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Boards To Blame.

If schoolhouses in this vicinity are not put in proper repair this fall, if they are not properly heated and if desirable equipment, good books for the library and suitable furnishings are not provided, the responsibility will rest entirely with the members of the school board. The present law gives the board complete jurisdiction in these matters, the taxing power resting entirely with the members, who may vote the money necessary and then borrow on the amount voted, if it is too late to report the tax for collection or if there is not sufficient money on hand.

Adequate heating and ventilating plants can now be purchased by school boards for reasonable sums and as the health and comfort of the pupils is so closely related to efficiency in work, a serious responsibility rests with the boards. Those who have made a study of school conditions, state that in order to secure value received for the money invested in the schools, the pupils must have pure air, their schoolrooms must have pure air, their schoolrooms must be properly heated, and the schoolroom must not only have an adequate equipment of materials but it must be attractive and neat in appearance. As the physical condition of the schools is now in the hands of the school boards, it is expected that school property will be decidedly improved throughout this county.

Sues For Her Share.

Ann Arbor Times News: Suit was begun Saturday in the circuit court by Mary Tiplady, of Webster, against Anna Dunlavy of the same township to secure possession of \$2,400 which the complainant charges Anna Dunlavy with having appropriated to herself from the proceeds of land in Shiawassee, originally intended to be held in trust for the benefit equally of the complainant and the defendant. The two parties to the case are sisters, who inherited from their mother, Anne J. Dunlavy. The complainant also charges that whereas the land is supposed to have been sold for \$4,800 it was really worth \$8,000, and she asks the court to inquire into the whereabouts of the \$3,200 difference.

May Change the Light System.

The village electrician has made a change in the last street light on Railroad street. The old arc lamp has been removed and a Mazda for series burning installed in its place. The new lamp is 94 ampere and 200 candle power. There are 34 arc lamps about town and if they should be removed there could be installed in their place 45-200 candle power lights, 30-100, or 30-60 candle power lamps in the series, which would distribute the lights more evenly, by placing one of the small lamps in the dark places between the locates of the present arc lights. By making the change there would be less load on the dynamo and the expense of lamp trimming could be done away with.

A Day at North Lake.

Last Saturday O. C. Burkhardt entertained the officers of the Washenaw Mutual Fire Insurance Co. at their annual fish fry at North Lake. For several years this annual gathering has been looked forward to with considerable pleasure by all who have been in the habit of attending. The day was spent in fishing.

The following were present: J. B. Laraway, L. K. Childs, of Ann Arbor, John Spafford, Charles Parsons, of Saline, O. C. Burkhardt, A. E. Winans, F. J. Davidson, N. H. Cook, H. D. Witherell, F. Storms, J. F. Waltrous, R. B. Waltrous, Arthur Chapman and George K. Chapman.

John Frederick Trinkle.

John F. Trinkle for many years a resident of Lima, died at the home of his son, Fred, in Manchester, Thursday morning, August 8, 1912, aged 80.

Mr. Trinkle was a pioneer settler in Lima and resided on the farm that had been his home for many years until last spring, when his son with whom he made his home moved to Manchester. The deceased had been in failing health for several years.

The funeral was held from the family home in Manchester Saturday morning and the remains were taken to St. John's cemetery, Freedom, for interment.

Blamed a Good Worker.

"I blamed my heart for severe distress in my left side for two years," writes W. Evans, Danville, Va., "but I now know it was indigestion, as Dr. King's New Life Pills completely cured me." Best for stomach, liver and kidney troubles, constipation, headache or debility. 25c at L. P. Vogel, H. H. Fenn Co. and L. T. Freeman Co.

ENTERED BY BURGLARS.

C. Lehman's Home Visited Saturday Night and Valuables Carried Away.

Sometime Saturday night burglars entered the residence of C. Lehman on Garfield street, and carried away with them his gold watch, chain and charm, which was an emblem of the order of Elks, and about \$1.50 in cash. Entrance was gained through the door in the basement of the house and the property was taken from the bedroom on the first floor. When the family arose in the morning Mr. Lehman was unable to find his pants and vest. After a diligent search they were found in the basement and the pockets were turned wrong side out.

The parties were rather bold as a number of residents who reside in the neighborhood were up at different hours during the night and two men were seen about the street corner in that vicinity. Mrs. Lehman was up about four o'clock in the morning and may possibly have frightened the parties away.

Deputy Sheriff McKune was notified Sunday forenoon of the burglary and he also gave the officers in Ann Arbor, Jackson and Detroit a description of the stolen property. No clue has as yet been obtained.

Perry's Flagship Will Be Raised.

The flagship, Niagara, that led the American fleet under Commodore Oliver Hazard Perry to victory in the battle of Lake Erie, September 10th, 1813, after the first flagship, Lawrence had been shot to pieces and abandoned, will be raised and rebuilt. The hull of the vessel, lying in twenty feet of water in Misery Bay, better known as Erie harbor, was given a thorough examination recently by Dan Clafin, a driver, under the personal supervision of A. Q. Thatcher, of the Thatcher Contracting Co., of Toledo, and Milton W. Shreve, speaker of the house of the Pennsylvania legislature.

Clafin spent about three hours going over every part of the abandoned hull. He reported that the flagship is in good condition. He brought up spikes, made of hand hammered iron, that had remained under water almost a century since the vessel was sunk. One of these spikes will be taken by Speaker Shreve and members of the Pennsylvania state commission to the next meeting of the national commission on the Perry victory centennial celebration of 1913, to be held at Put-in-Bay, September 9th, to 11th. At that time Mr. Shreve and others will make reports advising that the Niagara be raised and restored to its original shape so as to be used as the flagship of the fleet of duplicates for the celebration.

The exact resting place of the hull is being kept a secret in order to prevent vandals getting more of the timbers. When the shot-battered ship Lawrence was raised for exhibition at the centennial in Philadelphia, in 1876, souvenirs by the tens of thousands were carved and sold from the timbers.

Church Circles.

BAPTIST.

Rev. Leslie Lee Sanders will preach Sunday morning and evening at 10 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Everybody invited.

ST. PAUL'S.

Rev. A. A. Schoen, Pastor. Services at 10 a. m. Sunday school at 11 a. m. The mission offering will be received of the pupils next Sunday.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL.

Rev. J. W. Campbell, Pastor. Sermon at 10 a. m. Sermon by Rev. J. F. Emerick. Bible study at 11 a. m. Evening sermon at 7 o'clock. Sermon by J. F. Emerick.

Prayer meeting Thursday at 7:15 p. m. Everybody welcome at the Methodist Tabernacle.

Forty-Fifth Reunion.

The 45th reunion of 18th-Michigan Volunteer Infantry and the 50th anniversary of the mustering in of the regiment will be held at Blissfield, Monday, August 26. The program will be: Register in the morning; dinner at 12 noon; business meeting 1:30 p. m.; camp fire following business meeting.

A Good Wheat Crop.

There is no danger of a famine in wheat, according to the report of a Minneapolis milling paper which says that the wheat yield of Minnesota and the Dakotas will approximate 265,000,000 bushels this year, which will be the largest yield on record. The highest mark previously was 198,000,000 bushels, harvested in 1905.

Ancient Sewing Machine.

Geo. A. BeGole probably owes the oldest sewing machine in this county. The ancient machine is a Baker & Grover and was the first one ever brought into the neighborhood where his parents resided. The machine is in a black walnut case which is veneered with rosewood and was built to sit on an ordinary table. It can be operated by hand or with a treadle. There was no bobbins used when the machine was manufactured, and the thread was taken from spools which were located on the top and lower part of the machine. The stitch is what is known as the chain stitch and the outfit cost \$115 at the time it was purchased. It is in a good state of preservation and does fairly good work. The only attachment that is to be found on the sewing machines of today is a tucker that came with the old time machine. Mr. BeGole also has a solid black walnut chest that belonged to his mother, that was made over 60 years ago. It is a very handsome piece of household furniture.

Mrs. Nancy L. Stedman.

Mrs. Nancy L. Stedman was born in Erie county, Pennsylvania, October 23, 1837, and died at the family home in Lima, on Tuesday morning, August 13, 1912.

Mrs. Stedman has been a resident of Michigan since she was ten years of age, and was well known to many of the pioneer settlers of this vicinity. Since the death of her husband, who died several years ago, she has made her home with her daughter, Mrs. W. W. Patterson. The deceased was the mother of eight children, three of whom are dead. She is survived by two sons and three daughters. The funeral will be held from the late home at 10 o'clock Friday morning. Interment Oak Grove cemetery, Chelsea.

Mapes Family Reunion.

The members of the Mapes family held their annual reunion last Saturday at the home of H. and W. H. Mapes, of Stockbridge. Thirty-five were present and a sumptuous dinner was served.

Officers for the coming year were elected and an interesting program of music, songs and recitations was carried out by the children. It was decided to hold the reunion next year at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sharp, of Stockbridge. Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Mapes and children and Fred C. Mapes of this place were among those who were in attendance.

Speaks Well For Michigan.

It is more than evident Michigan is not the only state in the union where teachers know the benefit derived by attending the teachers summer school at Ypsilanti.

Twenty-one other states as follows have teachers in the school taking instructions:

Arkansas 11, China 1, Connecticut 1, Illinois 5, Indiana 20, Kansas 11, Kentucky 6, Minnesota 3, Mississippi 3, Missouri 3, Montana 2, New York 8, Ohio 147, Oklahoma 2, Ontario 1, Pennsylvania 1, Sandwich Islands 1, South Dakota 1, West Virginia 12, Wisconsin 1, Wyoming 1.

Princess Theatre.

"A Soldier's Honor," a two reel Bison drama will be the offering at the Princess theatre on Tuesday, August 20. It is a sensational western showing all the stirring, martial splendor of a military fortress. The young lieutenant, under fire for the first time, runs away. His father mourns him as dead, and when he returns in the night his young wife turns from him, but guards his secret. Later, he redeems the honor of the family in a sensational scene, in which the soldiers and Indians engage in a desperate struggle.

Assessed Too Low.

The state tax commission has ordered a review of the assessed valuation of the entire city of Kalamazoo. Other cities in this state are being re-assessed by the state board and reviews will be held in these cities at a later date.

Information at Lansing is that the assessed valuation of Kalamazoo is only about half of what the state board of assessors have found it worth.

Will Celebrate Golden Wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Bohne, of Francisco, will celebrate the anniversary of their 50 marriage day on Thursday afternoon, August 29th at their home. Mr. and Mrs. Bohne have resided in their present home many years and their friends rejoice with the immediate relatives that the couple have been spared to enjoy the approaching anniversary of their golden wedding day.

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SUSPENDING SENTENCES.

The new practice of suspending sentences in order to give men convicted of an offense, or even of a crime an opportunity to reform places a heavy responsibility upon criminal judges toward the public.

Here's good news for the lazy summer time. An English doctor says reading in bed isn't anything like so bad as the family have always told us it was.

"No hitting below the belt" is an axiom of the prize ring applicable to every contest in life.

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ROOSEVELT HEADS NATIONAL TICKET OF PROGRESSIVES

Governor Johnson of California Named as the Colonel's Running Mate.

NEW PARTY IN FIELD

Platform Pledges It to Ameliorate the Conditions of Living For All the People.

WOMAN SUFFRAGE INCLUDED

Three Day Convention, Imbued With Enthusiasm and Deep Religious Feeling, Is Unlike Any Previous National Political Gathering—Fair Sex Plays a Prominent Part—Spirited Speeches of Acceptance by the Candidates Close the Meeting.

BY E. W. PICKARD.

For President: THEODORE ROOSEVELT. For Vice-President: HIRAM W. JOHNSON.

Chicago.—In its first national convention, held in Chicago, the Progressive party placed the above ticket in the field, and then, after singing the Doxology, went out to battle, determined to carry the fight into every corner of the country.



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the time spent in the Coliseum. First was the speech of Albert J. Beveridge as temporary chairman, delivered on Monday. Next day was the colonel's, and Mr. Roosevelt addressed an audience that filled the immense hall and told them plainly just where he stood on every important issue.

Between speeches and at every other available time the delegates sang and the bands and drum corps played. The songs were mostly the familiar patriotic songs, sometimes parodied to fit present conditions.

Features of the Platform. If it is admitted that the Progressive party is sincere in its declaration, it certainly has started out on a campaign for the amelioration of the condition of the people.

In matters more purely political the platform declared for national presidential primaries, popular election of senators and publicity of campaign funds.

Story of the Sessions. To Senator Dixon of Montana, as provisional chairman, fell the duty of starting things off Monday noon. He spoke briefly and forcibly and then introduced former Senator Beveridge of Indiana as the temporary chairman.

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delegates sent a committee to invite Colonel Roosevelt to address the convention Tuesday, and adjourned for the day. The colonel had arrived during the morning and had been given a great ovation by the people.

Colonel Roosevelt's Speech. When the time for opening the proceedings came Tuesday Chairman Beveridge with difficulty stopped the gay singing of the delegates and read to them the following telegram from Col. William R. Nelson, publisher of the Kansas City Star:

Lord, how I wish I were with you. What a great day, the launching of a party of imagination, hope and prospects. We can afford to give the other fellows their memories and disappointments. The past has no interests for us. The future is our fruit. Give Colonel Roosevelt my love. I never have missed a chance to place a bet



Gov. Hiram W. Johnson.

on him and never have lost when there was a square deal. The Lord is surely with us. He has given us the men as well as the opportunity. I cannot help but feel what a narrow escape we had in the June convention. Roosevelt might have been nominated. My congratulations to everybody.

More songs, and then came the colonel. As he stepped briskly to the front of the platform the din was deafening. Every man and woman in the hall was standing on a chair, and the air was full of waving bandannas and flags.

When the demonstration had lasted about forty-five minutes the audience recognized Mrs. Roosevelt in the balcony over the main entrance and directed the cheering toward her until she rose and waved a bandanna in response. She and the colonel exchanged greetings across the throng.

