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North Sylvan Grange.

The regular meeting of the North Sylvan will be postponed one week, and will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Broesamle, on Wednesday evening, October 9. The Lecturer's program will consist of an illustrated lecture by Geo. T. English. Southern songs will be sung. The refreshments will be prepared and served by the men.

His Room Was Robbed.

Chris Breustle, night watch at the Main street crossing of the Michigan Central is bemoaning the loss of his gold watch and a small sum of money. He attended the state fair in Detroit last week Wednesday and remained overnight in a hotel on Jefferson avenue, near the Michigan Central passenger depot. When he arose Thursday morning he discovered that his room had been robbed during the night and his valuables taken. Fortunately his railroad pass was left, and he was able to take the first outgoing train for here.

Residence Burned.

The residence on the Michael Foster farm in Sylvan, was destroyed by a fire which is supposed to have caught from a defective chimney. The fire was discovered about five o'clock Monday afternoon, and the house with a portion of its contents were consumed.

The farm is occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Smalley and their son and his family. With the assistance of their neighbors they were able to save a large portion of their household goods, which were not insured. The Foster's carried an insurance on their buildings, but the amount is not large enough to cover their loss. A new residence will be erected at once. The Smalley family for the present will occupy the tenant house on the farm of Martin Merkel.

Jurors for October Term.

The jurors for the October term of the circuit are as follows: Ann Arbor—Walter Burnett, Fred Hoffman, Michael Williams, Edwin C. Krapf, G. Ludwig, George A. Schlee, Darwin E. White.

Ann Arbor town—Christian Reiff. Augusta—Ed. Foss. Bridgewater—Jacob Hoelzer. Dexter—George Webb. Freedom—Fred Roller. Lima—Frank Grieb. Lodi—John Klump. Lyndon—Lyman Hadley. Manchester—Ferdinand Kirk. Northfield—August Boos. Pittsfield—William Cody. Salem—W. P. Lane. Saline—Peter Weidmayer. Scio—George Armbruster. Sharon—August A. Kuhl. Superior—Conrad Merkle. Sylvan—James F. Guthrie. Webster—Jake Verner. York—Blue Knickerbocker. Ypsilanti town—Horse Ladin. Ypsilanti, first district—C. H. Harner; second district, Frank Morton, J. G. Dolby.

Want Case Reopened.

The troubles of the Hitchcock heirs are again before the courts. A bill of complaint was filed Thursday afternoon in the circuit court on behalf of fifteen of the heirs against Dr. E. M. Conklin, of Manchester asking the court to permit them to renew the contest against the probating of the will of the late Miss Mary Hitchcock, formerly of Sharon.

Miss Hitchcock was the last survivor of the Hitchcock family owning 500 acres in Sharon. Three years before her death, which occurred in March, 1909, she sold the farm and moved to Manchester where she resided at the home of Dr. Conklin.

After her death in 1908, Dr. Conklin presented what purported to be her will for probate. In this document it was set up that the estate was valued at about \$21,000 and most of it went to Dr. Conklin. The heirs, cousins of the deceased, prepared to contest the will, but finally agreed to withdraw their objections on the payment of \$3,000 by Dr. Conklin.

Now they allege that they have discovered that Dr. Conklin recently admitted that instead of amounting to only \$21,000 the estate really amounted to about \$30,000, \$8,000 having been paid him by Miss Hitchcock outright a short time before her death. The heirs assert that they took the matter up with the doctor, and he admitted receiving the \$8,000, which was not mentioned at the time of the original settlement. In consequence of that admission, the heirs assert, they have asked the doctor to take back his \$3,000 and let them proceed with the contest of the will, but he has refused to do this and for this reason the case has been taken into the circuit court.

COMPLETED NEW MODEL.

Flanders "7" Twin Cylinder Motorcycle on Exhibit at Main Office.

The Flanders Mfg. Co. on Tuesday shipped from the Chelsea factory to their main office in Pontiac, the first finished Flanders "7" that has been turned out for their 1913 model, and it is a handsome machine in every respect.

The new machine, which is a twin cylinder, is very compact, nickel plated, and the body is in red enamel with black panels and striping. The motor is seven horse power and the new model is accordingly called the Flanders "7." Some of the many features are the low saddle, smooth running and riding points, compact form of construction, chain drive, well protected from mud and snow with guards especially designed for this model. The machine is geared to a 60 or 65 mile speed for ordinary use. The racing machines are geared to 90 miles per hour.

Two testing machines are to be turned out by the last of this week and will be turned over to I. B. Swegles and Marcel Krieger, who are to try them out. The machines are to be given a 10,000 mile test. The two testers are to begin on the first of the series the coming week and are required to make daily reports in Pontiac at noon, where they will take dinner, and report at the Chelsea office at night. The final tests will be made by Messrs. Swegles and Krieger over the mountains in the south or in California. The tests are to be made in all kinds of weather and road conditions. The endurance of the new model will be given every possible test while it is being worked out.

"The Siren"

The attraction at the Whitney theatre, Thursday, October 3rd, is a notable one. Mr. Donald Brian will be seen there for the first time in "The Siren," a Viennese operetta that was the reigning success of last season in New York, Chicago and Boston. This new and youthful Frohman star has a part in "The Siren" that is admirably suited to his excellent singing and remarkable dancing abilities. The Walts Caprice of "The Siren," which he dances with dainty Julia Sanderson, created a furore last season equal to that caused by Brian in the original production of "The Merry Widow." The company also includes Will West, Ethel Cadman, John Morgan, Florence Morrison, Harry T. Delf, Grace Walsh, Cyril Biddulph, Cissy Sewell and others. A chorus of sixty has been secured from the pick of Mr. Frohman's English and American companies.

The people of Ann Arbor and Chelsea no doubt know the full meaning of a Frohman musical show. A New York critic once said if Charles Frohman owns it, that is all that is necessary. Last season the management made good when they promised Maude Adams, the season before when David Warfield was brought to Ann Arbor, but this is the first appointment that Donald Brian and Julia Sanderson have had of appearing at the Whitney. The announcement was made late last season, and it is needless to say that the Chelsea people will avail themselves at this time. The seat sale opens Tuesday, October 1, and mail orders will be filled in rotation. Phone orders will also be taken care of. The 11:15 car will be held for final curtain.

Take Notice.

We, the undersigned business men of the village of Chelsea agree to close and lock our places of business, beginning with October 1st, every evening at 10 o'clock standard time, except Saturdays, until further notice.

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The Progressive Rally.

The national progressive party rally that was held in the town last Saturday evening was largely attended. The meeting was called to order by Col. Henry S. Dean, of Ann Arbor, and a number of short addresses were delivered by good speakers. The music by the orchestra and quartet was excellent and the meeting proved to be highly satisfactory.

Eastern Star Officers.

Olive Chapter, No. 108, O. E. S., elected the following officers Wednesday evening:
W. M.—Mrs. J. Bacon.
W. P.—J. B. Cole.
Associate Matron—Mrs. S. A. Mapes.
Conductress—Mrs. Carrie Palmer.
Associate Conductress—Mrs. Chas. Martin.
Secretary—Mrs. Anna Hoag.
Treasurer—Miss Elizabeth Depew.
The above named, with those who are to be appointed, will be installed Friday evening.

Church Circles.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL.
Rev. J. W. Campbell, Pastor.
Sermon at 10 a. m. Sermon by the pastor.
Bible study at 11 a. m.
Evening sermon at 7 o'clock.
Prayer meeting at 7:15 p. m.
Everybody welcome at the Harvest home supper on Wednesday, October 2, from 5 p. m. till all are served.

CONGREGATIONAL.

Rev. Charles J. Dole, Pastor.
Special Rally Day services from 10 to 12 o'clock. At ten o'clock, morning worship with brief address by the pastor and a program of recitations and songs by members of the Sunday school.

At eleven o'clock Bible study hour. Review in classes of the past quarter's lessons from the gospels. Class names and mottoes will be chosen for the coming year. Two Rally Day songs written for the occasion will be sung to familiar tunes.
Midweek meeting on Thursday evening at seven o'clock. It is important that members of the church attend this service.

ST. PAUL'S.

Rev. A. A. Schoen, Pastor.
Next Sunday is Rally Day for the congregation and Sunday school. Below we give the program of this combination service.

Prelude.
Hymn—Congregation.
Prayer.
Address—(English.)
Hymn—Sunday school.
Recitations.
Paper—J. Pielemeier.
Choir.
Infant class.
Address.
Hymn—Sunday school.
Violin Solo—Mrs. Schoen.
Recitations.
Paper—Oscar Schneider.
Hymn—Offering.
Prayer and Benediction.
Communion service.
Young People's service at 7 p. m.

SALEM GERMAN M. E. CHURCH, NEAR FRANCISCO.
G. C. Nothdurft, Pastor.
Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.
German worship at 10:30 a. m. conducted by Rev. Gottlieb Schaezlin, a missionary from India.

Epworth League at 7:30 p. m. Subject, The Shock of Disappointment. Leader, Miss Alma Riemenschneider. English worship at 8 p. m. by Rev. Schaezlin. Be sure to come and hear how the missionaries work in heathen lands.

The Ladies' Aid Society will give an ice cream social at the parsonage Friday evening, September 27. Try to be present and enjoy a pleasant evening.

A Guaranteed Attraction.

The offering at the Sylvan Theatre next Tuesday evening, October 1, is the great romantic drama, "A Royal Slave." This is one of the oldest and best road attractions before the public today. The company carries twelve people and a complete scenic production. Mr. Bubbs, the manager, positively guarantees to use no house scenery whatever, and that the production will be the most elaborate and complete of any that has ever appeared in Chelsea. The cast is headed by Mr. Walter Hubbell, a sterling actor of the old school, and Miss Irene Solomon, whose meritorious work has met with the approbation of the theatre-going public from coast to coast. Special attention is called to "The Chanticleer Girl," the latest European novelty. This is one of the best vaudeville numbers and something new and original. The company will appear here for this day and date only, at popular prices, 25c, 35c and 50c.

KODAKS!

Every Good Time is a Good Time to Kodak

The coming fall months are the most beautiful of the year, when the trees put on their fall colors, and the surrounding country presents the autumn scenes, how you desire to have a picture of them, and of places that interest you. Why put it off any longer for we have the Kodaks for getting these scenes, also the water colors for tinting them, which makes the picture true to nature.

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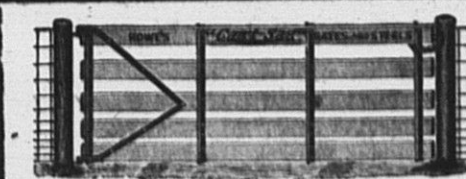
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SOCIALISTS STATE CONVENTION AT FLINT

PASS RESOLUTIONS CALLING ON OSBORN TO INVESTIGATE CONDITIONS AT JACKSON PRISON.

PASSING OF RESOLUTION GREETED WITH CHEERING.

Select Full Ticket and Set Precedent by Naming Two Women as Presidential Electors.

The state convention of Socialists at Flint, after a preamble review of the developments at Jackson prison, adopted resolutions demanding that Gov. Chase S. Osborn and the prison board of control investigate the conditions leading up to the recent disturbance at the prison, the whipping of prisoners, that responsibility be fixed and guilty ones punished—meaning prison officials guilty of causing whippings.

In addition to placing candidates on the state ticket the Socialists set a precedent in Michigan, it is believed, in naming two women for presidential electors. The women are Mrs. Ida Kummerfeld, of Detroit, and Alice McAfee, of Lansing.

The convention was marked by a large number of women in the galleries and sprinkled throughout the hall. Amusement was on the program when W. T. Curry, a molder from Kalamazoo, who was unable to do as he preferred in fixing the candidatorial state, dramatically shouted his dissatisfaction, tore up his credentials, threw them into a cuspidor, declared the convention was of the "steam roller" variety and left the building for his home in the Celery City.

Flagship for Naval Reserves.

The Detroit Naval Reserves will serve on the armored cruiser Tennessee, the flagship of the Atlantic Reserve Fleet during the grand review, according to the tentative plans arranged by the navy department for the distribution of the Great Lakes reserves.

At the conclusion of the review in the Tennessee the Detroit reserves will sail down to the Atlantic coast and up the Delaware river to Philadelphia, where they will be discharged.

This is a choice assignment as the Tennessee is one of the crack cruisers of the navy. On this account Admiral Austin M. Knight, U. S. N., has selected her as his flagship. There will be plenty of room on board for the Detroit battalion as she has not her full complement of regular officers and men. Owing to the excellent report on the condition of the Detroit battalion, it is understood that Admiral Knight has requested that it be assigned to his flagship.

The Tennessee has two modern ten-inch gun turrets, with twenty guns in all. She is a 14,500-ton ship, with 25,000 horsepower and twin screws.

Iowa to Sue for Care of Leper.

Dr. G. H. Summers, secretary of the Iowa state board of health, has served notice on the Michigan officials that his state will sue for expenses in caring for Herman Hirschfeld, the Bay City man afflicted with leprosy, unless settlement is made at once.

The Iowa men presented their claim several months ago, but no cognizance was taken of it. The notice recalls the flight of Hirschfeld to Centerville, Iowa, when it was learned that he had leprosy. He was detained in a house there awaiting the action of the Michigan officials. The latter made no move in the matter and Hirschfeld was bundled into a motor car and brought home. Iowa claims damages to the extent of \$800.

Apparently the state's leprosy troubles will not stop. Secretary Dixon of the state board of health is now in Washington attempting, with Health Officer Goodwin, of Bay City, to straighten out the official tangle surrounding the case of Samuel Izen, who is now being detained in Buffalo.

Former Police Chief Jailed.

Despite the fact that for seven years he had taken orders from the former head of the Benton Harbor police department, Owen McAtee, Officer Hunter failed the street when the latter used abusive language in an argument with Hunter. The case was brought up in justice court and McAtee was discharged. He spent two hours in a cell in the city jail. McAtee was retired as chief of police last spring, and since then it is said ill-feeling has existed between him and members of the force.

When Hunter marched into headquarters with McAtee and asked Chief Alden what he should do with his man, the chief directed that McAtee be locked up. Friends of the former chief threatened to storm the jail.

Charles K. Atwood, of Newington, the oldest graduate of Yale and a member of the class of 1834, is dead at Hartford, Ct., aged 92 years.

