catalpas were distributed by Supt. Hendry to pupils of the 5th, 6th, 7th and 8th grades. These trees were donated by Mack & Co. of Ann Arbor.

Church Circles.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH, FRANCISCO
Rev. A. A. Schoen, Pastor.
Preaching service at 2 p. m.
Sunday school at 3 p. m.

CONGREGATIONAL.
Rev. Charles J. Dole, Pastor.
Memorial day service at 10 o'clock. Subject of sermon "Everyday Patriotism."
Sunday school at 11 a. m.
Evening service at 7 o'clock.
A cordial welcome is extended to all who have no church home.

ST. PAUL'S.
Rev. A. A. Schoen, Pastor.
Sunday school at 9 a. m.
Morning service at 10 o'clock followed by communion. The offering taken will be for the Home Mission fund.

The Young People's Society will meet at 7 p. m. The delegates who attended the convention at Grand Rapids will give reports 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, "The False Use of Religious Symbols." Leader, Miss Grace Fletcher.

At 7 p. m. sermon and baptismal service.
Prayer meeting Thursday at 7:15 p. m.
Everybody welcome at these services.

Card of Thanks.

We extend our heartfelt thanks to our neighbors and friends who so kindly assisted us during our recent bereavement.

MR. JOSEPH GOODRICH,
MR. AND MRS. A. GOODRICH,
MR. AND MRS. H. MUSAACH,
MR. AND MRS. C. KLINGLER.

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.

PINKNEY—The Pinkney post-office has been made a postal savings depository by the government and will be ready for business June 1.

Ginger Up!

What's the use of dragging yourself around limp and lifeless? Now, please don't say it's the weather, for it isn't.

It's You

Don't you see hundreds of other people who aren't affected? They are living in the same weather that you are. You need a Tonic, that's what's the matter with you, and here it is

Rexall Tonic

A sure thing. Don't need to keep on taking it, you know. A bottle or two will be enough. The cost is \$1.00. Your money back if not satisfactory

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Stock can't twist them out of shape; can't make them sag nor break them down. The steels last forever and the boards last five times as long as in any all-wood gate. There are no nails to rust off, no wood joints to rot. They are the finest looking gates you can own.

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BANKING BUSINESS BOOMING ALONG

COMMISSIONER DOYLE'S LATEST REPORT SHOWS INCREASING ACTIVITY.

EIGHT NEW BANKS ORGANIZED SINCE JAN. 1.

Commissioner Doyle Gives Warning That the Practice of Lending Money to Directors and Officers Must Stop.

Commissioner of Banking E. H. Doyle issued a statement showing the condition of the 418 state banks and five trust companies at the close of business April 18.

Commissioner Doyle warns state banks who are making loans to their directors and officers. In this connection the report says:

"This practice, if permitted to continue, will eventually bring loss to depositors and stockholders. The department in the future will take a firm stand on this question, and will insist so far as it is possible upon the curtailment or elimination of the practice. Financial statements of directors and officers, and also of companies which they control or are prominently interested in, will be required in order that the department may be at all times advised as to whether or not unsafe conditions exist, or are likely to result in state banks on this account."

Usurious rates on loans is also taken up in the report and the commissioner of banking says along this line:

"Complaints have been recently received by the department against the practice pursued by certain banks in charging illegal and exorbitant rates of interest by demanding a bonus or premium from the borrower in addition to the legal rate of interest. The department has been obliged to insist upon the resignation of a bank official who had been charging abnormal bonuses, converting a portion of the proceeds to his own use. State banks are organized for the two-fold purpose of serving the community in which they are located, and paying the stockholders a fair rate of interest on their investment, and this can only be brought about by proper treatment of borrower and depositor. The law does not contemplate that state banks will pursue 'loan shark' methods. Prompt measures will be taken by the department in the future to stop this practice wherever it is found to exist."

Commissioner Doyle calls attention to those state banks which are in the habit of balancing their books before closing time. He says it will not be permitted in the future.

In an abstract of reports of conditions of state banks and trust companies, as of April 18, it is shown that since Feb. 20, 1912, date of the preceding report, deposits have increased \$5,378,888.95, while loans show a gain of \$8,352,330.96.

Since March 7, 1911, there has been a gain in deposits of \$39,724,992.07, while loans have increased \$37,468,962.85.

On April 18, 1912, Michigan state banks maintained a reserve of \$66,070,000, or 23.29 per cent of deposits constituting an excess over requirements of \$17,158,000.

Since Jan. 1 to May 18, eight new state banks have been organized with a total capital of \$247,000.

During the same period the examining staff of the banking department has made 340 examinations of state banks.

Here are the new state banks that were organized and admitted to do business in Michigan: The German-American State Bank, Saginaw, \$100,000; the Sunfield State Savings Bank, Sunfield, \$22,500; the State Savings Bank of Flat Rock, \$20,000; the Conklin Savings Bank, Conklin, \$20,000; the Commercial Savings Bank of Standish, \$20,000; the Algonac Savings Bank, Algonac, \$20,000; the Eau Claire State Bank, Eau Claire, \$20,000; and the Peoples State Bank of Bessemer, \$25,000.

During the period there were four banks in the state which consolidated with other banks. One bank, the State Savings Bank of Benton Harbor, was converted into a national bank.

Farmer Killed in Drunken Orgy.

Casimir Kelley, a Pole, residing about 10 miles east of Gaylord, was shot and killed in a drunken row in his home. Stanley Johnson, a brother-in-law, had stopped at the Kelley home with some groceries and alcohol. The alcohol being consumed the row started. Kelley getting his 38-caliber revolver. While he and Johnson were grappling with each other the gun was discharged.

Kelley is said to have been a very quarrelsome fellow whenever drinking and it is said he always sought his revolver when in a dispute of any kind.

H. J. Kennon, Kalamazoo, aged 35, was instantly killed when he fell from a 40-foot tower at the Monarch paper mill. Kennon was employed in removing the tower.

W. J. Ryan, a prominent Battle Creek insurance clerk, was robbed of \$200 by a pickpocket while he was trying to help solve the presidential delegation problem at Bay City. Half the money belonged to the Wisconsin Life Insurance Co., but Ryan will have to repay it.

Joseph Muerber, sentenced to Jackson from Detroit Feb. 2, 1904, for murder in the first degree, and Irvin Hump, who came May 1, 1911, from Detroit, for 25 years for manslaughter, were transferred to the asylum at Joliet.

MICHIGAN NEWS IN BRIEF

Plans have been accepted for the new school in Crystal Falls to cost \$105,000.

Plans were announced for a new state bank at Republic, to be capitalized at \$25,000.

Stakes have been driven in Allegan at the location of the various oil well sites. Operations will be started soon.

The quarterly report of Oil Inspector Neal shows that his department has turned \$3,209 into the state treasury above expenses.

The First Reformed church has been organized in Dunningville and work will be started at once on the erection of a new church.

The state board in control of the school for the deaf in Flint has increased the salaries of all teachers receiving less than \$1,000.

F. J. Witemeyer of Marquette, Wis., is organizing the First State Savings bank of Norway, Mich., which will have a capital stock of \$50,000.

A Masonic temple, a thing that has been needed for some time, is to be constructed in Romeo. Every prominent man in the village is a Mason.

The list of graduates of the University School of Music has been announced. The smallest number to receive diplomas in a number of years.

Jacob Ehler, a wealthy shoe merchant of Hancock, will be placed on trial at the May term of the circuit court for shooting Ernest Hendrickson.

Howard Wood, 18, was drowned when a canoe occupied by himself and another young man overturned at Lake Gogonic. The other boy escaped.

Mrs. W. H. Kenoyer, a club woman of Fair Plain, sat down in her favorite rocking chair in her home, turned on three gas jets and asphyxiated herself.

Three bridges are reported out at Farwell, Reed City and Clare. The Pere Marquette officials also report major washouts on the Port Austin division.

At a meeting of the striking corset makers in Kalamazoo it was voted to ask the next legislature to pass a bill allowing picketing under certain restrictions.

Managers of resorts and hotels met in Traverse City and organized an association for this district. Pres. S. Cummings, of Neatawana, was chosen president.

The annual reunion of the famous Loomis battery was held in Coldwater. Sixteen of the original members were present. Murry Tilton was chosen president.

The G. R. & I. Railway Co. will appeal to the U. S. circuit court of appeals against its conviction in the district court at Grand Rapids on 14 counts for rebating.

For the fourth time this year burglars were active in Richville, breaking into the Rogner Elevator Co.'s office and the Michigan Central station. They secured nothing.

Amos Musselman, of Grand Rapids, Fred C. Martindale, of Detroit, and Gov. Osborn will address the state letter carriers at their convention in Saginaw, May 30.

At the closing session of the laundrymen's convention in Flint, Battle Creek was selected for the next convention. John M. Ryan, of Kalamazoo, was chosen president for the year.

Rate Clerk Darwin, of the railroad commission, will meet representatives of the water companies in the state at Grand Rapids May 17 and attempt to formulate a uniform schedule.

Rudolph Nelson, 27, a fireman on the Mineral Range railroad track, was killed by being crushed beneath the tender when the locomotive broke away from the train, dropping him on the rails.

Marshall horse owners are at a loss to know what is causing the wholesale death of animals in that community. Local veterinarians cannot diagnose the disease, which seems to be contagious.

Efforts are being made to obtain the release of the striking corset makers sentenced for violating the picketing injunction. Miss Josephine Casey, the leader of the girls, is ill. Picketing continues at the plant.

On complaint of Grand Ledge parties, Prosecuting Attorney McPeck, in Eaton county, has ordered all dice games and gambling devices in the county closed. It was alleged that children were allowed to frequent such places.

The first session of the I. O. O. F. state encampment in Port Huron opened with the election of the following officers: President, Gen. Fred W. Davis, Detroit; vice-president, Capt. J. H. Hartford, Port Huron; treasurer, Col. Henry E. Bazley, Detroit.

Saginaw physicians, with the aid of the X-ray, removed a button from the throat of Emma Freeman, a 3-year-old Bates child. The button had been lodged in the child's throat for several months, and its life had been despaired of for several weeks.

Fond du Lac hopes to be represented at the regatta on Lake Winnebago this year. The event is an annual affair under the auspices of the Oshkosh Yacht club. An attempt is being made to raise \$1,000 for the purchase of a class A racer to represent Fond du Lac.

A bank will be organized in Chassell with capital stock of \$20,000.

Evidence that Upper Michigan is making progress agriculturally, even if slowly, is seen in the fact that two grist mills are to be added to the seven plants of that kind already established in the region. One of these is to be built at Newberry. Luce county, the business men having agreed to furnish a free site and 15 per cent of the required cash. The other plant is to be established in Ironwood township, Gogebic county, and will be a co-operative enterprise of the farmers of the district. Both mills will produce flour next winter.

RICHESON PAYS PENALTY OF DEATH

SLAYER OF AVIS LINNELL INSTANTLY KILLED WHEN CURRENT IS APPLIED

EXECUTED AT 12:17 TUESDAY MORNING IN BOSTON

Went to the Chair Smiling. "I Forgive Everybody" Were His Final Words as Current was Applied

Clarence V. T. Richeson confessed murderer of Avis Linnell and a former Baptist preacher, was put to death by electricity in Charlestown state prison early Tuesday morning. At 12:10:02 o'clock the electrician threw a lever that sent a powerful current of electricity through the condemned man's body as he sat strapped in the death chair. The first shock caused instant death, and after an examination by the physician in attendance, Richeson was pronounced legally dead at 12:17:15 a. m.

Meets Death Calmly

Richeson went to his death with composure, as he said he would do. He stepped from his cell into the corridor and through a door into the death chamber. When he had taken 13 paces he was in front of the electric chair. He took his seat in it and the straps and electrodes were quickly put in place. The four guards who had accompanied him from his cell, and Chaplin Stebbins who preceded him into the room, stepped back. Warden Bridges raised his cane as a signal, and in the next second Richeson's spirit had left his body.

Richeson walked to the chair erect, eyes straight ahead, until he sat down. Then he closed his eyes and kept them shut until the end.

Seated in the chair, he was asked a series of questions by Pastor Herbert S. Johnson, of Warren Avenue Baptist church, his spiritual adviser.

During his answers he said: "God will take of my soul and I pray for all I forgive everybody." The last question was: "Are you willing to die for Jesus' sake?" The reply, in an even well-formulated tone, was simply, "I am willing to die."

The current applied was of 1900 volts, eight amperes.

Kalamazoo Corset Makers' Strike.

There is an imminent possibility that the state troops will be called out for action in the Kalamazoo corset makers' strike before the week is out, as local authorities fear they will be unable to cope with the situation as a result of a mass meeting of unionists at which it was decided to place 100 men on picket duty at the plant of the Kalamazoo Corset Co., where the strike is in effect.

The unionists resolved to place the men on picket duty at the corset factory regardless of the fact that the court has issued an injunction restraining both strikers and sympathizers from so doing. The unionists declare they will gladly go to jail for the cause. The sheriff has prepared for trouble by swearing in extra deputies. A committee of unionists has been selected to meet and consider the calling of a general strike.

Labor officials say they exercised every possible means to prevent the members of the union from taking a hand in the strike situation, but in spite of this the members insisted they were ready and willing to take up picket work, in violation of the injunction, and abide by the result.

There are more than 2,200 trade unionists in Kalamazoo and they are exceedingly bitter over the imprisonment of the 12 corset strikers.

