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Badly Wounded.

Fred Chase, who is employed by the Flanders Mfg. Co., and resides in the tenant house on the farm of Jas. Guthrie in Sylvan, met with an accident Sunday afternoon that will possibly cripple him for the remainder of his life.

He left the house in the forenoon on a hunting trip and was in the garden near the house at the time of the accident. He had stood his gun in the fence corner, and as he was climbing over the fence a rail gave away and the gun was discharged. The charge of shot entered his right arm just below the shoulder and the bone was badly shattered.

Mrs. Chase was waiting for the return of her husband and had been out of the house once to see if she could locate him and on the second trip heard him calling for assistance and went toward the garden where she met him. He informed her that he was wounded and physicians were called.

From present indications unless blood poisoning sets in, his arm will be saved but it will undoubtedly be in a crippled condition.

The mother of Mr. Chase, who was at the home of her daughter, Mrs. H. C. Millen, of Ann Arbor, is assisting in his care and his sister from Ann Arbor has also been assisting at the Chase home.

Nordman-Bycraft Wedding.

The marriage of Miss Hazel M Nordman, and Mr. Charles H. Bycraft took place at the Church of Our Lady of the Sacred Heart, Rev. Father Considine celebrating the mass, at 8 o'clock this, Thursday morning, October 24, 1912.

The ceremony was witnessed by a number of friends of the young couple. A wedding breakfast was served after the nuptial services to several guests at the home of the brides' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Nordman, on west Middle street.

The bride has been the night operator at the local telephone exchange for some months past and has been the guest of honor at a number of social functions given by her friends.

Musical Entertainment.

Major R. H. Hendershot, the drummer boy of the Rappahannock, and his son will give an entertainment in the M. E. church, at 8 o'clock Wednesday evening, October 30. Several numbers on the program will be filled by residents of this place. The program is as follows:

- Organ voluntary.....Miss Steinbach
- Reading, The Drummer Boy of the Rappahannock.....
- Three Cheers; Red, White and Blue; Mocking Bird and Cornish Quickstep.....
- Major Hendershot and Son Vocal Solo.....Mrs. Mildred Miller
- The Private's Favorite March and W. R. Corps March.....
- Major Hendershot and Son Recitation, The Young Man Waited (E. V. Cook), Chewing Chewing Gum.....H. B. Hendershot
- Organ voluntary.....Miss Steinbach
- Fife and Ocarina Solo.....
- H. B. Hendershot Song, Sleigh Bell Ride.....
- Major R. H. Hendershot Drum Solo.....Major R. H. Hendershot
- Organ.....Miss Steinbach
- Gen. Robert E. Lee's Favorite March.....Major Hendershot and Son Vocal Solo.....Miss Bacon
- Recitation, The Long Handled Dipper.....Major R. H. Hendershot
- Original Song, What Is It? and a Little Fun for Everybody. Mas-sa Lincoln.....Major R. H. Hendershot
- Recitation, How Ruby Played the Piano (Bob Burdette).....
- H. B. Hendershot Imitation of a Battle.....
- Major R. H. Hendershot Vocal Solo.....Mr. Kanthlener
- Recitation, Oh, Why Should the Spirit of Mortal Be Proud?.....Major R. H. Hendershot

Brakeman Killed.

On his first trip as a brakeman for the Michigan Central, Charles W. Billings lost his life in Ann Arbor Monday night. He was told by the head brakeman to go the third car from the rear end of a freight train and loosen the brake. A minute later the head brakeman looked back and saw Billings' lantern lying on the ground. He stopped the train and investigated and found the upper half of Billings' body lying beside the track and one leg pinned in a switch point, 300 feet away. It is believed Billings slipped while walking along the top of a car and fell between two cars.

Billings was about 30 years old and came to Ann Arbor from Detroit three days before the accident, but it is thought his home was in Dow-

The Board of Supervisors.

The boards of supervisors Monday morning received the report of Drain Commissioner Barry and referred it to the committee appointed to settle with county officers. The same disposition was made of the report of the superintendents of the poor, read to the board this afternoon.

Mr. Barry reported that since his last report last year the Saline River drain, in Saline and Bridgewater, had been completed, also the Lenawee and Washtenaw drain in Saline and Macon townships and the Tim Thompson drain in Augusta. Work is progressing on the Comstock drain which is being deepened and extended; on the Pittsfield Junction drain which the Lake Shore railroad opposed for a time, but which will probably be completed this fall; on the Clement Drain in Northfield and on the Brock drain in Ypsilanti township on which the contract will soon be let. Petitions have been received for a drain in Bridgewater and one in Pittsfield. The township boards, the drain commissioner said, had refused to approve petitions for the Half Moon drain in Manchester, and also a petition for the Rouse drain in Saline.

An assessment of \$626.30, \$205 of which is in Lenawee county, has been made for the Lenawee and Washtenaw county drain; one of \$1,189 for the Comstock drain in Sharon township; a balance of \$64.90 exists in the fund of the Frey and Fitzsimmons drain; an assessment of \$450 has been levied in Augusta for the Tim Thompson drain. In 1913, assessments for \$765 and \$1,097.20 will be levied for the Pittsfield Junction drain, and the Clement drain, respectively. A deficit remains in the Saline River drain fund of \$852.35, a legacy left by Mr. Barry's predecessor in office.

Re-assessments have been levied for the Walker drain in Salem and Northfield amounting to \$170 in Salem and \$176 in Northfield. Re-assessments also have been levied in Lima, Chelsea and Sylvan for the Palmer and Baldwin drain amounting in all to \$413.32. No. 2 Sugar Creek drain has been assessed against Augusta and York for \$274 against the former and \$12 against the latter.

The report of the superintendents of the poor gave the cost of caring for the indigent in the county last year as \$7,300. The receipts were about \$7,781, leaving a balance on hand of \$476.45. The estimate for the current year calls for an expenditure of \$7,650, of which \$4,872 is due to the poor board from various townships and cities for the care of inmates of the infirmary. An appropriation of \$2,500 has been asked from the county.

According to the report of the superintendents the average cost of caring for each inmate at the infirmary is \$2.33 a week. The total number of inmates during the past year was 84, the average 51. There were 59 men and 25 women cared for. There were seven deaths. The value of the infirmary property, buildings and all is placed at \$21,170. The report was received and referred to the committee to settle with the county officers.

The board of supervisors Tuesday afternoon voted unanimously to appropriate \$150 towards the salary of a probation officer for six months on the understanding that the other \$150 of her salary is to be paid by the Federation of Charities of this city.

Judge Leland appeared before the board and advised the appropriation to aid in the work of the juvenile court. Mrs. W. H. Wait on behalf of the Federation also spoke. After Supervisor Derbyshire of Augusta had moved that the appropriation be made, Supervisor Schlenker of Ann Arbor tried to limit it to three months but his amendment was ruled out for one by Supervisor Hiscock to the effect that the probation officer be required to report to the board in January. When the question had carried Mrs. Waite thanked the board. Judge Leland said he thought it was a step in the right direction and Chairman Koebbe said he thought it was money well spent. The work of the probation officer largely consists in aiding poor families, to find means of supporting themselves and in advising wayward children who would otherwise become subjects for the juvenile court. Mrs. Bodmer is at present serving as probation officer.

At the session in the morning the board re-elected Michael Staebler of Ann Arbor and C. C. Dorr of Sharon township superintendents of the poor. Mr. Staebler for the full term of three years and Mr. Dorr to all vacancies for one year.

The committee on rejected taxes reported rejected taxes charged against supervisors to the amount of \$174.24, \$80 of which was against Ann

Arbor, and Milan. The report was referred to the prosecuting attorney.

The building committee reported the expenditure of \$2,566.26 during the past year on repairs on the jail and court house, mostly on the court house. The cost of bracing the tower was \$808. The committee recommended that the west side of the court house be cleaned as the south side had been. The cost of the south side when completed will be \$980. The cost for cleaning three sides will be about \$2,925. The report was laid on the table till Wednesday.

The board then voted to pay Mrs. Wade McCormick, wife of the superintendent of the infirmary, \$100 a year for her services at the institution. The request had been for a payment of \$200 a year, but was reduced on motion of Supervisor Haist.

Flanders to Head U. S. Motor Co.

According to reports in New York financial circles, Walter E. Flanders will be president of the reorganized U. S. Motor Company, now in the hands of a receiver. Mr. Flanders is head of the Flanders Motor Co. of Detroit and the Flanders Manufacturing Company here. If the reputed deal goes through it is reported that the U. S. Motor Company will take over the Flanders Company capitalized at \$3,750,000, assumes all its obligations and pay a big cash bonus for Mr. Flanders' organization and if Mr. Flanders accepts the presidency of the U. S. Motor Co. he will probably take the whole factory and office force with him.

U. of M. Registration.

Secretary Smith has compiled the registration reports of all departments and finds there 46 more students in the university than were enrolled during the entire last year. This places the present registration of the university at a new mark. The present total is 5,628 against a total of 5,582 for last year. There are usually 150 new students enter at the beginning of the second semester each year, and this will bring the registration for the present year to about 200 increase over last year. Had not the law department entered upon a new plan that makes the law course practically four years instead of three in length, it is likely that this increase would have been almost doubled. The registration in the law department this year is 150 under what it was last year. The literary department made a gain of 120 and almost every department shows a substantial gain.

To Save Cost of Livery Hire.

A proposition to reduce the county's livery bills will be presented to the board of supervisors by the county auditors in their annual report Thursday afternoon.

County Auditor Bacon appeared before the board Monday afternoon and proposed that in place of paying livery bills of \$100 a month to enable the sheriff's force to get about the county to serve papers, and make arrests it would be considerably cheaper for the county to invest in a second hand automobile at a cost of \$400 or \$500. The proposition could not be considered at the time as the board was waiting for the appearance of the superintendents of the poor, who were to make their report that afternoon, but it was suggested to Mr. Bacon that the auditors incorporate the proposition in their report Thursday. It will probably receive favorable consideration as it would be a matter of economy for the county to buy the auto and cut out livery bills of \$1,200 or so a year.

"Passers-By."

"Passers-By," the new C. Haddon Chamber's comedy, in which Charles Cherry is making his first stellar tour under the direction of Charles Froman, is said to be singularly human and lifelike play and is the first big success the author of "Captain Swift" has sent to this country since "The Tyranny of Tears." The scenes of the four acts of the play are placed in a single setting but that is said to be a most elaborate one and represents the apartment of a bachelor of wealth in London. The apartment is supposed to be located on one of the principal thoroughfares in the English metropolis and most of the personages of the play are the passers by of the street below who have been brought into the apartment, for the hero of the play is searching for a new sensation, and he surely finds it. Just how he finds it and rights a great wrong he has committed some years before is said to be fascinatingly told. It is generally conceded that "Passers-By" is one of the biggest plays that the stage has seen in years. Charles Froman presents Charles Cherry in "Passers-By" at the Whitney theatre, Ann Arbor, Monday, October 28. Seat sale Friday, October 25. Phone 180.

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A JOYOUS SUMMER BY THE SEASHORE

Hanscombe Proved to Be a Good Captain in Rough Weather.

By LOUISE MERRIFIELD.

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For one moment Hanscombe lost his head. "It's been a joyous summer, girls, and there's another one ahead of us. I'll try to come back."

He was lying full length at her feet on the shore. Nan hardly noticed him. Her face was turned down toward the point. Something of the sunset glory seemed to linger on its girlish contour, but her eyes were full of latent mischief.

"It's so nice of you even to promise that, Mr. Hanscombe," she murmured. "Mother'll be glad."

"Won't you?"

"I won't be here."

Hanscombe sat up.

"Not if I should ask you to be here?"

Nan laughed and bit her lip.

"You always seem like a funny, overgrown boy to me when you're to be earnest."

"I'm not trying, Nan. You've known all along just what I've meant."

"It's a good thing for me that I have," laughed Nan. "Oh, don't protest, now, and try to make good at the last minute. You don't have to with me. You came down here with Hal—"

"He told me about you before I came, and that's why."

"Hanscombe kicked a bit of driftwood half buried in the sand, and frowned. Fate was leading him into a snare. He knew when he reached the danger point, and always moved along at the right moment. He didn't want to marry any girl. He had come to Point of Pines purely out of curiosity to see Pan Phillips because Hal had said she was the "bellest" girl in the world.

Across the bay he could see the white spot of the tents even in the deepening twilight. To-morrow he would be on the train bound for the west. And Hal would be over there in the tent, with Nan in the cottage up in the pines, only a few hundred yards away.

"Won't you miss me a bit, Nan?"

"Lots." Nan's tone was perfectly matter of fact. "You're a dandy bass catcher."

"I can't seem to catch anything else," said Hanscombe cheerlessly.

"What's the matter with me, Nan?"

"Matter? How? Guilelessly."

"Don't you like me?"

"Very much. So does mother."

"Are you sorry you kissed me?"

"Once she put her hands to her lips and called him to come back, but there was no answer, and as the night closed in, she sat on one of the tall sand dunes, her face buried on her arms and sobbing until suddenly she felt Hanscombe's arms close about her.

"Dear, don't do that," he said with a new, masterful touch in his tone. "Hal started after us—saw the fire, I think. When I caught sight of his boat pulling out, I turned and came back. What's the matter?"

Nan kept her face hidden against his cheek.

"Why didn't you come right away?"

"I had to dress and put out the fire so it wouldn't spread in this wind, Nan?" He forced her to face him there in the semi-darkness. "Nan, you didn't care a rap, did you, on the level, whether I came back or not?"

Nan hesitated, and whispered very softly.

"I didn't want the ship left without a captain."

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Once She Turned and Looked Out to Sea.

savagely as a last chance at stirring up emotion.

"Which time?"

"Have you got them all tabulated for future reference? Nan, didn't you care at all?"

"Yes, I almost think I did." For the first time Nan's voice was a little unsteady. She still watched the far off point jutting out like a long nose into the sea. "But I don't care now. I suppose that's the last best, isn't it? When you know that everything is going to end, and you just don't care?"

"Would you go with me?" Hanscombe's face was a study in conflicting impressions. It was not an invitation he gave, merely one of his speculative flyers in love, and Nan knew it. She laughed, and shook her head.

"It would be a pretty hard sentence, wouldn't it? For both of us? No, thank you, kind sir, not to-day."

Hanscombe studied her for a minute in silence. He did not know this mood. Vaguely he realized that Nan was, as the boys would call it, "kiddin' him." It was not pleasant to be a 6-foot, 170-pound halfback and be "kidded," especially by the girl he had been gracefully trying to depart from without breaking her heart. Watching the little reddish curls that snuggled against the tanned throat, he wondered what the next ten minutes held for him. All at once he knew that Nan Phillips held his heart and future very neatly banded on her strong little pink palm. And there was Hal.

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"Like a hammock or cake of ice," growled Hanscombe. "Go on."

"But I don't believe you'd make a good captain in rough weather, and we get a lot of that sort through life, don't you know it? You're a good pal to talk to, and all that, but—"

She stopped suddenly and stood up. He saw in a moment what had happened. Drifting rapidly out to the open sea was their motor boat. A couple of miles across the bay was the little summer camp on the point. And they were on an island in midchannel, with no chance of a steamer passing before the city boat in the morning. Hanscombe kicked off his shoes.

"You're not going to try and swim matter it?" Nan demanded incredulously.

"I'm going to the point," he retorted deliberately. "I'll get Hal's boat and come after you. Don't get rattled now. I won't be long."