Gordon Kyle, a freshman in the Middletown high school, lies at the point of death at his home at Kyle station as the result of a hazing.

Ole Borgrevink, aged 33, and Albin Sikanen, aged 25, were instantly killed by falling 150 feet in the Red Jacket shaft of the Calumet and Hecla mine.

A Long Rapids farmer hauled a wagon of apples to Alpena and finding no market for them he dumped the whole load on the street with a sign to be removed for. Directly a policeman ordered the farmer to pick up the apples, a job which took him two hours to complete.

GENERAL NEWS IN BRIEF

Special Sailors for Navy Review.

An opportunity to be a sailor in the United States navy for a period of 10 days and to take part in the naval review at New York next month is offered to sailors by the government. This is said to be the first time in the history of the navy that citizens have been allowed to become bona fide members of a battle ship crew without enlisting for a term of years.

The circular letter sent out by the navy department asks for 1,000 men for the 10-day period. The principal reason for the demand for these short term enlistments is that the ships have only skeleton crews and must have more men to get to New York.

Plenty of Water for Panama Canal.

The engineers' calculations as to the sufficiency of the water supply in the Panama canal have been amply vindicated by the figures just reported from the isthmus. The great lake of Gatun, which is being created by the dam at that point during the week Sept. 2 to 9, accumulated just 5,740,000 feet of water. During this period the water level of the lake rose three feet.

Every time a ship is locked through the canal five and a half million cubic feet of water must pass and when the lake is full it will afford enough water to fill the locks 150 times daily, which is at least twice as fast as the ships can pass. When the water of the lake reaches its maximum height of 37 feet above sea level with the water just flowing over the crest of the dam, it will contain the enormous amount of 192,250,000,000 cubic feet of water.

Downey House Reopened in Lansing.

With a reception and banquet that rivaled any social function ever held in the state capital, the rebuilt Hotel Downey formally opened for business. Hundreds of friends of Charles P. Downey, the proprietor, came from all parts of Michigan, from Chicago, New York, and elsewhere to attend the reception, and the occasion was absolutely unique in hotel history.

NOTES BY TELEGRAPH.

The walls of the famous old Arlington hotel in Washington have begun to fall apart.

A movement has just been started by Rev. Walter J. Shanley, pastor of St. Peter's church in Danbury, Conn., cutting out the custom of sending flowers to funerals.

According to State Bacteriologist Holm and City Sanitary Inspector Huntley, Lansing now has a pure milk supply. All dealers have met the proper requirements.

In order to prevent any more escapes from the Toms, New York, a battery of powerful electric lights is being installed about the court yard and exterior of the prison.

Ignorant of its purport, Thomas Hogan, a diminutive telegraph messenger boy, of Yonkers, N. J., bore home to his mother a message telling of the death of his own father.

For the first time in the history of New York city, a Roman Catholic priest, has been named a deputy sheriff. The new wearer of the shield is the Rev. Father James B. Curry.

Evansville, Ind., was selected as the meeting place of the National Rural Letter Carriers' association at Nashville, Tenn., the strongest competitor being Washington.

Through the efforts of the National Sculpture society a circulating exhibition of bronzes by American sculptors will be seen in eight American cities during the next eight months.

A Portuguese force has left Macao, the Portuguese dependency in China, with the object of surrounding the island of Culoan, a piratical stronghold which on former occasions has been the scene of severe fighting.

Word has been received from Joliet, Ill., of the death of Rev. George Woodhull, 83 years old, one of the oldest and best known Presbyterian ministers in the United States, who until a short time ago resided in Saginaw.

Handcuffed together and guarded by 10 detectives, Sidney Allen and Wesley Edwards, arrested a week ago in Des Moines, to answer for their part in the Carroll county court house murders, were taken to Hillsville, W. Va.

At the request of the school board the city council of Kalamazoo will permit the schools to use the election booths so that the students may study the Australian system of balloting. Booths will be erected at the high schools.

Installed in the Harvard Medical school is an instrument by which a physician may note the heart beat of a patient who may be miles away. All the patient has to do is to place his or her hand in a solution of warm salt water.

The question of the use of aeroplanes in time of war has been reconsidered at the session of the inter-parliamentary union at Geneva, Switzerland, as its approval by the conference was announced apparently was under a misapprehension.

Dr. Louis Livingston Seaman of 247 Fifth avenue, New York, president of the China Society of America, has sent an open letter to President Taft protesting against the president's delay in formally recognizing the republic of China.

One of the most unique divorce cases that has ever been started in Saginaw county was filed Thursday, when Hiram D. Straight, 17 years old, commenced suit for separation from Lottie O. Straight, 18. They were married in February, 1911, and Hiram alleges he has been treated cruelly.

The sheriff and three deputies hid in a grain box at the Northern Michigan state fair and caught Charles Allen, who they alleged was selling whisky to a farmer. After they had made the arrest they searched the place and found 30 quarts of whisky in the stalls.

NEWS FROM ALL PARTS OF MICHIGAN

DECISION OF STATE TAX COMMISSION UPHOLD BY VERDICT IN CIRCUIT COURT AT ALPENA.

ONE OF THE CASES OF ITS KIND DECIDED IN THE STATE.

Capt. Blackman Takes All Blame for the Shooting of John Eisy While Militia Were Guarding Jackson Prison.

Alpena Victor in Big Taxation Suit.

A case affecting valuations as fixed by the state tax commission was decided in circuit court at Alpena when Judge Emerick directed a verdict for the defendant in the case of the Island Mill Lumber Co. against the city of Alpena.

The plaintiff concerned used to recover taxes paid under protest, after the tax commission had visited Alpena and increased the valuation of the city an average of 64 per cent. The company's real valuation was increased from \$20,000 to \$35,000.

The claim was made that the valuation and subsequent assessment were fraudulent, and out of proportion with other valuations. Judge Emerick ruled that the plaintiff company must prove that the tax commission showed malice and intended to make a fraudulent valuation.

This is one of the first cases of the kind decided in the state by a circuit judge and will be carried to the supreme court.

BLACKMAN TAKES BLAME.

Captain Says He Shot John Eisy to Save Life of One of His Soldiers.

Capt. Frank L. Blackman practically assumed the responsibility for the killing of John Eisy at the Jackson prison. At least his testimony, given before the military court of inquiry without hesitancy and apparently with no desire to suppress anything, carries with it the assumption that his shot was the fatal one.

There was a possibility of befogging the issue by confusing Blackman's two shots with the one fired by Private Jackson, but the officer refused to take that course. His statements, made with a lawyer's knowledge of the consequences of such evidence, put the effective shooting "up to" himself and to no one else.

Land Owner Slain.

Mystery surrounds the shooting of Harry W. Fisher, wealthy promoter who was found dead with a rifle bullet wound in his back on his big fruit farm near Baldwin.

O. M. Areback, of Chicago, Fisher's business associate in that city, a former employee of the Pennsylvania railroad in Chicago and a Princeton graduate, is held in connection with the death.

Fisher's wife, who is 10 years his junior and the daughter of Martin Patterson, a millionaire of Duluth, had an undertaker prepare the body for burial before the coroner held an autopsy last Friday, and left that evening with it for Independence, Ia., before the authorities had time to interfere.

Fisher is known to have carried between \$200,000 and \$250,000 life insurance.

Say Warden Will "Fire" Pen Guards.

According to state officials interested in Jackson prison affairs, Warden Simpson and the board of control of the prison have decided to "fire" every guard in the prison on duty at the time of the recent outbreak.

That veteran guards are being discharged every day is no longer a secret. Guard Hatch, who has been at the prison longer than most of the present attaches, was given his release. Deputy Warden Walle, who was in charge of the guards at the time the riots started, also "resigned."

Warden Simpson said it was the result of a mutual understanding, but other discharged guards deny this. It is said, and point to the promotion of Walle from the ranks as evidence that he would not desire to quit.

Ezra Rust Celebrates 80th Birthday.

Ezra Rust, who for the last 53 years has been a resident of Saginaw, will celebrate his eightieth birthday anniversary Tuesday. Mr. Rust's career has been a very eventful one, he rising from a marine engineer to a man of wealth through the lumber industry. He has been a great benefactor of Saginaw; West Park, which he presented to the city, Belle Isle, the people's pride of Detroit. Mr. Rust enjoys vigorous health and attends personally to his extensive business in lumber, iron and steamships.

Lansing Starts War on Its Tenderlin

Following a general outbreak of lawlessness, the police department of Lansing has declared war on the red light district and instructions have been made to wipe every report out of the city.

In raiding one place Sunday night, the officers were attacked by a crowd of men loitering at the place.

Because nobody can be found who saw Leo Frey, a Sonoma farmer, killed by a Michigan Central train, near Battle Creek, Coroner Bidwell called off the proposed inquest.

Grover Gulle, aged 25, of Marengo township, Calhoun county, blew the top of his head off in a sand-pit near his home. He had been ill for some time.

Petitions for commutation are being circulated in behalf of Jay Aldrich, a young Holland boy who, two years ago, was sentenced to 15 years at Ionia for burglarizing Meyer's music store.

POPE PIUS X.



The pope seems to have recovered from his late illness that alarmed the Catholic world.

STATE NEWS IN BRIEF.

The Western State Normal school in Kalamazoo opened with the largest enrollment in its history.

The new Saginaw Y. M. C. A. building was dedicated Sunday. Gov. Osborn delivered the chief address.

Harry L. Warren, deputy collector of internal revenue in Bay City, has resigned to enter private business.

The body of Watson Stranahan, of Monterey, was found hanging in his barn. He had been mentally unbalanced.

Gov. Osborn has appointed A. G. Fonda, of Coldwater, as county agent of Branch county, to succeed B. F. Ralph.

Work on the new Military street bridge, which will be constructed at a cost of \$75,000, was commenced in Port Huron.

William T. Brown, of Carsonville, has been appointed as county agent of Sanilac county, to succeed Mals Burns, deceased.

The Soldiers and Sailors' association of Macomb, Sanilac and St. Clair counties will hold its annual session in Port Huron, October 1 and 2.

Prof. H. S. Smalley, one of the instructors in the literary department of the University of Michigan, died of diabetes, at his summer home in Charlevoix.

For the alienation of his wife's affections John Fairchild, in circuit court, obtained a verdict of \$4,800 against H. J. Schleferstein, a former well known business man.

With 840 patients enrolled, the upper peninsula asylum for the insane in Newberry, is badly overcrowded. The authorities blame Gov. Osborn's economy policy for conditions.

Miss Helen Gresia, 23, of Grand Rapids, made an unsuccessful attempt to end her life in a rooming house in Flint with a razor. She turned on the gas and swallowed poison.

Two hours before his death, in Grand Rapids, Fred P. Stoddard, a G. T. R. switchman, was married to Emma J. Stelton of Holland. Stoddard was crushed between two cars.

In the belief medicine given him in a prescription may have caused the death of Floyd S. Hiltontson of Homer, a coroner's jury has been impaneled to sit Sept. 30 to investigate.

Harry Ferris, who pleaded guilty to an attempted assault on a 13-year-old Lansing girl, was sentenced by Judge Smith in circuit court Thursday to serve from one to 10 years at Ionia.

Stephen Gulle, father of the late Grover Gulle, of Marengo, denies that his son took his own life. He says that the gun with which Gulle met death was accidentally discharged.

Joseph Kondon is in a hospital in Muskegon in a critical condition from a bullet wound in his abdomen, sustained in the accidental discharge of a revolver in the hands of John Peppel.

Aroused by frantic cries of children, who were fleeing from a mad dog, Mrs. Leon Buss of Saginaw shot the dog. The dog bit a small boy and girl. The children will be sent to Ann Arbor for treatment.

A \$35,000 deal was closed in Charlotte when the Charlotte Manufacturing company purchased the Knight-Brinkerhoff piano plant. The company will move its stock and equipment to the new location. Another concern is negotiating for the old factory.

Richard Dale, a banker and the grandson of Commodore Richard Dale, associate of John Paul Jones in the war of 1812, is dead at his home in Philadelphia, aged 85 years. He was the president of the Order of the Cincinnati and a member of many patriotic societies.

H. R. Canfield, supreme national organizer of the Order of Owls; Joseph M. Aarons, medical examiner of the Detroit quest, and Deputy State Insurance Commissioner Orr conferred in Lansing relative to the status of the order in Michigan. Each local nest will take out a state license.

Harry W. Waite, of Chicago, a special Grand Juror, officer, is under arrest in Durand on charge of carrying concealed weapons. Waite, after returning from Ponton, is alleged to have attacked several local trainmen. The conductor wrested the gun from Waite's hand. Waite is in the county jail awaiting an examination.

Effective the first of the month, it is stated, an increase of 10 per cent in wages has been granted the telegraph operators in the employ of the Duluth, South Shore & Atlantic.

Miss Mary Barnett, 90 years of age, a pioneer of Kalamazoo county, died Thursday as a result of injuries sustained in a fall five weeks ago. She was crossing the street and slipped and fell on the pavement.

The approaching visit of King Alfonso, accompanied by Premier Canalejas and Foreign Minister Prieto to Paris will be of international importance, as it will be devoted to strengthening the Franco-Spanish friendship.

G. O. P. CONVENTION HELD IN DETROIT

SPIRIT OF HARMONY PREVAILS AS STATE AND NATIONAL LEADERS ARE CHEERED.

JUSTICE KUHN WAS RE-NOMINATED WITHOUT OPPOSITION.

Close Vote for State Treasurer—Fred C. Martindale and Oramel B. Fuller to Appear on Ticket to Succeed Themselves.

The spirit of harmony and the good feeling that characterized the early part of the Republican state convention prevailed Tuesday while nominations were being made for places on the state ticket.

There were only three contests for secretary of state, auditor general and state treasurer, and they did not develop much, if any, ill-feeling.

Justice Kuhn was re-nominated without opposition, the rules being suspended and the secretary being instructed to cast the entire vote of the convention.

No Opposition to Steere.

Justice Joseph H. Steers, of the Soo, against whom there had been no opposition, was nominated in a similar manner to complete the term of the late Justice Frank A. Hooker, which expires Dec. 31, 1913.

The closest contest was that for state treasurer. There were three candidates—John W. Haarer, of Ann Arbor, who for several years has been deputy state treasurer; State Senator Albert C. Kingman, of Battle Creek; and State Senator John M. Perry, of Oscoda county. Haarer won, on the first and only ballot, receiving 19 more votes than his two opponents.