Cripple Ties Self to Stove, Inhales Gas.

Edward A. Graham, 46, and a cripple, ended his life in Lansing by inhaling gas. Graham has been afflicted with locomotor ataxia for nine years. He has been forced to occupy a wheel chair all of this time.

He wheeled his chair up to the gas range in the kitchen and tied the chair to the stove with a towel so that it could not roll back as he leaned forward. He then turned on several of the burners and placed his mouth over one of them. He expired in a few minutes.

Rep. McLaughlin Gets the Money.

Aided in the senate by Senator Townsend, Congressman J. C. McLaughlin of Muskegon, Mich., has had the appropriation for his pet agricultural measure, farm management extension work, increased from \$251,000 to \$500,000.

But for the quickness of Congressman McLaughlin and the energy of Senator Townsend, the increase would have been granted by the senate in such a way as to debar northern states from all participation in the use of the added money.

Methodists Stand Pat on Amusements.

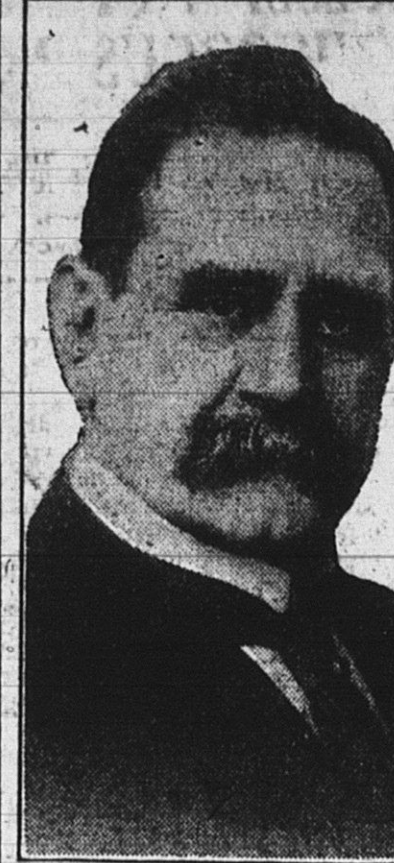
By an aye and nay vote of 446 to 305 the Methodist delegates voted not to accept the minority report of the committee on state of church which provided for the striking out of that paragraph of the discipline which prohibits dancing and kindred amusements. The majority report, which favored the retention of the paragraph, then was adopted.

Malcolm E. Dodge, who graduated from the U. of M. two years ago, shot himself in Lawton, Okla., because his fiancée married a titled Englishman.

At a meeting of Port Huron's city commission it was decided to investigate the epidemic of typhoid fever which has been raging in this city for several weeks. An outside expert will be employed.

After a deliberation of nearly 23 hours the jury which heard the malfeasance case in Allegan, against Deputy Sheriff Frank Salisbury, of Ottawa county, was discharged, being unable to reach an agreement.

JACOB M. DICKINSON.



Judge Dickinson, former secretary of war, is special prosecutor in charge of the government's case in the suit to dissolve the United States Steel corporation.

FLASHES FROM WIRE.

Champ Clark carried the Democratic primaries in Nevada by more than 5 to 1 over Woodrow Wilson.

Mrs. Clarence L. Blakely, of New York, was elected in Boston president-general of the Daughters of the Revolution.

Luther E. Hall took the oath of office as governor of Louisiana Monday. He succeeds J. Y. Sanders, who will retire to private life.

Passenger cars on the Illinois Central railroad, which heretofore have been marked "private," will be known in the future as "official cars."

The drydock originally built to repair ships of the Spanish navy in Havana, reached New York after an uneventful trip from Pensacola.

Army officers who wear eye glasses for any purposes other than reading will be barred from the aeronautical division of the signal corps in the future.

A 25 per cent advance in the price of milk, which would bring the retail price in Boston to 11 or 12 cents a quart, is predicted for this fall by milk producers.

Gedro Tamassazitis of Grand Rapids is under arrest charged with attempting to murder his wife and Claude Janiski, both of whom he beat with a broken beer mug.

The Bethlehem Steel Co. has filed notice with the state authorities of Pennsylvania of an authorized increase of its capital stock from \$29,500,000 to \$79,500,000.

Japan is to adopt the juvenile court system as instituted and conducted by Judge Ben B. Lindsey of Denver, according to Shingua Montoji, conciliator of justice in Japan.

Of \$400,000 left by Wm. F. Newcomb, Cleveland's "millionaire hermit," about \$100,000 will go to a fund to care for the poor of Black Torrington, England, his birthplace.

Mrs. John D. Rockefeller attended services in the Fifth Avenue Baptist church, New York, Sunday. It was her first appearance in the church since she had pneumonia two years ago.

Bishop I. B. Scott of the Methodist Episcopal church, the only negro bishop of that organization, was principal speaker at the general conference in Kansas City of the African Methodist church.

Miss Grace Dodge of New York, president of the National Board of the Young Women's Christian association, officiated at the dedication of the association's new \$250,000 building in St. Louis, Mo.

Lincoln memorial hall, the latest addition to the buildings of the temperance, industrial and collegiate institute was dedicated in Claremont, Va., with elaborate exercises, presided over by Gov. Mann.

Word has been received at the headquarters of the Panama-Pacific international exposition that Costa Rica will send an exhibit in 1915, making the eighth nation that has thus far accepted invitations.

The senate has agreed to meet at noon from now until the end of the session instead of 2 p. m. Senator Gallinger said that this action was necessary to bring about adjournment "at some reasonable time of the year."

Five people employed at the Flint Baking Co.'s plant narrowly escaped injury when a wall gave way in the room where they were working. They were warned by a rumbling, just in time to escape. The accident was due to an excavation.

Miss Jane Addams, leader of Hull house, speaking before the club in Chicago, on the subject, "The Newer Aspects of the Peace Movement," discussed international peace, and pointed out as imminent necessity in the progress and evolution of civilization.

The house has refused to appropriate money for a contribution by the United States toward the maintenance of the bureau of international arbitration in Brussels.

A joint resolution was submitted by Senator Crawford of South Dakota, an insurgent, proposing an amendment to the constitution. It changes the clauses relating to the judiciary.

The resolution provides that justices of the United States supreme court may hold their position during good behavior, those of all inferior courts for a period of 10 years.

ROOSEVELT 20, TAFT 14, 8 IN DOUBT

LATEST RETURNS SHOW COLONEL LEADING PRESIDENT IN THE STATE PRIMARIES BY OVER 17,000

RESULT OF ELECTION IN OHIO IS MUCH MIXED

Harmon Apparently has Won 26 of 42 Delegates to Democratic National Convention, Wilson 16

Columbus, O.—Complete Republican returns from 1,325 precincts out of 5,192 in the State give Roosevelt delegates a total of 59,054 and Taft delegates 41,435.

Out of 21 Congressional districts in the state, totals computed at a time when fewer than half of the precincts were counted indicated that Roosevelt will have 20 of the 42 district delegates and that Taft will have 14, while the returns are so incomplete that eight delegates at present cannot be counted by either side.

Apparently Mr. Taft has the first second, sixth, seventh, eighth, thirteenth and fifteenth. Mr. Roosevelt is believed that he won the delegates in the fourth, fifth, tenth, eleventh, twelfth, fourteenth, seventeenth, nineteenth, twentieth and twenty-first. The vote in the third is very close as it is in the ninth and sixteenth. Friends of President Taft declare he has carried the eighteenth but Roosevelt supporters will not concede this. The eighteenth is on the eastern border of the state and returns have been very slow.

Senator LaFollette received a larger vote than state politicians had predicted for him getting a considerable fraction of the vote cast in the northern end of the state including Cleveland.

Gov. Wilson, like Col. Roosevelt was given the biggest vote in the city of Cleveland and the surrounding counties. Gov. Harmon polled a heavy vote in Columbus, the capital, and also in his home city, Cincinnati. Mayor Baker, however in a statement issued by him at Cleveland, insisted that Gov. Wilson had carried Ohio by a vote of two to one.

Apparently Gov. Harmon has carried 13 out of the 21 districts giving him 26 of the 42 delegates to the national convention. If this proves true, it also will give him the six delegates at large from the state. In the call of the Democratic convention, it is stipulated that the winner of the primary should name the delegates at large.

Gov. Wilson's managers claim the first, fourth, fifth, eighth, ninth, twentieth and twenty-first districts. The Harmon men declare that beyond doubt they had won the second, third, sixth, seventh, tenth, eleventh, thirteenth, fourteenth, fifteenth, seventeenth, eighteenth and nineteenth districts. The twelfth and sixteenth were not claimed by either side.

FLOYD ALLEN IS GUILTY.

Outlaw in Despair When Jury Finds First Degree Verdict.

Floyd Allen, member of the gang that shot up the Hillville court house and killed five persons, including judge, sheriff and prosecutor, is held guilty of murder in the first degree by the jury in Wytheville, Va. Floyd was tried for the murder of William M. Foster, the prosecutor. He was being sentenced last March for assaulting an officer, when the Allen men in the court room began firing at the court officers to free the prisoner. Floyd ran from the room, but was later captured, along with other members of the gang. The gang leader, Sid Allen, is still at large.

The jury was out all night.

155,000 Refugees Fed by U. S. Army.

Ernest P. Biehnel, national director of the Red Cross, will return to the flooded Mississippi valley flood region because of reports that refugees are in great want. The army is now feeding 155,000 persons daily, one of the largest relief tasks ever undertaken.

Largest Dreadnaught Launched.

With the launching at Newport News, Va., of the superdreadnaught Texas the American navy counted as its proud possession the biggest and the most powerful battleship the world has ever seen.

Iron River will have a new city hall which will cost \$10,000.

President Taft in a letter to the New York Lawyer's association indorses the association's crusade for an increase in the salaries of federal judges.

Twenty men cashiers in the auditor's office of the New York Telephone Co. have been put on outside work and their places given to women. The company says women are more reliable than men in handling large sums of money.

Five students were burned to death Saturday when a fire destroyed the main building of the Creek and Seminole Indian college in Boley, Okla. None of the victims was more than 19 years old.

The appointment of women to the police force has been authorized by Mayor Shank of Indianapolis.

The general land office has decided that the so-called Freed coal land entries in Utah should be cancelled. Entries in 1906 on 4,000 acres of coal lands by Charles M. Freed and 25 others resulted in charges of conspiracy.

The attention of the district attorneys in Brooklyn and New York has been called to the fact that there has been a general failure of the candidates on the March primary ballots to file certificates showing their election expenses.

HUNDREDS ARE HOMELESS

Floods Cover 7,500 Square Miles of Louisiana Lands.

With approximately 7,500 square miles of Louisiana's lands inundated by the Mississippi floor waters and more than 100,000 inhabitants driven from their homes in the parishes west of the river from the Arkansas line almost to the gulf, the most serious evasive of the present disastrous flood—Hymelia—promises to add another thousand square miles or more to the overflowed territory, make homeless thousands of persons and add millions of damage to the property damage done within the state. Although part or all of 24 parishes have been swept by the floods the list of known human victims is less than 40.

Ben Reitman Bears a Brand.

The rage of citizens of San Diego, Cal., against Industrial Workers of the World was vented against Dr. Ben Reitman, manager of Emma Goldman. He was taken to a ranch near the city by the citizens' committee which has been deporting industrial workers, tarred and feathered and branded with the letters "I. W. W." burned into his back with a lighted cigar.

Miss Goldman was ordered to leave town. She did. Both now are in Los Angeles.

"Dry" Forces Preparing for 1914.

Local option forces are quietly making plans to bring Ingham county back into the dry column two years from now. Lansing has been very lively since the saloons returned, and the optionists claim that many wet voters wish they had a chance to re-express themselves, saying that they would vote dry. In 11 days there were 120 arraignments in the local justice court, of whom 113 were drunks. During the first seven days Lansing was wet there were 67 drunks arrested.

THE MARKETS.

LIVE STOCK.

Detroit.—Cattle.—Receipts for the week, 1,037; market closed strong at Thursday's level. Choice, \$8.00; best choice, \$8.50; light to good, \$7.50; mixed, \$7.00; common, \$6.50; canners, \$5.50; common, \$5.00; mixed, \$4.50; common, \$4.00; canners, \$3.50; mixed, \$3.00; common, \$2.50; canners, \$2.00; mixed, \$1.50; common, \$1.00; canners, \$0.50; mixed, \$0.25; common, \$0.10; canners, \$0.05; mixed, \$0.02; common, \$0.01.

East Buffalo.—Cattle.—Receipts, 350 head; market active, strong; prime steers, \$5.50; best choice, \$6.00; light to good, \$5.00; mixed, \$4.50; common, \$4.00; canners, \$3.50; mixed, \$3.00; common, \$2.50; canners, \$2.00; mixed, \$1.50; common, \$1.00; canners, \$0.50; mixed, \$0.25; common, \$0.10; canners, \$0.05; mixed, \$0.02; common, \$0.01.

GRAIN, ETC.