Doings of the Closing Day. It was nearly noon on Wednesday when the convention came to order, and there was a lot of work to accomplish.

Some Amusing Incidents. The convention was not without its funny features. The band provided the crowd with several good laughs.

Prendergast Names Roosevelt. "The secretary will now call the roll of states for nominations for president," said the chairman.

William H. Hotchkiss, chairman of the New York organization, told the convention of the work being done by the Progressives in his state and of their prospects, and then a recess was taken.

Mrs. W. A. Davis, the handsome young Chicago woman who led the great Hadley-Roosevelt demonstration in the Republican convention, was in the audience Tuesday when the colonel was being cheered.

The Illinois delegation marched in once carrying on a long pole the hat of Frank Funk, the Progressive candidate for governor, used to wear, and it remained as a feature of the Illinois section.

There have been no new cases of typhoid fever reported in Port Huron since July 24, and the authorities now believe they have the situation well in hand.

Seconding speeches came thick and fast, the best being made by Miss Addams, Judge Ben Lindsey, of Denver and Henry Allen of Kansas. Miss Addams was accorded a genuine ovation and at the conclusion of her talk was given a big "Votes for Women" banner, with which she marched around the hall. The nomination of Colonel Roosevelt was then made unanimous by acclamation.

Johnson for Second Place. There had been a good natured contest for second place on the ticket between the friends of Governor Johnson of California and those of Judge Lindsey of Denver.

Now came the grand climax of the convention. The chair had announced that the nominees would appear on the platform and accept the honor conferred on them. The notification committees retired and soon returned, escorting Messrs. Roosevelt and Johnson, and the entire body of delegates and guests rose with a mighty roar.

Of course I will accept the nomination," said the colonel, when he was given a chance to speak, and after giving assurance of his heartfelt devotion to the cause he said some mighty nice things about Governor Johnson. The governor responded in kind, declaring that he would rather go down to defeat with Roosevelt than to win a victory with any other man in the world.

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OSBORN TO CALL SPECIAL SESSION

LANSING THINKS GOVERNOR MAY TRY TO PUT THROUGH FAVORITE MEASURES BEFORE RETIRING.

IS STILL AFTER THE MICHIGAN BONDING COMPANY.

Has Not Lain Down on Fight—Still Wants Legislation Along Line of Corporate Excess System.

There is some talk in Lansing of another special session of the legislature. It is based on the fact that Governor Osborn is no longer a candidate for office and that he wishes to put through a few of his favorite measures. One of these is the corporate excess tax measure advocated by Roger Wyckes and P. H. Kelley.

During the summer the governor has been visiting the several state institutions and matters affecting them are believed to be on the schedule. He has insisted upon several occasions that the expense of maintenance can be decreased by improvements in the methods of purchasing, and has not abandoned the idea of a central purchasing board.

With all the confusion and fuss over the political situation it is conceded that the session would stir up things. No one is willing to be quoted on the subject of another call, but many of the governor's attaches say it is possible. But for that matter, they were saying the same thing much more frequently a while ago.

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SIGNORA MOSCHINI



Signora Moschini, formerly Olga Lulu Davis of Brownsville, Tex., now the wife of a very wealthy member of the Italian chamber of deputies, has won her cross-suit for judicial separation with damages and alimony. Her husband had sued to have the marriage annulled.

SIX PARTIES IN FIELD

Will Have State Tickets on Ballot for Primary Aug. 27.

Secretary of State Martindale has completed the verified list of all candidates filing for the primary on the six tickets existing in Michigan. The list shows that all six parties have full tickets for state offices and there are many more candidates for the senatorial, congressional and legislative offices than formerly. The six parties filing state tickets are: Republican, Democrat, Socialist, Labor, Prohibition and Progressive.

The verified list shows the new party has candidates in every congressional district but the sixth and twelfth. It also has candidates for 12 of the 26 senatorial districts filing with the secretary of state.

PASSES CANAL BILL.

Warm Debate and Several Amendments Enliven the Session.

The Panama canal administration bill providing free passage to American ships, prohibiting railroad owned vessels from using the waterway and authorizing the establishment of a one-man government, when the canal is completed, was passed by the senate 47 to 15.

The provisions for free tolls which was fought out in the senate was endorsed again just before the passage of the measure.

State Political Program.

Sept. 21—Socialists' state convention booked for one-day session in Flint.

Sept. 23—Prohibition state convention scheduled to be held in Lansing.

Sept. 24—Republican state convention will be held in Detroit.

Sept. 26—Democratic state convention will be held in Grand Rapids.

Oct. 1—Bull Moose (National party) convention will be held in Lansing.

Democratic county conventions will be held in all counties Sept. 6.

Republican county conventions in all counties Sept. 10.

Dates have not been announced for the county conventions of the Prohibitionists, Socialists or Bull Moose.

Townsend Urges Raise for Mailmen.

Declaring himself in favor of increasing the maximum salary for rural delivery carriers from \$1,000 to \$1,200 a year, Senator Townsend in a speech on the floor of the senate took issue with Senator McCumber of North Dakota. The senator from North Dakota proposed that a maximum salary of \$600 be established for the shortest route. Senator Townsend called attention to the fact that under the plan suggested the carrier on a five-mile route would receive half the salary of a man carrying a 24-mile route, or one for times as long.

Show Aptitude for Military Service.

A. C. Cron, Tenth United States Infantry instructor in military science at the Michigan Agricultural college, has sent to the adjutant-general the names of the following students of graduation classes at the college who have shown special aptitude for military service:

George A. Sheffield, Adrian; Leo J. Knapp, Weston; John A. Miller, Gladstone; Hunter L. Hammond, East Lansing; Rudolph J. Teakochy, Detroit; Alfred Liddle, Kibbles; Henry W. Schneider, Grand Rapids; Edward H. Gibson, Detroit; Chauncey E. Webb, Mason; Harold H. Barsum, Coats Grove; Harry E. Bone, Reed City; Arthur J. Runner, Shelby, and John A. Holden, South Frankfort.

Majority Leader Underwood, of the house, predicts an adjournment of congress this week, unless President Taft vetoes the legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bill.

Reports from the districts of northern California, where table grapes are commercially grown, indicate that the crop will be slightly smaller than last year, and growers are confidently looking forward to better prices. The major part of the shortage will be in Tokays.

Harrison Ingraham, 109 years old, is dead in Hopkinton, Ill. One of his sons was a soldier in the civil war.

The M. C. railway has closed contracts for building new roundhouse and car shops at Bay City.



Mrs. Blaney, Mrs. Wilmarth and Miss Addams.

Health & Beauty Hints

All outdoor exercises improve the complexion through strengthening the heart and deepening the breathing.

Going up and down stairs is a good exercise for indoor and so is walking about the room on tiptoes, morning and night, while dressing.

The rheumatic pains girls who grow fast often feel are sometimes due to an over-abundance of lactic acid in the blood.

Exercise carried to excess—until one feels at times absolutely idiotic from fatigue—is as bad as none at all.

Government regulation and control of hazardous industries.

Governmental sanitary regulation of temporary construction camps.

Prohibition of the premature employment of children.

Control of the employment of women where they undergo strains.

Provisions for insurance against hazards of sickness, accident, invalidity, involuntary unemployment and old age.

Strengthening and efficient enforcement of pure food laws.

Federal Health Department. Establishment of federal department in which shall be combined all agencies relating to public health.

Revival of the country life commission and co-operation by the government.

Chicago.—The platform of the Progressive party, as adopted by the convention, had been trimmed down to less than one-third of its original length as a result of the all night session.

Political, industrial, agrarian, commercial, social, conservation and tariff reforms are touched on. Its principal planks relate to:

Woman's suffrage. National presidential primaries. Election of United States senators by popular vote.

Provision for a short ballot. A stringent corrupt practices act, which shall apply to primaries as well as elections.

Publicity of campaign contributions during the campaign.

Referendum and Recall. Recognition of the right of the people of a state to secure to themselves the initiative, the referendum and the recall.

Development of methods for making easier to get rid of on incompetent judges.

Recall of judicial decisions and to this end creation of machinery for making easier amendment of the national and state constitutions.

All employers to file wage scales and other data as the public scales of industry demands.

Report of all deaths, injuries and disease, due to industrial operations, to public authorities.

Declaration in favor of a living wage.

Establishment of minimum wage commissions by the nation and states. Immediate establishment of minimum wage standards for women.

Investigation of industries by the federal government for standards of sanitation and safety.

Standardization of mine and factory inspection.

Workmen's Compensation. Establishment of standards of compensation for industrial accidents and deaths and for occupational diseases.

Establishment of a fair standard of compensation for casualties resulting from industrial accidents.

Prohibition of night labor of women and children.

Prohibition of employment of women

Social Forms and Entertainments



For a Crystal Wedding. Will you please kindly tell me through your column suggestions for entertaining on the fifteenth wedding anniversary?—"Crystal Wedding."

This description of a crystal wedding comes from Mrs. Linscott, who knows all about such things. I hope it will help you in your preparations:

The invitations may be decorated with drawings of small hand-mirrors, tumblers, etc., and for the ornamentation of the house every conceivable kind of glass vessel and mirror may be used.

In the center of the table a small mirror might be placed, with a large glass bowl upon it filled with flowers. Red carnations with red candle-shades make a very effective color scheme for the crystal background.

Little cakes with red icing, red bonbons, and red place cards may also be used. The refreshments should be served on glass dishes, the waiters using glass trays if possible.

Tiny glass bottles each containing a red carnation, and a sprig of smilax make very appropriate souvenirs. Should the bride desire, an appropriate gown for the occasion, it may be trimmed with quantities of glass beads or the glass drops from a chandelier.

For an "Artist" Luncheon. I have a friend who is going abroad to study art. Can you suggest any novel way to give her a farewell luncheon?—Puzzled.

I think I have just what you want. There were six art students who had been together for several years and this luncheon was given one of the party on the eve of her departure for Europe.

The centerpiece was a plaster cast of "Psyche" and the candlesticks were of china in the shape of tall white columns. The name cards were on little easels and each was decorated with a tiny water-color sketch. Candy shaped palattes were the bonbons with natural little dabs of colored candy paint.

The ice cream was served on paint pans and the cakes were ornamented with dabs of colored icing.

A beautiful sketch book was given the guest of honor in which each friend had written a sentiment and made a tiny thumb nail drawing.

Refreshments and Place Cards. I am a member of a club of fourteen who play five hundred. It is my turn to entertain. I should like to serve something new. The refreshments are limited to five articles. Kindly advise me what to serve and something inexpensive for place cards.—Marlan.

A large figure five, cut from cardboard any color you wish, with date and name makes a pretty place card. Use gold ink for the lettering.

I think five articles make very elaborate refreshments. I hardly know what will be new to you, but the following menu is mighty good: Jellied chicken in molds, garnished with egg and parsley; cut sandwiches, olives, celery sticks filled with cottage cheese, ice cream cones, coffee.

Menu for Summer Luncheon. I wish to entertain six guests very simply. Will you outline a menu?—Grateful.

I think if I told you what I had recently that it would suit you. For the first course there were delicious canteloupe, then sweetbreads on toast, rice, potatoes, cucumbers and tomato salad, cheese straws, celery sticks filled with cheese, nuts and olives, hot biscuit, iced tea and Spanish cream for dessert.

For a Poverty Party. Will you please suggest entertainments and refreshments for a "hard time" party?—Mona.

Use a red tablecloth, wooden benches, kitchen chairs, candles, tin and wooden dishes, and have inexpensive prizes—tin horns and articles purchased at the five and ten cent stores. Bean bags, soap bubbles and old-fashioned games are the most appropriate. If cards, play "old maid" and "casino."

Reply to V. R. W. It is not necessary to assist a boy or man with his overcoat; a man is presented to a woman. Girls do not unchaperoned to the theater with boys, but I do not like to see it unless they are of age. Never accept any attention or favors from boys or men whom you do not know. Always be on the safe side.

Reply to "Plain Jane." No harm whatever in meeting the young man. Take a friend, or some member of your family with you. Thank you for using the typewriter. MME. MERRI.

RAW ROCK PHOSPHATE

By PROF. A. J. PATTEN, Experiment Station Chemist, Michigan Agricultural College

Finely ground raw rock phosphate, such as is being sold as a source of phosphoric acid, for fertilizing purposes is found quite extensively throughout the southern, middle western and western states. It has been conservatively estimated that if the present rate of consumption should be increased three times, there is now in sight an amount of rock phosphate sufficient to supply the demand for 1,200 years. The principal source of supply for this section at the present time is Tennessee, and a good grade of rock should be laid down, in car lots, along the lines of the trunk railroads in the southern part of the state for \$8.50 to \$9.00 per ton.

The grade of rock phosphate generally found upon the markets, contains about 61 per cent. bone phosphate of lime, which is equivalent to 28 per cent. phosphoric acid and 33 per cent. lime. Fineness is a large factor in determining the availability of rock phosphate. The finer the material the more readily it will become available, consequently this point should be taken into consideration when purchasing.

To obtain the best results it should be ground to such fineness that 95 per cent. will pass through a 100 mesh screen. By far the greater part of the rock phosphate used for fertilizing purposes is in the form of acid phosphate, (dissolved phosphate or superphosphate). This is prepared by treating the rock phosphate with an equal weight of sulphuric acid (oil of vitriol). This treatment changes the phosphoric acid from an insoluble to a soluble form and makes it readily available to the growing plant.

The cost of the phosphoric acid to the consumer is increased by this process to nearly four times, since the acid phosphate sells at retail for nearly double what the raw phosphate costs and it contains only half as much phosphoric acid.

In view of this situation the question naturally arises would it not be more economical to use the slowly available raw phosphate than to pay the higher price for the acid phosphate. Many of the state experiment stations have conducted experiments to compare these two forms of phosphoric acid, but the results have been conflicting. In fact the results obtained at some stations over a period of several years have been so contradictory as to be of little value.