The ballot resulted: Haarer, 743; Kingman, 432; Perry, 232. Haarer's name was placed in nomination by Congressman W. W. Wedemeyer, of Ann Arbor. Former Congressman Washington Gardner performed a similar service for Senator Kingman, while a Mr. Wisner, named Senator Perry.

As generally expected, Oramel B. Fuller, of Ford River, who is now serving his second term, was easily re-nominated for auditor general. His name was presented by Congressman H. Olin Young, of Ishpeming, who stated that since his incumbency, Auditor General Fuller had greatly reduced expenses and had satisfactorily administered the business of the office.

Victor M. Gore, of Benton Harbor, named Dr. Arthur W. Seidmore, of Three Rivers. The roll call of counties had not proceeded far before it became evident that Fuller would be an easy winner, and when it was completed, Dr. Seidmore himself moved that the rules be suspended and the secretary be instructed to cast the entire vote of the convention for his opponent, Dr. Seidmore's action was applauded.

Martindale Has No Fight.

Secretary of State Frederick C. Martindale, of Detroit, was easily re-nominated for a third term. In presenting his name to the convention, John D. MacKay, of Detroit, stated that Mr. Martindale is a man who has always placed the interests of his country, state and party above his own and who recently proved himself a graceful loser in the contest for the gubernatorial nomination at the primary election.

The name of State Senator Coleman C. Vaughan, of Clinton county, was forcefully presented by Attorney William Smith, of St. Johns. The only ballot resulted: Martindale, 1,043; Vaughan, 422.

There was no fight on the nomination for attorney general, it having become evident before the delegates convened that Grant Fellows, of Hudson, would have a walk-away. When nomination were called for, Watts S. Humphrey, of Saginaw, rose and moved that the rules be suspended and the secretary be instructed to cast the entire vote of the convention for Mr. Fellows.

After adopting the state platform, as recommended by the committee on resolutions, the convention unanimously ratified the action of the Bay City convention by re-electing Alex J. Greenbeck, of Detroit, to the chairmanship of the state central committee.

Gen. Campa, Rebel Leader, Captured.

After being chased through northern Sonora by Mexican federal troops, following his raid on mining camps and the lines of the Southern Pacific railroad, Gen. Emilio P. Campa, the rebel leader and his staff, crossed the American line south of Tucson, Ariz., and are now prisoners of the United States.

After positive identification by Dr. Ruffo, a friend, Campa admitted his identity and said he was tired of fighting. Dr. Ruffo was surgeon-general for Madero in the previous revolution.

The state department has no knowledge that the Mexican government has assented to the demand of Ambassador Wilson for the release of W. C. Nichols, an American fruit grower now imprisoned at Tampico on a charge of murdering a notorious bandit.

With at least one presidential candidate on the program, and although political discussions will be barred from the sessions of the National Conservation congress, which opens in Indianapolis, Ind., October 1 and continue four days.

The long wait of Porter Charlton behind the bars of a New Jersey prison for the final word as to whether he must return to Italy to answer for the murder of his wife at Lake Como two years ago, is drawing to an end. The supreme court will take up Charlton's case during the coming term, which opens October 14.

REFUSES TO HELP DETROIT.

Gov. Osborn Refuses to Call Grand Jury to Investigate Graft Cases.

Appealing to the highest power of the state for assistance in probing and bringing to speedy justice the plunderbund that has made Detroit's name a by-word, Mayor William B. Thompson, of Detroit, made a fruitless journey to Lansing.

Governor Osborn, after hearing one of the most severe arraignments of a prosecuting officer ever delivered in the state capitol, decided that Prosecuting Attorney Hugh Shepherd had not yet reached a point where his actions called for the interference of the state.

The governor commended in warmest terms the actions of Mayor Thompson in pushing investigations into graft; in lending his personal and official strength to the task of cleaning up civic rotteness.

The Pennsylvania railroad has issued an order restricting trains on all points of the road from exceeding 70 miles an hour.

THE MARKETS.

DETROIT—Cattle: Extra feed steers, \$8.49; steers and heifers, 1,000 to 1,200 lbs., \$6.97.50; steers and heifers, 1,200 to 1,400 lbs., \$5.45; grass steers and heifers that are fat, 500 to 700 lbs., \$4.75; choice fat cows, \$5.50; \$5.50; good fat cows, \$4.50; \$4.50; common cows, \$3.50; \$3.50; canners, \$2.25; choice heavy bulls, \$4.75; \$5.50; fair to good bulls, \$4.25; \$4.25; stock bulls, \$3.25; \$3.25; choice feed steers, 800 to 1,000 lbs., \$5.75; fair feed steers, 800 to 1,000 lbs., \$4.50; \$4.50; fair stockers, 500 to 700 lbs., \$3.75; \$3.75; stock heifers, \$3.50; \$3.50; milkers, large, young, medium age, \$4.00; \$4.00; common milkers, \$2.50; \$2.50.

Veal calves—Market steady at \$4.49.

Sheep and lambs—Market steady at \$4.49.

Thursday's prices: best, \$10.00; \$11.00; \$12.00; \$13.00; \$14.00; \$15.00; \$16.00; \$17.00; \$18.00; \$19.00; \$20.00; \$21.00; \$22.00; \$23.00; \$24.00; \$25.00; \$26.00; \$27.00; \$28.00; \$29.00; \$30.00; \$31.00; \$32.00; \$33.00; \$34.00; \$35.00; \$36.00; \$37.00; \$38.00; \$39.00; \$40.00; \$41.00; \$42.00; \$43.00; \$44.00; \$45.00; \$46.00; \$47.00; \$48.00; \$49.00; \$50.00; \$51.00; \$52.00; \$53.00; \$54.00; \$55.00; \$56.00; \$57.00; \$58.00; \$59.00; \$60.00; \$61.00; \$62.00; \$63.00; \$64.00; \$65.00; \$66.00; \$67.00; \$68.00; \$69.00; \$70.00; \$71.00; \$72.00; \$73.00; \$74.00; \$75.00; \$76.00; \$77.00; \$78.00; \$79.00; \$80.00; \$81.00; \$82.00; \$83.00; \$84.00; \$85.00; \$86.00; \$87.00; \$88.00; \$89.00; \$90.00; \$91.00; \$92.00; \$93.00; \$94.00; \$95.00; \$96.00; \$97.00; \$98.00; \$99.00; \$100.00; \$101.00; \$102.00; \$103.00; \$104.00; \$105.00; \$106.00; \$107.00; \$108.00; \$109.00; \$110.00; \$111.00; \$112.00; \$113.00; \$114.00; \$115.00; \$116.00; \$117.00; \$118.00; \$119.00; \$120.00; \$121.00; \$122.00; \$123.00; \$124.00; \$125.00; \$126.00; \$127.00; \$128.00; \$129.00; \$130.00; \$131.00; \$132.00; \$133.00; \$134.00; \$135.00; \$136.00; \$137.00; \$138.00; \$139.00; \$140.00; \$141.00; \$142.00; \$143.00; \$144.00; \$145.00; \$146.00; \$147.00; \$148.00; \$149.00; \$150.00; \$151.00; \$152.00; \$153.00; \$154.00; \$155.00; \$156.00; \$157.00; \$158.00; \$159.00; \$160.00; \$161.00; \$162.00; \$163.00; \$164.00; \$165.00; \$166.00; \$167

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PERSONAL MENTION.

Miss Anna Kaercher spent Sunday in Saline.

Loren Babcock spent Wednesday in Ypsilanti.

Miss Mary H. Haab spent Wednesday in Detroit.

Fred Klingler was in Jackson Monday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Davidson were in Detroit Tuesday.

Chas. H. Keiser, of Detroit, is a Chelsea visitor today.

John Rathborne, of Albion, is in Chelsea today on business.

Edward Vogel spent several days of this week in Cleveland.

Mrs. William Hammond spent the past three weeks in Dayton, Ohio.

Henry Gorton, of Waterloo, was the guest of Chelsea friends Wednesday.

L. K. Taylor, of Portland, Oregon, is the guest of his mother, Mrs. J. C. Taylor.

Rev. W. P. Qansidine was in Dexter Monday as the guest of Rev. Fr. Halley.

Mrs. Joseph Wenk and children were Detroit visitors Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. W. B. Warner and children, of Whitmore Lake, were Chelsea visitors Tuesday.

J. G. Edwards was a visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. Parker, of Lima, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Welch, of Pontiac, were Chelsea visitors the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Beach attended the wedding of their niece at Dansville Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Lesser, of Sylvan, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Beach.

Rev. Paul Zwilling, of Detroit, and Rev. E. Pusch, of Albion, were guests at St. Paul's parsonage Monday.

Mrs. Adolph Ave, of Cincinnati, O., and G. Rothman, of California, spent Tuesday with Mrs. Nettie Rothman.

Rev. and Mrs. D. H. Campbell, of Whitmore Lake, are spending the day with Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Campbell.

Mrs. W. S. McLaren and daughter returned home this morning from an extended visit with relatives at Syracuse, New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Taylor, of Jackson, spent several days of this week at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Taylor.

Mrs. H. H. Lyons, who has been spending the past week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Burg, has returned to her home in Jackson.

Rev. Fr. Considine attended the 6th Eucharistic conference of the Diocese of Detroit, which was held in the church of the Holy Rosary, of Detroit, on Wednesday.

The Missouri Girls.

Young women in the neighborhood of Macon, Missouri, have humanized the good roads problem in a way to make editors stand bareheaded in admiration. The topic on good roads should be voted a gold medal for preeminence as the world's dullest object of editorial comment, but these young women have made it all in a flash alive. They issued an ultimatum: "No good roads, no more buggy rides!" A membership card in a good roads association must accompany every invitation. The muddy roads that lengthen the distance from farm to town are of truly vital importance to the women who are held prisoners in farm houses whenever roads are bad. The good roads issue is largely a woman's problem, and the Macon measure is not too severe.—Ex.

"A Live Baby to Be Given Away."

As a special feature attraction the Princess offers on Friday evening a great three reel production of the sensational detective drama, "A Dead Man's Child." This is positively the most thrilling and interesting detective story ever shown at the Princess. The owners of the film, the National Film Co., announce that a live baby will be given away at the first show. All those holding tickets for the first show will be given a chance to carry home the little one.

Loan Books Free.

School districts of this vicinity may secure the use of an excellent library of fifty well selected books by paying the freight and cartage charges from Lansing and return. Educators throughout the country recognize that proper books of fiction, history, science and government compose the most essential equipment for the school room and the state of Michigan is willing to help the school districts in this matter. Those in charge of the state library have arranged to make the splendid resources of that institution available for the people of the entire state instead of merely the residents of Lansing.

The traveling libraries, as they are called, will be sent to any school district or other organization in the state upon the filing of an application with the state librarian, Mrs. Mary C. Spencer, Lansing, Michigan, and the fulfillment of the library requirements, which involves no expense, except the payment of freight and cartage charges. The libraries may be kept from three to six months, then returned and a new assortment of books secured.

The libraries are made up to suit the needs of the organization securing it. Those suitable for schools are made up of books particularly adapted to young people and the fiction is of the best literature. The formation of the habit of reading the right kind of literature is the most vital part of a pupil's education and so the state makes it possible for every school to give its pupils the opportunity of forming that habit.

Will Exchange Forest Lands.

Congress has passed a bill permitting the federal government and the state of Michigan to exchange lands within the state. The government has several thousand acres of land in Michigan which is set aside for forest reserves, and intermingled with these lands are thousands of acres belonging to the state. At the regular session of the legislature a bill was passed giving the state public domain commission power to exchange lands with the federal government, with the idea of separating the forest reserve lands belonging to the state from those owned and controlled by the federal government. It was later discovered that it would be necessary for congress to pass similar legislation in order to carry out the transaction, and this has now been accomplished, and the state and government are now in a position to deal.

Notice.

That pursuant to section 4637 of the Compiled Laws of the State of Michigan of 1897 the Township Board of the Township of Sylvan will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, the school house, all building lands and all other property formerly belonging to and known as School District No. 11 of the Township of Sylvan, at the clerk's office in the town hall at the Village of Chelsea, Michigan, on Saturday the fifth day of October, 1912, at two o'clock in the afternoon of said day.

The said Township Board will reserve the right to reject any and all bids, and any and all persons buying said property, or any part thereof, will be required to deposit with the Township Clerk a certified check equal in amount to not less than twenty-five per cent of the total amount purchased by the said bidder or bidders as a guarantee of the good faith of said purchaser or purchasers. Dated at Chelsea, Michigan, September 25th, 1912.

PAUL O. BACON,

Township Clerk.

Inscrutable Way of Providence. With reference to the final extinction of the latter day successor of the Delmonico restaurant, it is related that two Germans, fresh from Chicago, once visited New York, and one well acquainted with the city invited his friend to dine at Delmonico's, where a dinner for two and a bottle of wine were ordered. The place and fare were praised until the bill of \$11 was presented. This they considered an extortion.

They paid, however, and while walking down Broadway the excited German commenced to swear at the supposed extortion. His friend then said:

"Do not swear, Yawoop. It is wicked to swear. God has punished that man Delmonico."

"How?"

"I had mine pocket full mit shpoons."

The Intruder. A certain boat coming up the Mississippi one day during the flood lost her way and bumped up against a frame house. She hadn't more than touched it before an old darkey rammed his head up through a hole in the roof, where the chimney once came out, and yelled at the captain on the roof: "What's yer gwine wid dat boat? Can't you see nothin' but dat boat? Yer knows yer gwine to turn dis house ober, spill de old woman an' de chillen out in de flood an' drown 'em. What yer doin' out here in de country wid yer boat, anyhow? Go on back yander froo de co'n fields an' get back into de river whar yer belongs. Ain't got no business sev'n miles out in de country foolin' round people's houses nohow!" And she backed down the river.

CORRESPONDENCE.

SYLVAN HAPPENINGS.

Simon Weber has begun filling his new silo.

Rainy weather is now in order as the farmers are busy pulling their beans.

Grain threshing is about completed. Oats were the principal grain that was threshed.

Mrs. John Heselschwerdt visited relatives in Manchester and Toledo the past week.

Miss Elsa Lerner, of Toledo, was the guest of her cousin, Miss Anna Sager, several days of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Heim have returned to their home in Rochester, New York, after spending several weeks at the home of his parents here.