"There are cross currents out there—"

"So there are here," he said, grimly. "Better take my matchbox and get some driftwood together for a fire in case I give out. Hal will see it, and know there's trouble. Goodby."

"Why don't you wait and see if we aren't missed?"

"Just to show I can be a rough weather captain, I guess," he laughed. "Rustle after the driftwood, mate. I have to get into swimming gear."

Slowly she turned and went back over the winding shore, through the little path of sword grass and white clover. Once, at the top of a hummock, she turned and looked out to sea. It was a shadowy violet haze. His head looked like brown seaweed floating with the tide, far off from the shore. Nan watched it with keen, half-closed eyes until it disappeared, the little silver matchbox pressed to her cheek unconsciously.

All her life she had lived at the Point. She knew every swirling current out in midstream beyond the island. Night after night she had gone out with Hal while he hung a red lantern of warning on the piling that marked the steamer channel. And now Hanscombe, careless, indolent, city-bred Hanscombe, was out there fighting the sea just to make good in her eyes that he was no coward.

She gathered the driftwood into a heap, and set fire to it, not to warn Hal, but to give some cheer to the man out in the water in the darkness. She knew in her heart she had cared for him from his first few days at the Point. Hal was dear, but he was just a big brother. The very faults of Hanscombe made her indignant against him because she reasoned he was too idle to put up his own good fight with fate and fortune. And she had made up her mind to let him go.

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Progressive Meeting.

The National Progressive party held a meeting Monday forenoon at the corner of Main and Middle streets. The meeting was called to order by J. D. Colton, and addresses were delivered on various topics by "E. B. Manwaring, Isaac G. Reynolds, H. A. Hodges, Mr. Frost, H. S. Probert and Hon. Herbert F. Baker. There was a fair sized crowd present. The party was making an auto tour of the county and they left here at noon for Manchester.

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FOR SALE—Robert Foster farm, 70 acres, one mile north-west of Chelsea; Howard's Everet farm, 275 acres six miles south-west of Chelsea; John McKune farm, 308 acres, six miles north of Chelsea; new house, Lincoln street, just completed; two modern houses, Chandler street; double houses, Summit street; six room house, North Main street; good residence, North street; good residence, Buchanan street; modern house, VanBuren street. H. D. Witherell. 31f

Commissioner's Notice. STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washington, ss. The undersigned having been appointed by the Probate Court for said County, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of David Blach, late of said County, deceased, hereby give notice that for month of date are allowed, by order of said Probate Court, for creditors to present their claims against the estate of said deceased, and that they will meet at the office of John Kalamback in the village of Chelsea, in said County, on the 7th day of December and on the 7th day of February, next, at 10 o'clock a. m., of each of said days to receive, examine and adjust said claims. Dated October 7th, 1912. JOHN KALAMBACK, R. B. WALTROUS, Commissioners. 13

NOTICE TO HUNTERS. No hunting, trapping or trespassing will be allowed on our farms. GEO. T. ENGLISH, F. H. SWEETLAND, ELMER WEINBERG. 13

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What Is Tuberculosis?

The following article has been selected by the Michigan Association for the Prevention and Relief of Tuberculosis from Dr. Carrington's book on "Directions for Living and Sleeping in the Open Air." Copies of this pamphlet may be secured from the State Association from the main office, Medical Building, Ann Arbor. No charge is made. Other articles from Dr. Carrington's work will be published here from time to time.

"Consumption, or tuberculosis, is a disease of the lungs which is taken from others and is not simply due to catching cold. It is generally caused by germs, known as tubercle bacilli, which enter the body with the air breathed. The matter which consumptives cough or spit up usually contains these germs in great numbers, and if those who have the disease spit upon the floor, walls or elsewhere, the matter will dry, become powdered, and any draught or wind will distribute the germs in it with the dust in the air. Any person may catch the disease by taking in with the air he breathes the germ spread about in this manner. He may also contract the disease by taking into his system the germs contained in the small drops of saliva expelled by a consumptive when coughing or sneezing. It should be known that it is not dangerous to live with a consumptive if the matter coughed up by him is properly disposed of.

"Consumption may be cured at home in many instances if it is recognized early and proper means are taken for its treatment. When a member of a family is found to have consumption and cannot be sent to a sanatorium, arrangements for taking the cure at home should be made as soon as the disease is discovered."

Council Proceedings.

[OFFICIAL.] COUNCIL ROOMS, Chelsea, Mich., Oct. 21, 1912.

Board met in regular session. Meeting called to order by the President. Roll call by the clerk.

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

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

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

LIGHT AND WATER.

W. G. Nagle Co., supplies... \$ 59 29

Duncan Elect. Mfg. Co., meter 24 70

Central Elect. Co., supplies... 2 55

Sunday Creek Co., 2 cars coal. 94 49

M. C. R. R. Co., freight 1 car coal... 58 99

Standard Oil Co., grease and oil... 38 32

John Kelly, freight and cty... 18 31

Flanders Mfg. Co., labor and material... 7 75

M. J. Howe, labor at plant... 24 00

James Winters, labor at plant. 10 50

J. W. Speer, telegrams... 1 03

J.-A. Danton, 1/2 mo. salary... 45 00

A. Koch, 1/2 mo. salary... 35 00

Frank Postal, 1/2 mo. salary... 30 00

Chas. Helzer, 1/2 mo. salary... 30 00

Ralph Mott, 1/2 mo. salary... 30 00

Anna Hoag, 1/2 mo. salary... 12 50

GENERAL FUND.

The Chelsea Tribune, printing 4 10

E. H. Chandler, draying... 10 75

H. E. Cooper, 1/2 mo. salary... 27 50

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

Moved by Dancer, supported by Hummel, that crosswalks be built across Washington and Madison streets. Carried.

Moved by Hummel, supported by Dancer, that we purchase 123 street signs at 32c each. Carried.

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

HECTOR E. COOPER, Village Clerk.



Once She Turned and Looked Out to Sea.

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"Which time?"

"Have you got them all tabulated for future reference? Nan, didn't you care at all?"

"Yes, I almost think I did." For the first time Nan's voice was a little unsteady. She still watched the far off point jutting out like a long nose into the sea. "But I don't care now. I suppose that's the last best, isn't it? When you know that everything is going to end, and you just don't care?"

"Would you go with me?" Hanscombe's face was a study in conflicting impressions. It was not an invitation he gave, merely one of his speculative flyers in love, and Nan knew it. She laughed, and shook her head.

"It would be a pretty hard sentence, wouldn't it? For both of us? No, thank you, kind sir, not to-day."

Hanscombe studied her for a minute in silence. He did not know this mood. Vaguely he realized that Nan was, as the boys would call it, "kiddin' him." It was not pleasant to be a 6-foot, 170-pound halfback and be "kidded," especially by the girl he had been gracefully trying to depart from without breaking her heart. Watching the little reddish curls that snuggled against the tanned throat, he wondered what the next ten minutes held for him. All at once he knew that Nan Phillips held his heart and future very neatly banded on her strong little pink palm. And there was Hal.

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NEWS FROM ALL PARTS OF MICHIGAN

BAD WRECK ON G. R. AND I. NEAR REED CITY; REMARKABLE ESCAPE OF TRAVELERS

FRIENDS LOOK ON AS MAN IS ELECTROCUTED IN BATTLE CREEK

Farmers Take Kindly to Advice of Expert Federal Demonstrators and Work is Proving Success

Grand Rapids & Indiana passenger train No. 5, running one hour and 20 minutes late from Grand Rapids, jumped the track when coming down grade into the city about one mile south of Reed City.

The tender jumped the track, taking all the rest of the train with it. The train broke in two between the baggage and express cars, the latter remaining on the rounded.

The rest of the coaches plunged 10 feet down into a ditch when their sides, except the parlor car, which remained partly upright.

There were more than 100 passengers on the train and it is a remarkable fact that no one was seriously hurt, except one old woman, who sustained a broken arm.

The mail clerk was wounded slightly on the head.

Spreading of rails is said to have caused the wreck.

Electrocuted as Friends look on. As two of his friends stood by and watched him, Charles Finlanson, a Scotchman, was electrocuted in Battle Creek when he attempted to fix an arc light which had gone out.

Telling his friends that he could easily remedy the matter, he grabbed the cable leading to the light and 3,000 volts of electricity passed through his body.

Horror-stricken, his companions quickly picked him up and rushed to the Commonwealth power plant, where physicians were notified.

A pulmotor was pressed into service but after two hours' work he was given up as dead.

The light which caused Finlanson's death had been out for several nights and the fact seemed to worry him.

As he was passing he declared that he could fix the light and his attempt to carry out his boast led to his electrocution.

Farmers take kindly to advice. According to the report of J. C. McDowell, agriculturalist for the northern district of Michigan, and general supervisor over the workings of the entire state, the farm demonstration work being carried on jointly by the federal and state governments, is meeting with great success.

The farmers, he says, are taking to the work of the demonstrators and the men are being swamped with requests for advice.

Thirty men are now at work in the state in connection with the movement. The demonstrators go among the farmers and examine their soil and tell them what crops will grow best on it.

The advance prophecies that the farmers would resent the advice of the demonstrators say. The state is to be divided into districts and a man allotted to each district.

One in 250 in Michigan mentally defective. Following a study and test among 125 persons in various sections of the state, covering a year's work, Miss Adele McKinzie is preparing a report to the state board of health in which she finds that 157 may be classed as feeble minded; 22 epileptic; 75 insane; 59 sexual pervers; four criminals; 27 otherwise mentally deficient; or a total of 424 mentally defective out of the entire number investigated.

The work was done by means of a study of 25 family charts. The report will be issued by the department in support of the measure which proposes the prevention of marriages of "deficient" persons. The families studied were those which were found to have one or more members in state institutions.

It is Miss McKinzie's belief that one out of every 250 persons in the state are mentally defective.

Ionia Fair Society Suits. The Ionia Fair association has quit trying to make both ends meet and the grounds and buildings will be sold to the highest bidder to liquidate an indebtedness amounting to nearly \$5,000.

The present management assumed a mortgage of \$2,000 two years ago and made an effort to revive the fair. Gate receipts have failed to meet the running expenses and no premiums and few of the bills incurred this year have been paid.

Shortly after the fair this fall the annual shortage was foreseen, and at a meeting of the stockholders held today it was decided to sell out, pay the debts and pass up the fair. Bids will be received November 15 for the property, which is used by the Ionia Chautauque and includes the baseball park, half-mile track and all the fair buildings. Lack of patronage is the reason assigned.

Pro. G. M. Caskey, an exponent of Russian dancing in the Normal School of Physical Education at Battle Creek will instruct 50 school teachers of the city in the art, they in turn to impart it to the children under them. It is in the school board is divided on the plan.

The supreme court, on the recommendation of Attorney-General Wykes, has issued a writ of mandamus compelling the Michigan Central railroad to re-establish physical connections at Oxford with the Detroit United Railway. The company tore up the connections some time ago.

MICHIGAN NEWS IN BRIEF

Booker T. Washington, head of the Tuskegee institute, spoke to students and townspeople in the college chapel at Alma.

Gov. Chase S. Osborn and his brother, W. D. Osborn, will soon commence construction of a sanitarium in three Rivers.

The state board of registration of nurses will hold a meeting in Lansing Nov. 8. The board has received \$0 applications.

Wayne county has applied for the usual state reward to be used in the construction of 25 miles of good roads in the county.

Roller towels have been abolished in the Marquette public schools and each pupil is now required to provide an individual towel.

The supervisors of Kent and Lake counties have made appropriations for the Western Michigan Development Bureau. Kent gave \$1,000.

Lee Millard, 12, and Carlyle Pickney, 10, were instantly killed when struck by a Grand Trunk passenger train in Lansing while playing on the tracks.

W. B. Swift, millionaire Chicago packer, and W. L. Dewitt, Chicago lumberman, were each fined \$27 in Cadillac for shooting partridge out of season.

The Continental Sugar Co. of Blissfield has been ordered for the second time by the attorney-general's attorney to discontinue dumping its refuse into the Raisin river.

Rev. Eugene Snippen of Detroit arraigned the delegates to the joint Universalist and Unitarian conference in session in Grand Rapids for their neglect in promoting Bible study.

The L'Anse Bay railroad has been granted the right to sell stock. The incorporators of the company are: M. F. Butler, M. H. Butters, John Fraley, George A. Drash and E. C. Hardy.

Dr. Thomas D. Bradford representative from Keweenaw, Ontonagon, Baraga and Isle Royale counties in the state legislature in 1875-76, is dead in Grand Rapids. He was 69 years of age.

Flint option workers presented petitions to the board of supervisors for the resubmission of the question in Genesee county next spring. The petitions contained 3,000 names, 200 more than required.

Hamlin lake, nine miles north of Ludington, is running out into Lake Michigan. The concrete dam that held the water back went out. It is estimated it will cost \$50,000 to rebuild the dam.

Battle Creek's chamber of commerce has decided to take a hand in the local coal situation. Dealers claim they are being forced to pay premiums to get the coal, and they can't avoid paying high prices.

Cong. Fordney has recommended to the board of supervisors in Saginaw that an expert agriculturist be employed by the county to aid the farmers, saying Shiawassee county was willing to co-operate.

Rate Expert Darwin has asked the officials of the electric power companies doing business in the state to attend a conference in Lansing Nov. 15. The company will be asked to adopt a schedule of uniform rates.

Secretary Robert L. Dixon of the state board of health has compiled statistics for Michigan, which show that up to the age of 20 more women die of tuberculosis than men. After 30 more men die than women.

Mayor Thomas Zelinsky of Battle Creek has issued an edict prohibiting newspaper reporters from riding in the police auto en route to accidents or fires. The mayor says the extra load is dangerous to the tires.

John Larson, a Manistiquet contractor, was found dead in his home. It is thought he shot himself. He leaves a widow and a daughter in Hastings. He was at one time a master of one of the ships in the Norwegian navy.

S. Howell Taylor, an Adrian man, has been appointed editor-in-chief of the Boston Tech, the daily paper of the Boston Institute of Technology. Mr. Taylor is a graduate of both Adrian high school and Adrian college.

The lighting service furnished by the Commonwealth Power Co. has been so poor of late that the Albion council has decided to hold up the company's weekly stipend for street lighting until there is an improvement.

R. Martin, a Chester township Eaton county farmer, grew a squash this year weighing 125 pounds. The squash is 30 inches long and 5-12 feet in circumference. Mr. Martin raised a number of others weighing over 85 pounds.

A large barn on the Beell stock farm near Union City burned Sunday, causing a loss of \$10,000. The barn was built last year to replace one destroyed by fire. The loss was the fourth suffered on the same farm within three years.

Levi Rogers, for 74 years a resident of Eaton county is dead at his home, three miles south of Eaton Rapids, at the age of 80 years. Mr. Rogers had been prominently identified with democratic politics in southern Michigan. He died on the farm where he had spent all of his life.

Atty-Gen. Wykes handed down an opinion, which will have a far-reaching effect relative to fire insurance companies writing hazard insurance on automobiles. The opinion holds that fire insurance companies cannot insure an automobile owner against liability for injury to persons.

The supervisors of Traverse county appointed a committee to confer with the Muskegon board in regard to building a macadamized road parallel to Lake Michigan from Chicago to Mackinaw. If built the road would extend as far south as Old Mission. The northern counties are willing to aid.

Before an audience of 1,200, Dr. Booker T. Washington spoke for an hour in Lansing telling of the founding of Tuskegee institute and the advancement of his race in the last 40 years. On his arrival 65 business men of Lansing tendered the doctor a banquet.