The most widely advertised experiments with rock phosphate are those conducted by Dr. Hopkins in Illinois. These experiments have been in progress during a period of 12 or 14 years and have been conducted on the so-called prairie soils rich in organic matter. The crops most commonly employed have been corn, oats, wheat and clover. The rock phosphate has at all times been applied in connection with liberal amounts of manure or with clover turned under. The conclusions drawn from the results of these experiments are that rock phosphate is a more economical source of phosphoric acid than the treated phosphate.

In Ohio the experiments by Director Thomas have been conducted in much the same manner, as the Illinois experiments, but the results here justify the conclusion that the acid phosphate is the more economical source of phosphoric acid.

A few experiments have been conducted by the Michigan experiment station, and in no case have the results favored the rock phosphate, though it should be stated that the experiments were not conducted under the most favorable conditions.

In reviewing the experiments reported from all experiment stations where experiments have been conducted it is impossible to arrive at any definite conclusion on the subject, consequently letters were written to the directors of 21 state experiment stations asking them to state how they advised their constituent farmers on the subject. Seventeen replied by saying that they do not recommend the use of rock phosphate and four recommended its use when accompanied by liberal applications of barn yard manure or when green manure is turned under. Director Thorne, who is often quoted as favoring rock phosphate, replied by saying "In our experiments in the use of raw rock phosphate as a re-enforcement of manure, as compared with acid phosphate, we find very little difference in the net return, after deducting the cost of treatment, between the two materials. The difference at present seems to be slightly in favor of the acid phosphate. Our results in the separate use of the two phosphates as a direct application to the land do not encourage the use of the raw rock."

Although the results from all these experiments are so contradictory they have clearly demonstrated one thing, i. e. that it is useless to use raw rock phosphate except as a re-enforcement of manure or upon land that is rich in organic matter. Dr. Hopkins strongly emphasizes this point in these words: "We desire again to emphasize the fact that humus as well as phosphorus is needed to maintain the fertility of Illinois soil, and again to doubly emphasize the fact that raw phosphate must be used in connection with liberal amounts of manure or with a good crop of clover plowed under if satisfactory results are to be secured on Illinois soils. When used without a good crop rotation and without farm manure or green manure, dis-

appointing results are very sure to follow."

It is the opinion of the writer, based upon the available evidence from all sources, that more careful experimenting must be done before this question can be definitely settled. Up to the present time the best results, taking everything into consideration, have been obtained with the acid phosphate. Then, too, it has not yet been definitely proved that the beneficial results from the use of raw rock phosphate is due in every case to the phosphoric acid it contains. As previously stated raw rock phosphate contains, on an average, 28 per cent. phosphoric acid and 33 per cent. lime and any reaction taking place in the soil tending to make available the phosphoric acid will also make the lime available. In many of the experiments with rock phosphate crops have been used which are known to be usually benefited by lime, and in such cases it is unfair, in the writer's opinion, to attribute the good results entirely to the phosphoric acid of the rock phosphate. Then, too, the use of rock phosphate under the most favorable conditions calls for better methods of farming and this, of itself, is bound to increase the yields.

In conclusion, the writer wishes to impress upon the readers of this article that the results of other experiments cannot be taken as applying to their own conditions and that if rock phosphate is used at all it should be done in an experimental way, and that it should be used on such crops as corn, oats, wheat, clover, etc., and never upon crops like potatoes, sugar beets, etc., upon small fruits.

The Cost of Making Cement Drain Tile

By H. H. Musselman

In the following figures which are furnished for estimating the cost of making cement tile it must be kept in mind that they will be affected by local conditions in almost every case. The cost of labor, sand and gravel, kind of machine used, convenience of arrangement for manufacturing, and number to be made, will all affect this item. The factors which will affect the cost to the greatest degree are labor and the cost of sand laid down at the place of manufacture.

The element of labor required is often neglected in making estimations of this kind, since it is assumed that at certain seasons of the year it cannot be used for other purposes. This should not be neglected because the successful farmer endeavors to use his time in such a way as to give it the highest worth. This will only be possible when it is considered and its real value becomes known.

In places where sand is difficult to obtain or where clay tile is extensively manufactured, the making of cement tile on the farm may not be advisable, but in sections where clay tile are not easily obtained, and where sand is convenient, their cost will usually be found less than for the clay product.

The following figures are based on some rather short tests made by the farm mechanics department of the Michigan agricultural college. These tile were made on a machine adaptable to both hand and power operating, the mixing being done by hand. Two men were required to operate the machine to the best advantage. On this machine from 40 000 to 500 tile could be made per day of ten hours by hand power, and from 600 to 750 per day, using small gasoline engine for power. Not more than one-half to one horse power was required to run the machine. In any case it would be of decided advantage to use power, and if a large number are to be made a mixer could be devised which could be operated by power, and thereby materially reduce the work connected with their manufacture. Making at the rate given above the cement and sand has to be mixed in comparatively small batches, since no more should be mixed than can be used in a half hour.

All the figures given are for a four inch tile having a nine-sixteenth-inch wall. No data was obtained on other sizes. The cost of the size given should give a fair notion of the cost of the other common sizes and furnish a basis of comparison with other kinds of tile. The proportions used were one to four of cement and sand, screened through a three-eighths inch screen.

*Cost of material and labor per thousand by hand power:

4.30 bbl. cement @ \$1.50..... \$6.45
2.43 yds. sand @ \$1.25..... 3.04
4.4 days labor @ \$1.50..... 6.60

Total..... \$16.09

Cost of material and labor per thousand by engine power:

4.20 bbl. cement @ \$1.50..... \$6.30
2.34 yds. sand @ \$1.25..... 2.93
3.3 days labor @ \$1.50..... 4.95
1 gal. gasoline @ 15c..... .15

Total..... \$14.33

The rate of making in the above figures is computed at 450 per day by hand power and at 600 per day using an engine for power. It will be seen that the cost of making by engine power will run from one dollar and a half to two dollars less per thousand than by hand. It will also be noted that the items of cement and sand might cost be lower in some localities. In figures given by Hanson in "Cement and Tile," the cost of four inch proportioned one to four is estimated at from \$12 to \$15 per thousand. In most cases, however, machines having a much larger capacity than the one for which figures are given above, were used.

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Be thrifty on little things like bluing. Don't accept water for bluing. Ask for Red Cross Ball Blue, the extra good value blue.

It is sometimes a good plan to be sure the other fellow is right—then follow in his footsteps.

To be sweet and clean, every woman should use Paxtine in sponge bathing. It eradicates perspiration and all other body odors. At drug stores, 25c a box or sent postpaid on receipt of price by The Paxton Toilet Co., Boston, Mass.

George, don't you think, now that your salary has been raised, we can have an automobile?" "Oh, I suppose we can have one, if we wish, but why be so common?"

Expect Big Sale of Red Cross Seals. The campaign for selling Red Cross seals this year will be carried on in practically every state and territory in the United States, and even in Porto Rico, the Canal Zone, Hawaii and Philippine Islands. No less than 100,000 volunteer agents, including department, drug and other kinds of stores, motion picture theaters, individuals, and others, will be engaged in the work. Before the sale is completed, it is expected that at least 100,000,000 seals will have been printed and distributed, besides several million posters, display cards and other forms of advertising literature.

That One Thing Lacking. Lady Augusta Gregory, the able and ardent apostle of the modern Irish movement, is fond of telling the following Irish story:

"It was the wedding day of Pat and Bridget, and they were having a church wedding. It was a grand affair. Pat was dressed with patent leather shoes, white vest and flaming tie. Bridget shone attractively in many colors. The ceremony was over, and the happy pair walked down the aisle, out into the street, where a great crowd greeted them with delight.

"Once seated within the cab, Bridget leaned over to Pat and said, in a loud whisper, 'Oh, Pat, if we could only have stood on the sidewalk and watched ourselves pass, wouldn't it have been divin'?"

HOW MANY OF US Fall to Select Food Nature Demands to Ward Off Ailments?

A Ky. lady, speaking about food, says: "I was accustomed to eating all kinds of ordinary food until, for some reason, indigestion and nervous prostration set in.

"After I had run down seriously my attention was called to the necessity of some change in my diet, and I discontinued my ordinary breakfast and began using Grape-Nuts with a good quantity of rich cream.

"In a few days my condition changed in a remarkable way, and I began to have a strength that I had never before possessed of before, a vigor of body and a peace of mind that amazed me. It was entirely new in my experience.

"My former attacks of indigestion had been accompanied by heat flashes, and many times my condition was distressing with blind-spells of dizziness, rush of blood to the head and neuralgic pains in the chest.

"Since using Grape-Nuts alone for breakfast I have been free from these troubles, except at times when I have indulged in rich, greasy foods in quantity, then I would be warned by a pain under the left shoulder blade, and unless I heeded the warning the old trouble would come back; but when I finally got to know where these troubles originated I returned to my Grape-Nuts and cream and the pain and disturbance left very quickly.

"I am now in prime health as a result of my use of Grape-Nuts." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

"There's a reason," and it is explained in the little book, "The Road to Wellville," in page 22. It is a free book that shows how a few simple changes in diet can make a great difference in your health. It is free of charge, and full of interesting information.

BRIEF PLATFORM OF PROGRESSIVES

Resolutions Cast in Form of a Contract With People.

ADVANCED STAND IS TAKEN

Woman Suffrage, Recall of Court Decisions and Plans for Bettering Living Conditions of Wage-Earners Are Features.

Chicago.—The platform of the Progressive party, as adopted by the convention, had been trimmed down to less than one-third of its original length as a result of the all night session. It started out as a document of 2,000 words and when it emerged it was reduced to between 2,000 and 2,500.

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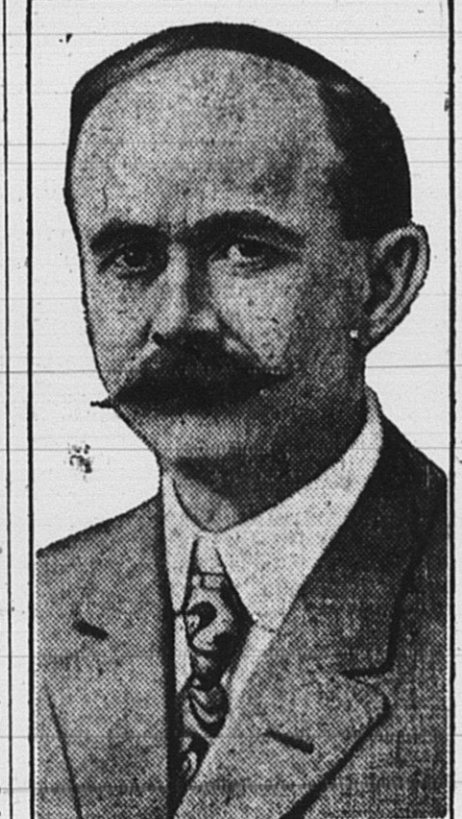
Standardization of mine and factory inspection.

Workmen's Compensation. Establishment of standards of compensation for industrial accidents and deaths and for occupational diseases.

Establishment of a fair standard of compensation for casualties resulting from industrial accidents.

Prohibition of night labor of women and children.

Prohibition of employment of women



Judge Ben B. Lindsey.

ment with the farmer to make the farm more productive.

Strengthening of anti-trust law against monopoly and anti-social practices.

Creation of national industrial commission, with full power to regulate and control all features of the great industrial corporations.

Remodeling of patent laws and prevention of use of patents as tools of monopoly.

Establishment of parcels post on zone principle.

Strengthening of the interstate commerce law, especially as regards railroads.

Elastic Currency Reform. Declaration for sound and elastic currency reform, guarded against use for any speculative purposes.

Legislation to conserve the soil, forests and mines.

Declaration that public shall not alienate its fee in the water power, leasing the power only for a reasonable length of time.

Participation in reclaiming swamp lands in south and continuance of irrigation policy in west.

Federal development and control of the Mississippi river.

Use of Alaska as experiment in governmental construction and ownership of railroads and telegraphs.

Retention by government of fee of all Alaska coal fields. Adoption of a system of land taxation in Alaska which will remove all the burdens from those who actually use the land, whether for building or agricultural purposes, and will operate against speculators.

About Panama Canal. Approval of Panama canal, provision for its fortification and legislation authorizing coastwise traffic to use canal without tolls.

Maintenance of an efficient army. Continuance of upbuilding navy. Declaration for protective tariff for whole people.

Creation of permanent commission of nonpartisan tariff experts. Revision of tariff schedule by schedule.

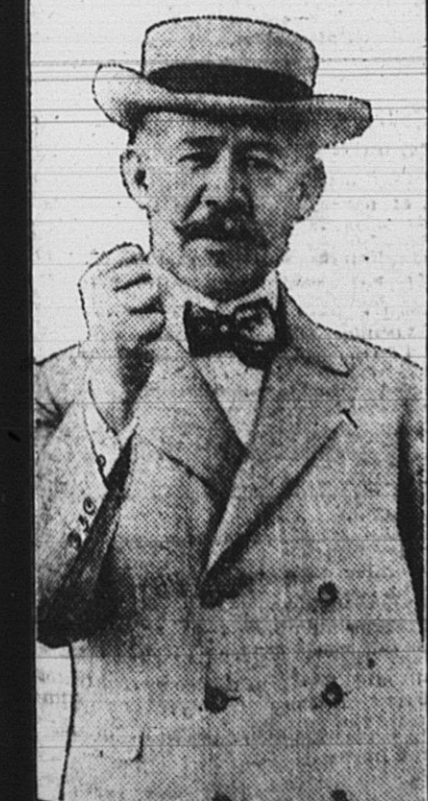
Downward revision of the tariff. Investigation of high cost of living. Legislation for closer business relationship between farmer and consumer.