Farmers are letting their early apples go without picking, as help is so scarce and the price paid for apples is very low. The crop is a fine one, and winter apples are looking fine.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sager of Sylvan, Mr. and Mrs. August Polz, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kutz and son Ewald, Mrs. Wassinger, Mrs. Mary Lerner and daughter Elsa and son Emanuel, of Toledo, were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Kappler, Sunday.

FRANCISCO NOTES.

Iva Sandey, of Mt. Pleasant, spent Sunday with Anna Straub.

Mrs. M. Hatt, of Grass Lake, is spending this week with relatives here.

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

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Notten and Mrs. B. C. Whitaker spent Tuesday in Ann Arbor.

There will be an ice cream social at the German M. E. parsonage Friday night, September 27.

Mrs. H. Main and daughter, Mrs. E. Notten, accompanied by Mrs. M. Hatt spent Wednesday with Mrs. A. Kalmbach near Chelsea.

The next meeting of the German M. E. Ladies' Aid Society will meet at the home of Ricka Kalmbach the second Wednesday in October instead of the first.

Chas. Barth and family, of Ann Arbor, spent Saturday night with Henry Lehman and they all attended the Lehman reunion at the home of John Riemenschneider near Trist Sunday. Forty-nine members of the family were present.

WATERLOO DOINGS.

Walter Koeltz is attending college at Olivet.

Miss Eva Bohne spent last week at the home of B. Barber.

Gottlieb Rothman expects to start for California this week.

Several from here attended the state fair in Detroit last week.

Mrs. Adolph Ave, of Cincinnati, is spending a couple of weeks with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rothman and family, of Munith, spent Sunday with the former's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Koeltz, of Jackson, spent several days of this week with his parents here.

Mr. and Mrs. White, of Morenci, spent the first of the week with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Rommel.

LIMA CENTER NEWS.

Mrs. John Steinbach was in Ann Arbor.

Mrs. J. Hinderer spent Tuesday in Ann Arbor.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Archie Coe, a ten pound girl.

Clara and Eva Baries have gone to Portland, Oregon, to spend some time.

Mrs. Eve. Hammond, of Ann Arbor spent Monday with Mrs. Mary Hammond.

Miss Estella Guerin goes to Ann Arbor Saturday to spend the winter with Mrs. H. G. Prettyman.

Glorious News

Comes from Dr. J. T. Curtiss, Dwight, Kan. He writes: "I not only have cured bad cases of eczema in my patients with Electric Bitters, but also cured myself by them of the same disease. I feel sure they will benefit what thousands have proved, that Electric Bitters is a most effective blood purifier. It's an excellent remedy for eczema, tetter, salt rheum, ulcers, boils and running sores. It stimulates liver, kidneys and bowels, expels poisons, helps digestion, builds up the strength. Price 50 cents. Satisfaction guaranteed by L. P. Vogel, H. H. Penn Co. and L. J. Freeman Co."

DEXTER VILLAGE

Sparks from a chimney set fire to the roof of Robert Fitzsimmons' house about 11 o'clock Saturday, but prompt work on the part of the neighbors soon extinguished the blaze. The damage was slight.

Patrick McCabe, 50 years old, and for 22 years a prominent business man of this village, died Monday afternoon at 4:30 at his home on F. street. He had suffered for a long time with a complication of diseases. He is survived by his widow, three brothers and two sisters. Funeral services were held Thursday morning at 9 o'clock at St. Joseph's church. Burial in St. Joseph's cemetery.

Semi-Annual Inspection.

The Washtenaw county board of prison inspectors made their semi-annual inspection of the county jail last Friday afternoon. They recommended that prisoners confined on jail sentence be put to work on the highways in charge of the highway commissioner or a deputy sheriff. The board also recommended that new bedding be purchased and the plumbing at the jail repaired.

Since the last report in February, 335 prisoners have been confined in the jail. One hundred and sixty-nine of these were for drunkenness, 105 for vagrancy, 21 for disorderly, two for murder, one for grand larceny, six for larceny, two for adultery, one for horse stealing, two for embezzlement, two for burglary, four for forgery. Two women have been confined in jail during the six months.

Public Sale.

Tobias Stipe will sell the following personal property at public sale on the premises, 639 south Main street, Chelsea, on Saturday, September 28, commencing at 1 o'clock p. m.: One gray mare, eleven years old, one horse wagon, single buggy, set one horse sleighs, heating stove, Round Oak range, oil stove, one cupboard, White sewing machine, bureau, bedstead, chairs, two tables, carpets, shovel plow, cultivator, 40 foot ladder, 14 foot ladder, copper kettle, iron kettle, churn, brooms, 15 gallons soft soap, milk cans, two jack screws, stove wood, harness, some baled straw, corn shelter, grain bags, set sleigh runners, buck saw, some cabbage, and other articles too numerous to mention. E. W. Daniels, Auctioneer.

Nineteen Miles a Second

without a jar, shock or disturbance, is the awful speed of our earth through space. We wonder at such ease of nature's movement, and so do those who take Dr. King's New Life Pills. No griping, no distress, just thorough work that brings good health and fine feelings. 25 cents at L. P. Vogel's, H. H. Penn Co.'s and L. T. Freeman Co.'s.

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"A ROYAL SLAVE"

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8 hours of a continuous, lively, snappy, brilliant show.

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No hunting, trapping or trespassing will be allowed on our farms.

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We Are Showing

New Grays, New Blues, and New Browns, in Cheviots and Worsteds, in the newest models. We guarantee a fit and complete satisfaction. Price \$15 and up.

In our Boys' Department we are showing the largest stock of Knickerbocker Suits ever shown in Chelsea. Coats are Norfolk or plain double breasted, in the new Browns, Grays and Blues. Satisfaction guaranteed. Price \$4.50 and up.

Men's Furnishing Goods

We are showing many attractive new things in Men's Furnishings. New Shirts, New Sweater Coats, New Hats and Caps, New Underwear, New Hosiery, New Neckwear.

MEN'S RAIN COATS AND SLIPONS—Every man needs one. Come in and look these over. Price \$5.00 and up.

Special in Boys' Hats

For boys four to ten years old we have given special attention, and can surely please you. Mothers, come in and see them.

Men's Shoe Department

You can get better value here for your money than any where else. We sell you nothing but what we guarantee for satisfactory wear.

Men's fine shoes, Packard and Pingree, made in all Leathers and shapes, special values at \$4.00 and \$4.50. Others good Shoes at \$2.50 up.

Be sure and see us for Work Shoes. Price \$2.00 to \$3.50.

H. S. Holmes Mercantile Co.

WANT COLUMN

RENTS, REAL ESTATE, FOUND LOST, WANTED ETC.

FOR SALE—A pair of light horse. Inquire of Elmer Beach, Chelsea.

TO RENT—Furnished room suitable for man and wife or two gentlemen; also barn. Inquire of Mrs. Allison Kneel, opposite Flanders, Mfg. Co., Jackson street.

WANTED—Family washing and ironing. Inquire at basement of the J. W. Ross residence on South street, Chelsea.

WANTED—Cranberry pickers, to begin the first of the coming week. Apply to Mrs. Patrick Smith, r. f. d. 4, Chelsea.

WANTED—Winter apples, highest market price paid for good packing stock. H. G. Spiegelberg, Chelsea, Mich.

ROOMS TO RENT—Furnished or unfurnished, or will rent to small family one-half of the house. Inquire at the Standard office.

WANTED—Help to cut corn by the acre. W. J. Beutler, 604 north Main street, Chelsea.

WANTED—Girls to run power sewing machine, making muslin underwear and shirt waists. We pay good wages; work is plentiful, and the factory conditions are of the very best. If you are interested, write us at once for particulars. Standard Mfg. Co., Jackson, Mich.

FOR RENT—Sheep pasture. Can accommodate about one hundred head. J. B. Bush.

AM now at home at 239 Washington street and prepared to do all kinds of dressmaking and ladies tailoring. Carrie R. Bareis, Chelsea, phone 186-3 rings.

FOR SALE—One rubber tired top buggy; one democratic wagon; half ton of hay. R. W. Lake, Grant street.

FOR SALE—Thirty-seven good Black Top breeding ewes. Price right. Inquire of J. S. Gorman.

CIDER MADE every Tuesday and Friday during September, and every week day during October and November except Saturdays. Barrels and kegs for sale. Get our prices on cider. B. H. Glenn, Chelsea.

WANTED—Girls for general housework. Apply Employment Department, Y. W. C. A., 341 South Main street, Ann Arbor.

CIDER made every Tuesday and Friday after September first. Jerusalem Mills. Phone 144-2.

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REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

Kempf Commercial & Savings Bank

At Chelsea, Michigan, at the close of business September 4, 1912, as called for by the Comptroller of the Banking Department:

RESOURCES.			
Loans and discounts, viz:—			
Commercial Department	\$109,918.67		\$109,918.67
Savings Department			
Bonds, mortgages and securities, viz:—			
Commercial Department	63,125.39		409,578.91
Savings Department	356,433.52		1,431.65
Overdrafts			732.85
Banking house			15,000.00
Furniture and fixtures			5,000.00
Other real estate			1,508.99
Due from other banks and bankers.			6,000.00
Items in transit			80.12
Reserve			
United States bonds			
Due from banks in reserve cities	\$ 7,768.17		\$ 2,500.00
Exchanges for clearing house			\$3,215.22
U. S. and National bank currency	65.70		10,362.00
Gold coin	10,083.00		54,257.12
Silver coin	3,875.00		18,958.00
Nickels and cents	2,818.05		120.80
	308.90		15.63
Checks, and other cash items	\$24,920.82		\$60,171.05
Total	61		217.94
			\$634,611.51

LIABILITIES.			
Capital stock paid in			\$ 40,000.00
Surplus fund			30,000.00
Undivided profits, net			18,000.00
Dividends unpaid			120.00
Commercial deposits subject to check			71,036.33
Certified checks			54,257.12
Cashier's checks outstanding			125.00
State monies on deposit			1,187.12
Due to banks and bankers			
Savings deposits (book accounts)	\$63,125.39		519,448.88
Savings certificates of deposit	59,714.41		\$3,611.51
Total			\$634,611.51

State of Michigan, County of Washtenaw, ss.

I, Geo. A. BeGole, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief and correctly represents the true state of the several matters therein contained, as shown by the books of the bank.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of September, 1912.

GEO. A. BEGOLE, Cashier.

CORRECT—Attest: J. L. Fletcher, Notary Public.

My commission expires January 12, 1915.

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LOCAL ITEMS.

The next term of the circuit court will begin on Monday, October 7.

J. W. VanRiper has purchased the crop of apples on the farm of Edward Gorman in Lyndon.

The Baptist church has been undergoing a number of needed repairs during the past week.

John Spiegelberg, of Lima, has purchased the residence of John Stiegelmaier on East street.

The village authorities are having the hitching posts, which they recently put up, painted.

Born, Friday, September 20, 1912, to Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Bacon of McKinley street, a daughter.

Lafayette Grange will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Fletcher, of Lima, on Friday evening of this week.

Fred C. Klingler has carpenters at work building a slaughter house on the site of the one that was recently burned.

The annual meeting of the State Teachers' Association will be held in Grand Rapids on October 31 and November 1.

Blaine Barch is now located at Dayton, Ohio, where he has a position as bookkeeper in a wholesale millinery store.

C. H. Kempf has carpenters at work making extensive improvements to his residence on the corner of Orchard and East streets.

The circles of the M. E. church will hold a harvest social at the church, Wednesday evening, October 2. Supper at 5 o'clock. All are welcome.

The Ann Arbor Gas Co. have a force of plumbers at work tapping the main trunk line and piping the residences of those who have contracted to use gas.

Thomas Leach has purchased of Fred Artz, of Sylvan, a house and one acre of land, and Mr. Artz has sold the remainder of the farm to J. E. Walz.

J. A. Danton, superintendent of the village electric light and water works plant, got his right thumb caught in an electric fan Sunday and it was badly mangled.

Frank Leach on Tuesday morning sold nineteen head of feeding cattle to Mr. Benz, of Ann Arbor. The bunch was purchased from farmers in this vicinity.

The Ushers Club of the Church of Our Lady of the Sacred Heart have issued invitations for a dancing party to be held in St. Mary's hall on Friday evening of this week.

W. I. Terry, of Lima, has sold 120 acres of his farm to J. N. Dancer, and 40 acres of farm land to Ed. Weiss. Both sales were made through the agency of R. B. Waltrous.

The eight mile per hour speed limit for automobiles through this place, is not being observed by many of the drivers. A few arrests might cause the drivers to take notice.

J. W. Adams and Ed. French, testers in the motorcycle department of the Flanders Mfg. Co., were in Saginaw Sunday to take part in the motorcycle races. The meeting was called off on account of the rain.

The mission services at St. John's church, of Francisco, last Sunday were well attended. A number of excellent addresses were delivered. The choir of St. Paul's church of this place furnished the music. The collections amounted to over \$70.

McLaren & Freeman sold for Martin Merkel the five passenger E-M-F auto that he recently purchased to Fred Notten. They have also sold the five passenger auto of the same make owned by Ed. Vogel to L. P. Vogel, also one to Paul Bacon and Julius Streiter.

Evan Essery, school commissioner, asks teachers in the vicinity of Chelsea to meet in the high school building at 2:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon, September 28, for the purpose of organizing a teachers' reading circle. It is expected that all teachers, who make their headquarters here will be present.

Died, Tuesday, September 24, 1912, at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Murphey, on Wilkinson street, Anthony R. Murphey, aged 2 years, 5 months and 1 day. The funeral was held from the Church of Our Lady of the Sacred Heart, this Thursday morning, Rev. Fr. Considine celebrating the mass. Interment Mt. Olivet cemetery.

Fred Artz has purchased the farm of Mrs. James H. Runciman in Sylvan.

Several from here are in Jackson today attending the fire day celebration.

Allison Knee left Monday for Detroit where he has accepted a position in a cigar factory.

Ed. Weiss has purchased of J. N. Dancer a Ford roadster that he will use on his rural mail route.

The W. R. C. will hold a regular meeting in their hall at 2 o'clock on Friday afternoon of this week.

C. Lehman is having a cement curbing built on the street line in front of his residence on Garfield street.

C. E. Bowling has moved his household goods into the Mitchell residence on the corner of Main and Summit streets.

Charles Hepburn has been confined to his room several days of this week by illness.