NEW LIVINGSTONE CHANNEL OPENED

WM. LIVINGSTONE PILOTS FREIGHTER AND NAMESAKE THROUGH PASSAGE NAMED AFTER HIM

NEW CHANNEL IN DETROIT RIVER AN EPOCH IN LAKE MARINE

Merchant Marine Flotilla Follows—Two Thousand Members of Detroit's Board of Commerce Lake Trip

Proudly plowing the waters of the Detroit river, with flags and pennants fluttering in the invigorating October breezes and bearing men representatives of the various branches of commerce and industry, a flotilla of 23 vessels, giants of the great lakes merchant marine, excursion and government craft, passed through the new Livingstone channel Saturday afternoon, thus marking the formal opening of one of Uncle Sam's proudest engineering feats and an epoch in American marine history.

The booming of the national salute of 21 guns fired from the United States revenue cutter Morrell, the hoarse whistle blasts of big freighters, and the shrill screams of yacht and motor boats sirens marked the progress of the flotilla through the "cut," the channel approach from the north, while thousands of enthusiastic men, women and children lining the shores of Grosse Ile, Bois Blanc Island and the great piles of limestone on either side of the channel, added their voices to the general din and noise-making.

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Bulgaria Sends Army Into Turkey

Sofia, Bulgaria, Oct. 18.—A striking proclamation to the Bulgarian nation has been issued by King Ferdinand.

In it he recounts the sufferings of the Macedonian Christians and the efforts of the European powers to secure better treatment for them, and finally says that he has called his people to arms only after the patience of the Balkan nations has been exhausted.

The proclamation opens with a reference to King Ferdinand's peaceful reign of 25 years and says he had hoped that it would have so continued; "but Providence judged otherwise."

"The moment has come when the Bulgarian race is called upon to renounce the benefits of peace and to have recourse to arms for the solution of the great problem."

"Our work is a just, a great and a sacred one. 'With faith in the protection and support of the Almighty, I bring to the cognizance of the Bulgarian nation that this is a war for human rights.'"

"I order the brave Bulgarian army to march on to Turkish territory."

"Forward! May God be with you!"

Muskegon gets 1913 Women's Club Meeting.

At the closing general meeting of the annual convention of the State Federation of Women's Club in Saginaw, Muskegon was selected for next year's gathering, Grand Rapids losing the honor.

Among the resolutions adopted were: Recommending legislation for a women's reformatory; expressing approval of the independent mothers' pension law, and expressing belief in requiring properly endorsed certificate for health or of freedom from transmissible diseases for all applicants for marriage licenses.

The board of managers of the Twentieth Century club, Detroit, pushed through resolutions recommending a state mandatory law providing for city boards of education of not more than 5 or 7 members elected at large.

Charlotte has saved \$12,000 by laying \$18,000 worth of new pavements. Contractors asked \$30,000 for the job.

The Reading Iron company has announced a scale of increased wages whereby employees will be raised from 5 to 7 per cent.

One hundred Bulgarians and Greeks left Battle Creek for their native lands. They intend to take a hand in the Balkan controversy.

A petition has been forwarded to Ann Arbor city council asking that better street car service be afforded in certain sections of the city.

The New York city budget for 1913 will probably exceed \$200,000,000, the largest in the history of the city. Last year's budget was \$189,000,000.

Insurance Commissioner Palmer has issued an order to all fire wardens in the state, which includes all city officials, to prohibit the burning of leaves in streets.

Because William Loomis refused to give a tramp a quarter to buy something to eat the latter picked up a bicycle belonging to Loomis and threw it into the mill race.

Mrs. Nina Smith, 49, and her daughter, Miss Mary Smith, 26, were principals in a double wedding at their home in Middletown. The mother married Glen Cope, 27, and the daughter Roy Hobart, 24.

While waiting in the office of a Kalamazoo physician for an X-ray treatment, H. Mosher, 65, suddenly reeled in his chair and plunged to the floor. He was dead when picked up. Mosher came from Cloverdale.

Jerry Carter, 65, was scalded to death in Almont when an exhaust pipe exploded at the Almont electric light plant and imprisoned him in the room filled with escaping steam. Mr. Carter leaves a widow. He was a pioneer resident.

It is reported that there is a warm-up contest four-cornered fight for master of the state grange. The candidates are: Herbert Baker, of Cheboygan; N. P. Hull, of Dimondale, the incumbent; Tax Commissioner George B. Horton, former master, and Mr. Ketchum.

John Biller, a farmer boy from Iron Mountain in Wisconsin, shot and killed a big black bear recently. The Biller boys have killed four bears in the vicinity of their house since last spring and about a dozen in the last three years.

When a pulp drier exploded at the West City Beet Sugar factory, Eugene Hidden, an engineer, was seriously burned and a Mr. Drandmalson was injured by a falling wall. The force of the explosion blew one of the brick walls down and caused much damage to the plant.

So successful has Battle Creek's strenuous campaign for pure milk proven that the tests have been called off for the present by the board of health. Several dairymen who persistently fell below the tests have gone out of business rather than meet the city's requirements.

Mrs. S. E. Higgins, wife of a prominent Ann Arbor physician, was attacked in her home by a man, who obtained entrance to the house by pretending that he wanted to rent a room. Mrs. Higgins screams brought her daughter and the stranger escaped. As Mrs. Higgins is in poor health the shock has prostrated her.

Battle Creek Knights Templars will hold a grand field day Oct. 25 to celebrate the founding of the order. The commanderies from all over the state will be in attendance. The temple degrees will be conferred on Jesse Murphy, son of James Murphy, who took the degree 20 years ago.

The attorney-general's department is receiving many requests to interpret the local option law relative to the making of cider and wine in dry counties. No formal opinion has been given the department. The brewers' association is getting out literature which says that cider and wine cannot be made in dry counties.

COL. ROOSEVELT IS OUT OF DANGER

WOUNDED PROGRESSIVE LEADER HAD MADE RAPID RECOVERY IN MERCY HOSPITAL

PHYSICIANS PERMIT REMOVAL TO OYSTER BAY

Police Take Elaborate Precautions to Prevent Another Attack on Him as He is Taken to Depot

Colonel Roosevelt plunged back into the campaign Saturday afternoon in earnest, picking up the fight for the Progressive party, where it was cut short in Milwaukee last Monday night.

To Francis J. Heney, also scarred by the bullet of an assassin, the colonel gave his answer to a challenge, now half withdrawn, hurled at him by his political opponents. He dictated a message for the California prosecutor to carry into Wisconsin that sateched in rigorous phrases the full details of the Progressive trust program.

The issuing of the statement followed close upon the heels of an announcement by the attending surgeons that the colonel would be permitted to leave Mercy hospital Monday morning.

Fatigued by Strenuous Day. The doctors found him much fatigued in consequence of his activities during the day. In fact, he was so tired that the doctors were apprehensive for a time that he might have a serious setback, and they made the most thorough examination of him that they have made since his arrival in Chicago from Milwaukee.

Twelve hours less than one week from the time he was shot by John Schrank in Milwaukee, Col. Roosevelt left Chicago today for his home in Oyster Bay. For six days he had lain in Mercy hospital in Chicago. For three days he has been impatient to start for home. "So we are going at last," he remarked as the final preparations for the trip were made. "I am glad. It's been the longest week I ever spent in my life."

With an escort of 80 police the wounded former president was taken to the station and placed aboard his private car for the Pennsylvania, leaving for New York at 8:15 o'clock. Elaborate preparations were made to prevent any other attempts against his life. Police surrounded the ambulance in which he made the trip to the station. Others were on the tops of the lower buildings along the route to prevent unexpected attacks from such points of vantage.

Hang Jack Johnson in Effigy. Hung in effigy before a crowd of 1,000 persons within four blocks of one of the most exclusive resident districts of Chicago, was the least of Jack Johnson's troubles. United States authorities were proceeding with their investigation of the black champion to indict him for violation of the Mann white slave act in connection with his relations with Miss Lucille Cameron.

The "hanging" took place at an early hour at Clark street and Montrose boulevard. There were many women in the crowd. A riot call was sent to the town hall police station. The police cut down the figure and dispersed the crowd.

Threat to Shoot Woodrow Wilson. The threat made by an Italian to shoot Wilson the same as Roosevelt was shot resulted in a large number of policemen being distributed among the 2,000 persons at the opera house in Wilmington, Del., when the governor spoke.

STATE NEWS IN BRIEF. The state railroad commission was in Saginaw Monday on its inspection of the Pere Marquette railroad.

The honey crop in Michigan this year will fall far below that of former years, according to bee-keepers here, because of the hard winter.

Herman Hirschfeld, the Bay City junk dealer afflicted with leprosy, who aroused the state of Michigan and Iowa by his flight to the latter state several months ago, has left Bay City.

Dissension over awarding franchises is so strong among charter revision commissioners that Battle Creek may not get a chance to vote on a new charter next spring. Despite that the commissioners represent both republicans and democrats, "the body has agreed that Battle Creek shall be operated under the commission form of government, subject to the voters' approval."

The members of the state military board and Dr. Hayes, the special military commissioner, are looking over a proposed site for a permanent Michigan national guard camp. The site is at Portage Lake, about four miles from Grayling. Thirteen thousand acres surrounding the lake is offered the state without cost by R. Hansen.

Confession of the robbery of the Riverdale postoffice, the night of October 10, has been made to Assistant United States District Attorney J. Edward Bland by Charles Eastman, arrested in Bay City October 11, on a charge of drunkenness, under the name of Charles Burke.

Albert Milligan, a South Haven cobbler, laid aside his awl and hammer Monday long enough to sign for a registered letter from Ireland informing him of a legacy of \$19,000 left by his grandfather, a retired farmer of Dublin.

H. H. Crowell, president of the Michigan & Chicago Railroad Co., appeared before the state railroad commission, seeking to have that board approve a map for the construction of a road from Kalamazoo to Grand Rapids. The new electric road crosses several other lines, and the commission will go over the proposed right of way before making a decision.

I. O. O. F. HOLDS SESSION

Michigan Grand Lodge Holds Sixty-Eighth Session in Detroit.

With the installation of the officers of both the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F., and the Rebekah assembly, practically all of the business of the sixty-eighth annual session of the grand lodge and the eighteenth annual session of the assembly was concluded.

The officers of the grand lodge installed were: Grand master, Harry L. McNeil; Paw Paw; deputy grand master, Herbert A. Thompson; William Rogers; Lansing; grand treasurer, Fred Cutler, Jr.; Ionia; grand marshal, Miles F. Gray; Lansing; grand marshal, R. E. Neville; Boyne City; grand conductor, Thomas S. Scuphohn, Port Huron; grand guardian, H. J. Neville, Manistiquie; grand herald, George Harland, Detroit; grand chaplain, Rev. W. F. Jerome, Algonac.

Officers of the Rebekah assembly installed: President, Nora Conlin, Crystal Falls; vice-president, Irene F. Boise, Boyne City; secretary, Hannah B. J. Smith, Detroit; treasurer, Mrs. Jesse Marshall; marshal, Mrs. Bessie Thompson; Williamston; conductor, Myrta Rheinfank, Battle Creek; inside guardian, Etta M. Smith, Grand Rapids; chaplain, Ida M. Davis, Hamilton.

The installation work in the grand lodge was impressively performed by Grand Master B. J. Orr, of Highland Park.

The sessions next year will be held in Kalamazoo.

THE MARKETS. DETROIT.—Cattle extra dry-dressed steers, 1,000 to 1,200 lbs., \$7.25; steers and heifers, 800 to 1,000 lbs., \$6.95; grass steers and heifers that are fat, 800 to 1,000 lbs., \$7.25; butchers' steers and heifers that are fat, 500 to 700 lbs., \$4.25 to \$4.75; choice fat cows, \$5.00 to \$6; good fat cows, \$4.25 to \$4.75; common cows, \$3.25 to \$3.75; canners, \$2.83; choice hogs, \$5.25 to \$5.65; fair to good hogs, \$4.45 to \$4.85; stock hogs, \$3.75 to \$4.15; 200 to 300 lbs., \$4.75 to \$5.25; fair stockers, 500 to 700 lbs., \$4.75 to \$5.25; fair stockers, 500 to 700 lbs., \$4.75 to \$5.25; milkers, large young, medium age \$4.00 to \$4.50; common milkers, \$2.50 to \$3.50.

Veal Calves—Best, \$5.50 to \$6; others, \$4.00 to \$5.50; milkers and springers, steady. Sheep and lambs—Best lambs, \$5.50 to \$6.75; fair to good lambs, \$5.00 to \$5.50; light to medium hogs, \$4.25 to \$4.75; fair to good hogs, \$3.50 to \$4.00; culls and commons, \$1.50 to \$2.75.

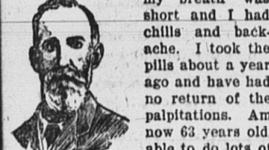
Hogs—Light to good butchers, \$3.75 to \$4.25; pigs, \$2.75 to \$3.25; light Yorkers, \$3.2

FOLEY KIDNEY PILLS

Are Rarest in Curative Qualities FOR BACKACHE, RHEUMATISM, KIDNEYS AND BLADDER

JUDGE CURED, HEART TROUBLE.

I took about 6 boxes of Dodds Kidney Pills for Heart Trouble from which I had suffered for 5 years.



He is now 63 years old, able to do lots of manual labor, am well and hearty and weigh about 200 pounds.

Will Soon Wake Up. Cincinnati woman declares she has discovered a man without a fault.

Water in bluing is adulterated. Glass and water makes liquid blue costly.

For the Sake of Variety. Customer—This, I suppose is a folding bed.

Liquid Measure. It was the time of the singing lesson at the local council school.

Optimists. For non-committal brevity of speech, commend us to the Yankee lord of the soil.

A DOCTOR'S TRIALS. He Sometimes Gets Sick Like Other People.

Even doing good to people is hard work if you have too much of it to do.

"About three years ago as the result of doing two men's work, attending a large practice and looking after the details of another business, my health broke down completely, and I was little better than a physical wreck.

"I suffered from indigestion and constipation, loss of weight and appetite, bloating and pain after meals, loss of memory and lack of nerve force for continued mental application.

"I became irritable, easily angered and despondent without cause. The heart's action became irregular and weak, with frequent attacks of palpitation during the first hour or two after retiring.

"Some Grape-Nuts and cut bananas came for my lunch one day and pleased me particularly with the result. I got more satisfaction from it than from anything I had eaten for months, and on further investigation and use, adopted Grape-Nuts for my morning and evening meals, served usually with cream and a sprinkle of salt or sugar.

"My improvement was rapid and permanent in weight as well as in physical and mental endurance. In a word, I am filled with the joy of living again, and continue the daily use of Grape-Nuts for breakfast and often for the evening meal.