Don't worry because you cannot buy an expensive face powder. Save up the pennies until you have ten cents and then get a little plain rice powder, or several lumps of magnesium, at the druggist's; pound either of these mediums until it is almost dust, sift it through coarse muslin, and then put the powder in a box which can be covered, and spend your time thinking where you can get a little bunch of sweet fresh flowers for nothing. Rose leaves, jessamine, gardenias, and every other richly-scented flower can be used for perfuming the face powder.

Break off the petals of the blooms—and shut them up in the box with the powder for two weeks, occasionally shaking it around, but never opening it. At the end of the two weeks you will find a face powder of the exquisite baby variety.

Cold cream of a very useful sort can be made of fresh leaf lard in some of the cold, filtered water you drink, renewing the whipping until the lard is feathery. Then wash it off in the coldest water you can procure—still filtered—and perfume it with a few drops of extract. Keep in a cold place. Instead of the extract, rosewater, which is excellent for the skin, may be used.

Interest in Belts. In the Dry Goods Economist the statement is made that the belt finish is rapidly coming into favor for smart dresses; in fact, some of the more dressy models have belt effects, the dress materials being used for this purpose, and in many cases combined with various kinds of leather. The introduction of belts does not mean that the waists will be small, however. The belts are used in an ornamental way only and are not intended to conceal any curves of the figure.



George W. Perakins.

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PERSONAL MENTION.

Joseph Kolb was in Grass Lake Sunday.
 Bert Conlan was in Ann Arbor Monday.
 Mrs. Geo. Eder was an Ann Arbor visitor Friday.
 Mrs. A. C. Pierce is visiting in Lansing this week.
 Mrs. Charles Currier is spending this week at Flint.
 Harold Pierce, of Detroit, spent Sunday in Chelsea.
 Miss Elizabeth Keusch is visiting relatives in Lansing.
 John Fletcher is visiting friends in Cleveland this week.
 Miss Lilla Schmidt spent Sunday with friends near Delhi.
 William Kolb is visiting relatives in Cleveland this week.
 Wm. Vocum, of Manchester, was a Chelsea visitor Monday.
 Hugh Faulkner is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Currier.
 Miss Edith Tuomey, of Detroit, is a guest of Mrs. Chas. Martin.
 Mrs. C. Whitaker was the guest of relatives in Ann Arbor Monday.
 Misses Mabel and Mae McGuiness were Detroit visitors last week.
 Mrs. C. Bowen spent Monday with Mrs. Reuben Kempf in Ann Arbor.
 Miss Mary Sawyer spent the weekend at Jackson and Ackerson Lake.
 Mrs. E. F. Chase, of Detroit, is the guest of Chelsea relatives this week.
 Miss Tressa Winters is the guest of her sister in Grand Rapids this week.
 Herman Dancer and family were guests of relatives in Francisco Sunday.
 Earl Foster, of Detroit, spent the first of the week with his parents here.
 Mr. and Mrs. John Reilly were Detroit visitors several days of last week.
 Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Miller, of Jackson, are guests of Mrs. J. Runciman this week.
 Mrs. Sophia White, of Howell, is a guest at the home of her niece, Mrs. Ford Astell.
 Miss Emma Barth, of Goldfield, Nevada, is spending the summer with relatives here.
 Miss Emma Kerriannis, of Holland, spent Saturday and Sunday with Chelsea friends.
 Miss Elizabeth Schwickerath is visiting relatives in Toledo and Berkey, Ohio, this week.
 Rev. and Mrs. F. A. Stiles, of Lima, Ohio, are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Laird.
 Miss Edith Johnson is spending a few weeks with her uncle Dr. F. A. Johnson at Greenville.
 Mr. and Mrs. George Rathburn, of Tecumseh, are guests at the home of James Geddes this week.
 Misses Ethel and Mildred Chadwick, of Jackson, are guests at the home of Andrew Sawyer this week.
 Miss Lillie Wackenhut and friend, Miss Emma Kerriannis, of Holland, spent Monday in Ann Arbor.
 Mr. and Mrs. M. Knight and children, of Jackson, are guests at the home of Mrs. Julia Crowell.
 Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Lowry left Saturday morning for a two weeks' auto trip through Ohio and New York.
 Mr. and Mrs. Byron Wright, of Detroit, and Mrs. Geo. Irwin, of Lansing, are guests of Mrs. Mary Winans.
 Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Harper, of Corunna, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Campbell Saturday and Sunday.
 Mr. and Mrs. Alec Neulan, of Ypsilanti, were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Doll for a few days the past week.
 William Andrew and the Misses Ida and Tillie Braun, of Ann Arbor, spent Sunday with Wm. Schatz and family.
 Mrs. Myron Grant, Miss Edith Grant and John Cavanaugh, of Detroit, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. Schanz.
 Mrs. Allen Tucker and daughter Edith, of River Rouge, are spending a few weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Tucker.
 Mrs. W. Benton and Miss Hattie Benton, of Dexter, spent the first of the week at the home of Willis Benton and family.

New Play Has Premiere.

Waterliet, Mich., July 30 (Special to The Billboard).—Sunbonnet Sue, a four-act comedy-drama by Whitney Collins, was given its first performance on any stage at the opera house here last night. The new play created a most favorable impression upon a large audience. The cast includes Beatrice Earl, who appears in the title role. Theodore Shaller, Ed. J. Kadov, Boyden Utely, P. G. Buffington, Geo. Lovelace and James McBride. The Park Play Company, of New York and Chicago, have provided an elaborate production.
 This attraction will be the opening play that Managers Geddes & McLaren will offer the patrons of the Sylvan theatre. The opening date is set for Friday, August 23.

CORRESPONDENCE.

SHARON NEWS.

A number from here attended the horse races at Clinton Saturday.
 Chas. O'Neill and son Harold, of Adrian, visited at the home of Mrs. H. P. O'Neill one day last week.
 Misses Mayme and Florence Reno were week-end guests of their cousin, Miss Lucile Reno of Pleasant Lake.
 Mr. and Mrs. Roy Raymond, who have been spending some time with relatives and friends here, returned to their home in Hayden, Arizona, the first of the week.
 Henry Wolfe, of Grass Lake, but formerly a resident of Sharon for many years, died Monday morning of paralysis. He was a good neighbor, who was always ready to help another.
 The funeral was held at the Sharon Lutheran church Wednesday, of which he was a member, Rev. A. A. Schoen of Chelsea officiating. The deceased leaves three sons, William, Edward and George all of Grass Lake and three daughters, Mrs. R. Kappler, of Sharon, Mrs. Clyde Lockwood, of Leoni, and Mrs. Ross Greenwood, of Grass Lake, to mourn his loss, his wife having preceded him in death fifteen years.
 A very pretty home wedding occurred at the home of F. A. Knickerbocker in Norvell township Monday when his daughter Ione was united in marriage to Bernis O'Neill, of Sharon. On account of the recent death in the groom's family the wedding was a very quiet affair, only the immediate family being present. The ceremony was performed at high noon by Rev. Heaton, of Norvell, and a sumptuous feast followed. The bride was prettily gowned in white and they were unattended. They left for an extended tour among relatives in Ohio, but will be at home to their friends after September 1, on the O'Neill farm in Sharon. Mr. and Mrs. O'Neill were both popular young people and the best wishes of a host of friends for a long life of happiness and prosperity are extended to them.

SUGAR LOAF LAKE.

J. W. Cassidy spent Monday in Ann Arbor.
 Burt Kellogg, of Ann Arbor, spent Sunday at the home of Geo. Beeman.
 Mrs. S. L. Leach and son Earl spent Sunday at the home of George Goodwin.
 Mrs. Stephen Behm and children spent Monday at the home of E. E. Rowe.
 Miss Mary Dealey, of Detroit, spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. G. Dealey.
 Clarence and Walter Bott, of Stockbridge, spent Sunday with Leo Guinan.
 Several from this vicinity attended the Gleaners picnic at Clear Lake Saturday.
 Miss Margaret Guinan attended the teachers' examination at Ann Arbor last week.
 Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Jones, of Jackson, spent Sunday at the home of G. W. Beeman.
 Leo Fohey, of Marquette, spent a few days of last week at the home of Wm. Cassidy.
 Miss Sylvia Runciman, of Chelsea, was the guest of Miss Nina Beeman Saturday and Sunday.
 There was a large attendance at the special school meeting Saturday night. Among them several of the gentler sex.

WATERLOO DOINGS.

Miss Anna McKune is spending her vacation in Detroit.
 Miss Lillah Foster, of Jackson, spent Sunday with friends here.
 Mrs. Wm. Barber and son and Edna Barber spent Thursday in Chelsea.
 Herman Koeltz, of Detroit, spent Friday and Saturday with his parents here.
 Mrs. C. A. Barber is spending some time with her daughter, Mrs. Ezra Moeckel.
 Mr. and Mrs. Guy Westfall, of Stockbridge, spent Sunday with Wm. Barber and family.
 Miss Ina Barth, of Ann Arbor, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. V. F. Moeckel several days of last week.
 Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Runciman and son, of Stockbridge, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Milton Reithmiller.
 The Ladies' Aid Society which was held Thursday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Orville Gorton was well attended. The proceeds were over \$4.
 He Won't Limp Now.
 No more limping for Tom Moore of Cochran, Ga., "I had a bad sore on my instep that nothing seemed to help till I used Bucklen's Arnica Salve," he writes, "but this wonderful healer soon cured me." Heals old, running sores, ulcers, boils, burns, cuts, bruises, eczema or rashes. Try it. Only 25 cents at L. P. Vogel, H. H. Penn Co. and L. T. Freeman Co.

Primary Election.

Note is hereby given, that a general primary election will be held in the township of Sylvan, county of Washtenaw, state of Michigan, at the town hall, within said township, on Tuesday, August 27, A. D. 1912, for the purpose of nominating by direct vote candidates by each of the several political parties for the following offices, viz.:
 NATIONAL—One candidate for United States Senator; one candidate for Representative in Congress at Large; one candidate for Representative in Congress for the Congressional district of which said precinct forms a part.
 STATE—One candidate for Governor, and one candidate for Lieutenant-Governor.
 LEGISLATIVE—One candidate for Senator in the State Legislature for the Senatorial District of which said voting precinct forms a part; one candidate for Representative in the State Legislature for the Representative District of which said voting precinct forms a part.
 COUNTY—One candidate for each of the following County offices, viz: Judge of Probate, Sheriff, Clerk, Treasurer, Register of Deeds, Proseuting Attorney, Surveyor, Drain Commissioner; also two candidates for Circuit Court Commissioner and candidates for County Auditor. Also two candidates for County Coroner.
 There shall also be elected as many delegates to the county conventions of the several political parties as said precinct or township is entitled to under the call of the county committee of said political parties, which number will be indicated by the number of blank lines printed on official primary ballots used at said election under the heading, "Delegates to County Conventions." The Board of Primary Election Inspectors will furnish delegates with credentials, entitling them to seats in the county conventions, except that where there is more than one precinct in a township and the county committee require the election of delegates from the township as a whole, such delegates should be admitted without credentials.
 Names of candidates for delegates to county conventions will not appear on the official primary ballots but will be written or pasted in by the voter, in the place designated on said ballots.
 RELATIVE TO ENROLLMENT.—The enrollment for this election was held April 1, 1912, but any qualified elector in any election precinct in this State, who failed to have his name enrolled on enrollment day by reason of sickness or unavoidable absence from the election precinct, and who is a qualified elector in said precinct on primary election day, or any person who may have become twenty-one years of age or a qualified elector after enrollment day, may have his name enrolled by the board of primary election inspectors on any primary election day upon making oath as provided in the general election law relative to the registration of electors on election days, or any person who was duly enrolled in the manner provided by law, but who has changed his residence to any election precinct, other than that in which he was enrolled, may be enrolled in the new election precinct and may vote therein: Provided, That he has resided in the election precinct in which he seeks to be enrolled for a period of twenty days and that he obtained from a member of the enrollment board of the election precinct in which he formerly resided, a certificate stating that he was duly enrolled in such precinct, and that he is entitled to enrollment in the new precinct. In the absence of such certificate, if he can satisfy the said enrollment board of primary election inspectors upon making oath to such facts, according to the provisions of the general election law relative to registration of electors on election day, he shall be entitled to enrollment and permitted to vote following such enrollment.
 All qualified electors who enrolled by request and affidavit 60 days or more previous to this Primary Election will be entitled to vote at said election.
 Section 28, Primary Law, provides that any enrolled voter may re-enroll on any primary election day as a member of a New Political Party, and all qualified electors not enrolled with any political party may be enrolled on any primary election day as a member of a New Political Party.
 The Polls of said election will be open at 7 o'clock A. M. and will remain open until 5 o'clock P. M. of said day of election, unless the Board of Election Inspectors shall in their discretion adjourn the polls at 12 o'clock, noon, for one hour.
 Dated this 12th day of August, A. D. 1912.
 PAUL O. BACON,
 Township Clerk.

GET TO THE CAUSE

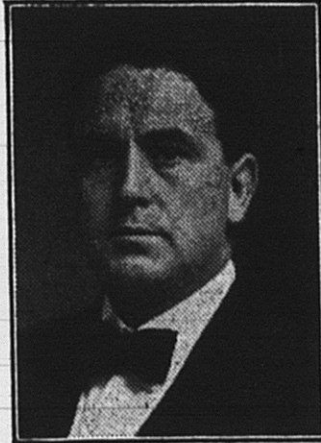
Chelsea People Are Learning the Way.
 There is but little peace or comfort for the man or woman with a bad back. The distress begins in early morning—keeps up throughout the day. It's hard to get out of bed, it's torture to stoop or straighten. Plasters and liniments may relieve, but cannot cure. The cause is inside—the kidneys. When suffering so, use Doan's Kidney Pills, the tested and proven kidney remedy, used in kidney troubles for over 35 years. Doan's Kidney Pills have cured many thousands of such cases. Proof in the testimony of a nearby resident:
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A Guaranteed Treatment. Money Back if It Fails.
 Kidney diseases are more prevalent than is generally supposed, and are not always recognized as such. What was at first but a slight derangement of the kidneys often results in indigestion, rheumatism, anaemia, chronic and very painful headache, neuralgia eye weakness, and other diseases of a most aggravating type. Therefore it is highly important and absolutely necessary that the kidneys and the urinary system be kept in an active and healthy condition.
 After a thorough experience with the most successful forms of kidney treatments, we are confident that the one remedy which embraces the most desirable, safe and efficacious curative qualities, so necessary to the successful treatment and positive eradication of kidney diseases in general, is Rexall Kidney Pills.
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In the earth are sometimes heard before a terrible earthquake, that warn of the coming peril. Nature's warnings are kind. That dull pain or ache in the back warns you the kidneys need attention if you would escape those dangerous maladies, diabetes, dropsy or Bright's disease. Take Electric Bitters at once and see backache fly and all your best feelings return. "My son received great benefit from their use for kidney and bladder trouble," writes Peter Bondy, South Rockwood, Mich., "It is certainly a great kidney medicine." Try it. 50 cents at L. P. Vogel, H. H. Penn Co. and L. T. Freeman Co.