The interior and floor of the Chelsea waiting room of the D. J. & C., have been varnished and painted during the past week.

Lewis Coon, who fell from a second story window about two weeks ago, and was badly injured is recovering quite rapidly.

C. Koch, of Lima, has a force of carpenters at work on the new residence that Albert Eisele is having built on Lincoln street.

Prof. S. B. Laird of Ypsilanti, occupied the pulpit at the Baptist church Sunday; the pastor, Rev. L. L. Sanders, being absent.

Several of the onion growers near here have formed a copartnership and purchased an onion topping machine, which was received by Alber Brothers last Saturday.

Ed. Vogel has purchased of McLaren & Freeman a five passenger, 40 horse power Oakland automobile. The car is equipped with all of the appliances of an up-to-date auto.

C. E. Bowling returned to this place Sunday after spending two weeks in Buffalo, where he was detained by the illness of Mrs. Bowling, who at last reports was recovering quite favorably.

The broken water main near the Michigan Central crossing on Main street has been repaired. A section of the pavement that was put down last year had to be torn up to make the necessary repairs.

H. S. Holmes, Wm. Bacon, S. L. Gage, Jacob Hummel, Hon. John Kalmbach, Wm. E. Stocking, O. T. Hoover and E. L. Negus of this place and O. D. Luick, of Lima, were in Detroit Tuesday attending the republican state convention.

By a recent act of congress all rural mail carriers on a standard route of 24 miles will receive an increase in pay amounting to \$100 per year, commencing September 30. The five carriers from the Chelsea postoffice will each receive the increase.

Louis Heatley fell from a tree while picking apples on the Miller farm in Lyndon Wednesday afternoon, dislocating his right hip. He was taken to the U. of M. hospital at Ann Arbor. The case was only the third of this character that has been at the hospital.

The Chelsea fire department was called to the home of Geo. Nordman on west Middle street about 1 o'clock Wednesday afternoon. The cause was a blazing chimney and no damage was done. The hose wagon was hitched behind F. H. Belser's delivery truck and a quick run was made to the Nordman home.

Spencer Boyce.

Spencer Boyce, a prominent pioneer resident of Lyndon, was found dead about five o'clock Tuesday evening by the young daughter of Charles Dalley, who resides at the home of her grandparents.

Mr. Boyce had left the house sometime before, and when the granddaughter found him she called her uncle, George Boyce, instead of notifying her grandmother. Neighbors were called and the body was taken to the home.

Mr. Boyce was about 84 years of age and has resided in Lyndon for many years. He is survived by his wife and several children. The funeral was held this forenoon.

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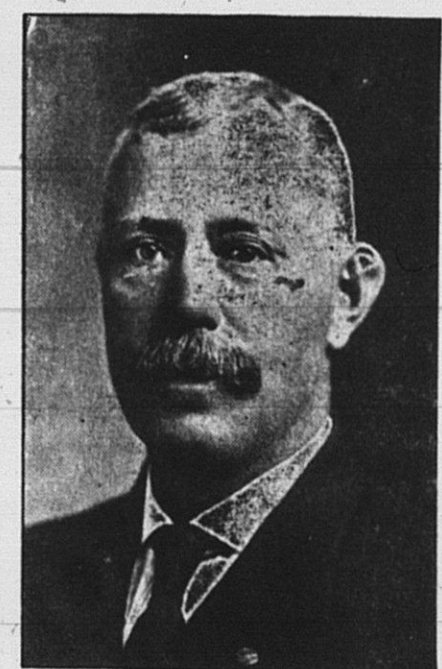
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Cars connect at Ypsilanti for Saline and at Wayne for Plymouth and Northville.

ALL KINDS OF GHOSTS

Polly Andrews Discovered a Daylight Species.

By CLARA INEZ DEACON.

Sheriff Bob Andrews was climbing into his buggy to drive to town when his daughter Polly came out of the house to call to him:

"Oh, dad, I'm going over to the Rickett's place today to get wild plums."

"Lots of them there," he replied, "but what about the ghosts?"

"They never show up by daylight, you know."

"Well, don't flirt with them, if they do."

The old Rickett's place was a mile down the highway. It was a small farm and a rambling old house that had been abandoned for years. The land had grown up to weeds and briars and tangle, and the house was doorless and windowless, and tenanted by all kinds of ghosts, from that of Henry Ward Beecher to that of a murdered pack peddler. When the boys visited the place to snook around they went in furs, and the men who drove past after dark made their horses step a little faster at this spot. Everybody laughed about the ghosts of the Rickett's house, but nobody made a hunt for them.

Polly Andrews had been visiting the place at intervals for the last five years. There were artichokes, apples, plums and berries to be found there in season, and a healthy girl has the same appetite for those things as a boy. She has never peered into the front door. But that was the limit. No use in tempting the ghosts to spring out and do murder. The wild plum season had come again, and Polly would defy several ghosts for all the fruit she could eat. Yes, there were plenty of wild plums, as her father had said, and she sat down under a tree to "gobble."

From where she sat, the girl could see only one end of the house. There were four window-openings in view and she had glanced at them several times and wondered what the interior of the house was like, when the face



"Come Down Here, Sir!"

of a young man suddenly appeared at one of the openings on the second floor. It showed for only three seconds, but that was long enough to satisfy the girl that she was looking at a human being—a young man whose face might have been interesting but for the look of fear on it.

"That chap is hiding!" whispered the girl to herself, and she felt more curiosity than fear.

Bob Andrews had been sheriff of Boone county, term after term, and his wife and daughter had always been more or less interested in his cases.

"Yes," resumed the girl, "if he were not a fugitive, he would not be here. Haven't the look of a horse thief, and he is a stranger in this locality. May have been hiding here for three or four days, but I haven't heard that he is after anyone just now. He is probably armed. Wonder what he would do if he were here?"

For five long minutes she kept her eyes on the window, hoping the man would show his face again, and then she sprang up with the words:

"Why, I know what he would do. He'd go in there and pull the fellow out and find out all about him. I'll do the same!"

Without giving herself time to argue, she walked straight up to the porch and half-way around it to the porch, and looked in at the doors. A rotting and dismantled stairway led up from a hallway with little heaps of rubbish here and there—desolation on every hand. It was a ghostly place, even at midday.

"Come down here, sir!"

The girl stepped into the hall and called to whoever might be above. No reply—no movement.

"Then I shall come up!"

With a chill at her heart and every nerve tingling, Polly softly mounted the shaky old stairs. There was fear at every step, but she forced herself to go upwards. Four bedrooms opened off the hall, and no doors to any of them. The girl looked into three of them, and then shivered. The man must be hiding in the fourth. She hesitated for only a second and then advanced. There was no challenge. Lifting on the floor in a corner, was the fugitive. His face was drawn and his eyes were staring. He looked at her with a look of terror. She knew that the girl had come.

and was looking at him, but he kept his position until she rather impatiently demanded:

"Well, you have a name and a tongue?"

"If they have come to arrest me—" he replied looking up.

"Mister man, get to your feet! That's better. Now get a grip on yourself. Why are you cowering here?"

"I have been made a victim of a base plot," he answered. "I have been hiding here for two days."

"I have read of base plots in novels, but never encountered one. They didn't seem to pick out a hero to base-plot against in this case!"

The young man was impressed by her sarcasm. He blushed and straightened up, and after swallowing hard he replied: "I do not claim to be a hero, but I am not a liar. For three years I have been employed in the First National bank at Avenue."

"Yes. And money has been taken."

"A package of \$5,000 was missing. I had no more to do with the taking of it than you did."

"But you skipped out and left the world to believe you a thief."

"Yes, fool that I am, it came upon me so suddenly that I was all confusion. The cashier came to me and charged me with the theft and put \$100 in my hands and advised me to flee at once to escape arrest. He said prison awaited me if I stayed. I only waited to put on my hat and coat."

"Chump!" scorned Polly.

"But if I had stayed?"

"That package would have been found somewhere as having been 'misplaced.' Was there any particular reason for the cashier wanting to drive you out?"

"I can't think of any."

"Were you both courting the same young lady?"

"Why—why—"

"Oh, you innocent lamb!" laughed the girl. "It's no wonder the gold brick men can afford their steam yachts. How that cashier must chuckle."

"Do you think—think—"

"No, I don't think. I know. Your name is what?"

"Porter Phelps."

"And I am Polly Andrews, daughter of the sheriff of this county. Come out under the plum trees."

When they were out doors and seated she continued: "Mr. Porter Phelps you appear to lack sand and to be easily rattled and to need a guardian. You have told me a straight story, have you?"

"I have."

"No evasions?"

"None whatever."

"Then you are coming with me and tell dad all about it. Dad's fine as silk on a trail, and they say I know a thing or two. I guess we can straighten this matter out all right."

"But your father—" protested the fugitive.

"He'll have a few words to say along the line I have, and then turn to and help you out."

Polly was a prophet. To a layman, the young man's story would have been pronounced too fishy for belief, but Sheriff Andrews had seen just as queer cases in his time. He listened quietly, thought for awhile, and then said:

"If you and the cashier were both after the same girl, he would have a motive in wanting to drive you away in disgrace. I'll go over to Avenue and see what I can pick up."

Two days later he returned to say: "No one but the cashier had heard that any money was missing, and it did not take me long to convince him that even he had not heard of it. You can go back and take your place again."

A year later, just after Mr. Phelps had left the sheriff's house one evening, the father remarked to the daughter:

"I thought he was in love with a girl in Avenue."

"So did he for awhile."

"Did she jilt him?"

"No. I arrested him!"

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Old Riga Being Modernized.

The ancient city of Riga, on the river Dwina, near the Baltic sea, is undergoing a wonderful change. The place was founded in 1201 by the Knights of the Sword, a German order instituted to convert the Letts and Estonians. It became in time a fortress of considerable strength. It did not lose the appearance of a medieval town until 1857, when its masonry walls were torn down. When Napoleon invaded Russia more than a century ago the governor of Riga burned two thousand houses. Riga is now being converted into a modern industrial city. The centuries-old moat has been turned into a picturesque canal and its banks have been planted with ornamental trees and shrubs to provide a popular promenade. The old, narrow winding streets of the inner town are being widened and straightened. One of the squares is used as a military parade ground. On it is the Russian cathedral, the city museum and a school supported by the chamber of commerce.—New York World.

Spiteful.

Kate—Mrs. Wops boasts that she made her husband.

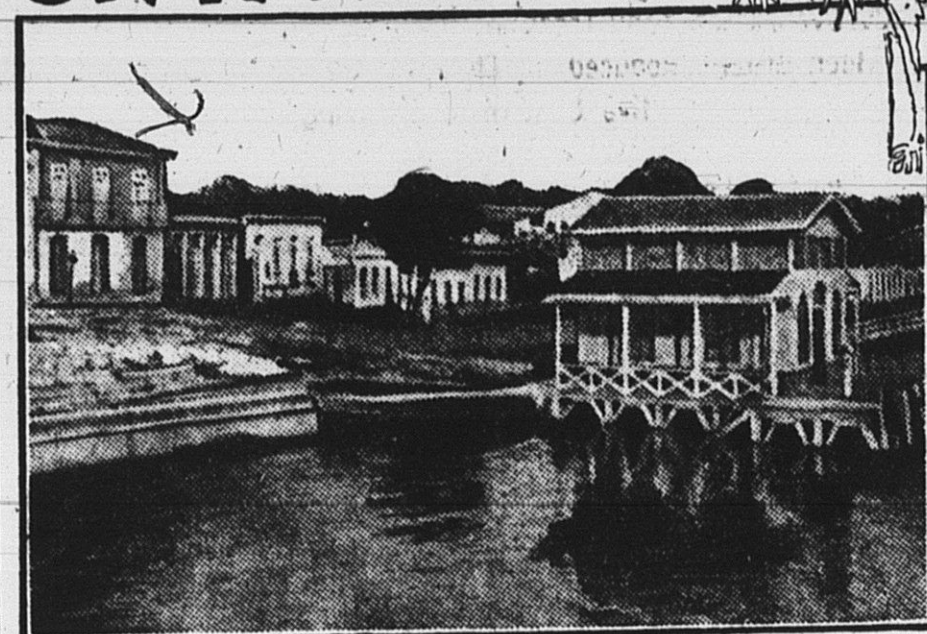
Meg—Anybody could tell that, to look at the way the poor man is treated at the edges.

Which She Frequently Uses.

She says what you like about man, it gives a woman a chance.

Yes, a fighting chance.

DOWN THE AMAZON ON A RAFT



VILLAGE ON LOWER AMAZON

RAVENOUS whirlpools, tigers, sharks, cannibals and malaria are incidents of an amazing voyage of 4,000 miles made by a St. Louisan, part of the way on a fragile raft from near the source to the mouth of the Amazon, which is the longest river in the world. The marvel of the trip is increased by the fact that for most of the journey he was without money.

The hero of the adventure is Frank B. Farrar of St. Louis, a mining engineer. His thrilling story, with humorous episodes, is told in his own words.

I left home in February, 1906, under contract to take charge of placer mines in the interior of Bolivia. The company by which I was employed left me stranded and unpaid at La Paz, Bolivia, in debt to a hotel \$200 for board and lodging. Unable to pay, I stole off in the night, stowed away on a boat crossing Lake Titicaca (which, 11,000 feet above the sea level, is said to be the highest lake in the world), and so made my way to Peru.

Here, with varying fortunes, I obtained work which occupied me for more than three years. I was employed at various times by the Peruvian Railroad corporation and by different mining companies. I was at one time superintendent of the Yanamina camp, 16,600 feet above sea level, in the Andes, and rich in copper and silver.

In the fall of 1910 I went to Lima, the Paris of South America, and passed three months. I also spent all of the money I had saved, not foreboding that I was soon to fall ill. I obtained work in a lead smelter at Huancayo and became poisoned with the metal. It was then that I determined to make my way to Yquitos, a city on the upper Amazon, to which, although 3,000 miles from the coast, ocean steamers penetrate. I expected there to obtain passage to New York. It was 1,000 miles from Oroya, where my journey started, to Yquitos.

Two Hundred Miles Through Forest.

At Oroya I met a locomotive engineer named Paddy O'Neill, who was out of employment, and, like myself, without a penny. He decided to go with me to Yquitos, where he had heard there was plenty of work.