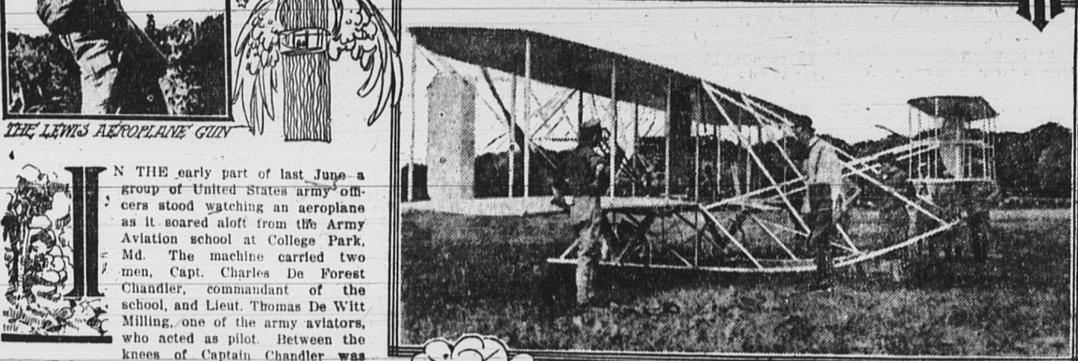
"The little pamphlet, 'The Road to Wellville,' found in pkgs., is invariably saved and handed to some needy patient along with the indicated remedy.

"There's a reason." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of honest facts.

A NEW FORCE IN MILITARY SCIENCE

By ROBERT H. MOULTON



THE LEWIS AEROPLANE GUN

IN THE early part of last June a group of United States army officers stood watching an aeroplane as it soared aloft from the Army Aviation school at College Park, Md.

When the aeroplane had reached a height of 600 feet and was skimming along at a speed of fifty miles an hour, suddenly above the roar of the engine there came to the watchers below a quick rippling sound.

On the ground lay a piece of cheese cloth, three yards by fifteen, punctured with numerous small holes. And then the secret was out.

Careful examination of the target showed that out of the full magazine of fifty cartridges discharged by the gun operator, forty-five shots had hit the mark.

The potential result of swooping air-craft, armed to the teeth with death-dealing bullets, is staggering to ordnance officers of the army and navy who discuss it.

This remarkable aeroplane gun is the invention of Lieut.-Col. Isaac N. Lewis of the United States army coast artillery corps.

Heretofore the difficulties which have stood in the way of serviceable guns for aeroplanes have been difficulty in manipulation, too great weight, terrific recoil which would knock the frail craft out of gear, and flame from the rifle which would endanger the machine.

In the Lewis gun these difficulties are eliminated. There is no smoke—no flame—only the sound of the explosion tells that the gun has been fired.

The accuracy of the firing of the Lewis aeroplane gun on its first test was not only surprising in itself, but has aroused attention on the part of our army and navy experts to the fact that our battleships and the disappearing gun batteries of our coast defenses are completely unprepared for attack from the air.

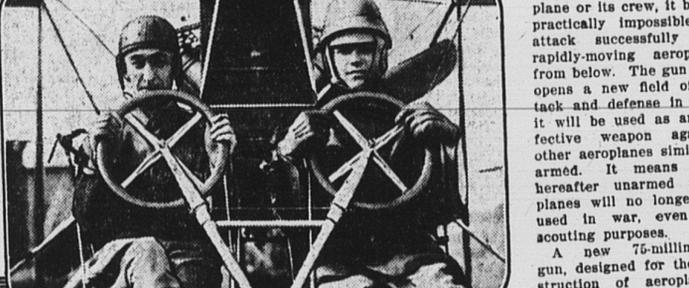
It might naturally be supposed that such rapidity of firing would soon overheat the barrel of the gun and render it temporarily useless.

According to Colonel Lewis, an aeroplane costing not more than \$5,000 will easily be able to carry the gun, 2,000 rounds of ammunition, the gun operator and the pilot.

three-quarters inches in diameter at the breech and two and seven-eighths inches at the muzzle end of the gun.

Another novel feature which differentiates the Lewis gun from all other gas-operated guns is the small inclosed operating spring which is located near the trigger-piece at the breech far removed from all injurious heat effects.

ANY ARMY AEROPLANE



ARMY OFFICER LEARNING TO FLY

upon unprotected personnel of land defenses, without endangering the aeroplane or its crew, it being practically impossible to attack successfully the rapidly-moving aeroplane from below.

A new 75-millimetre gun, designed for the destruction of aeroplanes, has just been tested at Toulon, France and proved satisfactory.

TELEPATHY AMONG ANIMALS

Birds and beasts receive information through the medium of earth vibrations, John D. Quackenbush, M. D., writes in the North American Review.

It is well known to whalers that a cetacean struck by a harpoon has power instantly to convey intelligence of the presence of an enemy to a spouting school a half mile distant.

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Then he blew the grog call of the navy. As the last note died away a window was hastily flung up and a sailor's head was thrust out.

Chewing Gum in Germany. The German consumption of chewing gum is limited largely to persons who have traveled in the United States, but might be increased if manufactures carried on an advertising campaign in this market.

So all hotel managers have adopted a new plan. The cost of stealing silver is included in the bill for the meal you take in the public dining room.

"Tell your cook to spread himself on this dinner," said the prospective host, laughingly. "My guests are all from the west."

"Much better to charge for the spoons in advance," said the hotel man, without a blush. "The ladies from out of town all take 'em. So do the ladies from in town. This way we're safe and they're saved a sin."

POULTRY COOPS OF PAPER

Successful Fancier Declares They Are as Warm as Others That Are Built of Wood.

Everybody in Marblehead, Mass., knows Frank Brown. Although his business is that of a grocer, he keeps poultry on the side, and is especially enthusiastic over a flock of games, one pullet having laid 195 eggs in nine months.

A large number of the fowls are successfully kept in houses made of paper. In the coldest weather the hens live in these houses and seem as comfortable as those in the frame building.

Being in the heart of the town, night prowlers are to be looked for, but any activity on their part during the summer is prevented by the presence of Mr. Brown's son, who has a tent in one corner of the half-acre, where he spends the night.

Both Mr. Brown and his son say that paper houses for poultry are a distinct success. There is seldom a frozen comb, even when the mercury drops below the zero mark, and the hens lay well.

Mr. Brown hatches several thousand chicken each season, all of them in incubators. These machines hold between 200 and 300 eggs each. Hot water supplies the heat, and gas heats the water.

Horrible Example. Nat Goodwin was on a tour. Seats were selling like hot cakes. Mr. Goodwin was down in the foyer watching the weather.

"Is that Mr. Goodwin?" she demanded. "Yes." "The man who plays in this play I've just bought a ticket for?" "Yes!"

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Comparative Luxury. "My father has a horse and buggy." "Yes, but my brother was run over by an automobile."

Important to Mothers. Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it bears the Signature of J. C. Fletcher.

Every mother is firmly convinced that she is capable of picking a better husband for her daughter than she did for herself.

YOU CAN CURE CATARRH. By using Cole's Carbolic. It is a most effective remedy. All druggists, 25 and 50c. Adv.

Blessings often come disguised, but the wolf at your door never does.

Don't buy water for bluing. Liquid Blue is almost all water. Buy Red Cross Ball Blue, the blue that's all blue. Adv.

One great value of initiative is the conquering of fear.—Blanche Blesing

HARD FOR THE HOUSEWIFE

It's hard enough to keep house in perfect health, but a woman who is weak, tired and suffering all of the time with an aching back has a heavy burden to carry.

Doan's Kidney Pills have cured thousands of women suffering in this way. It is the best-recommended special kidney remedy.

AN INDIANA CASE. Mrs. Mary A. Birkner, South Franklin Street, Indianapolis, Ind., writes: "I believe I have been cured of my kidney trouble by Doan's Kidney Pills. I have not had a symptom of kidney trouble during the past 9 years."

Get Doan's at any Drug Store, 50c. a Box. Doan's Kidney Pills. FOSTER-MILBURN CO., Buffalo, N. Y.

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GILT EDGE, the only ladies' shoe dressing that polishes, cleans, shines, and preserves ladies' and children's boots and shoes, without rubbing, etc.

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THE AMERICAN RUSH TO WESTERN CANADA IS INCREASING. Free Homesteads in the new districts of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta.

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Excellent Railway Facilities. In many cases the railways to Canada have been built in advance of settlement, and in a short time there will be more than ten or twelve miles from a line of railway. Railway Rates are regulated by Government Commission.

Social Conditions. The American Settler at home in Western Canada. He is a stranger in a strange land, having nearly a million of his own people a few miles away. If you desire to know why the conditions of the Canadian West are so favorable, write and send for literature, rates, etc.

M. V. McInnes, 178 Jefferson Ave., Detroit, Mich. General Agent, or address Superintendent of Immigration, Ottawa, Canada.

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Prompt Relief—Permanent Cure. CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS never fail. Purely vegetable—act surely but gently on the liver.

Small Pill, Small Dose, Small Price. Genuine must bear Signature. Beware of cheap imitations.

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O. T. HOOVER.

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PERSONAL MENTION.

Miss Minnie Watson is in Detroit today.

Clarence Weiss, of Flint, spent Sunday in Chelsea.

Miss Ella Barber visited friends in Toledo Sunday.

M. J. Cavanaugh was a Chelsea visitor, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Vogel were in Ann Arbor Sunday.

Mrs. O. T. Hoover visited Ann Arbor friends Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Davidson were in Ann Arbor Sunday.

Francis Lusty spent Sunday with his parents in Lyndon.

Ira Lehman, of Ann Arbor, was a Chelsea visitor Sunday.

Richard Kannooski, of Detroit, was a Chelsea visitor Tuesday.

Miss Margaret Miller spent the first of the week in Detroit.

Miss Nellie Mingray, of Tecumseh, visited Chelsea friends Sunday.

Miss Lillie Wackenhut was the guest of her sister in Detroit Sunday.

Miss Jennie Winslow spent the latter part of last week in Unadilla.

Mrs. D. H. Wurster and Miss Nina Crowell were in Ann Arbor Tuesday.

J. A. Russell and Harry Wickham, of Detroit, were Chelsea visitors Sunday.

The Misses Loretta and Helen McQuillan were Jackson visitors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Myron Lighthall and daughter spent Saturday and Sunday in Detroit.

Misses Hermina Huber and Loretta McQuillan were in Ann Arbor Monday evening.

Mrs. L. C. Watkins and daughter, of Grass Lake, are guests of Mrs. J. L. Gilbert.

Misses Lizzie Geraghty and Gertrude Eisenman visited relatives in Stockbridge Sunday.

Walter Grant and Frank Dorcy, of Detroit, spent Sunday at the home of C. Schanz and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Oesterline, of Ann Arbor, spent Sunday at the home of Simon Weber, of Sylvan.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fiske, of Jackson, visited his mother, Mrs. Elva Fiske, the last of the week.

Mrs. J. W. Rogers and Mrs. E. Staebler, of Ann Arbor, are guests at the home of Mrs. Charles E. Paul.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Schumacher and Mrs. Victor Sorg, of Ann Arbor, were guests of Mrs. Mary Schumacher Saturday.

Mrs. George Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Clements and cousin Hazel, of White Oak, were guests of Mrs. Elva Fiske last Sunday.

Mrs. Lottie Dye, of Albion, N. Y., and Mrs. Houston, of Grass Lake, spent several days of last week at the home of James Geddes.

Mrs. L. K. Taylor, who has been spending some time with Mrs. J. C. Taylor and friends in Detroit left Tuesday for her home in Portland, Oregon.

"The Price."

The New Whitney Theatre will present at Ann Arbor on Tuesday, October 29 Edna Marshall in "The Price," a modern drama in three acts by George Broadhurst. In "The Price" George Broadhurst is said to have supplied an unusual play. It is necessarily, as most emotional dramas, founded on the eternal triangle—the woman who loves and sins, the man she thinks she loves, and the man she afterwards finds she truly loves. The picture drawn is that of the helpless girl, the point of view of the man being contrasted strongly with that of the woman who has ever paid the price of her misdoings in never-ending sorrow, and more often in desertion.

Mr. Broadhurst has told the story of Ethel Toscani (played by Edna Marshall) with literal clearness. He has made his characters human in their words and aspects. The theme of the story reaches its climax in the fight Ethel Toscani makes to hold her love, the loss of which is threatened through the fact that she has not told her husband of her mistakes. It is said that in this scene, Mr. Broadhurst has provided Miss Marshall with material for splendid work, and she is said to hold her audience tensely in the grip of her emotion until the fall of the last curtain.

CORRESPONDENCE.

SYLVAN HAPPENINGS.

Mrs. Fred Sager and daughter Alma were Scio visitors Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Bertke and children were Dexter visitors Sunday.

Miss Rhoana Ortring spent a few days of last week with Edith Fisk.

Ed. Fahrner and W. Benton, of Chelsea, were visitors here Sunday.

Mrs. R. B. Waltrous and Miss Ida Dettling were Sharon visitors Sunday.

Mrs. Geo. Oesterle and son, George, of Williamston, are visiting Fred Sager and family.

Those who attended the surprise party of Mrs. Willis Smalley, Wednesday evening, report a good time.

Mrs. James Smalley and children, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Sherlock and family returned to their homes in Toledo, O., after spending a few days with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Smalley.

Mr. and Mrs. Orrin Fiske entertained the following guests Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. Fred Masky and daughter Dorothy, John Masky and sister Tillie, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Gyles and son Vern, Miss M. Masky, Harvey LaMetrie, and Ruth Hammond, of Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Goodband and son Ralph, of Sylvan, and James Brock of Chelsea.

The "June Spoke of the Maccabee Ladies" met at the home of Mrs. Fred Gentner last Tuesday to set their quilts together and tie off. One of their usual chicken pie dinners was served, and all did more than justice to it, and they met again Thursday and quilted the quilt. The lucky owner of it can truly say it was made by the "Busy Bee's."

WATERLOO DOINGS.

John Hubbard is some better at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Gorton were Jackson visitors Sunday.

Walter Koeltz, of Olivet, is spending a few days at home.

Miss Isabelle Gorton, of Ypsilanti, spent Sunday with her parents here.

Mrs. Milton Riethmiller spent over Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Claude Runciman.

Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Moeckel and daughter spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Barber.

Saturday night the neighbors of John Hubbard had a corn cutting bee. There were twenty present.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Durkee and Judson Armstrong, of Jackson, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Rommel.

Fred, John and Albert Moeckel also Mr. and Mrs. Victor F. Moeckel and Miss Laura Moeckel spent Sunday with Mrs. J. Schiller and family in Chelsea.

FRANCISCO NOTES.

Velma Richards spent Saturday in Jackson.

Gladys Richards is suffering with a gathering in the head.

Mrs. F. Moore and son were guests of P. Fauser and wife Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gleske attended the funeral of David Soper at Grass Lake Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Notten, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lehman, spent Sunday with E. J. Musbach and family near Mounth.

Mrs. Mary Herzog, who has been spending a few weeks with her mother here, returned to her home in Syracuse, N. Y. last Friday.

Clarence Capen and family, of Grass Lake, and Ernest Moeckel and family, of near Chelsea, spent Sunday at the home of H. Harvey.

Must Make Inspection.

The state board of health is sending instructions to all county commissioners of school to enforce the law regarding the inspection by truant officers of health conditions surrounding rural schools. The law giving the truant officers such power was passed at the last session, but few of them are cognizant of their duties, it is said.

The Danger After Grip

Lies often in a run-down system. Weakness, nervousness, lack of appetite, energy and ambition, with disordered liver and kidneys often follow an attack of this wretched disease. The greatest need then is Electric Bitters, the glorious tonic, blood purifier and regulator of stomach, liver and kidneys. Thou sands have proved that they wonderfully strengthen the nerves, build up the system and restore to health and good spirits after an attack of grip. If suffering, try them. Only 50 cents. Sold and perfect satisfaction guaranteed by L. P. Vogel, H. H. Penn Co., L. T. Freeman Co. Adv.

ENORMOUS WASTE OF COAL

One Reason Why the Use of Oil as Fuel Would Be of High Economic Importance.