William H. Murray

DEMOCRATIC CANDIDATE FOR Judge of Probate

Your vote for me at the primaries, August 27, 1912, will be appreciated.

WANT COLUMN

RENTS, REAL ESTATE, FOUND LOST WANTED ETC.

FOR SALE—One horse lumber wagon; in good condition. Cheap. Inquire of R. J. Beckwith.

FEEDING CATTLE—I shall have in a few days a lot of feeding cattle that I will sell to the farmers at from four to five cents per pound. Martin Wackenhut.

FOR SALE—The Thos. Morse residence on Washington street. Good house, barn and well. Inquire of Miss May Morse, Route 2 Chelsea. Phone 159 21.

WANTED—Teacher for district No. 4, Lyndon township; 8 months school. H. A. Stanbridge, director, R. F. D. No. 3, Chelsea, Mich.

FOR SALE—The Schnaltman residence on west Middle street. For particulars address Mrs. J. D. Schnaltman, 1879 Russell St., Detroit.

FARMS FOR SALE—Seventy acres one mile north-west of Chelsea, known as the Robert Foster farm. Good soil; gambel roof barn, 34x36, with cement basement; good house and out-buildings; three wells; apple orchard and small fruit. A bargain for a quick cash sale. 275 acres Howard Everett farm, 6 miles south-west of Chelsea. 308 acres, John McKune farm, six miles north of Chelsea. Modern house on Chandler street. Six room house on north Main street. Double residence, east Summit street. Good residence, north Street. Small house on west Middle street. H. D. Witherell, Chelsea, Mich. 50tf

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\$3.75	\$4.50	\$6.00	\$1.50	\$2.25	\$3.00

Men's Shirts

One Lot of Men's Arrow and Cluett Shirts, regular price \$1.50, now \$1.15
 One Lot of Men's Monarch Shirts, best \$1.00 shirt made, now 75c
 One Lot Men's Neglige Shirts, \$1.50 value, attached collar, now \$1.15

Men's Straw Hats at 1-2 Regular Price

\$1.50 Hats now 75c \$2.00 Hats now \$1.00 \$3.00 Hats now \$1.50

Special in Men's Neckwear

To clean up our stock before new fall goods arrive, your choice at 99c

Special Prices on Men's Oxfords and Shoes

DURING THIS MONTH COME IN AND LOOK THEM OVER

Special in Boys' Shoes

One Lot regular \$1.50 to \$2.50 Shoes, nearly all sizes, just the thing for school wear. 99c

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Grand Annual Picnic

For the Benefit of

St. Mary's School

In Wilkinson's Grove, Chelsea

Tuesday, Aug. 20

REV. JOHN M. DOYLE, of Jackson, HON. GEORGE J. BURKE, Prosecuting Attorney of Washtenaw County, and other able speakers.

A good dinner will be served from 11:00 to 2:00. Adults, 50c. Children, 25c.

Athletic Games and Contests.

Good Music and all kinds of refreshments on the grounds.

Everybody is Invited. Come early and stay late

Tickets on sale at John Farrell's and Miller Sisters'

Probate Order
 STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw, ss. At a session of the probate court for said county of Washtenaw, held at the probate office in the city of Ann Arbor, on the 18th day of July in the year one thousand nine hundred and twelve.
 Present, Emory E. Leland, Judge of Probate.
 In the matter of the estate of Gleason Whiteaker, incompetent.
 D. Edward Beach, guardian of said estate, having filed in this court his annual account, and praying that the same may be heard and allowed.
 It is ordered, that the 18th day of August next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office be appointed for hearing said account.
 And it is further ordered, that a copy of this order be published three successive weeks previous to said time of hearing, in The Chelsea Standard, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Washtenaw.
 EMORY E. LELAND, Judge of Probate.
 (A true copy.)
 DOUGLAS C. DOWNMAN, Register.

Commissioners' Notice
 STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw, ss. The undersigned having been appointed by the Probate Court for said County, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of Bertha Heimrich, 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 John Kalmback's office in the village of Chelsea, in said county, on the 18th day of September and on the 23rd day of October next, at 10 o'clock a. m. of each of said days to receive, examine and adjust said claims.
 Dated July 19th, 1912.
 GEORGE BECKWITH,
 O. C. BOWSBURY,
 Commissioners.

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 Howard Everett, 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 Farmers & Merchants Bank in the village of Chelsea, in said county, on the 18th day of September and on the 23rd day of October next, at 10 o'clock a. m. of each of said days to receive, examine and adjust said claims.
 Dated July 23rd, 1912.
 JOHN WALKER,
 O. C. BOWSBURY,
 Commissioners.

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CLASSY STYLES IN TWO PIECE SUITS
Ranging in prices from \$15.00 to \$30.00.

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With Detached Collars to Match, prices from 50 cents to \$2.00.

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Summer Underwear

Union Suits from \$1.00 to \$3.00.
"B. V. D." Union Suits price \$1.00.
"POROSKNIT" Union Suits price \$1.00.
Two Piece Suits from 50 cents to \$2.00.

STRAW HATS

SAILORS
From \$1.00 to \$3.00.
PANAMAS
From \$4.00 to \$6.00.
Boy's Straw Hats from 15 cents to 50c.

Correct Fitting Is Most Important

In Men and Boys' Shoes.

Our shoes are made with the broad orthopedic toe, insuring plenty of room for your feet. Furthermore, if you buy your shoes here you will have the assurance of knowing that the fitting is done by experts. Permit us to make good our claim.

DANCER BROTHERS.

LOCAL ITEMS.

John Kelley attended the Catholic picnic in Plackney Tuesday.

Theodore Schmidt is spending a few days with friends in Indiana.

Regular meeting of Olive Chapter, O. E. S. Wednesday evening, August 21.

Wm. Rademacher is now a clerk in the local freight office of the M. C. R. R.

Martin Wackenbut is away this week purchasing a bunch of freedding cattle.

Miss Nellie Halb is having her home on East street equipped for electric lights.

Mrs. J. B. Beissel is having a new porch added to her residence on north Main street.

Dr. A. L. Steger is having considerable wiring done at his residence for electric lights.

The Chelsea public schools will be opened Tuesday, September 3d for the coming year.

The Michigan Central is having a ditch opened up on their right of way near the Sylvan crossing.

The village board has had extensive repairs made to the road near the residence of Henry Vickers.

Carl Cooper, of Grass Lake, has accepted a position with the L. T. Freeman Co., as a clerk in the grocery department.

There will be a special meeting of the Baptist church Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Every member is requested to be present.

Judson Knapp, of Sylvan, is making arrangements to erect a new residence on the farm which he recently purchased of Mrs. J. H. Runciman.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Wortley and children, of Lake Odessa, spent a number of days of this week at the home of John Wortley and family, of Sylvan.

The Ann Arbor Gas Co. has converted the Stimson residence on their Railroad street property into a temporary rooming house for their laboring men.

The Flanders "4" motorcycle team consisting of I. B. Swegles, Edward French and J. W. Adams expect to take part in the motorcycle races at Port Huron next Sunday.

The Young People's Society of St. Paul's church will hold an ice cream social at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Picemajer on Thursday evening, August 22. Every body is invited.

The authorities of Ann Arbor are making a desperate effort to locate a number of dogs in the city that were bitten by a mad dog. Better kill them all off and be on the safe side. Several have been killed.

A party of three automobilists from Los Angeles, California, spent Tuesday night in Chelsea. The auto had a 50 horse power engine and the party made the trip from Los Angeles to Chicago in thirteen days. They went east from here Wednesday morning.

The bands of marriage of Miss Anna C. Walsh of Sylvan, and Mr. John F. Devorak of Detroit, were published in the Church of Our Lady of the Sacred Heart last Sunday. Miss Walsh is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Walsh and a former graduate of the Chelsea high school.

The annual picnic of the Gleaners of Washtenaw county will be held at Island park in Ann Arbor, on Wednesday, August 21. Addresses will be delivered by G. H. Slocum and J. B. Thompson. A program of games and literary features will be carried out. Good music by a band and picnic dinner will be served at noon.

The Flanders Mfg. Co. have received telegrams from the parties who are driving a Flanders Colonial electric across the country as pathfinders for the annual Gliden tour. On the 10th they made 51 miles through the red clay in Tennessee after a three days heavy rainfall. On the 11th they made 61 miles and the conditions were similar.

Henry Keating, a former secretary of the Ann Arbor Molders union was arrested in Chicago, Saturday on the charge of embezzlement by Deputy Sheriff Eldert. The warrant was sworn out June 22, 1911, after the disclosure that he had been sending in fictitious name to the headquarters in Cincinnati for strike benefits for the Ann Arbor union, who were out on a strike at that time. He will have his trial at the October term of the circuit court. He is in the county jail at present.

Warren Spaulding, of Sylvan, who quite ill is reported as improving.

Margaret Weick is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. C. E. Foren, in Detroit.

Mrs. Geo. H. Foster is confined to her home on Madison street by illness.

The brick for the Palmer garage on Main street is being delivered on the ground.

L. Burg has just placed in his cigar factory a new baller for packing tobacco stems.

A young lady resident of this village is exhibiting to her friends a brand new diamond ring.

From present indications there is prospects of a good yield of clover seed the coming fall.

The rain fall of the last two weeks has made the farmer considerable trouble in their oat harvest.

Frank Leach has the village electricians at work wiring his new residence on west Middle street for electric lights.

Miss Florence Heselschwerdt, who has been employed as a clerk in a store at Ann Arbor for the past year has resigned her position.

T. W. Watkins, Geo. W. Beckwith, Thomas McQuillan and C. Hummel attended the cottagers picnic at Portage Lake Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Mary Wortley and her granddaughter Marion have returned to their home in Flint after spending some time with relatives here.

The Misses Josephine and Florence Heselschwerdt left Saturday for Rochester, New York, where they will spend the next two weeks with relatives.

A number of the Chelsea owners of automobiles made a trip to Adrian Tuesday morning loaded with passengers, who attended the services at St. Joseph's Academy.

The Washtenaw Pomona Grange will hold their annual picnic at Recreation park, Ypsilanti, on Saturday, August 17. J. A. Ketchum will be the speaker of the day.

The Ann Arbor Gas Company are laying their gas mains near the plant of the Michigan Portland Cement Co. at Four Mile Lake and expect to reach Chelsea about August 25th.

D. C. Marion has accepted a position as nightwatch at the Kempf Commercial & Savings Bank. R. W. Lake, who has been filling the position for some time having resigned.

Tuesday while digging in the trench for the Manchester water works mains, M. N. Drake, of Sharon, was caught by a cave-in and one of his legs was broken. This is the second accident since has the beginning of the work.

The Michigan Central have men at work building the water scoops on their right-of-way near Four Mile Lake. A pumping station is to be installed on the south side of the tracks on the creek that flows through the farm of Jacob Bahnmiller.

The apple orchard on the farm of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Gorman, of Lyndon, gives promise of a bumper yield. The orchard is a young one and this is practically the first year that it has yielded a crop. There are 100 baldwin trees in the lot that is a slight worth seeing.

The annual picnic for the benefit of St. Mary's school will be held in Wilkinson grove next Tuesday, August 20. A dinner will be served from 11 a. m. to 2 p. m. Eminent speakers will be present. The Chelsea band will furnish music, and a good program of games has been arranged.

The Chelsea fire department was called to the house on west Middle street, known as the VanHusen property, and owned by J. G. Wagner, last Friday afternoon. The residence is occupied by Mr. and Mrs. M. O'Rourke. The flames caught from a defective chimney and was soon extinguished. The property was but slightly damaged.

The Wortley-Greenwood families held their second annual reunion at Vandercook Lake last Saturday. There were one hundred and nine present from different parts of this state and one of them came from Kansas City, Mo. Officers were elected for the coming year and a picnic dinner was served. Those from this vicinity were John Wortley and family.

Chelsea and vicinity was well represented at St. Joseph's Academy, Adrian, on Tuesday morning when a class of twenty made solemn profession and a class of twenty-four novices received the habit of St. Dominic. The services were held at 9 o'clock, Rev. W. P. Considine of this place celebrating solemn high mass and Rt. Rev. Bishop Kelley of Ann Arbor presiding.

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- 12 1/2 cent Percale, Special 9c
- 10 cent Lawn, Special 6c
- 15 to 20 cent Lawn, Special 10c
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- Large assortment of Waists, Special 50c

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For Saturday, August 17th

We have placed on sale in our north window a large assortment of Best English Semi-Porcelain Crockery

At Special Prices

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SERIAL STORY

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SYNOPSIS.