Detroit.—Wheat.—Cash and May 2, 1912, \$1.14; July opened without change at \$1.14; advanced to \$1.15; advanced to \$1.16; advanced to \$1.17; advanced to \$1.18; advanced to \$1.19; advanced to \$1.20; advanced to \$1.21; advanced to \$1.22; advanced to \$1.23; advanced to \$1.24; advanced to \$1.25; advanced to \$1.26; advanced to \$1.27; advanced to \$1.28; advanced to \$1.29; advanced to \$1.30; advanced to \$1.31; advanced to \$1.32; advanced to \$1.33; advanced to \$1.34; advanced to \$1.35; advanced to \$1.36; advanced to \$1.37; advanced to \$1.38; advanced to \$1.39; advanced to \$1.40; advanced to \$1.41; advanced to \$1.42; advanced to \$1.43; advanced to \$1.44; advanced to \$1.45; advanced to \$1.46; advanced to \$1.47; advanced to \$1.48; advanced to \$1.49; advanced to \$1.50; advanced to \$1.51; advanced to \$1.52; advanced to \$1.53; advanced to \$1.54; advanced to \$1.55; advanced to \$1.56; advanced to \$1.57; advanced to \$1.58; advanced to \$1.59; advanced to \$1.60; advanced to \$1.61; advanced to \$1.62; advanced to \$1.63; advanced to \$1.64; advanced to \$1.65; advanced to \$1.66; advanced to \$1.67; advanced to \$1.68; advanced to \$1.69; advanced to \$1.70; advanced to \$1.71; advanced to \$1.72; advanced to \$1.73; advanced to \$1.74; advanced to \$1.75; advanced to \$1.76; advanced to \$1.77; advanced to \$1.78; advanced to \$1.79; advanced to \$1.80; advanced to \$1.81; advanced to \$1.82; advanced to \$1.83; advanced to \$1.84; advanced to \$1.85; advanced to \$1.86; advanced to \$1.87; advanced to \$1.88; advanced to \$1.89; advanced to \$1.90; advanced to \$1.91; advanced to \$1.92; advanced to \$1.93; advanced to \$1.94; advanced to \$1.95; advanced to \$1.96; advanced to \$1.97; advanced to \$1.98; advanced to \$1.99; advanced to \$2.00; advanced to \$2.01; advanced to \$2.02; advanced to \$2.03; advanced to \$2.04; advanced to \$2.05; advanced to \$2.06; advanced to \$2.07; advanced to \$2.08; advanced to \$2.09; advanced to \$2.10; advanced to \$2.11; advanced to

Health & Beauty Hints

By Katherine Morton

"Please write something about treatments for disfigured finger nails. Mine are very tender and ugly from a long course of housework, but now I've got some help I want to improve my hands."

"A COUNTRY READER."

The working housekeeper's hands have many injurious influences to encounter, but the very worst of them is the constant immersion in water which dishwashing and other cleaning up involve. Rapid changes from hot to cold water, and the reverse, are very hard on the hands, the changes of temperature making the nails brittle and scoring them with the ridges so often seen on much-used hands. The texture of the skin is also coarsened, while the soaps used in all forms of housework, being full of alkali, may so attack the delicate flesh about the nails as to loosen them. So a proper care of the nails certainly means a proper care of all the hands, and it is easy enough to protect them when doing some forms of coarse work. There are heavy white cotton gloves for sweeping and dusting which cost only ten cents a pair. Before putting these on, the palms and nails should be greased with olive oil or vaseline, either unguent rubbed well into the skin and all about the nail scarf. The gloves should also be regularly washed, for when they are grimed with dirt they are certainly useless for beautifying purposes.

With these gloves and a mop, dishes and cooking utensils may be washed without injury to the hands, or, if preferred, rubber gloves could be used for the dishwashing.

The first care of hands injured with housework begins with the cleansing bath, with soft water barely more than tepid, and the soap of a very good sort. If the water used is hard, soften it with a teaspoonful of borax, and before using the soap shave it up and boil it down to a jelly. Get a cake of good old castile for the purpose, and after the soap is dissolved, stir in about half a cup of benzoin, stirring it well into the jelly. Begin the bath by wetting the hands, and then rub the jelly on them, working the hands together in the usual way when using soap. Wash off in one water and then rinse in another of the same temperature, drying the hands at once on a clean, soft towel.

Such a hand bath should be taken every night before going to bed, and when the hands are dry some unguent must be rubbed at, once over and about the nails—either olive oil or vaseline, as hitherto stated. As numerous baths, even with the best soap and softest water, are not always good for sensitive nails and delicate skin, it is wise to clean the hands several times during the day with olive oil or palm oil; if the hands are well rubbed with either of these, then dusted with talcum powder, and wiped off with a coarse and yet soft towel, the soil will be entirely removed. Coarsened nails are much improved, too, by the wearing of loose old white kid gloves, both during the day and at night, while the regular gloves worn should also be fairly loose and of a soft leather such as chamol or doeskin.

KATHERINE MORTON.

Social Forms and Entertainments



Budget From "Newly Wed."

I am a very interested reader of all your good advice and suggestions to the many asking aid from you. May I, too, ask a few questions? Am just married and moved into our dear little bungalow, and look to you for advice. For which foods are finger bowls used, and does a finger bowl stand in a glass plate? When are the finger bowls placed on the table? When individual salt dishes are placed on the table with salt spoons, is the salt conveyed to the plate with small spoon? Please give me a recipe for a fruit salad containing grapefruit and one without, also a cabbage salad recipe, if not too much trouble for you. In having cards printed shall I have my husband's name on my card, such as "Mrs. H. B. Jones" (or Harry B.)? Is it good taste to have a door plate with name on our new home?—V. G. N.

Finger bowls are necessary when fruit is served or corn on the cob, and many hostesses have them brought in with the dessert service or after it. Each bowl rests on a glass plate to match or on a china plate on top of a fine finger bowl dolly. The salt spoon is used by the individual to put the salt on his plate. I cannot take the limited space to write out recipes unless for some very unusual dish that will be a novelty. What you wish will be found in any up-to-date cook book. Your cards should be engraved with your husband's full name. Door plates are seldom used now.

From "N. B. D."

Will you kindly answer through the paper whether it is proper to bring a box of candy or chocolates when taking a lady to the theater? Also which side should a gentleman be on (right or left of lady) in escorting her across the ballroom floor, and on which side should he seat himself?—N. B. D.

There is nothing improper about taking a box of candy to the theater, but it should be eaten during the play, and not during the intermission. A man walks at the left of a lady and sits at her left, offering his right arm when occasion requires it.

Glove Etiquette.

Is it necessary to remove the glove before shaking hands? Are there certain occasions when this is or is not necessary?—"WAITING."

If a man should be working and have on heavy soiled gloves he should remove them before shaking hands, otherwise it is not necessary.

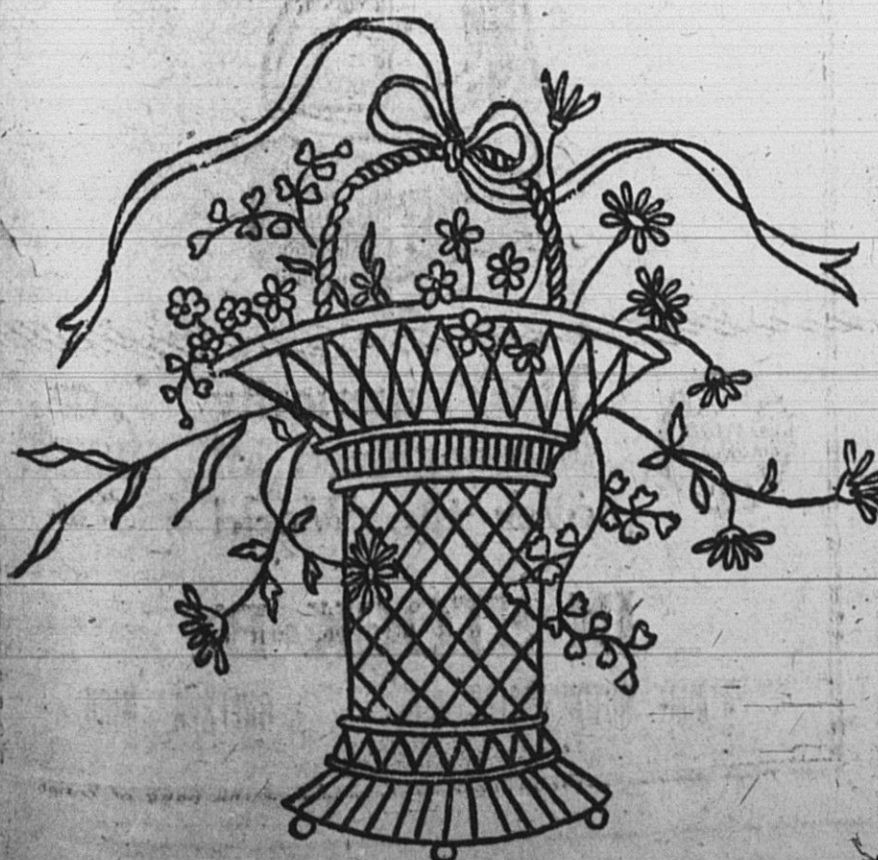
MADAME MERRI.

Breeze Baskets.

The bedroom that is redolent of the old-fashioned scent of lavender suggests refreshment and peace. It is not enough to line the wardrobe shelves with lavender sachets, though to do so is a step in the right direction.

Very pretty are the hanging "breeze" baskets which every breath of air from the outside encourages to send forth a delicious scent. The baskets are hung upon ribbon and slung upon the looking glass or upon the handle of an escritoire, out of sight maybe, but not out of mind.

Pretty Decoration for the Handkerchief or Glove Case



A white silk glove or handkerchief case may be charmingly decorated with this little basket, worked in colors. The daisies are worked solid in white with yellow centers; the forget-me-nots in blue with yellow centers, and the leaves and ferns in green. The stems are done in the outline stitch in green. The basket is also worked in the outline stitch in pink, shade of brown, and the ribbon is done in the solid satin stitch in pink, blue, lavender or green. Use flat foot for the embroidery.

The Kitchen Cabinet



It's a great thing, O my brethren, for a fellow just to lay his hand upon your shoulder in a friendly sort of way!

—Riley.

TRIFLES LIGHT AS AIR.

During the warm weather desserts are more fitting that appeal to the eye and are so light that they do not tax the digestion. Most people, especially those of the masculine gender, feel that they have had no dinner if they are deprived of a dessert. It behooves the cook to see that a dessert appropriate to the meal is served.

Company Apples.—Pare and core eight apples. Arrange in a baking dish, fill the cavities with apple jelly and chopped raisins. Cook until tender, basting with sugar water and lemon juice. Ten minutes before removing from the oven decorate with quarters of almonds blanched.

Snow Puffs.—Cream a half cup of butter, add a cup of sugar, two and a half cups of flour, a half teaspoonful of salt, three teaspoonfuls of baking powder and a half cup of sweet milk. Beat well and fold in four stiffly beaten whites. Steam forty-five minutes in buttered cups. Serve with strawberry sauce.

Italian Cream.—Soak two tablespoonfuls of gelatine in a fourth of a cup of cold water, scald two cups of milk, cool and add the yolks of three eggs well beaten, a pinch of salt and a fourth of a cup of sugar; cook until thick, add the gelatine, chill, and as the mixture thickens the whites of three eggs well beaten. Mold and serve. Any flavoring may be used, coffee, canton ginger, chocolate or fruit juices.

Bavarian Cream.—Soak two tablespoonfuls of gelatine in a fourth of a cup of cold water, dissolve in a fourth of a cup of hot cream; add a half cup of sugar and the whip from a pint of cream when the mixture begins to thicken. Do not stir, but cut and fold in the cream. Flavor with vanilla and mold.

Chocolate Junket.—Melt an ounce of chocolate (a square), add three tablespoonfuls of boiling water. Crush a spoonful of gelatin and dissolve in a tablespoonful of cold water. Warm a quart of milk until just lukewarm, add a fourth of a cup of sugar and a teaspoonful of vanilla and the melted chocolate and junket, and pour into serving cups.



IF YOU have a friend and you love him well. Let my advice on your friendship glimmer. Print all his faults in nonpareil. But publish his virtues in big long primer. —Robt. Burdette.

MEMORY JOGS.

Plain walls are best for a small room and a good background for pictures.

Dates stuffed with left-over icing flavored with lemon juice, are a most acceptable sweetmeat. Good for the lunch box.

If you have a faded paper, with no red or runny colors, a coat of calcimine over it will make a fresh wall decoration.

Plain white cheesecloth with a strip of some color to harmonize with the room makes most dainty curtains for a bedroom.

Left-overs cannot be carelessly seasoned and be at all palatable. They need more careful seasoning than do the fresh dishes.

If you have an unsightly fence or building, cover it with the wild cucumber vine. It will grow in sun or shade, and is a graceful vine, adding beauty to any place.

Don't throw away a little left-over boiled frosting, as it can be kept soft if set in hot water. A few nuts and raisins chopped added to it and drop on wafers, bake to a light brown, and you have a nice little cake to serve with a cup of tea.

Did you ever notice that we usually do the things we want very much to do? We are bound to find time for them. Are you house-cleaning and the violets in bloom? Just keep in mind that dirt we always have with us, but violets come but once a year.

Keep an eye out for the delicious mushroom, learn a few and have a dainty dish served at least once a week. Early in May the bonny little caps appear with their frills of pink and lavender, and they last until the freezing frosts of the autumn.

Nellie Maxwell.

Their Fate. "What became of the two clerks you had here named Gunn and Ball?" "A similar and appropriate fate overtook them both."

What was it? "Gunn was fired and Ball was bounced."