The United States is by all means the greatest coal producing country in the world. In 1850 the production of coal in the country amounted to 6,266,833 tons. Thirty years later it had risen to almost 64,000,000 tons. In another twenty years this industry had grown to over 240,000,000 tons. Ten years more passed and the production of coal in the United States by the census of 1910 was over 400,000,000 tons. For the year just past it is estimated at about 500,000,000 tons. But in the production of this coal the industrial experts inform us there is wasted 250,000,000 tons. In other words, the United States is using its coal supply at the rate of 750,000,000 tons a year, and this consumption is increasing, as shown above, at an enormous rate.

By the western sea and throughout the great southwest the production of coal is not of great direct interest. In this portion of the country petroleum largely takes the place of coal, and in the production of petroleum California leads all other states in America and indeed all the world. This is a new industry compared with coal. The statistics show that in 1898 the United States produced little more than 60,000,000 barrels of crude petroleum, forty-two gallons to the barrel. In 1910 the production of petroleum in the United States surpassed 182,000,000 barrels. At the present time in California the consumption of oil runs to about 225,000 barrels a day.

There is no such waste in the use of oil as that indicated above in coal. Indeed, the waste in the oil industry from beginning to end is a matter of comparative insignificance.

Signs of Age.

There are various ways of telling when a man is getting old. One of the surest ways by which he may know it himself is to find that young women address him as "sir." One "Yes, sir," will age a man by an indeterminate sentence of anywhere from one to five years. Then there is the mustache, which, if allowed to get out into the open, instead of being closely shaved, will show the sere and yellow, or rather gray. (This is not to be spelled "grey," but "gray.") Then, again, there are the wrinkles which add themselves one to another in the forehead, but there is one sure way of telling of advancing years, which beats all of the others, as it never fails. When a man is seated between another man and a pretty girl and another passenger enters the car, if the man moves in order to make room for the newcomer and moves towards the man in the seat, thus allowing the new arrival to come between him and the pretty girl, instead of moving closer to her himself, he is really, truly getting old. And nobody will notice his advancing age any more quickly than the pretty girl.

His Golden Text.

A union Sunday school service was held in a St. Louis church a few months ago, and the superintendent had thought that in order to make the service more impressive it would be a good plan to have six-year-old Johnnie go to the rostrum and repeat the golden text of the morning. This Johnnie consented to do. The golden text was "I am the bread of life."

When it came time for Johnnie's part of the program he rose from his seat with calm assurance and walked boldly down the aisle to the rostrum. Once upon the rostrum, with the sea of faces confronting him Johnnie's calm assurance suddenly left him. Things looked entirely different from the platform. He hesitated, standing first on one foot and then on the other. Finally in a shaking voice he shouted: "I am—a loaf—of bread!"

Have You a Dream Pillow?

The "dream" pillow may measure 15 by 10 inches and may be stuffed with elderdown or hair as it is liked, hard or soft. Carry it when you travel. Take two plain linen covers with hemstitched hems. A third cover of heavy satin, with a monogram embroidered in blue, is useful for a steamer chair.

Easy to pack is an automatic air cushion that, when inflated, is 9 by 16 inches. It is of cloth, with a silken finish and fits into a flat leather case, measuring 5 by 11 inches. Extra linen covers can be made to fit this pillow if it is to be used at night.

Overdoing It.

Woodrow Wilson, at a luncheon at Spring Lake, said of a boy athlete: "I am afraid he sets athletics too far above English, mathematics and history. His aunt said to him the other day: 'I'm delighted to hear of your success on the school baseball team, Harold; but you must remember that there are other things in life besides baseball.'"

"Yes, aunt, I know," said the boy, "but, hang it all, I'm afraid I'm too light for football or rowing."

Puts End to Bad Habit.

Things never look bright to one with "the blues." Ten to one the trouble is a sluggish liver, filling the system with bilious poison, that Dr. King's New Life Pills would expel. Try them. Let the joy of better feelings end "the blues." Best for stomach, liver and kidneys. 25c. L. P. Vogel, H. H. Penn Co., L. T. Freeman Co. Adv.

Try the Standard "Want" Advs.

CHURCH CIRCLES.

BAPTIST.

Prof. S. B. Laird will conduct the services at the usual hour Sunday. Sunday school and B. Y. P. U. at the usual hour. Prayer meeting Thursday evening.

ST. PAUL'S.

Rev. A. A. Schoen, Pastor. Services at 10 a. m. Sunday school at 11 a. m. The Young People's Society will meet at 7 p. m.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL.

Rev. J. W. Campbell, Pastor. 10 a. m. sermon by the pastor. 3 p. m. Junior League. Epworth League at 6 p. m. 7 p. m. sermon on "The Upward Path of the Colored Man." Prayer meeting at 7:15 p. m. Everybody welcome at the Methodist tabernacle.

SALEM GERMAN M. E. CHURCH,

NEAR FRANCISCO. G. C. Nothdurd, Pastor. Short session of Sunday school at 10 o'clock followed by Rally Day program. Epworth League at 7:30 p. m. Led by Walter Kalmbach. Subject, "Temperance Rally." English worship at 8 o'clock. Subject, "Mohamedanism, its origin and its teaching."

CONGREGATIONAL.

Rev. Charles J. Dole, Pastor. Morning worship at 10 o'clock. Subject of sermon "The Functions of the Ministry." Third in the series. "The Teacher." Sunday school at 11 a. m. Evening service at 7 o'clock. Brotherhood supper Tuesday evening for men. Missionary Society Thursday evening.

New Freight Car.

In harmony with the decision eventually to have all of its cars of the all-steel type, a freight car, the framing of which can be used practically without change for either box, stock or refrigerator cars, has been designed in the mechanical engineer's office of the Pennsylvania. The all-steel design is not feasible for the two latter types of cars, and is considering the box car design, the advisability of the use of steel was taken up with the transportation, traffic claim and other departments of the railway, as well as with a number of shippers.

The decision arrived at from this discussion favored the use of a wooden floor and a wooden lining, and the new box cars are being built in this manner. If at any time it seems desirable to use a steel inside finish, it can be substituted without material change in the structure.

ECZEMA CAN BE CURED!

I Will Prove It To You At My Expense.

YOU WHO ARE SUFFERING THE TORTURES OF ECZEMA, WHOSE DAYS ARE MISERABLE, WHOSE NIGHTS ARE MADE SLEEPLESS BY THE TERRIBLE ITCHING, BURNING PAINS, I ASK YOU—URGENTLY TO LET ME SEND YOU A TREATMENT WHICH HAS CURED HUNDREDS OF OTHERS, WHICH I BELIEVE WILL CURE YOU. I WILL SEND IT FREE. POSTAGE PAID TO YOUR DOOR, WITHOUT ANY OBLIGATION ON YOUR PART NOW OR HEREAFTER. J. C. HUTZELL.



A New Discovery Tried and Proven in Hundreds of Cases.

I believe that I have discovered the only sensible, scientific treatment for Eczema, Salt Rheum, Itch, Acne, Psoriasis, Barber's Itch and Poison Oak ever offered to sufferers from these diseases. It is a combination treatment easy to use in your own home or at your work. It is designed not only to relieve the suffering, which it does almost immediately, but to effect a complete and lasting cure by driving out of the blood the poisonous acids which cause all skin diseases. So sure am I that my treatment will convince you that at last you have found a cure that I am willing to send a large proof treatment absolutely free of charge or obligation to any sufferer who will send their name and address on the coupon below. If you are satisfied, I know you will tell others.

Don't Send Money. I have decided to spend five thousand dollars in justifying this treatment to sufferers from skin diseases and I will do it. I have agreed to send every sufferer of this announcement a liberal proof treatment free and I WILL DO IT. Just fill out the coupon below or send me your name and address on a postal card. I will send the treatment without a penny of cost to you.

Form with fields for Name, Post Office, State, Street and No., and a note to cut and mail today.

Just as a Man is Judged By the Clothes He Wears

So is a Store Judged by the Values it Gives

And that's why this store stands so unusually high in the high judgment of so many men—men who want to be judged right and who know by experience that they're using the right judgment when they come to Holmes! Right now—this week—all the time, for that matter—we're presenting the strongest possible evidence in support of their judgment, by selling you the world famous

Hart, Schaffner & Marx and Michaels Stern & Co.

Suits and Overcoats

In Suits we show large assortment of cloths in Cheviots, Cashmeres and Worsteds, every suit extra good value at the price. Priced, \$12.50 to \$25.00. Overcoats in all the new models and cloths. Come in and look these over! Priced \$12.50 to \$22.00

Men's Underwear

We are better prepared than ever to supply your needs. Do not buy your Union Suits until you see the "Closed Crotch" shown by us. Union Suits \$1.00 to \$4.00 the suit. Two piece Suits. Extra Heavy Fleece at 50c garment. Medium Weight Ribbed at 50c garment. In wool we show both ribbed and flat goods, extra good value \$1.00 to \$2.00 garment.

Men's and Boys' Sweater Coats

We show the Roll Collar, High Neck or V Neck in any quality. Men's 75c to \$7.00. Boys' 50c to \$2.50.

Hats and Caps

At this store you will find all the new shapes and materials and when you buy here you can depend on getting the "right thing at the right price." Let us show you. Hats \$1.00 to \$5.00. Caps 50c to \$1.50.



H. S. Holmes Mercantile Co.

REPUBLICAN RALLY

Town Hall, Chelsea

- ON -

Friday, October 25

SPEAKING BY

Hon. Colon C. Lillie

Former State Food and Dairy Commissioner of Michigan

And County Candidates

Music by Colored Quartet

EVERYBODY IS INVITED

By Order of Committee



Keeps Your Stove Always Ready for Company

A bright, clean, glossy stove is the joy and pride of every housekeeper. But it is hard to keep a stove nice and shiny unless Black Silk Stove Polish is used.

BLACK SILK STOVE POLISH

your parlor stove, kitchen stove or gas stove. It can be used on your hardware or stove dealer. It does not find it better than any other.

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Be sure to get the genuine. Black Silk Stove Polish costs you no more than the ordinary kind.

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Registration Notice.

Notice is hereby given to the qualified electors of the Township of Sylvan, County of Washtenaw, State of Michigan, that a meeting of the Board of Registration of said township will be held at the town hall, Village of Chelsea, within said township, on Saturday, October 29, A. D. 1912.

WOMEN ELECTORS.

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Political Meetings. There will be a republican rally at the town hall Chelsea, at 8 o'clock Saturday evening, October 25. The speakers for the occasion will be Hon. Colon C. Lille, former state Food and Dairy Commissioner of Michigan, and the county candidates. The music will be furnished by the Colored Quartet.

Saturday the Progressives will make a tour of the county by automobile in accordance with the plans of the national committee which is arranging a similar celebration all over the country in honor of Roosevelt's birthday which falls on Sunday, October 27.

The republicans next Monday will make an auto tour of the county covering nearly a dozen townships, with Congressman W. W. Wedemeyer, Hon. Amos Musselman, candidate for governor, Hon. Patrick Kelly, candidate for congressman-at-large, and other prominent speakers in the party. The party will speak at Salem and Worden at 6 a. m., at Whitmore Lake 10:45 a. m., at Ann Arbor at the court 1 p. m., at Dexter 2:30, Chelsea 4, at Ypsilanti 7:30 and one other place in the southern part of the county, the same evening, probably Milan or Saline.

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We are located right here where you live. Therefore it stands to reason we could not afford to make any misleading statements to you, because, if for no other reason, our business depends entirely upon your patronage. Our whole business success is founded on the service we render you and your confidence in us.

We know that Rexall Kidney Pills are unexcelled. We know all about this preparation, what it contains, how it is made, and that it relieves where other medicines fail. They contain ingredients which assist and benefit the several organs closely allied to the kidneys, and have a pronounced therapeutic value for toning and strengthening the kidneys, bladder and intestines. They have a diuretic and tonic effect, and are designed to act as a stimulant to the whole genito-urinary tract.

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Chas. L. Miller Republican Nominee

FOR COUNTY CLERK A Vote For Me Will Be Greatly Appreciated.

ELECTION NOVEMBER 5, 1912

Emory E. Leland REPUBLICAN CANDIDATE FOR JUDGE OF PROBATE.



Owing to the amount of business in the Probate Office, I will be unable to see many of the voters of Washtenaw county, but I would be very glad to receive your vote at the November election. I have at all times endeavored to administer the estates that have come to my jurisdiction economically and honestly.

Yours truly, EMORY E. LELAND.



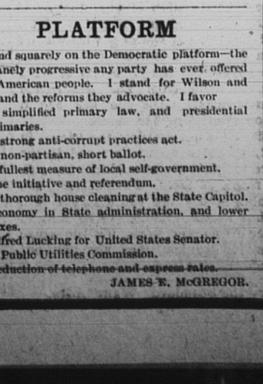
Geo. W. Beckwith DEMOCRATIC NOMINEE

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The Standard "Want" advs. give results. Try them.

Henry P. Paul Democratic Candidate for

COUNTY TREASURER Election Nov. 5, 1912.



JAMES E. MCGREGOR DEMOCRATIC CANDIDATE FOR STATE SENATOR

12th Senatorial District—Washtenaw and Oakland Counties

In Michigan the people have no direct vote for United States Senator the Legislature makes the choice. If elected, I will vote for Alfred Lucking. The only way that you can support him is to vote for me.

PLATFORM

I stand squarely on the Democratic platform—the most sane progressive any party has ever offered to the American people. I stand for Wilson and Ferris and the reforms they advocate. I favor

- 1 A simplified primary law, and presidential primaries.
2 A strong anti-corrupt practices act.
3 A non-partisan, short ballot.
4 A full measure of local self-government.
5 The initiative and referendum.
6 A thorough house cleaning at the State Capitol.
7 Economy in State administration, and lower taxes.
8 Alfred Lucking for United States Senator.
9 A Public Utilities Commission.
10 Reduction of telephone and express rates.

JAMES E. MCGREGOR.

Edward B. Benscoe For Prosecuting Attorney

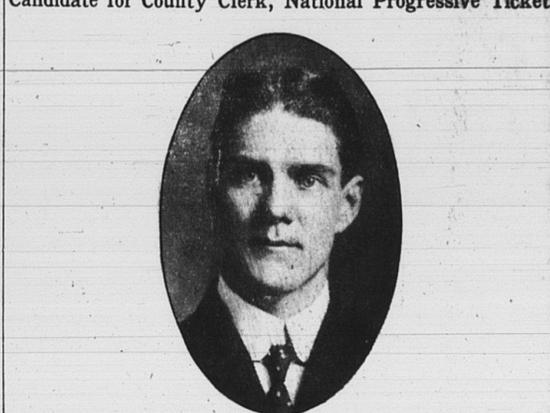
REPUBLICAN CANDIDATE

Your Vote for November Election Respectfully Solicited

Edward Benscoe, is a young man, of most excellent morals and habits, and during the time he has been practising as a lawyer, has shown himself to be an attorney of ability and of the highest integrity. At present he is Circuit Court Commissioner of this county, to which office he had been elected for two successive terms. He has discharged the duties of his office faithfully and conscientiously. He was not a candidate this year for any office, but was urged to run for Prosecuting Attorney. Having become a candidate, he is, naturally, anxious to win, and make as credible a showing as possible. He will be able to do so if given the full support of the voters who believe in the principles of clean politics and clean and honest administration and earnestly requests that all his friends do everything they can

Isaac G. Reynolds

Candidate for County Clerk, National Progressive Ticket



Isaac G. Reynolds, candidate for County Clerk on the Progressive ticket, has been a resident of Ann Arbor nearly all his life. During the Spanish-American war he enlisted as a private in Co. A, 31st Mich. Inf. Volunteers. He was one of the first secretaries of the Ann Arbor Trades Council, and gave his time and efforts in behalf of the laboring man without pay or expectation of ever being a candidate for office.