The first leg of the trip was a 200-mile walk over the mountains to the Pachitea river, which is the beginning of the Amazon. This tramp was 15 days of nightmare. We followed a government trail through the impenetrable forests, in which at nights we could hear the roars of tigers and jaguars. We subsisted by begging from the natives whose huts we encountered. On the ninth day we were so nearly famished that I took O'Neill's watch, walked back ten miles on the trail and sold it for \$4. With the money I bought a bag of corn and lima beans, on which we lived for the rest of the "hike."

We passed several "tambo," or government posts, in which we were permitted to sleep, but the officers of which never thought of inviting us to eat. At last we reached the river, and O'Neill built a raft of logs twelve feet long and five feet wide, surmounted by a bamboo platform, on which we were to sit to keep ourselves dry. The logs were tied together with the bark of the balza tree. We had no paddles, but only long poles.

The Pachitea river at that time was narrow, by very swift, and there were many logs floating on its surface. It seemed as if our raft were to be crushed upon striking every one of these logs, and at each collision I feared that the craft would go to pieces. Once it struck a stump and turned a complete somersault, flinging us into the water.

Our danger was extreme. The water was infested with venomous snakes, alligators and fresh water sharks. It was impracticable to swim ashore, because the dense tropical bamboo forests would not permit us to land, so thickly did they grow. But if we could have landed we should have been at the mercy of wild beasts. There was nothing to do but swim after the raft, which was floating swiftly down the current.

After great efforts we overtook it, and in a few days reached Porto Vermejo, where there is the first of a string of wireless telegraph stations extending to the coast.

Here O'Neill and I both fell ill of malaria. Despite the fact that we could scarcely lift our heads, the native hotelkeeper made us cut down trees to pay for the scraps of food he doled out to us. There was no medicine available. A native woman,

struck with pity for me, took up a collection of money to buy me a ticket to the village of Marecasas, 50 miles down the river. O'Neill got a job as engineer on the same launch on which I traveled, but was put ashore because he was too ill to perform his duties.

Monkey Saved Farrar's Life.

Here I should have died but for a monkey, the property of an unfeeling native, the keeper of a hotel into whose tender mercies I fell. Although I was shaking violently with chills, he said to me:

"You've got to go to work." I protested and begged for quinine. "If you don't work," he replied, "I'll put you in the stocks." I was too sick to care, and told him to go ahead.

The stock, an instrument of torture, consisted of a framework with holes through which my feet, arms and head were thrust. For two days and nights I sat in this machine, alternately freezing with chills and consuming with fever. The time passed like an evil dream. It was the custom of the people to pelt with missiles the unfortunate occupants of the stocks. But the natives pitied me, and some of them even gave me tea and food by stealth.

Finally the hotelkeeper, muttering that he didn't want me to "die on him," set me free and ordered the cook to give me the water in which he boiled the rice, so that I would not starve.

The monkey of which I have spoken was a prodigious thief. It stole everything it could lay paws on. It occurred to me that it would be safe for me to steal what food I needed and blame the thefts on the monkey. Thereupon the monkey's pilfering activity doubled, it seemed to its master.

One day the hotelkeeper, missing two eggs, which he had intended for breakfast and which, without his knowledge, were in my pockets, said to me:

"That monkey is a thief."

"He sure is," said I, and stole away to eat my eggs unobserved.

One day several natives, painted hideously, with thorns thrust through their noses, came to the river to trade. They were peaceful, but imagine my feelings, after seeing them eye me hungrily, to be told in a whisper: "Those men are cannibals."

When my health was a bit better I revenged myself on the hotel man by appropriating his canoe one night and paddling away down the river. O'Neill, who had been almost as ill as myself, went with me. We made our way in 15 days to Cantumayo, begging our food as we went. The natives were more than kind to us.

The trip was made hideous by millions of huge mosquitoes which swarmed down on us until our feet and hands were black with the insects. The natives do not even take the trouble to brush them off, but they tormented us terribly. At last, in payment for my repairing her sewing machine, a woman gave us a strip of mosquito netting, which we spread over the canoe at night while we slept.

It happened that the chief of police at Cantumayo was an acquaintance of mine. He permitted me to sleep in the police station and paid for my meals at a neighboring house. The mistress of this house had a mania for medicine and insisted upon dosing me with a horrible mixture until I was sicker than ever.

This decoction was a bowl of strong liquor made from sugar cane, lemon juice and salt. I implored her to give me quinine, but she refused and felt that I had insulted her nostrum. I believe I should have died had I not met an American negro named Tolbit. He gave me a pound, or \$4.86, with which I bought quinine and cognac. In four days the fever was broken. Tolbit obtained a canoe (I suspect he stole it) and we floated down the river for seven days, stopping at villages for the nights. But on the seventh night the negro disappeared.

I was picked up by a tall and pompous personage who called himself by the resounding name of Don Pedro Segunda La Jera, and who made an average of \$100 a day by selling phony jewelry to the natives. He took me along to paddle his canoe. He was so stingy that he would not permit me to use the condensed milk he carried for his coffee, and refused to pay for the provisions he purchased unless compelled by force. I left him at Porto San Francisco, where I got work cutting down trees for 75 cents a day.

Here I remained 15 days and left only to avoid starvation.

DREAMS PROTECT OUR SLEEP

Reasonable Explanation of Events Which Have Been a Puzzle to the Minds of Students.

Dreams seem a mere play of imagination without any value—the more so every serious student has recognized that it is absurd to think that dreams have any prophetic character. But, in recent times, science has discovered the probable purpose of the dreams, and has found in this case again that nature does not give to us anything which is superfluous.

In the present view of science, dreams fulfill the purpose of protecting our sleep, and this end is reached by those apparently meaningless flights of the imagination. Most dreams start from some disturbance or excitement of our organism. Something may press on us, or touch us, or we may hear a sound, or we may have some digestive trouble, or we may lie in an uncomfortable position, and so on. Any such disturbance would excite the mind and would easily lead to a breaking up of the sleep which is necessary for us in order to be fresh for the next day's work.

The dream provides the solution. In creating a fantastic background for that disturbance, by which the inner excitement becomes adapted to a whole situation in which it fits well, our efforts to remove it becomes sidetracked and the sleep can go on without interruption.

We may have thrown off a blanket and feel cold. Our dream brings us to a snowy winter landscape in the midst of the cold winter day, where we begin to skate, and all the coldness is then so natural and well adjusted to the whole illusory experience that our mind moves on without destroying the sleep.—From St. Nicholas.

Cleaning a Rusty Rifle.

It is an easy matter to clean a rusty rifle barrel, but when the rust has pitted the metal to any depth, the accuracy of the rifle is destroyed. When the rust is very thick saturate the inside of the barrel with coal oil, and allow it to soak well in for an hour or more. When the rust has softened somewhat wrap some tow around the ramrod, and pour enough coal oil up on it to thoroughly moisten it, and push in a rotary manner through the barrel and back a dozen times. When the tow gets very dirty renew it and continue the process until the coarser portion of the rust has been removed. A round brush of stiff bristles is next fixed to the ramrod, moistened thoroughly with the oil, and twisted into a barrel, running it back and forth at least a dozen times, thus loosening the dirt that has been more firmly attached to it. The first operation is now repeated, except that the tow on the ramrod is left dry, and the rubbing with this must be continued in all directions as long as it comes out soiled. The use of wire brushes is objectionable for cleaning guns, as the numerous steel points cut into the tube. Careful cleaning of the metal parts after use, and giving them a coat of petroleum or sweet oil when laid aside, will keep a rifle free from rust and ready for use at all times.

Why the Country is Deserted.

There are all sorts of reasons given why we can no longer keep our young people in the country, and most of the all sorts of reasons are good, but there is one which is just beginning to be recognized which is most potent of all, and yet most insidious. In the teachers of the little children in the country do we find the danger; these teachers, knowing nothing really of rural life, instill the thought from the beginning, "Get an education so as to get away from this place into a big city where you can have a chance!"

And now our slow-going government has at last recognized this danger and sends out this warning: "The tendency of the rural school to encourage emigration to the city is due to the fact that the course of study in most rural schools is merely a copy of that given to city school children, without reference to the different environment and local needs of the country child. As a result the authors declare that teachers everywhere, with rare exceptions, have idealized city life, and unwittingly have been potent factors in inducing young men and women to leave the farm and move into the city."—Universalist Leader.

Has Had Adventurous Life.

Dr. George Ernest Morrison, whose recent appointment as financial adviser to the president of China has aroused adverse comment in Germany, the Tagliche Rundschau, terming him "an enemy of Germany," is widely known as a writer and venturesome traveler. He has been the Peking correspondent of the London Times for a long time. He is a native of Australia, and was educated at Melbourne and the University of Edinburgh. During a journey through New Guinea in 1883 he was speared in the breast in an attack by natives, and it was not until the following year that the spearhead was cut out, the operation being performed in Edinburgh. Probably his best-known book is "An Australian in China."

Too Much for Pop.

"Pop!"

"Yes, my son."

"They scuttle a house at the top, don't they?"

"Yes, my boy."

"And they scuttle a boat at the bottom, do they not?"

"Why—yes."

"Well, where would they start to scuttle a houseboat, pop?"

The KITCHEN CABINET

LIGHT human nature is too lightly tossed and ruffled without cause; complaining on—

Restless with rest—until, being overthrown, it learns to be quiet.

—E. B. Browning.

MEALS FOR TWO.

There are many dishes which a small family cannot enjoy without waste, but there is such a variety to choose from, one need not find the diet monotonous.

Soups of many kinds may be made in small quantities and are just as good as larger amounts.

Potato Soup.—Take half a cup of rice potato and add to a cup and a half of scalded milk in which has cooked a slice of onion and a stalk of celery. Melt a tablespoonful of butter, add a tablespoonful of flour; stir into the hot soup. Season with salt and pepper and cook until the soup is smooth. A tablespoonful or two of tomato catsup may be added for variety or chopped parsley or chives may be sprinkled over the top of the soup just as it is served.

Angel Drop Cakes.—Heat the whites of two eggs until stiff, add a quarter of a teaspoonful of cream of tartar, a fourth of a cup of sugar and a few drops of vanilla. When well mixed fold in a quarter of a cup of flour. Drop on ungreased tins or bake in gem pans.

Mock Bisque.—Take half a cup of strained tomato, one and a half tablespoonfuls of butter mixed and cooked with the same amount of flour; add a cup of hot milk and cook together. Add the milk to the tomato, to which has been added a teaspoonful of sugar and a pinch of soda. Season to taste and serve hot.

Coffee Cream.—Scald a fourth of a cup of milk, add a half cup of boiled coffee. Soften a teaspoonful of gelatin in a little water. Beat the yolk of an egg and add two tablespoonfuls of sugar. Add to the coffee mixture and cook in a double boiler, stirring constantly. When thick, add the white of egg well beaten, a pinch of salt and a few drops of vanilla. Turn into a mold after adding the gelatin, and set away to mold. Serve with cream.

A DAY WITH LEFT-OVERS.

Chop cold roast lamb, season with salt and put into a buttered baking dish; cover with a cup of seasoned-cooked macaroni. Beat three eggs slightly, add a cup and a half of milk, pour over the mixture and bake in a slow oven.

Hot Potato Salad.—Cook two cups of half-inch cubes of potatoes; drain and pour over the following dressing: Mix together a half cup of celery cut fine, two slices of lemon, one tablespoonful of chopped onion, one tablespoonful of chopped parsley, four tablespoonfuls of olive oil, pepper and salt to taste. Heat until boiling hot and serve at once.

Water Melon Balls.—Any water melon that is left over may be scooped out into balls, using a vegetable cutter, or if this is not at hand a tablespoon will do, making oval-shaped pieces. Chill and serve very cold.

Hasty Blueberry Pudding.—Butter four or five slices of bread on both sides; place in individual sauce dishes, grate a little nutmeg over the slices and pour over canned berries that have been heated hot.

When preserving peaches, use the broken pieces that are not perfect enough for a spiced sauce. Add vinegar, spices and brown sugar and cook until of the right consistency.

When there is a little cold chicken, but not enough for a dish, add an equal quantity of cold boiled ham, both chopped fine. Mix together with a rich, well-seasoned white sauce and serve on buttered toast as a luncheon or supper dish.

Any combination of cold meat may be used with the sauce, varying the flavor by using chopped green peppers or onions.

Nellie Maxwell.

Uncle Pennywise Says: A lady who has just been acquitted of murder declares that she is tired of sensations. A murder trial generally satiates the gayest of the gay.

A Significant Sign.

"Are those two in front of us husband and wife?"

"I don't think so."

"What makes you think they are not?"

"Because when they met, he raised his hat to her, and then took her bundles to carry for her."

Bustard Might Be Valuable.

It is suggested that the bustard, a kind of bird in China, be domesticated in America. It weighs from 14 to 18 pounds and the flesh is well flavored.

NO TROUBLE IN COLLECTING

Lawyer Probably Was Willing to Pay More Than \$10 Under the Circumstances.

A noted lawyer of Tennessee, who labored under the defects of having a high temper and of being deaf, walked into a court room presided over by a younger man, of whom the older practitioner had a small opinion.

Presently, in the hearing of a motion, there was a clash between the lawyer and the judge. The judge ordered the lawyer to sit down, and as the lawyer, being deaf, didn't hear him and went on talking, the judge fined him \$10 for contempt.

The lawyer leaned toward the clerk and cupped his hand behind his ear. "What did he say?" he inquired.

"He fined you \$10," explained the clerk.

"For what?"

"For contempt of this court," said the clerk.

The lawyer shot a poisonous look toward the bench and reached a hand into his pocket.

"I'll pay it," he said. "It's a just debt."—Saturday Evening Post.

Hairy Food.

A traveling man stopped at a hotel recently, said the Casado Times. He found a hair in the honey. He went to the proprietor and kicked. "I can't help it," said the landlord. "I bought it for combed honey." The next day the traveling man found a hair in the ice cream, but the landlord said that was all right, as the ice had been shaved. Again he found a hair in the apple pie. This surprised the landlord greatly. "Why," said he, "they told me those apples were Baldwins."—Kansas City Journal.

A Guess.

"Why did Maud want to go into the garden, sis?"

"I suppose, dear child, she thought Sweet William was there."

A HIDDEN DANGER

It is a duty of the kidneys to rid the blood of uric acid, an irritating poison that

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Mrs. Doyle—I think he favors the recall of marriage certificates.