The Ruling Passion. Did you ever know a man so prosperous he wasn't figuring how he could make a little money off a side line?—Aitchison Globe.

Soon. Money talks, but the world soon gets a poor opinion of the man who lets his money do all the talking.

NECESSITY OF FREQUENT AND VIGOROUS PRUNING OF TREES

In Order to Preserve Symmetrical Form and to Prevent Fruit Being Borne at Extremity of the Long, Slender Branches, Careful Heading-in Is of Much Importance.

(By L. C. CORBETT.)

During the early years of the life of both ornamental and fruit trees a vigorous use of the pruning knife is frequently necessary. Trees normally make much longer, natural growth during the first ten years of their existence than later. For this reason, in order to preserve a symmetrical form and to prevent the fruit being borne at the extremity of long, slender, branches, careful heading-in is necessary. With pears and apples the main body branches left at planting, time should not be more than eight inches long. At the close of the first season, when pruning time arrives, the growth of that year should again be shortened to at least one foot and each of the main body branches should be allowed to carry not to exceed three subdivisions, each of which should be, eight inches long. The third year the same operation should be repeated and instead of allowing each subdivision to carry three branches the number should be reduced to two. The arrangement of these branches should in all cases be based upon the same principles as the arrangement of the branches on the main body of the tree.

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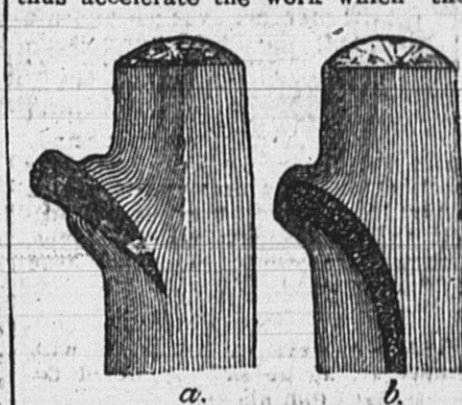
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noticed that when branches are cut at a certain distance from their origin, the stub which is left invariably dies, decay follows, finally the rot of a stub breaks off close to its origin, and a cup, which catches the rain, is left. This is also an attractive spot to many birds and rodents which are fond of nesting in such places. They assist the natural decay by excavating, and thus accelerate the work which the



Progress of Decay Due to Improper Pruning. a, Dead Stub; b, Decay of Heart.

elements have begun. The result is that the branch which was removed for the purpose of lengthening the life of the tree and to improve its appearance has in reality been the direct cause of its early destruction.

The decay in the stub which breaks off near its origin does not stop at that point, but the factors which have been the cause of its decay and death continue their work upon the heartwood of the plant, until the hollow trunk of the tree only remains.

On the other hand, if the branch is removed at another point the wound is rapidly covered by new growth, and in the course of two or three seasons it is practically impossible to determine where the branch formerly appeared. These results, which are so important to the life of the tree and to the success of the plantation, whether ornamental or economic, are well understood by all plant physiologists.

The stub which is left when the branch is removed, if cut off at some distance above its origin, invariably decays and leaves a hollow branch, while the branch which is cut off close to its origin almost invariably heals quickly, the new growth covering the wound.

GOOD SANITARY HOG WALLOWS

Nothing Is Better for All Swine During Summer Months Than Reasonably Clean Water.

(By JOHN H. DUNLAP.) There are objections to the filthy mud holes that hogs often make to wallow in, but there is nothing better for hogs of all ages during the summer months than reasonably clean water. I find that my cement hog wallow is one of the most satisfactory improvements I have ever put on the farm.

It is situated near a storage tank that is fed by a wind pump, and is directly over an eight-inch drain. The water is allowed to flow through the hog wallow and out into the tile, so it is always pure enough for the hogs to drink. I have never had any sickness among them in the last 14 years that I have used this method.

I find that the hogs get great satisfaction from lying down and wallowing, except in the winter, at which season they are content to drink from the sides. My cement wallow is ten feet long, five feet wide and twelve inches deep, inside measurements, and has a cement floor several feet wide beyond each side, so that the wallow will not get so muddy. Though the hogs manage to carry some mud to it, I find that it can be cleaned out very easily every few weeks.

A wallow of this kind is very useful in exterminating the lice on hogs; this can be done by stopping the outlet and the inlet and using any standard disinfectant or crude oil. The crude oil stays on top of the water and has the same effect as if used in a dipping tank. With the use of the disinfectant the hogs get the benefits both externally and internally.

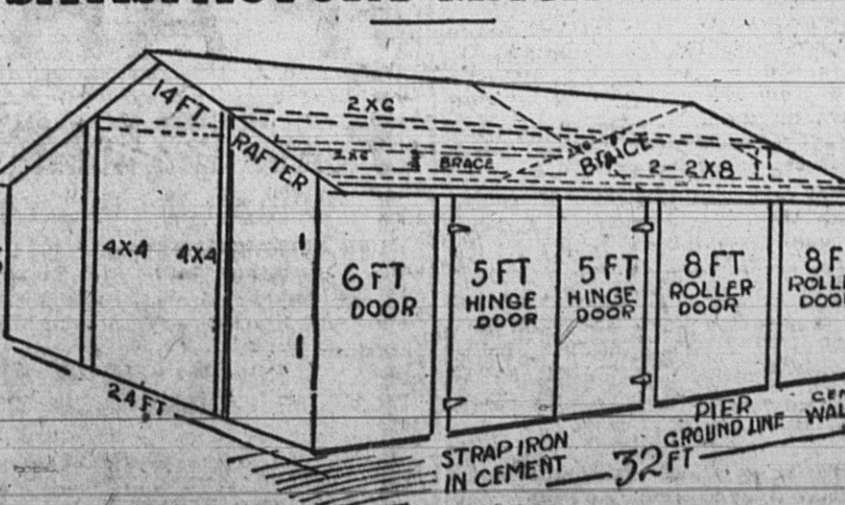
Some authorities object to giving hogs all the water they want during the summer months, but I have never found any ill effects from allowing hogs of all ages all the water they can drink at all times.

A Garden Pond. A garden pond is sometimes a thing of beauty and is certainly a thing of joy to the birds all summer long, but it brings the mosquitoes. A dozen gold fish placed in the water will take care of most of the mosquitoes, and they will add to the attractiveness of the pond.

A border of well selected stones next to the water and just outside of them a few aquatic plants, will also help. Very often frogs are attracted to these little ponds and will help the fish take care of the mosquitoes, and sometimes they become quite tame and make their winter bed in the mud, and are ready to greet us in the spring with their songs—if you like to call them that.

Danger of Drilling Manure. Never drill strong fertilizer, like sheep or poultry manure, in the rows next to the seed. Better plan to work it into the ground before planting, or in rows after the plants appear, and not close enough so it will touch.

SATISFACTORY MACHINE SHED



As the result of our reference to a machine shed W. H. Dunning sends in his plan, says the "Orange Judd Farmer." Selecting a well-drained spot with a south front, the best angles that could be procured were used for the roof of the shed and the sides are shiplap up and down, which will paint.

The front is all doors and no sill to lift over. There is only one hinge door; the hinges being set in enough so that the roller doors will pass on a track nailed onto the 2x8 plate before the roof is put on. Use as short a roller as possible, so it will roll under the eaves.

After passing the door there is a space 16x24 feet, so that it is not necessary to move everything to get what is wanted. The heavy machinery will go through the ten-foot door and can be taken in and out with a team. This shed may be built longer and the same kind of doors used without more hinges doors.

CAMPAIGN IS HAVING EFFECT

Already the Death Rate From Tuberculosis Is Showing a Gratifying Decrease.

In certain cities, such as New York, Boston, Cleveland and Chicago, and in states like Massachusetts, Rhode Island and Connecticut, the decline in the death rate from tuberculosis is more marked than in the country at large, which declined 18.7 per cent in the ten years from 1901 to 1910. The National Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis says that there are many factors working together to cause the decline in the tuberculosis death rate, such factors as the change in the character of our urban population, increased sanitation and better housing, but probably as potent a factor as any has been the nation wide anti-tuberculosis campaign. "It may be foretold with considerable certainty," the association says, "that when the effects of the present rapidly increasing provision for the care of tuberculosis patients shall have become evident, the decline in the death rate from consumption in the coming decade will be even more marked than that in the last one."

It may take a lot of cheek to kiss a girl, but most girls are willing to furnish the cheek.

That irritable, nervous condition due to a bad liver calls for its natural antidote—Garfield Tea.

Never exaggerate your faults; your friends will attend to that.

WOMAN SICK TWELVE YEARS

Wants Other Women to Know How She Was Finally Restored to Health.

Louisiana, Mo.:—"I think a woman naturally dislikes to make her troubles known to the public, but complete restoration to health means so much to me that I cannot keep from telling mine for the sake of other suffering women."

"I had been sick about twelve years, and had eleven doctors. I had dragging down pains, pains at monthly periods, bilious spells, and was getting worse all the time. I would hardly get over one spell when I would be sick again. No tongue can tell what I suffered from cramps, and at times I could hardly walk. The doctors said I might die at one of those times, but I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and got better right away. Your valuable medicine is worth more than mountains of gold to suffering women."—Mrs. BERTHA MUFF, 603 N. 4th Street, Louisiana, Mo.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from native roots and herbs, contains no narcotic or harmful drugs, and to-day holds the record of being the most successful remedy for female ills we know of, and thousands of voluntary testimonials on file in the Pinkham laboratory at Lynn, Mass., seem to prove this fact.

If you want special advice write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (confidential) Lynn, Mass. Your letter will be opened, read and answered by a woman and held in strict confidence.

Take in Time the proper help to rid your system of the poisonous bile which causes headaches, flatulence and discomfort. By common consent the proper—and the best—help is

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PARKER'S HAIR BALM Changes thin, falling hair to thick, growing hair. It is the best hair dressing for men and women. It is the best hair dressing for men and women. It is the best hair dressing for men and women.

It is just as well to remember that a woman's shoe laces are almost as easily broken as her heart strings.

Professional Bias. "We're having very dry weather." "That's because our weather man is too much interested in local option."

Red Cross Ball Blue gives double value for your money, goes twice as far as any other. Ask your grocer.

To stay young or to grow young, Garfield Tea can help. It rejuvenates both in looks and energy.

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PERSONAL MENTION.

Conrad Lehman spent Monday in Detroit.

Cleon Wolf was a Jackson visitor Sunday.

George Wackenhut was in Jackson Saturday.

Miss Mary Kolb spent Sunday in Ypsilanti.

Mrs. Sarah Smith was a Jackson visitor Monday.

Miss Erma Huber visited Jackson friends Sunday.

Louis Arbour spent Tuesday with friends in Chelsea.

Carl Storm, of Ann Arbor, spent Tuesday in Chelsea.

John Kalmbach was in Ypsilanti Monday on business.

Mrs. A. A. Schoen is visiting relatives in Dayton, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. McLaren were in Ann Arbor Tuesday.

Mrs. Hattie Wedemeyer was a Jackson visitor Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Trouten were Jackson visitors Sunday.

Harry O'Brien, of Detroit, visited Chelsea friends Sunday.

John Dunn and Donald Bacon were Jackson visitors Sunday.

John Miller, of Chicago, is visiting his sisters here this week.

James Foster, of Detroit, spent Sunday with friends here.

Miss Ella Slinger was in Ann Arbor Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Fannie Rowe, of Saline, spent Tuesday with Chelsea friends.

Mr. and Mrs. George Beckwith were Lansing visitors Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Schneider, of Lodi, were Chelsea visitors Sunday.

Innocent Rademacher, of Detroit, visited his mother here Sunday.

Miss Merry Shaw, of Ypsilanti, was the guest of relatives here Sunday.

H. I. Davis, of Ann Arbor, spent Sunday at the home of S. A. Mapes.

Miss Lillian Hawley, of Jackson, spent Sunday with her parents here.

Mrs. M. Wackenhut, of Jackson, spent Sunday with Chelsea relatives.

Dr. Byron Defendorf attended the clinic lecture at Ann Arbor Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. McLaren were Jackson visitors Wednesday evening.

Frank Kronner, of Detroit, spent several days of this week with John Miller.

Frank E. Adair, of Hastings, spent Saturday afternoon with Chelsea friends.

A. B. Clark and Mr. and Mrs. Dick Clark were guests of Howell relatives Sunday.

Dr. J. J. Defendorf, of Ionia, spent Sunday with his brother, Dr. Byron Defendorf.

Miss Ida Keusch, of River Rouge, spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents here.

John Staebler, of Freedom, and Adolph Jedele, of Scio, were Chelsea visitors Sunday.

Mrs. A. H. Stedman, of Detroit, spent Monday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Mensing.

Mr. and Mrs. James McQuillan, of Jackson, spent Sunday at the home of Thos. McQuillan.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Watkins and family were the guests of Battle Creek relatives Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Woods and daughter, Mrs. E. Rankin, of Ann Arbor, were Chelsea visitors Tuesday.

Mrs. Josephine Potts, of Decatur, is a guest at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Geo. A. BeGole.

D. C. McLaren, J. G. Wagner, L. T. Freeman and Martin Merkel were in Detroit Monday on business.

Miss Lizzie Geraghty, of Stockbridge, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Mrs. L. Eisenman this week.

Miss Flossanna Young left the first of this week for the home of her parents, who reside in Hastings.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Eisen and children, of Detroit, spent Sunday at the home of Geo. Wackenhut.