Chief Harry Mallory is ordered to the Philippines. He and Marjorie Newton decide to sleep, but wreck of taxicab prevents their seeing minister on the way to the train. Transcontinental train is taking on passengers. Porter has a lively discussion with an Englishman and Ira Lathrop, a Yankee business man. The elopers have an exciting time getting to the train. "Little Jimmie" Wellington, bound for Reno to get a divorce, boards train in maudlin condition. Later Mrs. Jimmie appears. She is also bound for Reno with same object. Likewise Mrs. Sammy Whitcomb. Lather blames Mrs. Jimmie for her marital troubles. Classmates of Mallory decorate bridal berth. Rev. and Mrs. Temple start on a vacation. They decide to cut loose and Temple removes evidence of his calling. Marjorie decides to let Mallory proceed alone, but train starts while they are lost in farewell. Passenger Jete Mallory's classmate in giving couple wedding hazing. Marjorie is distracted. Ira Lathrop, woman-hating bachelor, discovers an old sweetheart, Anne Gattie, a fellow passenger. Mallory vainly hunts for a preacher among the passengers. Mrs. Wellington hears "Little Jimmie" make a speech. Mrs. Whitcomb, Mallory reports to Marjorie his failure to find a preacher. They decide to pretend a quarrel and Mallory finds a vacant berth. Mrs. Jimmie discovers Wellington on the train. Mallory scolds makes an unsuccessful hunt for a preacher. Dr. Temple poses as a physician.

CHAPTER XVIII—(Continued).

Dr. Temple stared after him, but the gambler stared at Dr. Temple with a homage. "So you're one of us," he said, and seizing the old man's limp hand, shook it heartily: "I got to slip it to you. Your make-up is great. You nearly had me for a common Great!"

And then he sauntered out, leaving the clergyman's head swimming. Dr. Temple turned to Mallory for explanations, but Mallory only waved him away. He was not quite convinced himself. He was convinced only that whatever else anybody might be, nobody apparently desired to be a clergyman in these degenerate days.

The conductor returned and threw into Dr. Temple the glare of two basilisk eyes. The old man put out a beseeching hand and began:

"My good man, you do me a grave injustice."

The conductor snapped back: "You say a word to me and I'll do you worse than that. And if I spot you with a pack of cards in your hand again, I'll tie you to the cow-ketcher."

Then he marched off again. The doctor fell back into a chair, trying to figure it out. Then Ashton and Fosdick and Little Jimmie Wellington and Wedgewood strolled in and, dropping into chairs, ordered drinks. Before the doctor could ask anybody to explain, Ashton was launched on a story. His mind was a suitcase full of anecdotes, mostly of the smoking-room order.

Wherever three or four men are gathered together, they rapidly organize a clearing-house of off-color stories. The doctor listened in spite of himself, and in spite of himself he was amused, for stories that would be stupid if they were decent, take on a certain verve and thrill from their very forbiddenness.

The dear old clergyman felt that it would be priggish to take flight, but he could not make the corners of his mouth behave. Strange twitchings of the lips and little steamy escapes of goggle-jets disturbed him. And when Ashton, who was a practiced raconteur, finished a dramatic adventure with the epilogue, "And the next morning they were at Niagara Falls," the old doctor was helpless with laughter. Some superior force, the devil no doubt, fairly shook him with glee. "Oh, that's bully," he shrieked, "I haven't heard a story like that for ages."

"Why, where have you been, Dr. Temple?" asked Ashton, who could not imagine where a man could have concealed himself from such stories. But he laughed loudest of all when the doctor answered: "You see, I live in Ypsilanti. They don't tell me stories like that."

"They who?" said Fosdick.

"Why, my pa—my patients," the doctor explained, and laughed so hard that he forgot to feel guilty, laughed so hard that his wife in the next room heard him and giggled to Mrs. Whitcomb.

"Listen to dear Walter. He hasn't laughed like that since he was a medical student." Then she buried her face guiltily in a book.

"Wasn't it good?" Dr. Temple demanded, wiping his streaming eyes and nudging the solemn-faced Englishman, who understood his own nation's humor, but had not yet learned the Yankee quirks.

Wedgewood made a hollow effort at laughter and answered: "Extremely—very, but what I don't quite get was why the porter said 'The others drowned him in a row of laughter,' but Ashton was angry. 'Why, you blasted fool, that's where the joke came in. Don't you see, the bride-

groom said to the bride—' then he lowered his voice and diagramed the story on his fingers.

Mrs. Temple was still shaking with sympathetic laughter, never dreaming what her husband was laughing at. She turned to Mrs. Whitcomb, but Mrs. Whitcomb was still glaring at Mrs. Wellington, who was still writing with flying fingers and underscoring every other word.

"Some people seem to think they own the train," Mrs. Whitcomb raged. "That creature has been at the writing desk an hour. The worst of it is, I'm sure she's writing to my husband."

Mrs. Temple looked shocked, but another peal of laughter came through the partition between the male and female sections of the car, and she beamed again. Then Mrs. Wellington finished her letter, glanced it over, addressed an envelope, sealed and stamped it with a deliberation that maddened Mrs. Whitcomb. When at last she rose, Mrs. Whitcomb was in the seat almost before Mrs. Wellington was out of it.

Mrs. Wellington paused at another wave of laughter from the men's room. She commented petulantly: "What good times men have. They've formed a club in there already. We women can only sit around and hate each other."

"Why, I don't hate anybody, do you?" Mrs. Temple exclaimed, looking up from the novel she had found on the book shelves. Mrs. Wellington dropped into the next chair: "On a long railroad journey I hate everybody. Don't you hate long journeys?"

"It's the first I ever took," Mrs. Temple apologized, radiantly, "and I'm having the time of my life. And dear Walter—such goings on for him! A few minutes ago I strolled by the door and I saw him playing cards with a stranger, and smoking and drinking, too, all at once."

"Boys will be boys," said Mrs. Wellington.

"But for Dr. Temple of all people—"

"Why shouldn't a doctor? It's a shame the way men have everything. Think of it, a special smoking room. And women have no place to take a puff except on the sly."

Mrs. Temple stared at her in awe: "The woman in this book smokes!—perfumed things!"

"All women smoke nowadays," said Mrs. Wellington, carelessly. "Don't you?"

The politest thing Mrs. Temple could think of in answer was: "Not yet."

"Really!" said Mrs. Wellington. "Don't you like tobacco?"

"I never tried it."

"It's time you did. I smoke cigars myself."

Mrs. Temple almost collapsed at this double shock: "Cigars—"

"Yes; cigarettes are too strong for me; will you try one of my pets?"

Mrs. Temple was about to express her repugnance at the thought, but Mrs. Wellington thrust before her a portfolio in which nestled such dainty shapes of such a warm and winsome brown, that Mrs. Temple paused to stare, and, like Mother Eve, found the fruit of knowledge too interesting once seen to reject with scorn. She lunged over the cigar case in hesitant excitement one moment too long. Then she said in a trembling voice: "I—I should like to try once—just to see what it's like. But there's no place."

Mrs. Wellington felt that she had already made a proselyte to her own beloved vice, and she rushed her victim to the precipice: "There's the observation platform, my dear. Come on out."

Mrs. Temple was shivering with dismay at the dreadful deed: "What would they say in Ypsilanti?"

"What do you care? Be a sport. Your husband smokes. If it's right for him, why not for you?"

Mrs. Temple set her teeth and crossed the Rubicon with a resolute "I will!"

Mrs. Wellington led the timid neophyte along the wavering floor of the car and flung back the door of the observation car. She found Ira Lathrop holding Anne Gattie's hand and evidently explaining something of great importance, for their heads were very close together. They rose and with abashed faces and confused mumbblings of half-swallowed explanations, left the platform to Mrs. Wellington and her new pupil.

Shortly afterward Little Jimmie Wellington grew restive and set out for a brief constitutional and a breath of air. He carried a siphon to which he had become greatly attached, and made heavy going for the observation room, but reached the door in fairly good order. He swung it open and brought in with it the pale and wavering ghost of Mrs. Temple, who had been leaning against it for much-needed support. Wellington was stupefied to observe smoke pouring round Mrs. Temple's form, and he resolved to perform a great life-saving feat. He decided that the poor little woman was on fire and he poised the siphon like a fire extinguisher, with the noble intention of putting her out.

He pressed the handle, aff a stream of vichy shot from the nozzle. Fortunately, his aim was so very wobbly that none of the extinguisher touched Mrs. Temple.

Wellington was about to play the siphon at her again when he saw her take from her lips a toy cigar and emit a stream of cough-shaken smoke. The poor little experimentalist was too wretched to notice even so large a menagerie Wellington. She threw the cigar away and gasped:

"I think I've had enough."

From the platform came a voice very well known to Little Jimmie. It said: "You'll like the second one better."

Mrs. Temple shuddered at the thought, but Wellington drew himself up majestically and called out:

"Like second one better, eh? I suppose it's the same way with husbands."

Then he stalked back to the smoking room, feeling that he had annihilated his wife, but knowing from experience that she always had a comeback. He knew it would be good, but he was afraid to hear it. He rolled into the smoking room, and sprawling across Doctor Temple's shoulders, dragged him from the midst of a highly improper story with alarming news.

"Doc, your wife looks kind of seedy. Better go to her at once."

Dr. Temple leaped to his feet and ran to his wife's aid. He found her a dismal, ashen sight.

"Sally! What on earth ails you?"

"Been smok-oking," she hiccupped. The world seemed to be crashing round Dr. Temple's head. He could only gurgle, "Sally!"

Mrs. Temple drew herself up with weak defiance: "Well, I saw you playing cards and drinking."

In the presence of such innocent deviltry he could only smile: "Aren't we having an exciting vacation? But to think of you smoking!—and a cigar!"

She tossed her head in pride. "And it didn't make me sick—much." She clutched a chair. He tried to support her. He could not help pondering: "What would they say in Ypsilanti?"

"Who cares?" she laughed. "I—I wish the old train wouldn't rock so."

"I—I've smoked too much, too," said Dr. Temple with perfect truth, but Mrs. Temple, remembering that long glass she had seen, narrowed her eyes at him: "Are you sure it was the smoke?"

"Sally!" he cried, in abject horror at her implied suspicion.

Then she turned a pale green. "Oh, I feel such a qualm."

"In your conscience, Sally?"

"No, not in my conscience. I think I'll go back to my berth and lie down."

"Let me help you, Mother."

And Darby and Joan hurried along the corridor, crowding it as they were crowding their vacation with belated experience.

CHAPTER XIX.

It was late in the forenoon before the train came to the end of its iron furrow across that fertile space between two of the world's greatest rivers, which the Indians called "Iowa," nobody knows exactly why. In contrast with the palisades of the Mississippi, the Missouri twists like a great brown dragon wallowing in congenial mud. The water itself, as Bob Burdette said, is so muddy that the wind blowing across it raises a cloud of dust.

A sonorous bridge led the way into Nebraska, and the train came to a halt at Omaha. Mallory and Marjorie got out to stretch their legs and their dog. If they had only known that the train was to stop there the quarter of an hour, and if they had only known some preacher there and had had him to the station, the ceremony could have been consummated then and there.

The horizon was fairly saw-toothed with church spires. There were preachers, preachers everywhere, and not a domine to do their deed.

After they had strolled up and down the platform, and up and down, and up and down till they were faint of their cramped quarters, again, Marjorie suddenly dug her nails into Mallory's arm.

"Honey! look—look!"

Honey looked, and there before their very eyes stood as clerical a looking person as ever announced a strawberry festival.

Mallory stared and stared, till Marjorie said:

"Don't you see? stupid! It's a preacher! a preacher!"

"It looks like one," was as far as Mallory would commit himself, and he was turning away. He had about come to the belief that anything that looked like a person was something else. But Marjorie whirled him round again, with a shrill whisper to listen. And he overheard in tones addicted to the pulpit:

"Yes, deacon, I trust that the harvest will be plentiful at my new church. It grieves me to leave the dear brothers and sisters in the Lord in Omaha, but I felt called to wider pastures."

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Sterilized Coal.

Coal in the mines is one of the things freest from germs. Old-time doctors used to notice coal miners' wounds healed fast, though begrimed and besmeared with coal dust. For a long time it has been thought that breathing in coal dust caused lung diseases in miners. Some experts find fresh coal as good as sterilized, and say miners have lung trouble because they do not take the trouble to put off their damp and sweaty clothing before going from the mine to their homes, thus taking cold in the open air. Experts say our miners ought to put on warm and dry clothes at the mouth of the mine. But it seems the miners have minds of their own, and although the coal companies in some places fixed up hot and cold water baths and dressing rooms at the mouth of the mines the men would not use them, but went home to wash and dress, as had been their custom for generations.

Must Be So.

"Sadie," said a mother to her small daughter, "why is it that you and your little brother are always quarreling?" "I don't know," replied Sadie, "unless I take after you and he takes after papa."

JAPANESE AS SEEN BY AN AMERICAN



JAPANESE GARDEN HOUSE

"JAPANESE politeness is renowned the world over," declares Hamilton Holt, editor of the Independent. Mr. Holt recently returned from a tour of observation that covered Japan, Korea and Manchuria. "Not even the French can surpass them in that respect," he continues. "Such pretty, genuine and universal courtesy from all classes, high and low, I have never experienced."

"In cleanliness no people in the world approach them. It probably not very far from the truth to say that every Japanese man, woman and child takes a hot bath every day. Going over to Korea from Japan I went down into the hold of the steamer about midnight.

There were 300 or more third class passengers fast asleep, all packed in like sardines in three tiers of beds. Though the only ventilation came from a skylight above, the room was as fresh and odorless as the deck above. Those who have visited the steamer of any transatlantic line, even the best, will appreciate this novel experience.

"The cheerfulness and contentedness of the Japanese are as apparent to any visitor as their politeness and cleanliness. Every Japanese has a perpetual smile on his face. He has schooled himself to be contented.

"As for their aestheticism in reference to art, architecture and painting, I shall refer here to two incidents. I went to the chrysanthemum shows in both Tokyo and Nagoya. In both places the halls were literally packed with poor people who had paid good money to see nothing but rows of potted chrysanthemums.

Great Self-Control.