At the recent mass meeting of the Progressives of Washtenaw county, they proposed Mr. Reynolds for county clerk, and he was nominated without opposition at the primary election, and without solicitation on his part. Now, however, that he is nominated, he desires to be elected.

He has been Deputy City Clerk of Ann Arbor for the last four years, and his position has widened his acquaintance and established a reputation for reliability and efficiency. All who have come in contact with him have always found him ready to serve the public, whether rich or poor, in a most polite and painstaking manner. He has never held or

sought an elective public office before. Mr. Reynolds pledges that, if elected, he will devote his entire time to the duties of the office; that the office will always be kept open on Saturday afternoon for the accommodation of the public; that a careful system of keeping the records will be introduced in the office, and his record as Deputy City Clerk is a guarantee to this pledge; that he will be under no obligations to the bosses of any political party, and the office will be conducted in the interests of all the people; that he will not seek a third term, as there are hundreds of men in Washtenaw county who are capable of conducting the office, and Mr. Reynolds believes in the motto, "Pass Prosperity Around."

You will find Mr. Reynolds' name on the Progressive ticket, in the last column on the voting machine or ballot.

Geo. W. LANGFORD, Chairman Washtenaw County Committee.

Attest: R. H. Negley, Sec.



William A. Seery DEMOCRATIC CANDIDATE FOR REGISTER OF DEEDS.

No more competent or better qualified man can be found in Washtenaw County for the office of Register of Deeds than Mr. Seery. He is thoroughly familiar with the many details of the office. Mr. Seery is a conscientious and painstaking official, able to give the public intelligent information on many complicated questions in connection with this work. Mr. Seery is somewhat handicapped in getting around the county to see the people, having, when a young man, met with an accident which deprived him of a limb. He respectfully solicits your vote and assistance upon his ability to give the public an intelligent and faithful service.

ROSS GRANGER, Chairman.

Try Standard Want Column. You get results

H. S. Holmes Mercantile Co.

Now's the time for putting on new clothes and brightening up the home—for preparing things for the coming rigorous season. The high cost of living is certainly a great problem, but the best answer seems to be to shop carefully. Buying trashy goods won't help, but buying reliable merchandise at the lowest possible price will help to balance up. And, too, the special advantages we frequently offer help a lot. Our seal of confidence guarantees quality.

Women's and Misses' Suits and Coats

We wish Chelsea women to inspect our wonderful lines of suits.

These are suits of character—beautiful materials, beautiful colors and the highest class tailoring. We are showing a big line of these Princess Suits at \$18.50 to \$25.00, for this week a special lot of Suits at \$12.50 and \$15.00.

Come tomorrow and look over our wonderful exhibit of new Fall Coats. Every new material every new color and every new effect in tailoring. Whether you wish to buy or not we want you to come tomorrow and see for yourself just how attractive they really are. Prices you couldn't duplicate elsewhere. Special lines of coats tomorrow at \$12.50, \$15.00, \$18.50.

Also at \$19.50 our special value in Fine Plush Coats—Salt's Genuine Sealette lined throughout in Skinner Satin. Every garment carries with it a double guarantee—A guarantee as to the genuineness of the materials and a guarantee as to the genuineness of the linings. Handsome new models—extremely stylish.

New Coats for the Children and Babies at \$2.50, \$5.00 and \$6.00 now in stock.

New Models Ladies' Suits and Coats are arriving daily. Come and inspect "the very latest."

Rugs and Curtains

This is headquarters for housekeepers who like to save on Curtains, Rugs, Linoleums, Draperies, etc. Seventy-five per cent of Chelsea's housekeepers, the shrewdest buyers of house furnishings, buy everything they need of us.

About 75 Rugs of Brussels, Velvet and Axminster Carpet Samples, 27 inches wide, at 75c, \$1.10 and \$1.35. Worth double.

Ask to see the special values we offer just now in New Lace Curtains at \$1.50, \$2.00 and \$3.00 pair.

New Silk Curtains just received.

Linoleums

The very best Inlaid Linoleums made in America, you never saw heavier, yard, \$1.50. Two pieces \$1.50 quality, inlaid, yard, \$1.25. Two-yard wide printed at 50c, 59c, 69c, 75c.

Women's, Misses' and Children's Shoes

It's a pleasure and satisfaction to know your Shoes are right. They are always right when you buy them of us. We sell only reliable dependable Shoes only such Shoes as we can stand right back of.

No Better Shoe for Women at \$2.50 and \$3 than the "Princess Louise"

Every new season brings its new Shoe fashions. And these "Princess Louise" Shoes at \$2.50 and \$3.00 keep abreast of every change in shape that appears. They possess more style and are made of better leathers than the average \$2.50 and \$3.00 Shoe.

We have other Women's Shoes made in Gun Metal and Tan Calf, Blucher or Button Style at \$3.00 \$3.50 \$4.00 to \$5.00.

Children's and Misses' School Shoes, in Button and in Lace style, all leather, at \$1.00 to \$2.50.

We have just received from the S. L. Pierce Co., Cleveland, a lot of Boys' Shoes that passed through a fire they had in the factory. Not a pair of these Shoes were fire damaged in any way, but some of the linings show having been wet. There are a few pair that were not even wet, but all went into this lot as the Pierce got their insurance on the entire lot. These Shoes are especially high grade and usually sell at \$2.50 and \$3.00. Newest lasts, while they last, sizes 9 to 12, \$1.50, sizes 12½ to 2, \$1.75.

Women's Kid Gloves

AT \$1.75 we offer a Kid Glove made of the very best kid stock on earth, none better, every finger cut with a gusset. All colors and black, in two clasp and laced, usually sold by city stores at \$2.00 to \$2.50.

AT \$1.25 Best two clasp Smaschen Kid Glove genuine German tannage, all colors and black. Exactly like our \$1.75 glove but not quite so good leather.

Dress Goods

We are Chelsea agents of the Celebrated Folwell Bros. Pure Worsted Dress Goods. These Dress Goods have the reputation of being the very best, highest class Dress Goods made by American manufacturers. Every yard fully guaranteed. We have this line of goods in all the newest weaves all colors and price ranges from 75c to \$200 per yard.

Very Special

We offer 5 dozen Knit Short Petticoats as good as any store can sell you at 48c. This lot only 25c.

"Essex Mills" Underwear

Hand Finished

FOR WOMEN, MISSES AND CHILDREN

H. S. Holmes Mercantile Co. is Chelsea headquarters for this famous Underwear and it will be well worth your while to call and see these beautiful made garments before you supply your winter underwear needs. There are Union Suits, Vests, Drawers and Tights in Pure Wool, Silk and Wool, Fine White Lisle, Fine Ribbed Cotton, Fleece Lined, etc., and in all sizes for Women, Misses and Children. Price range from 25c upward, according to the garment and material chosen—every garment guaranteed perfect fitting and every one hand finished.

Once you have worn this superb underwear, you will never choose any other. It is the one best brand in America—the one brand on which we hope to secure your Underwear patronage. For if there were any better brand—we would have it.

Essex Mills, Women's Vests and Pants, full sizes, perfect fitting, fleeced lined 25c. Extra sizes 35c.

Same in Women's Union Suits, all regular sizes 50c. Extra sizes 59c.

Essex Mills Women's Best Fleece Vests and Cads, bleached or ecru, all sizes 50c. Extra sizes 59c.

Essex Mills Women's Unions same as above \$1.00. Other Essex Mills Unions for Women at \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.00 and upwards.

Boys' Shirts and Drawers, extra heavy fleeced at 29c, 35c and 50c.

Children's Vests and Drawers, made of soft silky cotton, well fleeced, all sizes 25c and 35c.

"Cadet" Hosiery

Buy guaranteed Cadet Hosiery, and it's fully guaranteed, too. We tell every customer, "return this hosiery if for any reason it is not entirely satisfactory." You are the judge, and if you bring a pair back we'll give you a pair free; we'll be just as pleasant as we were when you bought them. We have been making good that guarantee for a long time now, and intend to do so.

Always 25c pair.

Three kinds for Boys', Girls' and Children, several kinds for Men, two weights for women, but always 25c pair.



Nemo
No woman once fitted in the right Nemo is ever satisfied with any other corset.
Don't Wear a Nemo—unless you are willing to stop wearing all others.
Most women need the correct service that the Nemo alone can give. Maybe you'd do, and don't know it.
Come and talk it over with our Nemo experts.
We'll try to give you a better shape and more comfort than you've ever had.
\$3.00 to \$5.00

Special

Two Special Values for a few days only.
"W. B." Make (In fact this number is stamped "Special \$2 Corset" on the garment) of the very latest models, in solid, firm contour, now \$1.50.
The "sister" to the above Corset, regular \$1.50 value, now \$1.00.
Ask to see the new 50c Corset now in stock.

Serge Dresses

all sizes up to 38, at \$6.50, \$10.00, \$12.50 and \$15.00.

Outings

By "getting in" on a fortunate purchase of Outing Flannels
We are selling regular 10c and 12c fancy Outings at 8c.
We never offered such values in white Outings—5c, 6c, 7c, 8c, 10c and 12c.

BREVITIES

STOCKBRIDGE—Stockbridge has let the job of installing her waterworks system for \$17,950. They will use the standpipe system.

GREGORY—The Rural Telephone Co. are reconstructing their lines to Gregory and Plainfield. The switchboard at Plainfield will be discontinued, and the company are building two new lines to Plainfield and one to Gregory.

MILAN—The Boy Scouts of Milan are now canvassing for a calendar on which they expect to realize something to add to their troop fund. It is a unique affair composed of a sheet for every month in the year and attached to each is a post card addressed to the donor, the recipient therefore is supposed to use same and write every month. It was originally designed by a Harvard student and is appropriately entitled "Ryte-Me."—Leader.

MANCHESTER—Last week Augustus Wuerthner received a letter from Madrid, Spain, from a party unknown to him which is similar to other bold attempts of fraud that have come to light in the past. Along with the letter, came what was supposed to be a newspaper clipping telling of the arrest of a St. Petersburg banker in London, charged with fraud in Russia and with manslaughter in Spain. The story goes on to tell that the authorities found no evidence against the accused in his possession which could connect him with the great Russian robbery and therefore he was sent to Spain to be tried on the charge of murder.—Enterprise.

SALINE—At a meeting of the village council held Monday night, Attorney F. E. Jones of Ann Arbor, was present, who explained to the council that the recent vote for waterworks was lost, and that the proposition did not carry as reported, but that the law specifies in particular that a two-thirds vote, not a three-fifths majority, is necessary, hence no waterworks unless by another special election with a two-thirds vote in its favor. The council supposed themselves in the right in the matter of determining the vote, but counsel proved them in error, where upon it being a mistake they decide to "try it again" and the date fixed for the second vote is November 12.—Observer.

BRIDGEWATER—The frame for the new house which William Rhefus is having built on his farm in north Bridgewater, is up and enclosed.

NORTHVILLE—The Plymouth to Detroit good roads is practically finished and auto drivers can go in that way now in as short a time as the speed law will allow. Fifty minutes from Northville to the boulevard is the quickest time thus far reported.—Record.

MANCHESTER—The makers of the engine for the water works tried to hold the village up for a higher price than they had contracted to put it in for FitzGerald & Co., but the committee would not stand for it. It was sold at a much less price than it was worth, the company say, but being made expressly for our plant, it could not be used elsewhere, so they were glad to install it at the contract price, even though they lost money on it.—Enterprise.

BLISSFIELD—A young daughter of Henry D. Simplar, living north-east of town, was attacked Sunday by a stray dog, which attacked the child and bit her right ear off. Peter VanKisteen, who came to the little girl's rescue, was also attacked and bitten on the right arm but finally succeeded in killing the infuriated animal which is believed to have been suffering from rabies. The dog's head has been sent to Ann Arbor for examination to determine if such was the case.—Advance.

MILAN—Elmer Teall, inspector for the State Dairy and Food Department has had several cases recently of violations and among the necessary prosecutions were the following: Alfred Kindel, Milan, adulteration of milk, taken before Justice Marble and fined \$10 and costs; Ellis Jacobs, of Dundee, selling low grade ice cream, taken before Judge Murphy, of Monroe, and fined \$25 and \$6.75 costs; Julius Newman, of Wyandotte, adulterating milk, taken before Judge Degaw, of Detroit, fined \$25 and costs.—Leader.

PLYMOUTH—A freight crew on the Toledo division of the P. M. R. R. was arrested by Marshal Springer last Friday for holding the Main street crossing for a longer period than is allowed by law. They were taken before Justice Campbell, who suspended sentence. This makes a total of fourteen train crews that have been apprehended by Marshal Springer during the past year for holding crossings. Marshal Springer believes in enforcing the law, and ordinances of the village whenever he sees them being violated.—Mail.

ANN ARBOR—Word was received here Tuesday by county officials that Henry Keating, former secretary of the International Iron Molders' Union of North America, had been found dead back of a boiler in Chicago and that he had been dead about a week. Evidence pointed to suicide, the Chicago officials said. It was Keating, whose home was in Detroit at that time, who came to Ann Arbor and led the Ann Arbor Machine Company strike in the spring of 1911, and who about three weeks ago pleaded guilty to embezzling about \$300 worth of the union strike funds at that time. He was allowed to settle and then left at once for Chicago.

TASTING WINE FOR LIVING

Strange Calling Followed by Women Born With Delicate Palates Is Very Lucrative.

Of the list of strange callings followed by women that of wine tasting is one of the most curious and lucrative. As a matter of fact, Mlle. Collinere, whose services are in great demand in France, Germany and Italy as a wine taster, is said to make an income of about \$5,000 a year, many firms employing her for regular work and frequently for special duty.

Only half a dozen wine tasters have been known to history, the most renowned of these being the wife of a famous London wine merchant, Mme. Pommeroy, who died in Paris twelve years ago, and Signora Sousa, who has a great reputation in Spain on account of her judgment and knowledge of wine.

Wine tasters, it appears, are born, not made, and must possess the gift of a rare and delicate palate. To this, of course, must be added a knowledge of wines. Mlle. Collinere's taste is so fine and her knowledge of wines such that she can discern from the first taste of a wine just where the grapes grew from which it was made, whether they were raised in California or in the vineyards of France, Germany, or elsewhere. She can easily detect adulteration of any sort, or if there is a blend and of which wines, and can tell the age of a wine almost to a day. As a matter of fact, there are no secrets that a bottle of wine can withhold from this remarkable Frenchwoman once she has had a spoonful of it in her mouth.

She does not swallow the wine. In fact, she is a teetotaler, and if she were to drink wine would lose her subtle magic of taste. Furthermore, she is obliged to take the greatest care of her health. She must be well in order to do her work, for her sense loses its cunning when she gets out of health.—Tit-Bits.

Try the Standard "Want" Advs.

QUEER THINGS ABOUT PAIN

Patient May Feel It in Limb That Has Been Amputated, or in Wrong Place.

Pain sometimes behaves in a curious fashion. There was a soldier in London, after the Boer war, who complained of excruciating neuralgic pains in his right foot. This very much amused his friends, for he had lost his right leg.