Harry Wickham, John Russell, William Kelley, of Detroit, were guests of Jacob Hummel Sunday.

Misses Jennie Geddes and Nina Hunter, of Tecumseh, spent Saturday and Sunday at their homes here.

Mr. and Mrs. Ehlert Musbach, of Munith, were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ashley Holden Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Lyndon and daughter, of Ann Arbor, were guests at the home of R. D. Walker Sunday.

Mrs. W. A. BeGole, of Ann Arbor, was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Cole, several days of this week.

Notice

The Board of Review of Lima township will meet at Lima town hall on June 4th and 5th, also 10th and 11th, to review and adjust the assessment roll of said township.

FRED C. HAIST, Supervisor.

CORRESPONDENCE.

WATERLOO DOINGS.

Orson Beeman is the owner of a new Ford automobile.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Barber spent Sunday in Stockbridge.

Vivian Gorton spent the last of the week with her sister in Ypsilanti.

There were 24 who took the 8th grade examination Thursday and Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wals and son spent Sunday with Rudolph Mullenkoph and family.

Mrs. Fred Moeckel returned home Friday after spending a couple of weeks in Chelsea.

Miss Laura and Reuben Moeckel spent Sunday at the home of Andrew Frey in Francisco.

Mrs. H. J. Lehmann and daughters, Catherine and Eva, of Francisco, spent Thursday with Mrs. V. F. Moeckel.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ellsworth, and daughter, of Stockbridge, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Beeman.

Miss Hulda Riemenschneider spent a few days of the past week with her sister, Cora, at the home of Orson Beeman.

Mr. and Mrs. Orson Beeman returned Monday from Bay City where Mr. Beeman attended the state democrat convention.

Mrs. Mesdames Judson Armstrong and Fred Durkee, of Jackson, are spending a few days at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Rommel.

SHARON NEWS.

A. G. Cooper is in quite poor health.

Elmer Lehman visited his brother, Ira, at Ann Arbor Sunday.

Mrs. T. Koebe went to Ann Arbor Monday to see her cousin, M. J. Lehman, who is ill.

Miss Belle O'Neil returned home Monday after visiting her sister, Mrs. Otis Cooper in Grass Lake, for some time.

The schools in districts No. 7 and 9, teachers, Lucie and Florence Reno, held a picnic in Washburn's woods on Tuesday. A ball game between the two schools added to the interest of the occasion. The school in district No. 7 was celebrating the closing of the term. The teacher, Miss Lucie Reno has had a very successful year of school.

Virgil Burch died Saturday, May 18, 1912, after a long illness. He is survived by his wife, little daughter, father, mother, two sisters and three brothers. He had lived in this community nearly all of his life and the large crowd who gathered at the funeral shows the respect in which he was held. The funeral was held at the Center church Monday afternoon, Rev. Hill, of Manchester, officiating.

LIMA CENTER NEWS.

Wm. Coe spent Sunday in Ypsilanti.

The Lima Center school will close this week.

Eugene Freer, of Detroit, has been spending a few days here.

Miss Estella Guerin was in Ann Arbor Saturday and Sunday.

Misses Clara and Eva Barcis, of Detroit, spent Sunday with their parents here.

Fred Hoffman, of Francisco, spent Sunday with his parents of this place.

Mrs. Jacob Staebler, of Ann Arbor, spent Sunday at the home of Fred Wenk.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wolff, of Chelsea, spent Sunday with their son, Theodore and wife.

Mrs. Fred Staebler spent Sunday and Monday in Ann Arbor with her sister, Miss May Morse.

Mr. and Mrs. John Strieter and children, of Ann Arbor, and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Foor, of Chelsea, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Strieter.

CAVANAUGH LAKE

R. M. Hoppe was in Jackson Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Lovejoy, of Detroit, spent Sunday at the home of E. Smith.

Mrs. A. E. Shaw, of Ann Arbor, is at the lake this week cleaning her cottage.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Johnson and family, of Chelsea, ate birthday dinner with Mrs. E. Smith.

Masons are at work on the foundation under Mr. Belser's house. He is also going to put in a grate.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Dodds and son and Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Foster and daughter, of Ann Arbor, spent Sunday at the home of R. M. Hoppe.

A few of the friends of Mrs. Smith helped her celebrate her birthday Sunday and left her a set of solid silver teaspoons as a token of love.

Wm. Schafer and family, Mr. and Mrs. Frain, Arthur Ament and family, Mr. and Mrs. Alexander and Frank Newton and family, of Ypsilanti, took dinner at the lake Sunday.

Only a Fire Hero.

But the crowd cheered, as, with burned hands, he held up a small round box, "Fellows!" he shouted, "this Bucklen's Arnica Salve I hold, has everything beat for burns." Right also for boils, ulcers, sores, pimples, eczema, cuts, sprains, bruises. Surest cure. It soothes inflammation. Kills pain. Only 25 cents at L. P. Vogel, H. H. Penn Co., L. T. Freeman Co.

FRANCISCO NOTES.

J. J. Lehmann, of Waterloo, spent Sunday afternoon at home.

John Fletcher, of Chelsea, spent Sunday at the home of F. Mensing.

Leonard Loveland and family spent Sunday afternoon with Alvin Hatt.

H. J. Musbach and wife entertained relatives from Lansing Monday and Tuesday.

Mrs. Stedman, of Detroit, spent the first of the week with relatives here.

Homer Harvey, of Jackson, spent Thursday and Friday with his brother and family.

Mrs. W. Richards, of Ypsilanti, is spending some time at the home of Wm. Locher.

Katie Riemenschneider and Linda Kalmbach closed their schools Friday for the summer.

Henry Weber and family, of Whitmore Lake, John Weber and family, of Grass Lake, and Bert Guthrie, wife and daughter, of Chelsea, spent Sunday at the parental home.

The catechism class of ten of the Salem German M. E. church will be examined Sunday morning during the services. Myrtle Burnett Youngs, Ethel Gertrude Kilmer, Gladys Christina Richards, Nina Anna Kalmbach, Ora Lucella Miller, Cleora Sarah Sager, Ella Edith Benter, Hilda Marie Riemenschneider, Lawrence Earl Riemenschneider and Aurieit Elizabeth Lehmann.

SYLVAN HAPPENINGS.

Miss Alice Plume, of Cheboygan, was a guest of J. Miller and family a few days recently.

Mrs. C. Prinzing visited her sister at Detroit hospital Monday. Her condition is about the same.

Lewis Rhoades, of Ann Arbor, was a guest at the home of John Hesel-schwerdt and family Sunday.

Cure Your Backache and Rheumatism

WITH FOLEY KIDNEY PILLS

Backache drags on your vitality. Saps your strength. Weakens your endurance. Hampers you in your work.

Besides that, it means something wrong with your kidneys; a weakness, an inflammation, a breaking down, may be, of the kidney tissues. Foley Kidney Pills is the true answer.

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UPHOLSTERING

Cabinet work of all kinds, furniture repairing and refinishing done on short notice. Shirt Waist Boxes made to order. Work called for and delivered. Shop in rear of Shaver & Faber's barber shop. 38

E. P. STEINER

WANT COLUMN

RENTS, REAL ESTATE, FOUND LOST WANTED ETC.

HOUSE AND LOT on McKinley St. for sale. Deal with owner direct and save real estate man's commission. A. J. Olds. 42

FOR SALE—Range, burns wood or coal, nearly new; good heating stove burns hard or soft coal and wood. In good condition. Inquire of Al-lison Knece. 43

FOR SALE—Wide tire lumber wagon with box, nearly new, Charles Staphish. 43

FOR SALE—House and lot on East street. Inquire of J. G. Stiegel-maier. 43

FURNISHED ROOMS. Inquire of Mrs. J. G. Hoover. 43

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

FOR SALE—Estey organ. Inquire at Standard office. 36tf

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

FOR SALE—The large barn belonging to me and known as the "Snyder barn." Will be sold cheap. Must be moved off from present location. H. S. Holmes. 39tf

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

JERUSALEM MILLS—Feed ground Wednesday of each week. Emanuel Wacker. Phone 144 2s. 31tf

LIST YOUR farms and village property with B. Turnbull & Thos. McQuillan, Chelsea. 36tf

FOR SALE—House and lot, corner South and Grant streets. Inquire of Edward Fahrner. 36tf

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Don't Miss These May Undermuslins

You'll be doing yourself and us an injustice if you overlook the splendid values in undermuslins awaiting your call tomorrow. Such a wealth of variety in style, of goodness in fabrics and of daintiness of trimming that you can't fail to wonder and admire these snow white piles of fine gowns, and combinations and slips and covers and drawers and skirts. Almost unlimited choosing at every price—perhaps the favorites of all are \$1 and \$1.48.

SPECIAL—Gowns at 50c and 75c. Skirts at 50c and 75c.

About two dozen beautiful Muslin Gowns, all styles and all slightly soiled, at cost and less, to close out quick.

Women's and Children's Knit Underwear

We know that the Summer Underwear we offer is positively the nicest fitting, best finished Underwear made in this country of ours. We have Women's Union Suits in all weights in Cotton, Lisle or Mercerized Lisle, without sleeves, short sleeves or long sleeves. In ankle lengths, tight knee or loose knee.

Our prices per suit 50c, 59c, 69c, 75c, 98c and up to \$3.00 per suit.

Special values this week in New Unions Sleeveless, Lace Knee, Low Neck at 25c, 35c and 50c.

Women's Vests with Silk Crochet Necks, all sizes at 10c, 15c and 25c.

We have all kinds of Summer Underwear for the children and the babies. Try us.

Embroidery

We are offering 27-inch Flouncings, regular 50c values in all the new band effects 25c.

Big lot of Corset Covers Embroideries, 25c, 35c and 45c kinds now, 25c.

Newest Normandy Val Laces, 2 to 4 inches wide, for under-muslin use, worth 15c to 20c, choice 10c.

New Toreheon Laces in odd pieces, no matched sets, were 15c, 19c and 20c up to 3 inches wide, now 10c.

New Pure Linen Toreheon Laces, 1 to 1 1/2 inches wide, matched sets, extra good 10c value 5c.

Talking About New Petticoats

A recent fashion writer says: "If a woman thinks she can be smart without considering the lines and material of her petticoat she is much mistaken. As skirt foundations are still almost as tight as bolster slips, the underskirt must be of the softest fabric and made to fit like skin." Here are some very dainty petticoats of Messalines in many colors. Each fits very closely, with a finely tailored flounce. Each is special value, too, at \$1.98 and \$2.50.

Special for Saturday Only

Two dozen new, soft finish Sateen Petticoats, just such skirts as are always sold at \$1.25 to \$1.50, for Saturday only, 89c. Regular sizes only, no extra large sizes in this lot.

For Saturday and Monday Only

We have just placed on sale two lots of very fine \$2.00 Lace Curtains in white and Arab color, per pair \$1.35.

New \$1.50 Lace Curtains in white and Arab, fine quality, newest patterns, per pair 98c.

New "Sunfast" Portiers and Overdrapes at 50c to \$1.00 per yard. Also at \$4.00 to \$12.00 per pair. Curtaining by the yard in Scrims and Nottingham at 15c, 20c, 25c and 50c per yard.

New Summer Footwear

Style, comfort and service, combined with lowest prices in Chelsea.

The full showing of correct Summer Footwear for Women is here ready for your inspection. Styles sufficient to please the most critical tastes in shoes that have service and workmanship behind them to back up styles.

Every pair warranted to give perfect satisfaction to you, or a new pair.

Children's newest Shoes, Oxfords or Pumps in Tan, Dull Leather, White Canvas or Black Kid Leather, at \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50 to \$2.50.

Women's White "Nu-Buck" Shoes at \$3.50 and \$4.00.

Women's White Canvas Colonial Pumps at \$3.50.

Women's Pumps in Plain or Colonial styles in all leathers in Black or Tan at \$3.00, \$3.50 and \$4.00.

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At J. Bacon Mercantile Co.'s store from

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Alterations of all kinds neatly done

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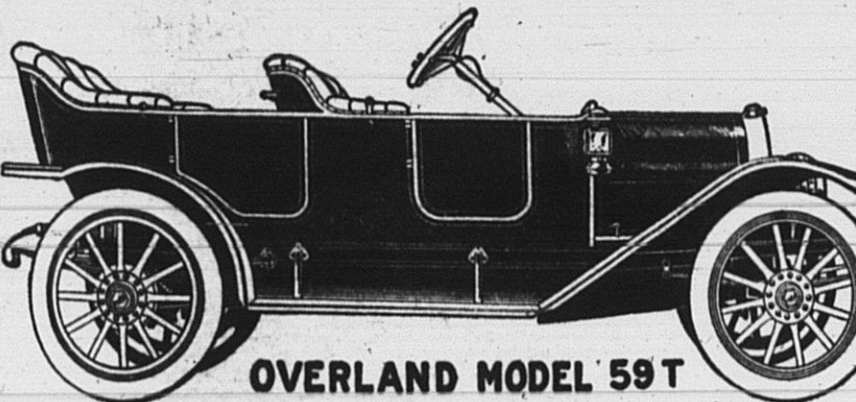
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LOCAL ITEMS.

Carl Woods has accepted a position with the Flanders Mfg. Co.

Born, Friday, May 17, 1912, to Mr. and Mrs. George Klink, of Lyndon, a son.

Mrs. Mary Brown has purchased the Kannowski residence on Grant street.