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Cole's Carbolic Soap stops itching and makes the skin smooth. All druggists. 25 and 50c. Adv.

On a Summer Day.
Maud Muller was raking the hay.
"I'm an intelligent agriculturist at the very time you are in danger of the recall," she explained in refusing the judge.

Grasped His Opportunity.
A Baltimore clubman tells of two convicts who met for a moment alone in a corridor and took advantage of the fact for a hurried interview. Said one, "How long are you in for?"
"For life," responded the other.
"And how long are you in for?"
"Twelve years," responded the other.
"Then," said the "lifer," cautiously extracting a letter from its hiding place, as he glanced fearfully around, "take this and mail it for me when you get out."

Big Crop Yarns Are Ripe.
Secretary Wilson of the department of agriculture was talking about the records crops of 1912.
"These wonderful crops," he said, "are almost enough to make you believe the cross-cut saw story."
"A farmer, you know, sent his hired man to a neighbor's with a note saying:
"Friend Smith: Will you please lend me your cross-cut saw, as I wish to cut a watermelon up so as to get it into my dray?"
"The neighbor wrote back:
"Friend Jones: I would be glad to lend you my saw, but same has just got stuck in a cantaloupe."

Poser for the Doctor.
Dr. Lewis White Allen, the Denver physiologist, was giving an informal talk on physiology upon the windy, sea-fronting porch of an Atlantic City hotel.
"Also," he said, "it has lately been found that the human body contains sulphur."
"Sulphur!" exclaimed a girl in a blue and white blazer. "How much sulphur is there, then, in a girl's body?"
"Oh," said Dr. Allen, smiling, "the amount varies."
"And is that," asked the girl, "why some of us make so much better matches than others?"—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Tea's Conquest of Rome.
Of all the conquerors that have come to Rome no one has gained such a complete victory as tea has won in the Italian capital. Twenty years ago the British and American tourists who came to Rome were catered to in the matter of tea in a rather shamed manner in the strangers' quarter near the Piazza di Spagna, and "English Tea Rooms" was the legend to be seen in a few windows hard by Cook & Sons' offices.
Nowadays the palm lounges of the Grand and the Excelsior hotels at tea time are two of the sights of Rome, for all Roman society drinks tea abroad in the afternoon, and there are as many uniforms at 5 o'clock in the big hotels as there are at sundown on band days on the Pincian hill. All the big pastry cooks' shops in the Corso and the other principal streets now have "Afternoon Tea" in gold letters on their plate glass windows.

CAREFUL DOCTOR

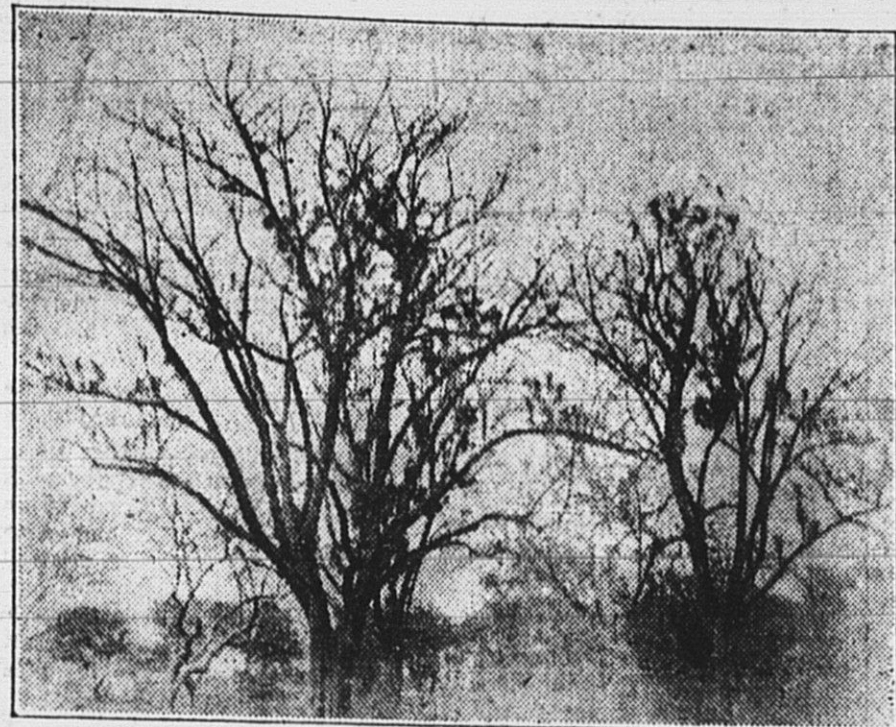
Prescribed Change of Food Instead of Drugs

It takes considerable courage for a doctor to deliberately prescribe only food for a despairing patient, instead of resorting to the usual list of medicines.
There are some truly scientific physicians among the present generation who recognize and treat conditions as they are and should be treated, regardless of the value to their pockets. Here's an instance:
"Four years ago I was taken with severe gastritis and nothing would stay on my stomach, so that I was on the verge of starvation."
"I heard of a doctor who had a summer cottage near me—a specialist from N. Y.—and as a last hope, sent for him."
"After he examined me carefully he advised me to try a small quantity of Grape-Nuts at first, then as my stomach became stronger to eat more."
"I kept at it and gradually got so I could eat and digest three teaspoonsful. Then I began to have color in my face, memory became clear, where before everything seemed a blank. My limbs got stronger and I could walk. So I steadily recovered."
"Now after a year on Grape-Nuts I weigh 155 lbs. My people were surprised at the way I grew fleshy and strong on this food." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Read the little book, "The Road to Well-being," in plain English.
"There's a reason."
"I've read the little book. A new way appears from these few lines. Strong, healthy, true, and full of human interest. Adv."

WHAT TO DO WITH WINTER-KILLED BRANCHES

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Apple Trees Showing Severe Winter Injury.

Following a most severe winter the apple trees in many localities present a very bad appearance and the condition has caused much alarm to be felt among fruit growers. In some cases whole trees have been killed, but in most cases a few of the large limbs have been killed and these persisting give the tree a "stag-headed" appearance.

In many cases it is found that those limbs that were weakened by scale, overbearing or other cause, are the ones which suffered the most from the continued cold.

Many of the limbs that were severely injured but not entirely killed pushed out a few leaves, but these never attained full size, but soon withered and dropped off. The majority of such limbs are now completely dead and are of course valueless.

Some limbs, not so badly injured as those just mentioned, produced almost normal foliage—in some cases differing from the healthy leaves only by the slight yellowness—and on these limbs fruit has been produced. This fruit also shows signs of the great disturbance that has taken place for it is frequently found to be gnarled, or even watery, and this condition is fairly uniform on any affected branch.

It is easy to tell now just which limbs are going to live and which ones are past recovery. It is the fruit grower's business now to help the tree recover from this damage. He can do this by pruning away the dead wood scientifically.

First of all he must be governed by the rules of good pruning, which require that all cuts be made flush

with the main branch. If the fruit grower wishes to become convinced of the harm that can be done by leaving stubs, let him examine a poorly pruned tree and note how the growth of the wound tissue has been hindered. He will also find that the stub has rotted badly and endangered the limb.

Having pruned the tree properly and having rid the tree of all the dead wood, it is now essential that all wounds be covered to keep out the germs which cause heart rots. Few apple trees of any age have a sound heart. This is due solely to the work of fungi. These fungi have entered the heart wood through uncovered wounds.

To cover the wounds of the apple tree many substances have been suggested, but the matter is yet largely in the experimental stage. At present a good white lead paint, applied thoroughly and frequently renewed, seems to be the best recommendation. Some success has been had using the white lead paste, or thinning slightly with oil, but the former thing seems to be most convenient. It should be pointed out that white lead is hard to obtain in some localities and many substitutes are offered. If one is painting the wounds for beauty only he can use the fancy mixed paints, but if he is painting the wounds to keep out fungi and to protect the trees, he must use good material.

It will be found in many instances that the trees that now appear to be badly used will recover from the injury, and in some cases the killing of the limbs has done considerable good in thinning out trees whose branches were hopelessly thick.

barrel and carefully inverted that the fruit may not be injured.

How to Store.

The fruit should then be stored as soon as possible. Piling the fruit in the orchard is a wasteful practice. The fruit heats in the piles and ripens very readily. The aim in storing fruit is to retard this ripening process that the fruit may be kept longer. Do not store fruit that has been piled in the orchard for any considerable time after picking. Get a good spring wagon for hauling the fruit into storage. A springless wagon, especially over rough roads, will injure the fruit for storing. If the fruit is packed in tight boxes or barrels, it will store better than if open crates are used.

The storage house or cellar should be well ventilated, well drained and frost proof. A cellar that cannot be properly ventilated to allow foul air to escape, cannot keep fruit well. Drain the cellar so that it will never be wet and remove excessive moisture with a box of quick lime. In cellars having cement bottoms and where they are apt to become too dry and cause the fruit to shrivel up, supply water.

SHEEP AS WEED DESTROYERS

By R. S. SHAW,

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Early in July of the present year a carload of 259 western wethers was shipped to the Upper Peninsula substation at Chatham for the purpose of subduing weeds and sprouts which had grown up on forty acres of land cut over several years past. The ground was covered with some June grass and endless variety of weeds and sprouts as high as a man's head and almost impossible to walk through. Five or six weeks after the sheep were turned on this tract it was practically bare except for the stubs and weed stalks too large and woody for the sheep to consume. About the middle of August a grass seed mixture was broadcast over the entire tract and the sheep held on the area for another ten days to graze still closer and incorporate the seed with the soil by their tramping in wandering over the land. It is expected that next season will furnish more abundant pasture and fewer weeds and at that time more seed may be added in the same way.

Storing Eggs.

A storage place for eggs should be free from any bad odors

INSECT DOING CONSIDERABLE DAMAGE TO PEAR ORCHARDS IN EASTERN STATES

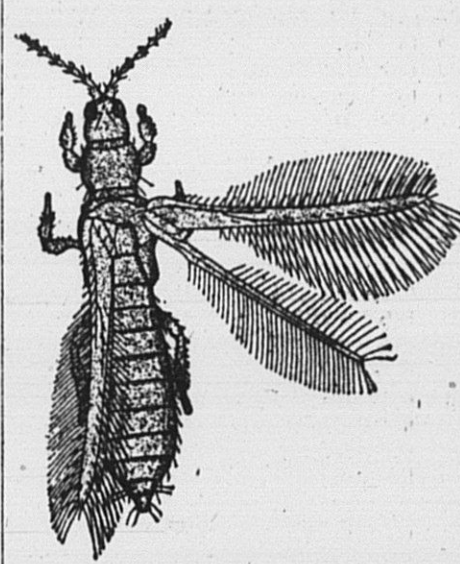
Productiveness of Many Trees in Fruit Growing Sections Has Been Greatly Reduced by Thrips, a New Pest—Most Effective Control Is Spraying.

(By P. J. PARROTT.)

For a number of years past blossoms in orchards in the state of New York and other parts of the east have blighted, resulting in more or less extensive losses in fruit yields. Careful studies during the past year have shown that the injury is caused by the pear thrips, a new orchard pest, which has attracted considerable attention in recent years in California because of its destructiveness to various deciduous fruits.

The adult thrips, which is largely responsible for the injuries to the trees, is a small, darkish brown, winged insect measuring about one-twentieth of an inch in length. It appears in destructive numbers when the buds are opening, attacking the tenderest of the flower parts. The eggs are mostly deposited beneath the epidermis of the blossom and fruit stems. Hatching takes place within a few days, and the larvae seek preferably the calyx cups, undersides of calyces, and the folds or under surfaces of the tender, expanding leaves. The larvae feed for about two weeks and drop to the ground, in which they form a protecting cell. In this cell the insect completes its transformations and emerges from the ground in the spring as an adult. The thrips is single brooded; and the most active and destructive stages are coincident with the period that includes the life events of the swelling and opening of the buds and dropping of blossoms and calyces.

Injuries by the thrips in the Hudson valley have apparently occurred over a period of five years. During the past three years fruit growers generally have noticed blighting of blossom clusters of pear trees, although the nature of the causal agent seems not to have been suspected. According to



Adult Pear Thrips.

statements of fruit growers the most severe attack of the thrips occurred during 1910, when the pear crop in many orchards was much reduced. Besides losses in yields the trees were seriously checked by injuries to leaf buds and leaf clusters; and in some orchards the season was much advanced before the trees presented normal conditions of growth. The productiveness of pear orchards during 1911 was greater than the preceding year, but blighting of blossom clusters was general and orchards suffered losses in yields according to the severity of the attacks by the thrips.

Severe attacks by the thrips are a serious drain on the vitality and productiveness of the trees. In their weakened state they are also more subject to injuries by adverse weather or environment, and to attacks by various wood-boring insects. The needs of the orchard with respect to

cultivation, fertilizers, pruning and spraying for other insects and diseases should be carefully considered in order that the most favorable conditions for recovery to health and productiveness may be afforded to the trees.

The thrips is a difficult pest to combat because of the nature and suddenness of its attacks. Spraying is the most efficient method of control. The period for effective spraying is during the time when the buds are breaking and until they are entirely opened at the tips. The most promising spraying mixtures are the nicotine preparations in combination with kerosene emulsion or soap. Two or three applications on successive days during the past year largely prevented important injuries to pear trees. The physical features of the locations of the orchards, such as the direction and elevation of the slopes of the land, and character of the soil, have a marked influence on the development of the buds and the time of blossoming. The time for effective spraying will therefore vary with individual orchards.

REWARDS OFFERED IN FRUIT GROWING

Great Crops Are Possible When Conditions Are Created to Produce Them.

Fruit growing offers many rewards in the way of great possibilities to those who get the most out of it. The careful planter and the liberal feeder and culturist, as a rule, gets what he is working for.