The explanation was that the pain happened to be in the trunks of those nerves, which had sent branches to the foot. Sometimes a patient comes to a doctor complaining of pain in the knee, and he is greatly surprised when the doctor tells him that the site of the affection is not the knee, but the hip. We are all familiar with the pain under the shoulder blade which comes from an afflicted liver.

The stomach, too, can produce pain in many parts of the body. A disordered stomach will give us pain as far away as the head, and, when one gets a cramp in his toes, it is often due to acidity of the stomach. Swallow a pinch of soda and the cramp will disappear.

An aching tooth will produce neuralgic pains in the face, and very often a violent pain at the back of the head is due to the faraway kidneys, which themselves may suffer no pain at the time.

Power of Vegetable Growth.

A tar macadam pavement stretching from the school of gunnery at Shoeburyness (Eng.) to the sea is at present in a state of violent if silent eruption. About a fortnight ago the surface became covered with what may be called "blisters," raised a little above the common level, which attracted much wondering attention.

From each of these, in a few days, a series of cracks appeared, extending themselves in rays from a center. Finally came up a broad, soft shoot, looking extremely well pleased with itself and its work, which proved to be so old and well known a friend as the thistle. At this moment there are hundreds of those bold intruders showing defiantly through the pavement, affording a most interesting illustration of the power of vegetable growth.

It Looks Like a Crime

To separate a boy from a box of Bucklen's Arnica Salve. His pimples boils, scratches, knocks, sprains and bruises demand it, and its quick relief for burns, scalds, or cuts is his right. Keep it handy for boys, also girls. Heals everything healable and does it quick. Unequaled for piles. Only 25 cents at L. F. Vogel, H. H. Penn Co., L. T. Freeman Co. Adv.

REPUBLICAN

Auto Touring Trip

By the Following Gentlemen:

Hon. Patrick Kelly
Hon. Amos Musselman
Hon. W. W. Wedemeyer

Who will speak from their autos in

Chelsea on Monday, October 28

At 4 o'clock P. M.

On Corner Main and Middle Streets

EVERYBODY

Turn out and hear these well-known public men

CORRECTNESS IN MEN'S DRESS

Correctness in this case means more than just a matter of proper style. It applies to fit and quality as well. Our

Fall and Winter Clothing

fulfills the word correctness in every sense. First, because it is correct in style. Second, because it is correct in fit. Third, because it is correct in tailoring. Fourth, because it is correct in quality. And Fifth, because it is correct in price.



Emery Shirts FOR MEN

Furnishing Goods
A full dress shirt, a tie—anything in fact for the social functions—we have them all, the newest and most correct things for men's dress.

Hats
Our hats are found on all the stylish dressed men. They are right in shape and likewise in quality.

SHOES FOR MEN AND BOYS

The pleasure of "Shoe Satisfaction" will be yours, sir, if you place your feet inside a pair of OUR kind of Shoes. We'll be pleased to show you the new fall styles.

DANCER BROTHERS.

J. Bacon Mercantile Co.'s
STORE OF "CERTAIN SATISFACTION"
ON THE HILL

DON'T FORGET OUR CLEARANCE SALE AT Closing Out Prices

Of Hardware, Steel Ranges, Agricultural Tools, Crockery, Furniture, Groceries, Woven Wire Fence, Haying Tools, Buggies and Wagons. See our windows for Bargains.

J. Bacon Mercantile Co.

The Kempf Commercial & Savings Bank

IT IS SAD BUT TRUE.

The old age knocks at every door. He may be now reaching for your door bell, yet only five men out of each one hundred who reach the age of sixty have a regular income. The other ninety-five are dependent upon a meagre daily wage, their children, or public charity for their support. If you want to be one of the five in your one hundred, the five who are financially independent at 60—come in and ask how an account at this bank will prove a material help.

Once you open an account with this bank, the same is seldom closed—for we give you the best facilities to be had for the handling of your banking business. We want new business but never lose sight of the old.

Come and see us.

The Kempf Commercial & Savings Bank

LOCAL ITEMS.

Frank Leach was in Munnith Monday on a business trip.

Sufficient snow fell at Bay City Tuesday night to cover the ground.

Bora, Monday, October 21, 1912, to Mr. and Mrs. N. S. Potter, jr., a son.

A. H. Mensing is confined to his home with a severe attack of rheumatism.

The Gas Co. expect to turn the gas on for the use of their Chelsea patrons Monday of next week.

The Cytherean Circle will meet at the home of Mrs. D. C. McLaren on Friday afternoon of this week.

The common council at their last meeting awarded the contract for 123 street signs to R. J. Beckwith.

The L. O. T. M. M., last Friday evening met at the home of Mrs. John G. Stiegelmaier and gave her a farewell surprise party.

The Detroit Journal in an editorial last Thursday paid a high tribute to the work of Hon. John Kalmbach of this place in the legislature.

Geo. Smith, who has been at the hospital in Ann Arbor for several weeks expects, to return to his home here on Friday of this week.

The equal suffrage meeting held at the town hall last Saturday evening well attended. Mrs. Varney, of Paw Paw, delivered a good address.

Miss Mabel Hummel, who is attending the Normal college at Ypsilanti, spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Hummel.

Mrs. J. Bacon left Tuesday morning for Atlanta, Georgia, having been called there by the illness of her son, George, who is sick with typhoid fever.

The football game last Friday afternoon at Wilkinson field, between the Chelsea and Plymouth high school teams resulted in a victory for Chelsea by 18 to 0.

The October division of the Ladies' Guild of the Congregational church will give a thimble party at the home of Mrs. Carrie Palmer on Tuesday afternoon, October 29.

The apple buyers of Chelsea are flooded with the fruit and in many cases they have been unable to handle what have been offered. Some of the farmers have had to return home with their loads.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Hesel-schwerdt of Sylvan are making arrangements to move to their home on Washington street. The residence is occupied at present by Mr. and Mrs. B. Moeckel.

The potato crop in this vicinity is a bumper one, and the buyers have been paying an average price of thirty-five cents per bushel, which is five cents better than some of our neighboring villages have been paying.

The Brotherhood of the Congregational church have perfected arrangements for an entertainment course of five numbers for the coming winter. The first entertainment will be given November 26 by the Jess Pugh Company.

E. E. Cde has accepted the position of baggage master at the Michigan Central passenger station to succeed Henry Streiter, who resigned. The company has granted the agent, W. J. Poor, an extra man and he has engaged Roy Leach as the warehouse man.

Voters in the country do not have to register for the coming election, provided they have not changed their residence from one township to another since the last election. For those who have changed their residence since they last voted, registration will be necessary, and the day for this is Saturday, October 26—ten days before election.

Some of the Greek residents of this place have left for their former homes in Greece to assist in fighting their ancient enemy, the Turks. Two of them, Nicholas Katapodis and Costas Jameson, who have been employed by the Flanders Mfg. Co. for several months past, are among those who have responded to the call of their fellow countrymen.

While working with his brother and several other young men at the Consumers' Power plant at Owosso, Monday afternoon, Clifford Hubbell, aged 23, was instantly killed. He accidentally touched a wire carrying 10,000 volts which hurled him to the floor. He is survived by a widow and one child. Mr. Hubbell resided here for some time and while here was employed at the cement works.

A regular meeting of the W. R. C. on Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Mrs. Geo. F. Widmayer has purchased the Michael Hesel-schwerdt farm in Sylvan.

Clyde Whitaker, of Salem, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Clark several days of this week.

The men who have been at work here with the trench digging machine for the Gas Co., will complete their work this week.

The Ladies' Aid Society of St. Paul's church will give one of their famous suppers at the town hall on Saturday evening of this week.

John Dailey, of Sylvan, left two potatoes at the Standard office last week that weighed nearly five pounds. One of them was a freak.

Charles Hepburn, who has been quite ill for some time, was taken to the hospital in Ann Arbor last Friday for medical treatment.

There will be a football game Saturday afternoon here between the Central Reserves, of Detroit, and the Chelsea high school teams.

Fred Belsler has a force of men at work on a new residence that he is having built on the Waltrous subdivision on McKinley street.

The Excelsior Degree of the L. O. T. M. M. will give a masquerade dance at the town hall, on Thursday evening, October 31. All Maccabees are invited.

The chicken pie supper given by the Maccabees at their hall Wednesday evening was unusually well attended, and the dancing party at the town hall was a success.

The North Lake Grange will meet at their hall on Wednesday evening, October 30. Members will tell of the new things learned at the state fair. A good attendance is requested.

Miss Lillian Schmidt, who has been making her home with Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Lowry and employed in the ball department of the Flanders Mfg. Co., has resigned and accepted a position in Ann Arbor.

Mrs. Alfred Wallace, of Lyndon, who has been helpless for over a year with a spinal trouble, recently received a fine wheel chair which was presented to her by her nephew, Wm. C. Thomas, of Jackson.

The Royal Entertainers gave a farewell party in honor of Mrs. J. G. Steigelmaier last Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Frank L. Davidson. The guest of honor was presented with a cut glass dish.

John B. Cole, the Chelsea manager of the Gas Co., unloaded a carload of gas stoves and ranges the first of this week. He has men at work installing them in the residences of the patrons of the company.

Married, Wednesday afternoon, October 23, 1912, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roswell Gates, Miss Mazie A. Jennings and Mr. Ross A. Salisbury, both of Milan, Rev. A. A. Schoen officiating. The bride is a sister of Mrs. Gates and a former resident of this place.

The kitchen at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Ward was badly damaged Wednesday afternoon by a fire started from a gasoline stove. Mr. Ward succeeded in subduing the flames before an alarm was turned in. The damage will amount to about \$150 which is covered by insurance.

The Hendershots delight large audiences that crowd the churches and opera houses to hear them wherever they go. They are wizards with the drum, life, flageolet, and their songs and recitations are thrilling and entertaining in the highest degree. They will give an entertainment at the M. E. church on Wednesday evening, October 30.

Mr. and Mrs. John G. Stiegelmaier are packing their household goods and will ship them to Jackson the first of the coming week, where they will make their home. Mr. and Mrs. Stiegelmaier have been residents of Chelsea for about twenty years and their many friends regret their removal from here, and wish them success in their new location.

Beakes Wins In Supreme Court.

The supreme court Wednesday ordered the state board of canvassers to reconvene and place the name of Samuel Beakes on the election ballot as democratic candidate for congress from this district. The order followed a writ of mandamus by Mr. Beakes.

From the first returns, Bert Chandler of Hudson was winner over Mr. Beakes by 17 votes. His name was placed on the ballot by the state board. Mr. Beakes petitioned for a recount, which returned him winner. The state board refused to reopen the matter, and Mr. Beakes took the question to the supreme court.

Fall Trading Is Going On Briskly

AT THE

W. P. Schenk & Company's Store

We Are Determined To Beat All Past Records

And Add Still Greater Popularity to this Store.

We satisfy hundreds of regular customers simply because we do our best to please them by adhering strictly to the one principle of

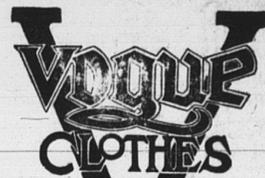
Fair Treatment

If you are not a regular patron of this store come and look around. You will marvel at the excellence of our stock and the very remarkable values we are showing. What constitutes values?

Style, Quality and Durability

You don't want merchandise, especially ready-to-wear garments, years behind the times.

You want quality that will match up with the price you pay. You want to know that the durability is vouched for by a responsible firm. You absolutely take no chances here in making a purchase. We stand behind every sale.



New Fall Clothing

FOR

Men and Boys

A Casual Inspection of Our FALL GARMENTS

Whether Suits, Overcoats, Odd Pants or Raincoats will convince you that we have the clothes you should buy and wear.

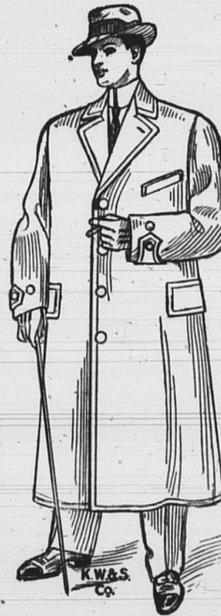
Men's Suits in All Fabrics

Every fitting size, regular Stout or Slim, and we start them in all Wool as low as \$8.50.

All Wool Blue Serge Suits at \$10.00 and \$12.00.

All Wool Blue Serge Suits, very fine weave, extra heavy for winter wear. Coats lined throughout with Skinner Satin lining, faultlessly tailored and worth every cent of \$20.00, but you can buy them here at \$15.00. Not only Blue Serge Suits but at \$15.00 you can select from a large assortment fancy Worsted Suits, everyone bearing the unmistakable stamp of style.

For the middle age and older men we have the staple styles in medium and dark gray and black at \$15.00 and \$18.00. You will be well dressed and feel at home in one of these Suits.



Overcoats--New Styles

Are here—dozens of attractive models. They fit; they wear; they hold their shape; they are the latest word in fashion. The strictly College Cut Models for the young men. The more Conservative refined Models for the older men. We simply want you to see the Men's Overcoats we are offering at \$10.00; \$12.00, \$15.00 and \$18.00.

No high cost of living prices here. Every Overcoat shown is better tailored, better style, better lined and made from as good or better material than was ever shown during our thirty-five years clothing experience at the price we ask.

Our Boys' Suits and Overcoats

Are the product of the best factories in the boys' clothing manufacturing business. They are specialists and know how to make boys clothes that are form fitting just like the high grade men's suits. The same fair prices apply here as to the men's clothing. While we give the best in merchandise we keep the price at the lowest possible notch.

Boys' Suits and Overcoats are priced at the popular prices of \$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.50, \$4.50, \$5.00, \$6.50, \$7.50 and \$8.50 but we claim to give better value than you will find shown elsewhere at these prices, look at them and judge for yourself.

SPECIAL—One lot of Men's \$5.00 Rain Coats \$3.98.

W. P. Schenk & Company

SERIAL STORY

EXCUSE ME!

Novelized from the Comedy of the Same Name

By Rupert Hughes

ILLUSTRATED From Photographs of the Play as Produced by Henry W. Savage

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SYNOPSIS.

Little Harry Mallory is ordered to the Philippines. He and Marjorie Newton decide to elope but Mrs. Newton prevents their seeing minister on the way to the train. Transcontinental train is taking on passengers. Porter has a lively time with an Englishman and Ira Lathrop. "Little Jimmie" Wellington, bound for Reno to get a divorce, boards train in maudlin condition. Later Mrs. Jimmie appears. She is also bound for Reno with same object. Likewise Mrs. Sammy Whitcomb. Latter blames Mrs. Jimmie for her marital troubles. "Classmates of Malloy" decorate bridal berth. Rev. and Mrs. Temple start on a vacation. They decide to visit home and Temple renounces evidence of his calling. Marjorie decides to let Malloy proceed alone, but train starts while they are lost in farewell. Passengers join Malloy's classmates in giving couple wedding hints. Marjorie is distracted. Ira Lathrop, woman-hating bachelor, discovers an old sweetheart, Anne Gattie, a fellow passenger. Malloy vainly hunts for a preacher among the passengers. Mrs. Wellington hears Little Jimmie's voice. Later she meets Mrs. Whitcomb. Malloy reports to Marjorie his failure to find a preacher. They decide to pretend a quarrel and Malloy finds a vacant berth. Mrs. Jimmie discovers again makes a successful hunt for a preacher. Dr. Temple poses as a physician. Missing handbag prompts Malloy's hopes, but he takes another train. Missing handbag restores dog and lovers quarrel. Lathrop wiles for a preacher to marry him and Miss Gattie. Malloy tells Gattie of his predicament and arranges to borrow the preacher. Kitty Lewellyn, former sweetheart of Malloy's, appears and accuses Marjorie of seducing Lathrop and Miss Gattie, the preacher escapes Malloy by leaping from moving train.