L. T. Freeman on Monday delivered a five passenger Studebaker E-M-F automobile to J. G. Wagner.

The Miller Sisters have had a cement coping built on the street line in front of their residence on east Summit street.

Miss Helen Burg, who is employed in Jackson, returned to the home of her parents Wednesday, where she is detained by illness.

Chas. Stapish one day the past week was awarded a judgment of \$100 against A. J. Olds for failure to fulfill the terms of a land contract.

Joseph Helm, of Sylvan, informs the Standard that on Saturday, May 18th, while digging post holes on his farm he found frost in the ground.

Fruit buds are reported to be of a rather minus quantity. While some trees are blossoming full, many are without blossoms and others have but a few.

Theodore, the young son of Mr. and Mrs. C. Heischwerdt, who has been at the hospital in Ann Arbor for some time returned to the home of his parents Saturday.

C. Spinnagle has had the front of his store building on Main street occupied by the postoffice recaptured. He has also had his residence on Garfield street newly painted.

Miss Winnalee Comstock, formerly of this place, and Mr. Gurney Dancer of Stockbridge were married at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. DePuy of Stockbridge, Thursday, May 23, 1912.

The name of M. A. Prudden, son of Mr. and Mrs. N. F. Prudden, appears among the list of those who will be graduated from the American school of Osteopathy at Kirksville, Mo., next month.

The Chelsea Independents defeated the Lima Red Sox Sunday afternoon in a baseball game at Lima Center by a score of 24 to 13. Batteries—Independents, Andrews and McComb; Red Sox, Patterson, Parker and Streiter.

Tonight at the Princess the feature picture will be one in which that famous comedian John Bunny takes the leading role. It is a great comedy picture entitled "Captain Jenk's Dilemma." Misses Julia Swayne and Flora Finch take leading roles.

The F. A. C. defeated the Independents last Saturday by a score of 10 to 7. The feature of the game was the all around work of the F. A. C. pitcher. The F. A. C. will cross bats with the Shamrock's, Saturday, May 25 at Anhemiller park. Admission 15 cents.

Died, Wednesday, May 15, 1912, Mrs. Mary Hadley, aged 64 years. The deceased was the wife of Charles Hadley, of Lyndon, who survives her. The funeral was held from the Unadilla Presbyterian church Friday afternoon, Rev. Armstrong officiating. Interment at Unadilla.

Auditor General Fuller has notified the county treasurers of the state that the distribution of the primary school money this year will be made in July instead of May, and as quite a number of the counties are out of surplus, the distribution will be at the sum of about eight dollars per child of school age.

The Bay View Reading Circle held their last meeting at the home of Mrs. G. W. Palmer a week ago Monday and elected the following officers: president, Mrs. E. R. Dancer; vice president, Mrs. J. R. Gates; first vice president, Mrs. Wm. Bacon; second vice president, Mrs. G. W. Palmer; secretary, Miss Grace Walz; treasurer, Miss Nina Crowell.

The ladies of the Epworth League of the M. E. church gave a banquet on Tuesday evening to the young men of the league. A goodly number were present. Mrs. J. W. Campbell acted as toastmistress and Miss Ruby D. Wightman, Miss Jennie Havens, Miss Grace Fletcher and Miss Ruth Walz responded in a very interesting manner. A vocal duet was rendered by Miss Grace Fletcher and Miss Esther Blemensneider with Miss Ruth Walz at the instrument. Short addresses were made by Rev. J. W. Campbell and Prof. Franklin Hendry. This ended the Epworth League contest in a very pleasant and profitable way.

W. S. McLaren has had his residence on east Middle street repainted.

Dr. H. H. Avery has had installed in his office an electrical dental engine.

The High Five Club were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Dancer Wednesday evening.

George Louder, of Detroit, has accepted a position with Holmes & Walker as tinsmith in their shop.

Dr. S. G. Bush was in Detroit Wednesday of this week where he attended a post graduate clinic lecture.

Simon Weber has carpenters at work building an extensive addition to his farm residence in Sylvan.

George C. Vincent and William H. Hatley, of Sylvan Center, report that they planted 12 acres of corn in five hours.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Glenn and daughter Pearl and Mr. and Mrs. E. Cooke and son took an auto trip to Jackson Sunday.

The Chelsea merchants announce that they will close their places of business for the day at noon on Decoration Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Bacon have returned to their home in Bay City. Mr. Bacon has been employed at the Flanders shop.

At the recent county spelling contest the cup was awarded to Robert Lawrence, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Lawrence, of Sharon.

A marriage license was issued last Friday by the county clerk to Miss Mattie Hynes, of Lyndon, and Mr. Clyde Rose, of Stockbridge.

Mrs. C. M. Davis and grandson Harold, of Ann Arbor, were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Mapes Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Runciman are settling their new home on Adams street, and they expect to commence housekeeping the first of the coming week.

J. N. Dancer last Saturday delivered a five passenger Ford auto to Andrew Reithmiller, of Waterloo. Monday Mr. Dancer delivered two cars which he had sold.

The members of the W. R. C. are requested to meet at G. A. R. hall at 9:30 o'clock next Sunday morning to attend the memorial services at the Baptist church.

Correspondents and advertisers will please get their copy in one day early in the week, as the Standard will be printed on Wednesday of next week on account of Decoration Day.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Spiegelberg and daughter, Dr. and Mrs. A. L. Steger and children, Mr. and Mrs. A. Steger and Dr. and Mrs. H. E. Defendorf were the guests of relatives in Lansing Sunday.

R. J. Beckwith, Hector E. Cooper and Milo A. Shaver were chosen delegates by the Chelsea fire department Thursday evening, to attend the annual meeting of the Michigan State Firemen's Association, to be held in Kalamazoo, June 4, 5 and 6.

The funeral of Frederick Roepcke, who died at his home in Unadilla on Wednesday, May 15, 1912, aged 71 years, was held from the Unadilla Presbyterian church Friday forenoon. Rev. Armstrong officiating. He is survived by eight sons and four daughters. Interment at Unadilla cemetery.

At the regular meeting of Olive Chapter, O. E. S., Wednesday, May 23, a memorial service will be held for the departed members. A scrub lunch will be served at 6 p. m. The ladies are requested to bring their sewing in the afternoon, also plate, cup, fork and spoon.

C. M. Bowen, a former well known resident of this vicinity, died at his home in Ypsilanti Tuesday afternoon, May 21, 1912, aged 77 years. He is survived by his wife, two sons and two daughters. The funeral will be held from his late home today and the remains brought here for interment this afternoon.

Monday some of the officials of the D. U. R. came here and made an investigation of the block signal system which Allison Knee has perfected for street car lines. The party was highly pleased with the work of the model and it is possible that the D. U. R. management may decide to adopt the system for their lines.

Married Wednesday afternoon, May 22, 1912, at the home of the bride's parents in Saline, Miss Amanda Mann and Mr. George Strieter, of Freedom. About 100 guests were present. Those from this vicinity were Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Mohrlock, Julius Strieter, Albert Buss, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Meyers and Mr. and Mrs. E. Wacker.

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By Mrs. Elvira Clark-Viel for 10 days commencing Tuesday, May 21. During this sale WE will give FREE with every purchase of our goods amounting to One Dollar or over, One Dozen Aster Plants, assorted varieties. These beautiful flowers blossom in their fullest beauty about the end of August.

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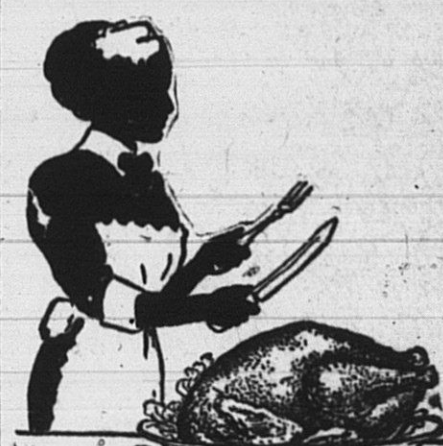
First Prize, \$10.00; Second Prize, \$5.00, worth of goods FREE, which may be selected from anything in our Hardware, Furniture or Crockery Department, for the best bunch or bouquet of blossoms raised from these plants and brought to our store during the 5 last days of August, Monday 26th to Friday 30th. The following ladies have kindly consented to act as judges: Mrs. Andrew Morton, Mrs. C. E. Whitaker and Mrs. Clarence Maroney.

These ladies will make the awards Saturday, August 31, at 10 a. m., and will then donate the flowers between the Old People's Home and the different churches, with their compliments. Each bouquet will be numbered, as brought in, and the corresponding name retained in our office till after the award.

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4 pounds choice whole Rice for 25c
7 pounds broken Rice for 25c
Jewel Lard Compound, per pound 10c
4 pounds fresh Crackers for 25c
3 large cans Sardines for 25c
7 small cans Sardines for 25c
3 5c boxes Prosperity or Swifts Washing Powder for 10c
Large can "Excellor" Baking Powder for 15c
3 5c boxes Matches for 10c
Cocoa per can 10c
Extra choice "Argo Brand" Red Salmon, per can 20c
3 5c boxes fine Tooth Picks for 10c
A good Coffee, per pound 25c
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3 cakes white Laundry Soap for 10c
3 cakes Queen Anne Soap for 10c
3 papers Garden or Flower Seed for 10c
10 cakes Swift's Mohawk Laundry Soap for 25c
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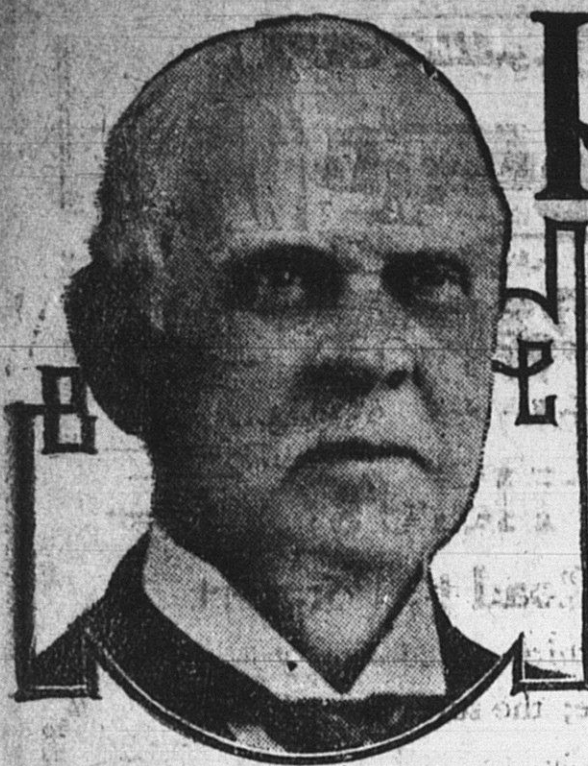
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REMINDEERS OF WAR IN MEMORIAL DAY



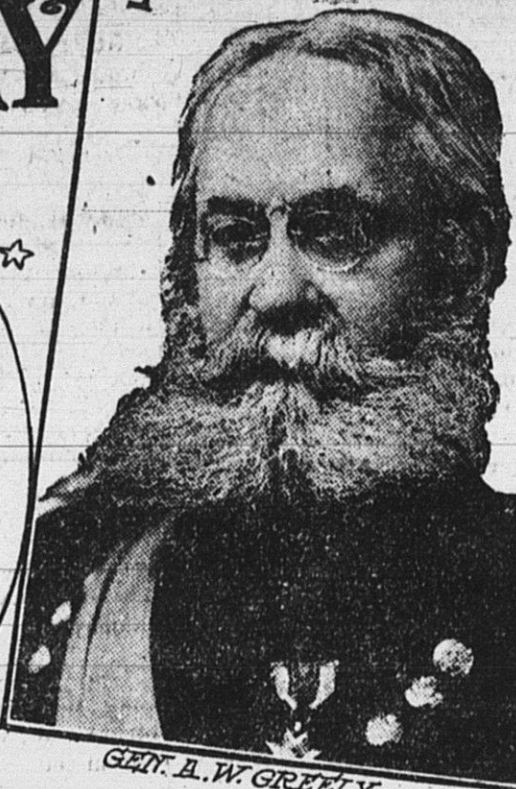
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MEMORIAL DAY rolls around each year the thoughts of the veterans of the nation's mightiest conflict revert to their comrades-in-arms in the ranks of both the Grand Army of the Living and of the Grand Army of the Dead. To them Memorial Day is a day of recollections so vivid that eternity alone can efface them; a day when their dreams flash back to the old camp ground, the bugle's call and the cannon's roar. And, as they fondle the memory of the scenes through which they passed, they pay tribute to the God of battles who spared them until their eyes could close on the hands of the Confederate gray and the Yankee blue, clasped across the firing line in a Union embrace.

"I have never been able to forget an incident that occurred on the battlefield of Antietam," said General A. W. Greely, U. S. A., when asked for his most vivid recollection of the Civil War. "And each Memorial Day, somehow, it presents itself with increased appeal. On my way back to the field surgeon's hospital for treatment—I had been wounded twice—I met one of our doctors applying restoratives to a wounded Confederate. He was but 18, a mere boy, not a day over 15. I was but 18, and he also had been shot twice—so there were things in common between us."