"On the railroad from Kyoto to Tokyo we suddenly came in sight of Fujiyama—the Peerless Mountain of Japan. There were some 30 Japanese in our compartment. Every passenger on the opposite side of the car moved across the aisle, and then the entire carload gazed in rapt adoration at the sacred mountain during the half hour we were skirting its base.

"Their self-control is a trait that impresses every one. One of the most interesting talks I had during my trip was with a young grandmother of forty, who would not admit that we Americans excelled the Japanese because we were demonstrative with those we loved and communicated our happiness to others by freely expressing it.

"No Spartan woman ever made sterner sacrifices than the many Japanese wives who during the Russo-Japanese war committed suicide so that their husbands at the front would not have to waver between home and country in the battle's crisis.

"There is no doubt that the business morality in Japan is generally lower than in the west. The testimony of foreigners doing business in Japan is almost unanimous on this point. The chief complaint is that the Japanese have two prices for everything, and that they have but a rudimentary sense of the obligation of a contract. I was told, for instance, that it was a common thing for a house builder to refuse to carry out his contract if he found he had miscalculated on his estimate and was not going to make a profit.

"There are mitigating considerations, however, that should be taken into account. Before the Restoration the business men constituted the most despised class in Japan, except the criminals. Under feudalism the classes were graded as follows: 1. The emperor; above all; 2. the nobles; 3. the samurai; 4. the farmers; 5. artisans and traders; 6. the merchants and outcasts.

"In no country in the world is there more religious freedom than in Japan. Three religions flourish—Shintoism, Buddhism and Christianity. Shintoism is the indigenous religion of Japan; its foundation stones are loyalty and worship of ancestors, heroes and nature. Shintoism is the religion of the emperor, and consequently is favored by the government. Its moral precepts are taught in the schools.

"Buddhism has for its central doctrine the unity of all life and the brotherhood of man, while its ideal is life made glorious by self-conquest and exalted by boundless love and wisdom. A Japanese can be, and often is, an adherent of both Shintoism and Buddhism.

Temples Beautiful.

"Buddhism alone of all the world religions has never carried on its propaganda by the sword. It is now divided into a great number of sects. Of late it has witnessed a decided revival in Japan. Though neither Shintoism nor Buddhism has the clear conception of a personal God that Christianity offers, the great man of noble character is held to be the direct impersonation of the divine spirit.

"Of course a large part of our sight-seeing was visiting the shrines and temples, many of them beautiful beyond description. I can never forget the Shinto shrines in woodland glades, which no human being ever enters, where the many gods reverently through the latticed windows into the twilight silence within and where abide divinities and ghosts of noble men. Nor can I cease to remember the soft enchantment of the Buddhist temples, the deep music of the great bells, the green peace of the gardens haunted by fearless things, doves that flutter down at call, fishes rising to be fed.

"I shall be expected to say something about the present status of Christianity in Japan. Most travelers return from Japan either pro-missionary or anti-missionary. If they have made their headquarters, as perhaps most do, in Yokohama and Kobe and mingled almost exclusively with the foreign business men they are likely to take the anti-missionary point of view. They will not get an anti-missionary impression, however, if they spend most of their time among the Japanese as I did.

"While it is true that Christianity is probably not keeping pace with the growth of population, Christian ethical standards have already permeated the nation and are universally incorporated into the Japanese social system. Acceptance of Christianity as such has hardly touched the upper and lower classes. It has its footing almost entirely in the middle class. The students, as with us, are considered especially susceptible to its appeal.

"The two chief hindrances to the spread of Christianity aside from worldwide causes seem to be the present diversity and antagonism of denominations and the quite obvious discrepancy between Christian profession and practice. When Christian nations offer themselves as moral leaders, after the rapacity with which they have established themselves in the Orient, the educated Japanese is tempted to smile at the incongruity."

Took Vardaman for Indian Chief.

A tall, swarthy complexioned man, clad in white linen, moved through the crowds in Fifth avenue followed by hundreds of eyes. His striking attire was forgotten when one noticed his strongly lined face and the shock of jet black hair that rested on his shoulders. High cheek bones, firm mouth, steady brown eyes and wealth of hair suggested an Indian chief. The noiseless manner in which he steered his two hundred pounds among the shoppers strengthened the suggestion.

"I'll bet he's chief of some tribe," whispered a woman to her friends. Others who watched him were of the same opinion. The handsome stranger was Senator-Elect James K. Vardaman of Mississippi, sub-New York Herald.

Imminent.

"Do you think of taking a vacation this year, Jobitta?"

"I shouldn't be at all surprised. The boss looked at me very coldly this morning."

SCHOOLS TO PARTICIPATE

For Honors at the Great Michigan State Fair.

(By Thos. M. Sattler, Superintendent of Education.)

The educational department of the Michigan State Fair which opens Sept. 16 next and closes Sept. 21 has a most wonderful growth in the last ten years. It has grown from a small exhibit covering barely 240 square feet in 1903 to an exhibit covering over 30,000 square feet at the present time. The present year promises much greater returns in exhibits than any previous year. In the time specified above the cash prizes awarded have increased from a paltry \$397 to \$1,100, the growth in the prize list having been very steady. The money is paid to the schools of Michigan.

Ten years ago the exhibits came from a comparative few schools in Michigan and now they come from nearly every section of Michigan. This year there will be exhibits from such cities as Houghton, Hancock, Sault Ste. Marie, Iron Mountain, Bay City, Saginaw, Cheboygan, Manistique, Port Huron, Pontiac, Monroe, Three Rivers, Adrian, Charlotte, Grand Rapids, Lansing, Owosso and many others. There will also be exhibits from rural schools and county normal schools.

One of the most interesting facts is that year after year the exhibits have gained the steady effort on the part of each school to do better than it did before. The rivalry between the schools is intense. To say that every school has gained much by being held to a keen competition with their sister city or school would be putting the exhibit value very mildly. The State Fair management is making every effort to give good space and extra care and attention to every exhibit in this department. The management realizes the importance of this department and has given it an exclusive building 105 feet in length and 45 feet in width and has invited every school in Michigan to make an exhibit this fall.

The Boys' State Fair School, promises to be one of our leading features this year for practically every county of Michigan has selected a boy for this school and we will pay that boy's expenses to the Fair and provide competent instructors to give to him a practical knowledge of agriculture. I have been surprised at the intense interest shown in this plan of the Michigan State Fair and believe that the school will become an annual feature which will prove of great benefit to the boys of the state.

WIRE BULLETINS.

There is "too much slip shod selection of music in American churches," is the charge made by the convention of American organists which is meeting in Asbury Park, N. J., this week. Speakers at the opening session freely criticized what they termed "raggy" music in the churches and said it was sacrilegious.

All attempts to settle the strike of cotton cloth workers in New Bedford, Mass., which is in its fourth week and which is now keeping 13,000 hands idle, have been set at naught by the action of the weavers' union, which has voted to yield to nothing but the total abolition of the grading system, which they claim is a method of fling.

V. V. Green, Superintendent of Agricultural Implements and Machinery at the Michigan State Fair, Sept. 16 to 21, next, left Detroit recently for an extensive trip through the west, the trip to extend several weeks. Mr. Green will visit Montana, Oregon, Washington and California and during his journey, will gather data for use in future State Fairs in Michigan.

Prof. Carl Duisberg of Berlin, first to arrive in New York of the foreign delegates to the Quadrennial International Congress of Chemistry, will discuss his method of producing artificial rubber. Before leaving Germany he presented to the German emperor a pair of motor car tires made of the artificial rubber, which is a product of coal tar.

The price of rice in Japan, according to mail advices, has advanced to a figure never before known, failure of the crop in Siam and Burma being given as the reason, and large shipments of wheat and flour from the North Pacific Coast to Japan are looked for. An advance of fifty cents a ton in wheat and four rates to the Orient will take place in September.

Orchard owners throughout the Lake Ontario fruit belt, New York, predict one of the largest apple yields this year that has ever been harvested. The Baldwin crop will show the heaviest yield of all. Greenings, which were unusually heavy last fall, are not so bounteous this year, although there will be a good average yield. Kings, spies, russets, Ben Davis and other varieties are showing up well.

W. C. Morgan, Superintendent of the Night Horse Show for Michigan State Fair, Sept. 16 to 21, next, has received assurances of the entry of a record-breaking number of great harness and saddle horses, four and tandems and the management is extending its efforts to make the horse show for 1912 a record-breaking attraction. Owners of splendid exhibition horses have been frequent callers at the State Fair offices and have invariably promised the entries from their stables for this leading event of the Michigan Fair.

A collision between two monoplane near the Garden City aerodrome in New York brought both machines crashing to earth. The fall was a short one, and while both monoplanes were badly damaged, neither aviator was injured seriously.

The conquest of Mount Sir Sandford the highest peak of the Selkirk, by Howard Palmer, secretary of the American Alpine club, is announced in a message sent by Mr. Palmer to the American Geographical society in New York. The ascent of the mountain, which is 11,634 feet high, was made on Aug. 24.



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Lives on it. Margaret—they say that Mrs. Baker makes a fortune out of a cure for obesity. Katharine—Yes. She lives on the fat of the land.—Life

What He Bought.

A Syracuse business man living in one of the suburbs decided to give up his spacious back yards to the raising of currants as a profitable side issue. So, wishing to absorb all the information he could acquire on the subject of the currant industry, he went down town one Saturday afternoon recently and returned with his arms full of books.

"Well, Teddy," inquired his enthusiastic spouse, as he dumped the volumes on the table, "did you succeed in getting what you wanted?"

"Sure, I did!" he replied, proudly pointing to the books. "I bought a whole year's edition of a standard work on current literature." Exchange.

In the Meantime.

There had been a row at recess time, and Miss Martin had called in all of the pupils, and had a sort of a school court, which lasted until time for school to be dismissed. The trouble had started with some of the older boys in a misunderstanding over a game. After hearing both sides of the question, she decided proper punishment for the combatants, and told them to remain in their seats after the others had gone home. She remembered something she wanted to say to a little boy who did not take part in the affair, so she turned to him and said:

"Now, in the meantime, Guy—"

"I wasn't in it, Miss Martin," Guy interrupted hastily.

"Wasn't in what?" asked Miss Martin.

"Why, in the mean time," said the eight-year-old. — Mack's National Monthly.

A Triumph Of Cookery—

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WAR DEPARTMENT ASSIGNS MAN TO STATE GATHERING FOR FIRST TIME.

BRIGADIER-GENERAL RALPH W. HOYT, CHICAGO, NAMED.

Other Regular Officers Detailed by War Department for Duty as Instructors at the Camp.

For the first time in the history of the Michigan National Guard when in camp in the state, the annual encampment which began at Ludington on Wednesday, will be under command of an officer of the regular army.

Pursuant to the provisions of general order No. 10, C. S., central division, the undersigned hereby assumes command of the camp of instruction established by that order at Ludington, Mich.

However, the impression among national guard officers is that Gen. Hoyt will not interfere with Brig-Gen. Abbey, of the brigade, in directing all of the routine duties of the camp.

Gen. Hoyt is a veteran in the service, having been graduated at West Point in the class of 1872, and he has been in the army ever since.

Farmer Killed in a Domestic Row. Norman Brazee, 40, of Jackson, farmer, was shot and killed in the home of Andrew Smith, a foreigner, of North Lansing, and Smith has been arrested as the slayer.

Epidemic of Drunks at Lansing. A score of "drunks" were arraigned in police court in Lansing before Justice Haight, the largest number in several months.

Justice Blair Reported Some Better. Supreme Court Judge Blair, who was declared by his intimates to be fatally ill some days ago, was able to be removed from Mercy hospital to his cottage at Portage lake, about three miles from Grayling.

Secures Farm for State Convicts. The next legislature of the state of Michigan is to be asked for an appropriation to cover the purchase price of a new prison farm, according to Warden Simpson's plan.

Isaac Jacema, while walking in his sleep in Grand Rapids, fell from the steps of the Lincoln house. He was taken to the hospital, where it was found that one of his vertebrae was fractured.

Ellen Wilson, said to be the wife of George Wilson, of the "Kibbey Hollow" gang, has been arrested in Lonia on the charge of horse stealing. She was found with a rig she had rented.

Boston's expenditures during the first seven months of the year 1912 show an alarming increase over the figures for 1911. The increase is within a few dollars of a round million, the total expenditures reaching more than \$11,000,000.

Edward Jones, aged 28, a driver of a Lansing express wagon, shot himself through the shoulder, after a quarrel with his sweetheart, Miss Greeta Darling, aged 27. Jones and Miss Darling returned from a walk and a short time later he walked out of the house and shot himself. He was taken to the hospital, where it is stated he will recover.

MICHIGAN CROP REPORT

Excessive Rain Causes Grain to Sprout in Shocks.

The monthly crop report as issued from the secretary of state's office says that with one exception the yield of wheat in Michigan will be the smallest in the past 36 years.

The estimated yield of rye in the state will not be over 13 bushels per acre; the condition of corn as compared with an average crop is only 10, oats are expected to yield 31 bushels per acre and potatoes are reported far better than last year.

Fruit correspondents very generally report prospects good for winter varieties of apples in orchards that have been sprayed and otherwise properly cared for.

The prospect for an average crop of peaches in the Michigan fruit belt is 18 per cent and in the state, 11.

For the above statistics it can easily be conjectured that Michigan peaches will be the luxury this year.

Home for Orphans Set on Fire.

Admission is made by fire and police officials after a day spent in secret probing that another attempt to burn the Haskell Home for Orphans at Battle Creek was made.

Battle Creek Finishes Canal. Though it is only 3,000 feet long, a channel connecting Lake Gougeau with Minges brook at Battle Creek has taken 20 years for its completion.

Prison for Women. The joint prison and affiliated boards in session in Grand Rapids endorsed several important changes pertaining to prison affairs.

Resorters Ask Aid of Health Board. Residents of several Oakland county summer resorts are preparing to petition the state board of health to aid in cleaning up the resorts.