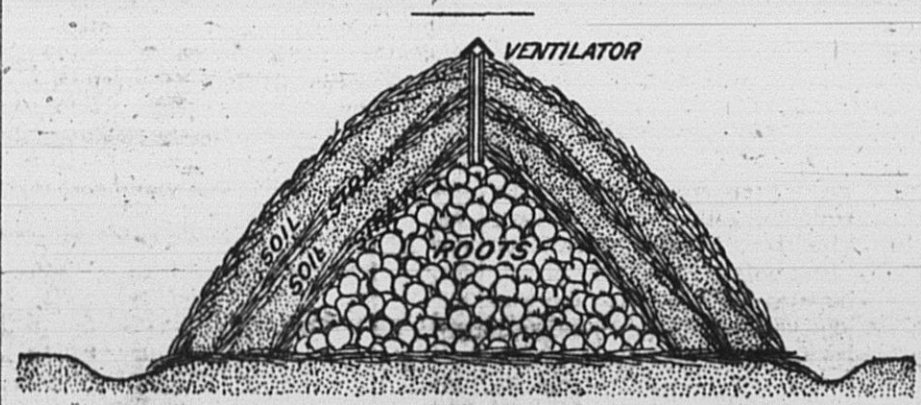
In all kinds of fruit culture great crops are possible when the circumstances are created to produce them. A well-cared-for strawberry plantation, says a writer in Green Fruit Grower, often yields wonderful results; and the same can be said of raspberries, currants, gooseberries, etc., and yet it is not best to engage in fruit culture with that as an incentive. Figure on a fair crop, and if you get a large one, so much the better. I would not be understood to discourage aiming high—not by any means—simply to caution the inexperienced against building on these exceptional yields.

Do not plant too closely, and give what you plant close attention. We know a man who may not be termed a model fruit grower, yet this man makes the most of what he has, and is successful.

Good varieties, good plants, suitable ground, and proper care will produce fine fruit. Economy is very essential to success, and yet one must not be penny wise and pound foolish. There must be thorough work done, and plants must not be crowded. It takes some thought to know just how much work and money to bestow upon a crop to make the most possible profit from it.

It is difficult for the inexperienced to realize the great value of experience in fruit growing. After one has traveled the road he can see the value. To those who are about to establish themselves in this interesting industry, I would say to go slow at first; make small beginnings; gain your knowledge as you go on; study your location and soil so that you will know better than any one just what is possible to accomplish with it.

EXCELLENT STORAGE FOR THE ROOT CROPS



Cross Section of an Easily Constructed Pit for Roots.

E. J. Delwiche of the Wisconsin station makes the following recommendations regarding the storage of roots for feeding purposes:

The best place to store roots is in a root cellar near where they are to be fed. Such a cellar may be a part of a barn, basement, or it may be built conveniently near to the stock barn. In most places the root house can be built most economically of concrete. Ordinarily cement is the only material that has to be purchased. The gravel and sand are usually available at no great distance on most farms. While the temperature in a root house should never fall to the freezing point, it should be at a low point for best results in keeping roots.

When no cellar is available, roots may be stored in pits. For fall and early winter feeding they need not be covered to any great depth. The roots are put in conical pile about four feet in diameter on a bed of clean straw, then covered with a layer of straw, then covered with a layer of straw, then covered with a layer of straw. The straw at the apex of the pile is

made to form a chimney five or six inches in diameter for ventilation. Dirt is thrown on the pile to a depth of six inches. The roots are piled as high as possible so as to shed water. When wanted for feeding the whole pit is taken into the barn at once. For early winter feeding the layer of dirt should be thicker, and in addition a covering of straw should be placed over the whole pile.

The illustration shows a pit intended to remain over winter. This provides for two layers of straw and two of earth. A ventilator made of four-inch boards is placed at the apex. When severe freezing weather sets in, the ventilator is stuffed tightly with fine hay. In such a pit roots will keep without freezing even in the coldest winters. If desired, the piles may be made oblong instead of conical in shape, retaining the gable form. While pits do very well, so far as keeping the roots is concerned, it must be understood that they are but makeshifts at best. A root house which is accessible at all times is much more satisfactory and more economical.

MENTALLY.



Peggy—You have been abroad, haven't you, Reggy?
Reggy—No; what made you think I had been abroad?
Peggy—Why, I heard father say you were 'way off.

Costs.
The justice of the peace scratched his head reflectively.
"There seems to be some dispute as to the facts in this case," he said. "The law imposes a fine of \$25 for exceeding the speed limit, but I don't want to be arbitrary about it, and if you'll pay the costs I'll remit the fine."
"That's satisfactory to me," said Dawkins, taking out his wallet.
"All right," said the justice. "There's \$5 for the sheriff, \$5 for the pro-secutor, \$5 for the court stenographer, \$5 for the use of the courtroom, and my regular fee of \$10 per case. Thirty dollars, please."—Harper's Weekly.

HOW TO TREAT PIMPLES AND BLACKHEADS

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BREVITIES

JACKSON—At a meeting of the county road commissioners Monday, it was voted to recommend the taking over of certain roads for the county road system in Waterloo, Grass Lake and several other townships in Jackson county.

PINKNEY—They are now graveling the last mile of three mile stretch of state reward road north of this village which has been under course of construction this summer under the supervision of Highway Commissioner James Smith—Dispatch.

DEXTER—Mrs. John A. Schmidt has a curiosity in her garden in shape of a tomato vine on which the fruit is all yellow, with the exception of one tomato, which is a large and fully developed red one. The vine is of the yellow variety and is perfect in every way.—Leader.

BRIGHTON—Charles Jacobs has a piece of alfalfa clover which is attracting considerable attention. It was new seedling last year and he has cut two good crops this year. The third crop, the heaviest of them all, and standing more than knee high, is now ready to cut.—Argus.

TECUMSEH—William R. Moore, a young farmer of Palmyra, last spring bought \$425 worth of hogs. Since then he has fed them nine acres of alfalfa that was not thick enough for hay, and \$300 worth of feed. Saturday he sold them. They weighed 13,420 pounds and brought him in \$1,164.18. A pretty nice profit, truly.—News.

ANN ARBOR—Jay Peach, of Green Oak, paid \$32.80 in Justice's court here Friday because he collected \$11 on a check which was worthless. Early last summer Peach passed a check for that amount in this city on the strength of a deposit on a Brighton bank. The deposit slip was all right, but it did not belong to him. It was one he had found.

ANN ARBOR—A new course is offered in the university this fall, which will be of special importance to those co-eds who prefer a future in which the duties of a housewife are more prominent than the call of the public life, is the course in the chemistry of the household. This course, to be given this fall for the first time, is in the study of foods, their dietetic value and the methods of their preservation.

GRASS LAKE—"When I die I want to die quick," was the wish expressed Saturday noon by John C. Welch, and four hours later he expired in a Grass Lake cornfield, where he was assisting Zopher Scidmore, his brother-in-law, whom he was visiting, and was assisting in harvesting his corn. Mr. Welch was 73 years old and was a resident of Jackson. He was a retired farmer and is survived by a wife and seven children.

MANCHESTER—We have been making inquiries in regard to good roads and how to make them, and am fully in favor of using the split log drag. In every instance where it has been used, and on all sorts of soil, it has proved a benefit. It is wonderful. A common road can be dragged at a small cost and made as smooth and hard as some graveled roads. You may not believe it until you try it. We wish that some of our highway commissioners would experiment with it.—Enterprise.

HILLSDALE—Dane Earle, the 18 year old son of Bert Earle, of Pittsford, was arrested Sunday night and brought here to the jail. The charge is fraudulent use of the United States mail. He was taken to Detroit Tuesday morning to be arraigned in the federal court. The boy wrote to the Olds Motor Company at Lansing and asked them to send to the local garage a 60-horse power auto for John Quinn, and made threats of vengeance. The Olds Company wrote a letter addressed to John Quinn and the boy called for it, which led to his arrest.

NO REASON FOR IT

When Chelsea Citizens Show a Way. There can be no reason why any reader of this who suffers the tortures of an aching back, the annoyance of urinary disorders, the pains and dangers of kidney ills, will fail to heed the words of a neighbor who has found relief. Read what a Chelsea citizen says:

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Boston Transcript: During the stay of the U. S. Marine Band in Boston a great many people have asked how it is possible for this band to produce such wonderful ensemble effects. A member of the band when asked this question, said: "The chief reason is the thorough and complete understanding existing between the leader and his men. The implicit confidence which we, one and all, feel in Lieutenant Santelmann, is really the mainstay of our work."

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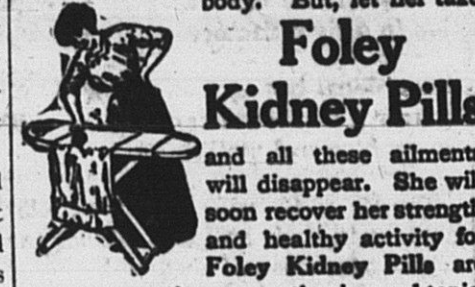
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County Auditor's Report.

County Board of Auditors—August session, 1912. The Board of County Auditors met in regular session in the court house, in the city of Ann Arbor, in the Auditor's Room, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, August 5th, 6th and 7th. Present—Auditors Bacon, Townsend and Fairner.

The following bills were allowed and warrants ordered drawn for the same.

COUNTY.		
J. B. Steere, water.	\$	3.15
E. F. Hoppe, photos of prisoners.		2.00
Peter Swick, burial of soldier.		2.00
E. E. Mumery, supplies.		2.75
S. W. Millard, printing.		46.00
Athena Press, printing.		19.25
George W. Hall, supplies.		21.65
Chas. F. Mayer, supplies.		3.00
Gregory, Mayer & Thom, supplies.		26.50
Chas. C. Hopkins, clerk of supreme court.		2.00
E. B. Blackmer, burial of soldier.		60.00
Thilling Bros. Everard Co. Supplies for drain commission.		22
Chelsea Standard, printing.		11.15
Dr. Jeanne Solis, examining insane.		5.00
Enoch Dietzler, burial of soldier.		50.00
Dr. A. E. A. Mumery, examining Bida.		5.00
Rosa M. Sanford.		7.00
George Walker, juror.		57
Don Niesley, juror.		75
Jacob Bayha, juror.		75
Chas. F. Burkhardt, juror.		75
E. L. McArthur, juror.		75
E. G. Lindaur, juror.		75
A. J. Warren, Justice.		1.50
W. A. Clark, juror.		7.00
Dr. H. B. Britton, examining insane.		22.98
Michigan State Telephone Co., tolls.		7.00
Dr. G. M. Hull, examining insane.		11.10
Washington Home Telephone Co., tolls and phone.		95
A. E. Wisdom, repairs on car.		10.00
Ed W. Millard, printing record Tenser case.		18.20
The Times News Co., Printing Record.		10.75
Tenser case.		10.75
Mrs. Chas. Schrepper, jail fee.		9.00
Enterprise Publishing House, printing.		50.81
W. W. Welch, supplies for school com.		8.47
Mayer-Schoettle-Scholar Co., supplies.		4.50
Wm. Herz, supplies.		2.00
Fischer & Fennell, printing.		8.00
Athena Press, printing.		4.00
Hazel Davenport, care of juv. offenders.		4.00
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Artificial Ice Co., ice for jail.		4.36
Wm. Goodyear & Co., towing for jail.		39.25
Schumacher Hardware Co., supplies for jail and court house.		

COUNTY OFFICERS.

Wm. Walsh, deputy sheriff, expense bill.	8.50
M. B. Stadtmiller, Justice.	8.50
S. A. Ferguson, deputy sheriff.	4.45
T. A. Boogie, in Tenser case.	100.00
Detroit House of Correction, care of prisoners.	155.42
Adde Jackson, board bill.	2.25
S. W. Burchfield, coroner.	61.25
C. K. Cobb, Game Warden.	12.50
Robison & Co., livery for officers.	5.50
W. A. Henderson, livery for officers.	8.50
C. Schlenker, supplies for sheriff office.	14.63
Fred Jerry, deputy sheriff.	23.35
Ann Arbor Garage, auto for officers.	24.50
William Bacon, auditor.	4.50
Perry Townsend, auditor.	16.25
Jacob Fahrner, auditor.	15.20
Wm. C. Gerstner, deputy sheriff.	18.20
Jas. Cosgrove, deputy sheriff.	4.30
John O'Mara, officer at circus, Ypsilanti.	14.00
Joseph Gross, deputy sheriff.	9.55
Leo Kennedy, deputy sheriff.	38.04
Chas. Hipp, deputy sheriff.	104.15
W. H. Stark, board of prisoners.	67.95
Wm. G. Doty, Justice.	1.65
Louis Nowland, constable.	2.00
W. G. Johnson, constable.	6.00
Leo J. Kennedy, deputy sheriff.	13.50
James Cosgrove, deputy sheriff.	14.27
Mat Max, deputy sheriff, exp. bill.	15.70
Wm. F. Stark, sheriff, expense bill.	15.70
P. B. Stark, deputy sheriff.	23.64
Polhemus Transfer Co., livery for officers.	191.70
Wm. Gaundett, deputy sheriff.	16.05
F. A. Ritchie, Justice.	17.63
Frederic Stark, deputy sheriff.	5.97
Chas. Fox, constable.	1.38
N. Schmidt, dept. sheriff, expenses.	
Western Union Telegram Co., telegram.	

CONTAGIOUS.

Duane Spalsbury, supplies.	10.65
E. R. Beal, supplies.	15.70

FUEL AND LIGHT.

Ann Arbor Gas Co., light.	16.64
Eastern Michigan Edison Co.	80.82
L. P. Black, coal.	864.08

Whereas it is the opinion and judgment of this Board that not more than \$1.50 per hour should be paid for the hire of automobiles by county officers.

Therefore be it resolved upon motion of Auditor Townsend, supported by Auditor Fahrner, that the price hereinafter allowed by the Board to be \$1.50 per hour. Carried.

Moved by Auditor Fahrner, and supported by Auditor Townsend, that the proceedings of the Board of Auditors for the month of August be published in the Chelsea Standard as a Milan Leader. Carried.

WILLIAM BACON, Chairman.

CHAS. L. MILLER, Clerk.



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Probate Order.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw, ss. At a session of the Probate Court for said County of Washtenaw, held at the Probate Office in the city of Ann Arbor, on the 10th day of September, in the year one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

In the matter of the estate of David Blach, deceased.

On reading and filing the duly verified petition of Margaret Blach, widow, praying that administration of said estate may be granted to George Blach or some other suitable person, and that appraisers and commissioners be appointed.

It is Ordered, that the 7th day of October next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office be appointed for hearing said petition.

And it is further Ordered, that a copy of this order be published three successive weeks previous to said time of hearing, in the Chelsea Standard a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Washtenaw.

EMORY E. LELAND, Judge of Probate.
[A true copy]
DORCAS C. DONAGHAN, Register.



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