That it was his courage, his unflinching, unyielding spirit that impressed me most. As he lay there, horribly mangled, his eyes were as steady and his manner as cool as though he were idly lounging in his own home. His nerve was not broken; nor the fear of death on him. He seemed grateful for the attention, but not in the least humble. "Thank you, gentlemen," he seemed to be thinking, but when I got well I'll be at you again." If there are many more like him in the southern army, I thought, we are certainly in for a long, hard struggle. I have wondered many times since what became of him—whether he pulled through or died on the battlefield. I have never been able to learn."

General Greely made two attempts before he was allowed to enlist. "You get out of here, we don't want babies, we want men!" was the objection of enlisting officers. Finally he found one who passed him. He served throughout the entire war and was the first colored man in the Union army to attain the grade of a general in the regular army.

"I recollect an extremely pathetic incident that occurred on board the U. S. S. Monongahela," said Admiral C. D. Sigsbee, U. S. N., the hero of the battleship Maine, sunk in Havana harbor just before the outbreak of the Spanish-American war. "The Monongahela, cruising along the Texas coast, had rammed and sunk a Confederate ironclad down near the head of the passes in the Mississippi river and then steamed on to New Orleans for repairs. On board was a brother officer, Lieutenant Frederick Prentice, to whom I was particularly attached. He spoke to me frequently of a promotion of impending disaster that he simply could not shake off. In fact, it marred his joyous anticipations of meeting his young wife, hardly more than a bride, at New Orleans, whether she had hastened from the North when she learned his vessel was to stop at that point. Their devotion was ideal."

"They saw each other but once before he bore the call of duty dragged them apart. I had been transferred to the Brooklyn at Mobile. After a successful passage of the forts my first inquiry was for the welfare of my old shipmates on the Monongahela and especially for Prentice. His promotion had come true. He had been standing in the gangway, which had been raised somewhat above the level of the deck. It seems, when a shot struck the Brooklyn netting next to him and the flying fragments imbedded themselves in his leg, sawing tearing it from his body. He died in a few moments."

"In New Orleans we picked up a little boy named Isaac Allen, a tiny fellow, of whom Prentice was especially fond. The lad was simply heart-broken as he sat by the berth of this dying friend. Prentice urged him not to cry and to brace up and be cheerful, insisting that he would soon be all right, though he knew all the while that his end had come. But the lad's sorrow was nothing compared to that of the girl-wife. She fainted dead away when told the ghastly news and never afterward fully recovered."

"Another incident that I remember quite vividly," continued Admiral Sigsbee, "happened at the assault on Fort Fisher. The man that stood of me was killed and another on my left. A big, red-haired man, groaning horribly, suddenly clutched me.

"'Smile!' he exclaimed. 'Lieutenant Bache has wounded!'

"'Why are you groaning?' I asked. 'Are you hurt?'

"'Yes,' he answered slowly and without even a trace of concern for himself. 'I think I am dying—but look at poor Bache!'

"And he fell to earth, still calling for aid for the wounded officer. He died shortly after I was told."

"Memorial Day to me suggests the flag," said Sen. James Tanner, known to Grand Army men from coast to coast.

"I have thought of many eloquent apostrophes to our national emblem, but never to one so simple and so direct as that which came from the hospital bed in September,

1863. I was lying in Fairfax Seminary Hospital in the suburbs of Alexandria, Va. I was part of the wreckage of the second battle of Bull Run. In the ward in which I lay and to the right of me was a comrade seriously wounded. He, too, was a son of Ireland. He was the life of the ward, and he smiled and joked and laughed, confident of his recovery.

"One day the surgeon notified the visiting priest that he had better inform Pat that his time was short. I was lying so that I had a good view of his face when the priest broke the dread news to him. He choked in his throat in an effort to master himself, and then asked the good father to wheel his bed around so he could look out of the window. It seemed a strange request, but without hesitation the priest obeyed. And then, as Pat turned his gaze upon the world without his window, we became aware of the reason of his request—he wished to see once more before he died the flag floating at the head of the staff outside!"

"Darling," he breathed, fervently, "there you are 'an at the top! Plaze God, ye shill wae onchallenged from Maine to Mexico!"

"Then followed in a rush of words the things he had dreamed of it before he had ever seen it on his native soil. He had prayed that he and his loved ones might come under its beneficent folds to enjoy the perfect liberty it promised. Now it was in peril and he was dying for it, unable even to raise his weakened hand and salute it. He bade the glorious old banner good-bye, and, turning to the priest, said:

"Father, ye'll write to her 'nd break it gently as ye kin! Sore will be her heart when she knows that Pat will come back no more to her, 'nd th' boys. Tell her I charge her wit 'me dying breath' to rear th' boys so that when manhood comes to them, and the flag should live made them, they will give their lives even unto death, as their father gives his life this day! 'N now, father, to me soul's salvation."

"In the gray dawn of the following morning a commotion near my bed awoke me. Opening my eyes I saw them lift his lifeless form and carry it out of the ward."

"Did you ever hear of Tim Regan's flag?" continued the old veteran, who paid as his price of duty to his country both legs. "No? Well, Tim Regan was a son of the Emerald Isle who had gone to war with the 9th Massachusetts Volunteer Infantry. He, with many other Union soldiers, lay in Libby prison as that Fourth of July drew near. They chafed in spirit at the thought of passing the Fourth without even a sight of the flag. Tim conceived the idea of making one. He had a few white woolen shirts and the others blue ones. They pooled their slender amount of cash and persuaded an amiable guard to purchase for them some red and white woolen goods, on the pretext that they wanted to make them up into shirts. Out of this material they fashioned a flag, crude in construction, but—it represented Old Glory."

"They gazed as well as they could the door of the left of the prison and the probable height to which the patrolling guard might raise his vision. Then, the night of the 3rd, they clambered up among the rafters and stretched their crude flag in the apex of the loft. The next day they gathered in a circle in the center of the chamber and sang patriotic songs throughout the day. The guards were a little curious as to the cause of the unusual proceedings, but failed to discover the banner above them. That night they took it down, cut it into strips and divided it among themselves. Each thereafter wore a strip of that flag around his body next his skin, and as each was paroled he bore out with him his fragment of the banner."

"Regan had taken the precaution to ascertain the home address of each man. After the war he corresponded with them or their surviving relatives, and finally it was a work of years' duration—had every bit of the flag back again. Again he sewed it together. Again he stood at salute before it. Now he has gone to join his comrades in the great beyond, but the flag he made is securely guarded from dust and decay in a glass case

at the Stephenson Post, G. A. R., at Roxbury, Mass.

"Never so long as I live shall I forget that dreadful day when I lay wounded on the battlefield, from sunrise until the shades of night had closed down on the dead and the dying," said Senator Knute Nelson of Minnesota. "It was in the siege of Port Hudson, La., when on June 14, 1863, an unsuccessful attempt was made by Banks' army to capture the place by storm and my regiment led one of the charging columns. Just as the sun was peeping over the hills we sallied forth in battle array. The 'Charge' was given and we tore across the open ground straight at the enemy's breastworks. When within eight or ten rods of the intrenchments I fell to earth with a bullet in my thigh. My comrades were driven back—no man could long stand against that avalanche of leaden death that poured out of the fortifications—and I was left with only the dying and the dead to keep me company. Then began my long vigil in the ghastly inferno. The cries of the wounded—the merciless sun—the torment of it all—and the thirst, the maddening thirst! Only those who have lain thus can appreciate its terror."

In the same battle were two other soldiers—one under the stars and bars, the other under the Stars and Stripes—who now hold positions of unusual trust and prominence under the same flag. The former was no less a personage than Chief Justice White, of the United States Supreme Court, serving then as aid to General Gardner, commander of the Confederate forces within Port Hudson during the siege. The latter was Senator Francis E. Warren of Wyoming. At the time, of course, no one of the three men knew of the existence of the others, and indeed it was not until the past few months they became aware of the facts. Senator Warren, who enlisted when but 17 years of age, was awarded a medal of honor for conspicuous gallantry in the engagement.

"When I look back on the Civil War, as I frequently do, and especially on Memorial Day," he said as he sat in his rooms in the Senate office building, "one fact stands out with increasing clarity as the years roll by, and that is that the great struggle was waged principally by boys. The rank and file of the Union army was made up of mere lads, and in the Confederate forces they were even younger. They were tried as perhaps no other generation of American youth has ever been tried. The horrors, the struggles, the hardships they faced, made men of them. Nearly all of our presidents since then and a great portion of our public men throughout the nation, including the Congress of the United States, have been those who served as officers or enlisted men in those two armies of stripplings."

War-time recollections crowd so thick and fast on Gen. Isaac R. Sherwood, representative from the Ninth district of Ohio, that to single out one of them is but to omit others of equal import. He participated in 45 battles, and there is not a soldier now living who was under fire a greater number of days than he. Six times he was complimented in general orders for gallantry on the field of battle. Today he is the only Union veteran on the Democratic side of the House. But, more remarkable than all else, he is the only man who entered the Union army as a private and emerged from the war a brigadier general.

"I suppose," said General Sherwood, "the fight at Franklin, Tenn., November 30, 1864, is as vividly impressed on my mind as any; maybe because, considering the size of the forces engaged, it was one of the most desperate engagements of the entire war. The Confederate loss was 40 per cent in a five-hour battle, and a larger number of their generals were killed or wounded than at Chickamauga of Gettysburg, where their forces were twice as strong. My regiment, the One Hundred and Eleventh Ohio, of which I was colonel, lost more men in that battle than any other regiment on the Union side."

"My horse was shot from under me three times in the engagement. My third horse fell in a most unusual manner. The bullet that

killed him passed first through my leg and then through the saddle before reaching him. I could not get another mount, so I fought the rest of the battle on foot. As it afterward turned out, this was fortunate for me, for every mounted officer on both sides was either killed or wounded. When the battle closed there was not a mounted officer on either line."

"I have in my home one reminder of the Civil War that, should all else fail, would compel recollection of that mighty struggle. It is a Confederate flag captured in the two-day fight at Nashville in December 1864. During the first day's fighting we made a change and captured six 20-pound guns, and on the second 3,000 Confederate soldiers and three stands of colors. Immediately after the battle I secured one of these flags and sent it home by express. I believe I am the only private citizen in the country today who has in his possession a captured Confederate banner."

battle. These are the veterans of the Spanish-American war. Ex-Senator Charles Dick, of Ohio, recalls a rather unusual incident in this, our most recent conflict.

"My regiment arrived at Santiago, Cuba, just one week before its surrender, being sent there to reinforce General Shafter," said he. "We, as a regiment, were eager to be sent on to Porto Rico, but the authorities insisted on our undergoing a ten-day quarantine for yellow fever. They camped us on top of a yellow hill so that we were completely isolated. At the expiration of the time set, the doctors discovered 210 cases of the dread disease among us. This, of course, shattered all hopes of our ever going anywhere except home, when the sick ones recovered."

The Soldier Dead

Hallowed by a supreme sanctity are the graves of the soldier dead. So it was in the days of the ancient races, and so it will be when the last war has been fought and the battle-flags are forever furled. Those who have offered themselves as a sacrifice for their flag and their country, who have endured the hardships of camp and march, or who have fallen in the red carnage of battle, have a peculiar claim upon the gratitude and affection of succeeding generations.

In no land has this claim been more freely recognized than in our own, and no people was ever before so generous in its tributes to its fallen heroes, or in its treatment of those who came home from its wars. When returning springtime brings the flowers, in all their eloquent beauty and symbolism, we celebrate a Memorial day which is characteristic of the spirit of the republic.

It is now an even-half-century since the beginning of the stupendous conflict for the preservation of the Union, and the anniversary is bringing home with renewed emphasis the sacrifices and the significance of those dark days. Truly, it brings also a greater appreciation of the complete reunion of the severed sections, and of the peace and prosperity which bless the land.

Before General Logan wrote the order, in 1863, which was the beginning of the popular and official dedication of May 30 to the patriot dead, a tender impulse of womanhood in the stricken south had begun the beautiful custom of strewn with blossoms the passionless mounds above those who had fallen in the passion of battle.

The usage and the associations of years have consecrated the day above our other holidays. Upon it there gleams a glory which lightens the past, and which shows us that the blood and the tears were not shed in vain, and that the fruition of the sacrifice justifies the seed which was sown.

The Heroes.

Bring laurel and myrtle oak and bay, And wreaths of roses, white and gold, And drape their graves on this holy day With the flag they loved in the days of old; For the red is red of the blood they gave, The white is the smoke of the beheading gun, And the blue is the blue of the sky they claved To gain the stars in the crowns they won.

Queer Paradox.

"They say a laboring man cannot choose a job but must take what he can get."

"Well, isn't that so?"

"Yes, and it's odd, because as a matter of fact he can always take his pick."

The Other Part.

"He always kept an eye on the stage."

"Did he get a part to fit him?"

"He did. He got the hook."

What She Really Meant

"I can't see," began the girl who likes to talk, "why the business of being an interpreter doesn't flourish nowadays. I'm thinking of starting out in it myself and I'm sure I'd make a large income. I don't mean interpreting foreign languages, but just plain English!"

"I have learned through painful years of bumping my cranium against stone walls and I yearn to take under my wing all the poor, bewildered mortals who still think the words people use express what they mean. I want to pat them on the back soothingly and murmur, 'There! There!' and then explain to them 'Do you like pink chickens?' really means, 'We came on the 10 o'clock train.'"