Sultan of Morocco Leaves the Throne. It is officially announced that Mulai Hafid, the sultan of Morocco, has completed all the formalities demanded by France, and that his abdication is an accomplished fact.

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BIG CROPS ASSURED BY AUGUST REPORT

PRELIMINARY ESTIMATE FROM WASHINGTON SHOWS BUMPER YIELD OF SPRING WHEAT.

CORN IS CONSIDERABLY ABOVE THE AVERAGE.

Increase Made in Production of Oats, Rye, Barley, White Potatoes and Hay—Michigan Oats Encouraging.

This year's grain crops in the United States will be far in excess of last year's yield, it was estimated Saturday by the department of agriculture.

It will be better than the average crop for the past ten years, and in the case of a number of crops will make a new record.

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CHICAGO HEADQUARTERS

The Three Political Parties to Open the Battle in the Windy City.

Strategists for the coming political battle have gathered in Chicago. Before the end of the week the presidential campaign of three big parties, Republican, Democratic and Progressive, will be under way.

A number of Democratic leaders were in Chicago making final preparations for the opening of Democratic headquarters, and the arrival of William F. McCombs was expected to set the ball rolling.

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THE NATIONAL GRANGE

HITS THE FREE SEED GRAFT

Granges of the Country Are Lining Up for Concerted Action Against Humbug.

The way the Granges of the country are lining up against the free seed graft in Congress is very significant and represents such concerted action that there is no doubt that this annual humbug will speedily be wiped off from the statute books.

No better expression of the Grange on the free seed question can be found than that which comes from Colorado, as the sentiment of hundreds of Grange members of that state, all progressive farmers who have no use for the paternalism represented in the free seed humbug.

The free seed graft has been much in evidence during the past few weeks. It seems that our honorables in Congress have gotten the idea that the farmers must now receive special attention—just before election time—and so are applying them with seeds in mail bag lots.

People would like answered. An annual appropriation of about \$200,000 is required to keep up this free seed graft, or, in other words, to apply on the campaign expenses of congressmen.

WOULD REFORM TAX SYSTEM. Active interest shown in several states in efforts to improve taxing methods.

In addition to its work along a great variety of other lines, the Grange takes an active interest in trying to improve the systems of taxation in many states.

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LEGAL ADVICE



Lawyer—if you wish to get off with the minimum punishment, I'd advise you to confess everything and throw yourself on the mercy of the court.

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Mr. Edgar A. Norris, of Unionsville, Pa., writes, May 9, 1912: "Every summer I get ivy-poison. I have suffered awfully, cannot sleep and almost go wild with itching and pain."

NEW IDEA FOR DRESSMAKERS. A New York woman has inaugurated a new departure. She sent word to a number of dressmakers that she had so many dresses to make, of such and such materials, and so many other to be altered, and named the alterations to be made and asked for bids.

COURTESHIP IS LESS EXPENSIVE THAN MARRIAGE, according to the figures on gas bills.

Business Practice. "The new actor in this country certainly knows how to act on people's feelings with fine touches."

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

Once in a great while love's labor is lost, but more often it is misplac'd.

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"GILT EDGE" the only shoe shining compound that contains Oil. Black and Patent leather, children's boots and shoes, shines without rubbing. 25c. "French Gloss," 10c.

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Sample free: Resinol Soap and Resinol Ointment are also most effective for eczema, baby rashes and chafings, bad complexion, dandruff and itching hair.

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DAISY FLY KILLER. Place anywhere, on lawn, porch, etc. Kills all flies, mosquitoes, etc. Lasts all season.

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BREVITIES

ANN ARBOR—A marriage license has been issued to Albert Eschelbach, 25, Lima, and Mathilda Schneider, 20, Scio.

PINCKNEY—The first two miles of the new state road north of town is rapidly nearing completion. It is a fine piece of work.—Dispatch.

SALINE—A committee from the village council is making an investigation of the various water works systems in the towns near Saline.

HOWELL—The U. S. Civil Service Commission will hold an examination in Howell, August 31, to fill vacancy in the postoffice at Chilson.—Democrat.

STOCKBRIDGE—Editor Caverly of the Pinckney Dispatch is soon to take unto himself a "better half." Miss Cora Burdick, of Howell, is the young lady of his choice.—Brief-Sun.

ANN ARBOR—The registration at the summer session of the university this summer has now reached a gross total of 1,361. This is a mark far above any ever reached in the summer session.

UNADILLA—Eugene Heatley can proudly and justly boast of the banner field of corn on Maple Ridge farm, that far surpasses anything in this section of the country. It now has a prospective yield of 125 bushel per acre.

FOWLERVILLE—Smallpox is prevalent in West Conway, there being three cases in the home of John Hillman, himself and two daughters. Other cases may follow soon. We hear they have not been quarantined as yet.—Standard.

ANN ARBOR—Although George Green was shocked by 22,000 volts of electricity Saturday, he is still alive. His condition is critical, however. Green's head touched a high tension wire and he suffered burns on his head and soles of his feet.

TECUMSEH—For good roads, every available team has been kept busy drawing gravel on the road from the Waring school to the corporation line west, as this road is one of the most used by people coming from the east, the improvement will be much appreciated.—Herald.

JACKSON—Judge Parkinson has denied the motion for a new trial in the case of Milton J. Daly, convicted several months ago of bribing Allan N. Armstrong at the time Armstrong was warden of the Jackson prison. The case will be appealed.

JACKSON—Sixteen violators of the ordinance prohibiting riding bicycles on the sidewalk were hauled into police court Tuesday and twelve were fined \$2 each. Glad to see that Judge Dahlem has raised the ante from \$1 to \$2, for pedestrians still have some right to the sidewalks.—Evening Star.

HOWELL—George Younglove of Marion is eighty-five years old—we mean young. He is hale and hearty, younger than many men of half his age. This year Mr. Younglove stacked the grain from twenty-one acres—a pretty good job for a young man and apt to cause a backache.—Tidings.

STOCKBRIDGE—The first well for the water works was completed Saturday by Castor Bros. The well is 223 feet and the gentlemen claim it will produce 150 gallons per minute. These gentlemen are certainly some well diggers, as they put this one down in just seven days. They are now down 25 feet on the second well at the south east corner of the lot.—Brief-Sun.

DEXTER—Byron Green, 79, one of the oldest residents of Dexter township, died at his home Wednesday night after a month's illness of kidney trouble. He is survived by a wife and two children, Clifton Green of Dexter township and Mrs. Will Chamberlain of Webster. Funeral services were held Friday afternoon at the home at 1 o'clock; interment in Webster cemetery.

JACKSON—Twenty-five dollars reward is offered for the apprehension of Rutledge F. Gardner, who poses as a newspaper man and works the false pretenses game wherever he can. The New Jersey reformatory is offering the reward and hope for his apprehension. He is six feet three inches in height, 145 pounds, blue eyes, light brown hair, long legs and fair complexion. He has violated his parole.

YPSILANTI—Frank Reynolds, Jno. Warren and Harry Viall and their families are among the Ypsilanti people who will be seriously affected by the decision reached by the Michigan Central railroad officials at a meeting held in Detroit on Thursday. This order is to the effect that Bay City and Jackson are to be the terminals for the freight department of the road instead of West Detroit. Detroit will remain the passenger terminal point. It is understood that the men will be obliged to move from other points to either Jackson or Bay City.

BRIGHTON—The home-coming celebration will be held in Brighton August 21 and 22.

ADRIAN—Elmer Karner, of Rigas, was Monday morning sentenced by Judge O'Meally in the circuit court to serve a term of from two and one-half to five years in Ionia prison, for stealing a motorcycle from Herman Goss, on August 3. Karner was brought back to Adrian after being caught at Valparaiso, Ind., with the machine in his possession. He pleaded guilty to the charge.

DEXTER—While driving to Portage lake to attend a picnic Monday morning, Harry Freese's horse got frightened and ran away, throwing Mr. Freese out and breaking his collarbone, smashing the buggy and breaking the harness into small pieces. Just two weeks ago, Mrs. Freese was assisting Mr. Freese to load hay when the team ran away, jumping over a fence, throwing Mrs. Freese down and breaking her hip and injuring her right arm. In both cases the horses escaped with out a scratch.

YPSILANTI—The good roads movement in this county will receive its first substantial boost in the fall when construction is started on a stretch of gravel road connecting the Wayne county good roads with the city of Ypsilanti. About \$1,040 has already been raised by Prof. D. H. Roberts, head of the subscription committee appointed by Ypsilanti citizens, and more is promised. The project is now an assured fact, and will be started before fall. The money will come from various sources, \$2,500 from Ypsilanti, \$100 from Ypsilanti township and \$500 a mile from the state. The completion of the road will give Washtenaw county its first piece of good road built according to state specifications, and is expected to prove an incentive to the final adoption of the good roads system by the county at large.—Ann Arbor Times News.

Council Proceedings.

[OFFICIAL.]

COUNCIL ROOMS, Chelsea, Mich., Aug. 5, 1912. Board met in regular session. Meeting called to order by Geo. P. Staffan, president. Roll call by the clerk.

Present—Trustees, McKune, Lowry, Brooks, Hummel, Dancer. Absent—Palmer. Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

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

Sunday Creek Co., 6 cars coal \$205 40 M. C. R. R. Co. frt 5 cars coal 217 44 The F. Bissell Co., electro grips 2 08 Emerson Elect. Mfg. Co., fans 28 00 Kenneth Anderson Mfg. Co., curb box 1 20

Bourbon Copper and Brass Works, nuts and packing 10 20 American Electric Supply Co., flexduct 36 75 Toledo Chandler Mfg. Co., fixtures 9 11

Roe Stephens Mfg. Co., one hydrant and parts 30 35 W. G. Nagle Co., supplies 264 57 Fort Wayne Electric Works, repairs for motor and labor 125 79

Union Steam Pump Co., repairs for pumps 106 81 Anna Hoag, postage 4 00 American Oil Co., 1 labl. oil 9 00

Geo. Washington, labor and supplies 15 50 R. Jones, 4 mo. salary 37 50 W. M. Owen, 4 mo. salary 30 00 A. Koch, 4 mo. salary 32 50 M. A. Lowry, 4 mo. salary 40 00 Joe Hittle, 4 mo. salary 40 00 Joe Hittle, 4 mo. salary 30 00 Guy Hulce, 4 mo. salary 30 00 Anna Hoag, 4 mo. salary 12 50

GENERAL FUND Chelsea Tribune, printing 2 85 Chelsea Standard, printing 2 25 Michigan State Telephone Co., phone and toll 9 25

Evening News Assn., advertising 4 92 L. G. Palmer, surveying 3 00 John Kelly, frt. and cty. 23 98 Wm. Caspary, lunches 1 05 Chas. Kaercher, balance due on horse wagon 64 05 H. E. Cooper, 4 mo. salary 27 50

STREET FUND Geo. Washington, labor on posts 80 00 O. C. Burkhardt, cleaning drain and drawing dirt 30 25 Enter Palmer.

Moved and supported that the clerk ask for sealed bids for sweeping the streets and drawing away the litter. Carried.

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

Moved and supported that the Ann Arbor Gas Co. be given permission to number all houses and lots in the village according to the Philadelphia system. Carried.

Moved and supported that the Clero be instructed to get prices on street name signs. Carried.

Moved by Brooks supported by Dancer that the Marshal be instructed to strictly enforce the state law in regard to automobiles and motorcycles and to have signs erected on the roads leading into the village restricting motor vehicles to a speed not exceeding eight miles per hour. Carried.

Moved and supported that the engine be repaired and necessary repairs be ordered for same. Carried. There being no further business it was moved and supported to adjourn

to Monday evening, August 12, 1912. Carried.

HECTOR E. COOPER, Clerk.

COUNCIL ROOMS Chelsea, Mich., August 12, 1912. Pursuant to adjournment board met in regular session. Meeting called by order by the president. Roll call by the clerk.

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

Moved by Palmer, supported by McKune, that the time of paying village tax be extended to September 16, 1912. Carried.

Moved by McKune, supported by Lowry, that the city engineer be instructed to give grade for curb at school house. Carried. Enter Dancer.

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

HECTOR COOPER, Clerk.

Notice. Any persons taking apples from trees in Wilkinson's orchard or trespassing on grounds will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law. James Wade.

Helping a Woman

Generally means helping an entire family. Her back aches so she can hardly drag around. Her nerves are on edge and she is nearly wild. Headache and Sleeplessness unfit her for the care of her family. Rheumatic Pains and Lumbago rack her body. But, let her take

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Sealed Bids for Street Cleaning. Notice of letting contract for sweeping streets and cleaning up litter. Sealed bids will be received by the Village Clerk for the Sweeping and Cleaning of the paved streets within the Village of Chelsea, said streets to be swept and cleaned at least three (3) times per week for so long a time as the Street Committee shall specify. All bids to be in the hands of the Village Clerk not later than 7:30 p. m., Monday, August 19, 1912.

Signed, HECTOR COOPER, Village Clerk. Dated, Chelsea, Mich., August 6, 1912.

Notice. Dr. H. J. Fulford will close his office on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of each week until August 23d.

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.

E. P. STEINER DETROIT UNITED LINES

LIMITED CARS. For Detroit 7:49 a. m. and every two hours to 7:49 p. m. For Kalamazoo 8:07 a. m. and every two hours to 6:07 p. m. For Lansing 8:07 p. m.

LOCAL CARS. East bound—6:30 a. m. and every two hours to 10:40 p. m. To Ypsilanti only 11:55 p. m. West bound—6:04 and 7:19 a. m. and every two hours to 11:49 p. m.

Cars connect at Ypsilanti for Saline and at Wayne for Plymouth and Northville.

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 9th day of August, A. D. 1912, four months from that date were allowed for creditors to present their claims against the estate of Martin Howe, 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 9th day of December next, and that such claims will be heard before said Court, on the 9th day of October and on the 9th day of December next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days.

Dated, Ann Arbor, August 9th, A. D. 1912. EMORY E. LELAND, Judge of Probate.

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