"For instance, Mrs. Gambooge calls you up over the phone some morning and says, 'My dear, we're having a few people in to cards tonight and want you to come. I just got it up on the spur of the moment—it's only a little informal affair. Oh, most informal, my dear. I assure you! Just a few friends! So glad you can come! Go-o-o-by!'"

"I've seen the time when I'd have dismissed the matter until just before time to dress, when I would not have even glanced at the shelf carrying my party gowns in boxes, but would have picked out some high necked thing. Probably I'd have just worn my hair as I ordinarily do and would have taken a street car to get to the scene of the festivities. But not now!"

"I have grown wiser. I know that the English language does not mean what it is made to say. So I spend all my time after luncheon preparing to go to Mrs. Gambooge's informal little affair. I have my hair dressed and my face massaged, and I get an extra manicure, and I have all my clothes under inspection, and I pick out almost my very best gown. Then I borrow mother's Paris evening wrap and phone for a taxi and wait five minutes in the crush at the door before I can even get in. There will be a Hungarian band playing under the stairs and the whole place will be simply broken out with caterer's men, who pass you along from one to the other solemnly trying to act as though they had butlered and footmaned in that one spot for several decades, as had their fathers before them."

"By this time I wish I had borrowed mother's diamond tiara, because I begin to feel kind of plain in only a satin and crystal gown and a string of pearls. There will be a four course supper and American beauty roses bursting out from all corners.

"It is really maddening to think what unlimited money and a telephone will do nowadays. It seems to me that they take away all the fun of giving a party, all the worry being removed. These rich women do not have to count their napkins and say, 'My goodness! I'll have to borrow Cousin Nell's best ones to fill out!' They do not discover that they haven't enough forks and that the spare room hasn't been dusted. All they do is phone a caterer and a florist and tell Mary to be sure to see that she dusts extra well downstairs. Then they can go to a luncheon and two teas and make a few calls and when they arrive home at dinner time they say, 'Dear me! I'd almost forgotten that I have a card party tonight!'"

"The only difference when it is considered a formal affair is that you get an engraved old English card ten days in advance.

"Then when you drop in to see a friend and she keeps you waiting half an hour before she comes down, and you say, 'I hope I didn't disturb or interrupt,' she says, 'My dear, sweetly, 'Not at all, my dear! I was just hooking my collar, and I am so slow about doing things!' you realize, if you had an interpreter at hand, that she meant that she was up in the third floor sewing room working like mad with a seamstress making over clothes and hadn't brushed her hair since she had twisted it into a knob on arising, and had on a kimono thing and old slippers. Also that she said when your card came up, 'Now, what on earth did she come today of all days for, I'd like to know!—Isn't it provoking!'"

"My helping hand would be of benefit also to proxy and homesome and spoiled old bachelors when a sweet young thing of 20 leans over and looks into their eyes and beseeches, 'Do tell me all about how you make iron beams! I am so-o-o interested! What she really means is, 'If I can keep you talking to me as though your life depended on it I can get Harry stirred into a perfect fizzle of jealousy. He needs to be taken down a peg or two, the way he's acting of late with that Jenkins girl!'"

"I'm quite charmed with the possibilities of my plan for a new profession!" concluded the girl who likes to talk. "Don't you want to employ me?"

"I do not," emphatically said the man to whom she was talking. "I've already had lesson No. 1—and now please point out which one of those fellows is your Harry!"—Chicago Daily News

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The Position for Her.

After speaking at great length on the emancipation of women, a young woman asked a statesman:

"Supposing women were admitted to govern the affairs of the commonwealth, what post would you assign to me?"

The management of an institution for the deaf and dumb.

"Why that?"

"Because either these unfortunates would learn to talk or you would learn to keep quiet."

His Veracity.

Jim Slocum of Montgomery county, avers the Kansas City Journal, was called as a witness to impeach the testimony of a man in that county. Jim was asked if he was acquainted with the reputation of the witness for truth and veracity. Jim said that he guessed maybe he was.

Is it good or bad?

"Well," said Jim, "I don't want to do the man an injustice, but I will say that if his neighbors were to see him looking as if he was dead they would want some corroborative evidence before they would be willing to bury him."

Looking to the Inevitable.

Seventy-nine years old, but with no thought of dying for years, a South Brooklyn retired windmill dealer spent his recent birthday in Cleveland, O., looking for a bargain in coffins. He said he never had cared much for show and thought he would care less when dead, so he wanted something that would be durable, not fancy. The undertakers wanted more than \$100 for good coffins. He told a friend, "none of which looked to be worth more than \$50. For \$25 I found I could get one that looked as if it might have cost \$250 to make. You don't suppose I could get a good one-hand one anywhere, do you?" The man did not invest, but decided he would wait awhile and see if the high cost of dying might not be reduced.

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BREVITIES

MANCHESTER—James O'Donnell, of Jackson, has been secured to give the Decoration day address here.

MANCHESTER—The village treasurer has received the money for the waterworks bonds, over \$25,000 and the bonds have been delivered.—Enterprise.

ANN ARBOR—A special election will be held in Ann Arbor on Monday, May 27, to vote upon the proposition of buying the water works system in that city.

HOWELL—Having seen the benefit derived in other counties in the state, Ingham county will this year hold its summer school for teachers at Ypsilanti, beginning June 24 and continuing six weeks.—Democrat.

ANN ARBOR—Rev. V. M. Meeds, pastor of the Second Baptist church of this city, has presented his resignation of the pastorate, as he has been called to another church where he feels that his services are needed.

BROOKLYN—State Representative H. W. Rankin of Ypsilanti has been secured as speaker for the coming Decoration Day exercises here, which will be held at Masons hall. Mr. Rankin is a civil war veteran.—Exponent.

BRIGHTON—County Surveyor G. Dunning has finished surveying out the proposed mile of state road north of town. He says it will be an easy mile to construct and will cost the township very little. Some townships in this county are building three miles this year.—Argus.

TECUMSEH—Reports from the farmers indicate that the cold winter not only killed out the wheat crop but also attacked the alfalfa seedling. Large patches of it killed out in the low places where the ice covered it, keeping out the air. The hard winter caused the new seedling to cover with ice especially.—News.

YPSILANTI—Lemar Thrum, son of John Thrum, was badly burned Saturday morning, probably by playing with matches. The mother heard the child scream and ran down from upstairs where she was at work to find his clothing a mass of flames. She beat and smothered them out, and although the boy is badly burned on his body and face, it is thought that he will recover.

GRASS LAKE—Miss Ruth Lemm, who has been residing in Chicago for a number of years, died Saturday morning in that city of heart trouble, aged 28 years. The remains were brought to this village Sunday morning and taken to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lemm, where the funeral was held Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock. Rev. H. J. Beatty of the Methodist church officiating. Interment in the Raymond cemetery in Sharon. She leaves a father and mother, three sisters and one brother.

SALINE—Many of the beautiful homes and front yards in our village will have a strange appearance this summer to those who have been accustomed to seeing them. Where a year ago large and beautiful rambler rose foliage and blossoms covered many porches and front yards were decorated with roses and other shrubs, the same are now bare and desolate. The long and extreme cold weather was too much for them and they have been cut down and while some of the roots are alive, it will be several years before new growth can fill their places.—Observer.

Auction.

There will be a sale of household goods at the residence of Mrs. Geo. P. Glazier, on South street, Saturday, May 25, commencing at 2 o'clock. The goods to be sold are as follows: dining room set, table and seven chairs; parlor table, three iron beds, dresser, book case, rocking chairs, gas stove, two carpets, rugs and writing desk. These goods are all nearly new. Terms cash.

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N. E. Shaw, chief inspector of orchards and apiaries in the Ohio department of agriculture, warns farmers not to spray while fruit trees are in bloom. He says it is not only injurious to the vital part of the flower, but is sure death to bees or other insects that may be on the blossoms at the time. Bees are necessary for pollinating purposes and the proper development of the fruit. The fruit should be sprayed after the petals have fallen.

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Notice.

The Township Board of the Township of Sylvan will meet at the west room of the town hall, in the Village of Chelsea, on Friday, May 31st, 1912, at eight o'clock p. m., of said day, for the purpose of acting on the petitions of the residents of School District Number Four and Eleven of the said Township of Sylvan to determine the question of the dissolution of said School District Number Eleven and the consolidation of the property of said School District Number Eleven with said School District Number Four of the said Township of Sylvan, and if so consolidated that the whole of said property to be known as School District Number Four of the said Township of Sylvan; that all persons interested in said consolidation of said District Number Eleven with said District Number Four may be heard at the above named time and place.

Also for the purpose of transacting such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

Dated at Chelsea, Michigan, May 20th, 1912.

PAUL O. BACON,
Township Clerk of the Township of Sylvan.

STOCKBRIDGE—A special election will be held in Stockbridge on Monday, May 27, to vote on the question of bonding the village for \$20,000 for water works.

Council Proceedings.

[OFFICIAL.]

COUNCIL ROOMS,

Cheelsea, Mich., May 20, 1912.

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

Present—Trustees, McKune, Brooks, Dancer, Palmer. Absent—Lowry, Hummel.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

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

LIGHT AND WATER.

The W. G. Nagle Co., supplies. \$ 174 65

M. C. R. R. Co., freight 1 car coal. 79 28

Wm. Ryan, unloading 1 car coal. 14 86

Simplex Elect. Htr. Co., supplies. 12 00

The F. Bissell Co., switches. 6 00

Allis-Chalmers Co., tall plates. 1 80

Huron Rubber Stamp Co., 1 stamp. 30

R. Jones, 1 mo. salary. 37 50

F. Dunn, 1 mo. salary. 30 00

A. Koch, 1 mo. salary. 40 00

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

John Little, 1 mo. salary. 30 00

John McComb, 1 mo. salary. 30 00

Anna Hoag, 1 mo. salary. 12 50

GENERAL FUND.

Hector Cooper, 1 mo. salary, marshal. 27 50

Moved and supported that the bills as read be allowed and orders be drawn on the treasurer for their amounts. Carried.

Moved by Palmer, supported by Dancer, that the Village buy a street sweeper of the Studebaker Co., of South Bend, Indiana. Carried.

There being no further business it was moved and supported to adjourn. Carried.

HECTOR COOPER, Clerk.

Notice.

There will be a meeting at Maple Grove cemetery, of Sylvan Center, on Wednesday afternoon, May 29th, for the purpose of cleaning the cemetery. SAMUEL F. GUTHRIE, Sec.



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Commissioners' Notice.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw, ss. The undersigned having been appointed by the Probate Court for said county, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of Sarah L. Runckman Conklin, late of said county, deceased, hereby give notice that four months from date are allowed, by order of said Probate Court, for creditors to present their claims against the estate of said deceased, and that they will meet at the Probate Office, in the City of Ann Arbor, in said county, on the 6th day of July and on the 6th day of September next, at ten o'clock a. m., of each of said days, to receive, examine and adjust said claims. Dated, May 4th, 1912.

WM. K. CHILDS
WILLIAM DAWSON
JACOB FAHRNER
Commissioners.

12174

Notice to Creditors.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw, ss. Notice is hereby given, that by an order of the Probate Court for the county of Washtenaw, made on the 11th day of May, A. D. 1912, four months from that date were allowed for creditors to present their claims against the estate of Mary A. Balkwin, late of said county, deceased, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said Probate Court, at the Probate Office, in the City of Ann Arbor, for examination and allowance, on or before the 11th day of September next, and that said claims will be heard before said Court, on the 11th day of July and on the 11th day of September next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days. Dated, Ann Arbor, May 11th, A. D. 1912.

EMORY E. LILAND, Judge of Probate.

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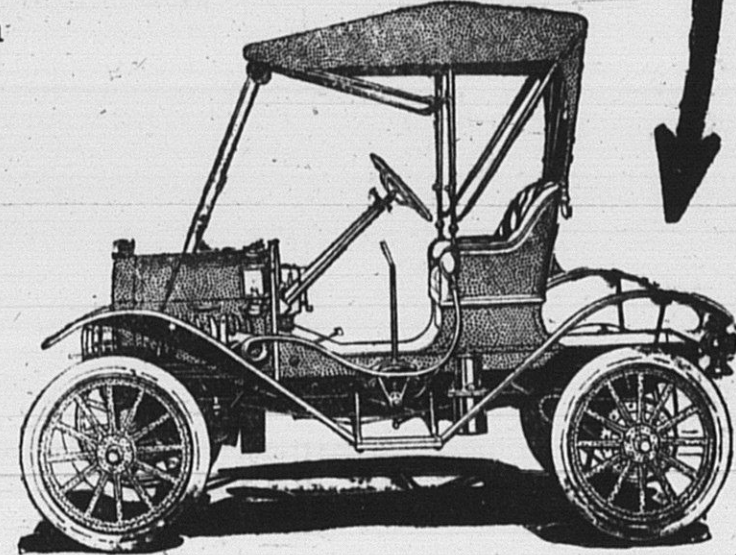
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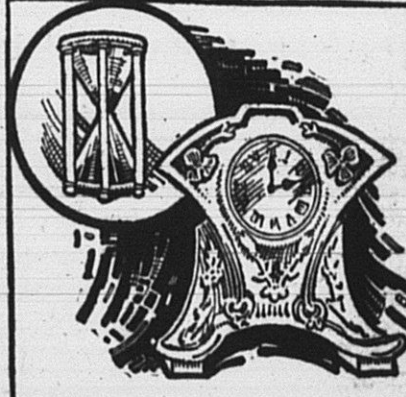
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