CHAPTER XXXI.—Continued.

Mallory caught his hand as it turned the knob of the door and drew him back. Marjorie, equally determined, caught his other elbow.

"Please don't go," Mallory urged, "until you've married us."

The Reverend Charles stared at his captors in amazement.

"But my dear man, the train's moving."

Marjorie clung all the tighter and invited him to "Come on to the next stop."

"But my dear lady," Selby gasped, "it's impossible."

"You've just got to," Mallory insisted.

"Release me, please."

"Never!"

"How dare you!" the parson shrieked, and with a sudden wriggle writhed out of his coat, leaving it in Marjorie's hands. He darted to the door and flung it open, with Mallory hot after him.

The train was kicking up a cloud of dust and getting its stride. The kidnapped clergyman paused a moment, agitated at the speed with which the ground was being paid out. Then he climbed the brass rail and, with a hoarse prayer, dropped overboard.

Mallory lunged at him, and seized him by his reversed collar. But the collar alone remained in his clutch. The parson was almost lost in the dust he created as he struck, bounded and rolled till he came to a stop, with his stars and his prayers to thank for injuries to nothing worse than his dignity and other small clothes.

Mallory returned to the observation room and flung the collar and bib to the floor in a fury of despair, howling: "He got away! He got away!"

CHAPTER XXXII.

The Empty Berth.

The one thing Mallory was beginning to learn about Marjorie was that she would never take the point of view he expected, and never proceed along the lines of his logic.

She had grown furious at him for what he could not help. She had told him that she would marry him out of spite. She had commanded him to pursue and apprehend the flying parson. He failed and returned crestfallen and wondering what new form her rage would take.

And, lo and behold, when she saw him so downcast and helpless, she rushed to him with caresses, cuddled his broad shoulders against her breast, and smothered him. It was the sincerity of his dejection and the complete helplessness he displayed that won her woman's heart.

Mallory gazed at her with almost more wonderment than delight. This was another flashpoint on her character. Most courtships are conducted under a rose-light in which wooer and wooed wear their best clothes on their best behavior, or in a starlit moonlight, or gaily twilight where romance softens angles and wraps

everything in velvet shadow. Then the two get married and begin to live together in the cold, gray daylight of realism, with undignified necessities and harrowing situations at every step, and disillusion begins its deadly work.

This young couple was undergoing all the inconveniences and temper-exposures of marriage without its blessed compensations. They promised to be well acquainted before they were wed. If they still wanted each other after this ordeal, they were pretty well assured that their marriage would not be a failure.

Mallory recoiled to see that the hurricane of Marjorie's jealousy had only whipped up the surface of her soul. The great depths were still calm and unmoved, and her love for him was in and of the depths.

Soon after leaving Ogden, the train entered upon the great bridge across the Great Salt Lake. The other passengers were staring at the enormous engineering-masterpieces and the conductor was pointing out that, in order to save forty miles and the crossing of two mountain chains, the railroad had devoted four years of labor and millions of dollars to stretching a thirty-mile bridge across this inland ocean.

But Marjorie and Mallory never noticed it. They were absorbed in exploring each other's souls, and they had safely bridged the Great Salt Lake which the first big bitter jealousy spreads across every matrimonial route.

They were undisturbed in their voyage, for all the other passengers had their noses flattened against the window panes of the other cars—all except one couple, gazing each at each through time-wrinkled eyelids touched with the magic of a tardy honeymoon.

For all that Anne and Ira knew, the Great Salt Lake was a moon-swept lagoon, and the arid mountains of Nevada which the train went scaling, were the very hillsides of Arcadia.

But the other passengers soon came trooping back into the observation room. Ira had told them nothing of Mallory's confession. In the first place, he was a man who had learned to keep a secret, and in the second place, he had forgotten that such persons as Mallory or his Marjorie existed. All the world was summed up in the fearfully happy little spinster who had moved up into his section—the section which had begun its caterpillar draped in satin ribbons unobtrusively prophetic.

The communion of Mallory and Marjorie under the benison of reconciliation was invaded by the jokes of the other passengers, unconsciously ironic.

Dr. Temple chaffed them amiably: "You two will have to take a back seat now. We've got a new bridal couple to amuse us."

And Mrs. Temple welcomed them with: "You're only old married folks, like us."

The Mallories were used to the misunderstanding. But the misplaced witticisms gave them reassurance that their secret was safe yet a little while. At their dinner-table, however, and in the long evening that followed they were haunted by the fact that this was their last night on the train, and no minister to be expected.

And now once more the Mallories regained the star roles in the esteem of the audience, for once more they quarreled at good-night-kissing time. Once more they required two sections, while Anne Gattie's berth was not even made up. It remained empty, like a deserted nest, for its occupant had flown south.

CHAPTER XXXIII.

Fresh Trouble Daily.

The following morning the daylight creeping into section number one found Ira and Anne staring at each other. Ira was tousled and Anne was unkempt, but her blush still gave her cheek at least an Indian summer glow.

After a violent effort to reach the space between her shoulder blades, she was compelled to appeal to her new master to act as her new maid.

"Oh, Mr. Lathrop," she stammered, "Ira," she corrected, "won't you please hook me up?" she pleaded.

Ira beamed with a second child-hood boyishness: "I'll do my best, my little outsum-togsums, it's the first time I ever tried it."

"Oh, I'm so glad," Anne sighed, "it's the first time I ever was hooked up by a gentleman."

He gurgled with joy and, forgetting the poverty of space, tried to reach her lips to kiss her. He almost broke her neck and bumped his head so hard that instead of saying, as he intended, "My darling," he said, "Oh, hell!"

"Ira," she gasped. But he, with all the proprietorship he had assumed, answered cheerily: "You'll have to get used to it, ducky darling. I could never learn not to swear." He proved the fact again and again by the remarks he addressed to certain refractory books. He apologized, but she felt more like apologizing for herself.

"Oh, Ira," she said, "I'm so ashamed to have you see me like this—the first morning."

"Well, you haven't got anything on me—I'm not shaved."

"You don't have to tell me that," she said, rubbing her smarting cheek. Then she bumped her head and gasped: "Oh—what you said."

This made them feel so much at home that she attained the heights of frankness and honesty by reaching in her handbag for a knob of supplementary hair, which she applied desultorily to what was home-grown. Ira, instead of looking shocked, loved her for her honesty, and grinned.

"Now, that's where you have got something on me. Say, we're like a couple of sardines trying to make love in a tin can."

"It's cosy though," she said, and then vanished through the curtains and shyly ran the gauntlet of amused glances and over-cordial "Good mornings" till she hid her blushes behind the door of the women's room and turned the key. If she had thought of it she would have said, "God bless the man that invented doors—and the other angel that invented locks."

The passengers this morning were all a little briskeer than usual. It was the last day aboard for everybody and they showed a certain extra animation, like the inmates of an ocean liner when land has been sighted.

Ashton was shaving when Ira swaggered into the men's room. Without pausing to note whom he was addressing, Ashton sang out: "Good morning. Did you rest well?"

"What?" Ira roared.

"Oh, excuse me!" said Ashton, hastily, devoting himself to a gash his razor had made in his cheek—even in that cheek of his.

Ira scrubbed out the basin, filled it and tried to dive into it, slapping the cold water in double handfuls over his glowing face and puffing through it like a porpoise.

Meanwhile the heavy-eyed Fosdick was slinking through the dining-car, regarded with amazement by Dr. Temple and his wife, who were already up and breakfasting.

"What's the matter with the bridal couples on this train, anyway?" said Dr. Temple.

"I can't imagine," said his wife, "we old couples are the only normal ones."

"Some more coffee, please, mother," he said.

"But your nerves," she protested. "It's my vacation," he insisted.

Mrs. Temple stared at him and shook her head: "I wonder what mischief you'll be up to today? You've already been smoking, gambling, drinking—have you been swearing, yet?"

"Not yet," the old cregyman smiled. "I've been saving that up for a good occasion. Perhaps it will rise before the day's over."

And his wife choked on her tea at the wonderful train-change that had come over the best man in Ypsilanti.

By this time Fosdick had reached the stateroom from which he had been banished again at the Nevada state-line. He knocked cautiously. From within came an anxious voice: "Who's there?"

"Whom did you expect?"

Mrs. Fosdick popped her head out like a Jill in the box. "Oh, it's you, Arthur. Kiss me good morning."

He glanced round stealthily and obeyed instructions: "I guess it's safe—my darling."

"Did you sleep, dovie?" she yawned.

"Not a wink. They took off the Portland car at Granger and I had to sleep in one of the chairs in the observation room."

Mrs. Fosdick shook her head at him in mournful sympathy, and asked: "What state are we in now?"

"A dreadful state—Nevada."

"Just what are we in Nevada?"

"I'm a bigamist, and you've never been married at all."

"Oh, these awful divorce laws!" she moaned, then left the general for the particular: "Won't you come in and hook me up?"

Fosdick looked shocked: "I don't dare compromise you."

"Will you take breakfast with me in the dining-car?" she pleaded.

"Do we dare?"

"We might call it luncheon," she suggested.

He seized the chance: "All right, I'll go ahead and order, and you stroll in and I'll offer you the seat opposite me."

"But can't you hook me up?"

He was adamant: "Not till we get to California. Do you think I want to compromise my own wife? Sh! Somebody's coming!" And he darted off to the vestibule just as Mrs. Jimmie Wellington issued from number ten with hair aussed, eyes only half open, and waist only half shut at the back. She made a quick spurt to the women's room, found it locked, stamped her foot, swore under her breath, and leaned against the wall of the car to wait.

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What Figureheads Mean.

When the wall of a city was built or the foundation of a public building was laid in ancient times men used to supply the edifice with a guardian spirit by burying within it a human being. The ghost of the victim was supposed to take possession of the structure and bless it with good fortune.

And when a boat or ship was launched it was to roll over the body of a man for the same purpose. Substitution of the bodies and blood of animals followed, and civilized peoples have softened the ceremony until only symbolic heads remain.

The figureheads upon ships are remnants of the custom of binding the body of the immolated god upon the prow at launching, and they are still regarded as mascots.

Bull Objected to Rider.

A millionaire rancher, of Pomona, Cal., was painfully injured, recently, while attempting to ride a large red Durham bull. He had made a wager with another rancher that he could remain on the bull's back for two minutes, faith in his ability to win the wager being based upon his experiences in broncho riding. He lost the bet by just 117 seconds, for three seconds after he mounted the animal's back, he was seated in the center of the coral nursing a badly sprained hip and shoulder.

The KITCHEN CABINET

GIVE pleasure. Lose no chance in giving pleasure. For that is the ceaseless and anonymous triumph of a truly loving spirit.

—Henry Drummond.

WHAT TO HAVE FOR BREAKFAST.

The American breakfast, compared to the English meal, is quite in the beginner's class. Here is a simple breakfast menu for August, taken from an English cook book: Bloaters on toast, collared tongue (whatever that may be), hot buttered toast, marmalade, white bread and butter, brown bread, and bread and milk.

Another—Pigeon pie, stewed kidney, milk rolls, dry toast, brown and white bread, mustard and cress, milk porridge.

A person who could digest such breakfasts as these in August ought to make a good soldier. It is said, and justly, that Americans eat too much, but we certainly are low on breakfasts, compared to the English.

We need follow no law except that of the individual in preparing our breakfasts, as each individual has desires peculiar to himself. Fruit is enjoyed by some and a source of distress to another. Cereal is energy to one and a "soggy mass of indigestibility" to another. Coffee, the fragrant, refreshing cup, a joy to many, is blamed for much of which it is innocent.

Then there are the "no breakfast" advocates, an arrangement which certainly has its good points, for it does away with the hurried meal predated over by no house mother or a frowsy one. Such a beginning is not a good start for the day's work.

A dainty breakfast, well served, is of far more value to the individual than the more food properties served. A far better day is in store for the man who leaves his breakfast table in an agreeable frame of mind, and he will return, usually, in the same mood. No greeting, however smiling, or dinner well prepared, will atone for a hurried scramble at the breakfast table.

It has been well said that children, to be well trained, should begin with their grandfathers. To have and serve a successful meal, we must begin the day before. A meal well planned is usually a successful one.

FIGS AND DATES.

HERE is no mystery about happiness whatever. Put in the right ingredients and it must come out.

We are in the habit of thinking that dates, figs and raisins are confections, tidbits and luxuries. They are, in a measure, but contain much food value, and are much more wholesome for children to eat than too much of the so-called fresh fruit with which they are provided. These dried fruits are both nourishing and economical, as they take the place of more expensive foods. Dates have a food value in calories of 1275 to a pound, while the much used potato has only 295 to the pound.

Stuffed Dates.—Boil rapidly without stirring, one-half a cup of granulated sugar and a quarter of a cup of milk. Keep the granules from forming on the sides of the pan, by swabbing with water. When a soft ball forms when dropped in cold water, pour out on a platter and beat with a wooden spoon until thick. Add a quarter of a cup of shaved walnut or pecan meats and mold quickly in a sheet a quarter of an inch thick. Stone dates and stuff with the mixture.

Date Dainties for Travelers.—Stone dates and stuff with a mixture of nut meats, candied ginger, candied pineapple, roasted almonds and fondant flavored with lemon juice. Roll each one in granulated sugar and pack in layers in a tin box, covering each layer with paraffine paper. These will keep indefinitely.

Fig Brittle.—Melt a pound of sugar in a saucepan, stir in a half pound of figs chopped fine, and pour into a greased pan a half-inch thick; cut in strips and serve. Nuts may be added with the figs, if desired.

Oriental Cream.—Soak a tablespoonful of gelatine in a fourth of a cup of cold water, dissolve it in a fourth of a cup of hot milk; add a half cup of sugar, set into a pan of cold water and stir until it begins to thicken. Then add the whites of two eggs beaten stiff, a third of a cup of each of figs and dates chopped, and a half pint of whipped cream. Turn into a mold and chill thoroughly.

Nellie Maxwell

The Balance.

He—They make a big fuss over Mothers' day, but nobody thinks of the fathers.

She—The account is more than balanced. If the mothers have one day in the year to celebrate, the fathers have all the nights.

Now He Gets It.

"That baby of Baggs, our club member, is such a good joke on him."

"How so?"

"If you remember, he was always wanting the floor"

MAKING HER HAPPY

One Case Where Love Was Successfully Placed Second to Honor.

By ROSE CARRINGTON.

"If you really loved me, you'd explain," and the girl tossed her head angrily.

"Once more, Helen, I will not."

"Then, Ted, there is nothing more for me to do but to give you back this," and Helen drew off the ring he had placed on her finger with such professions of devoted love that it made her heart ache to remember them.

"Helen, don't," he whispered, but she did not flinch.

"Can you bear to break it off?" he asked softly, all the anger dying out of his boyish face.

"Yes, I can when there is a secret between us. If you have one now, you'd have a dozen after we were married." But her own face was relaxing, and the tears lay near the surface.

"Helen, dearest, just wait. Give me until tonight, and then I promise to tell you everything. You owe me that much notice," and he smiled a little uncertainly. "You know when a man loses his job he is given a little bit of notice."

"But this is not a job," Helen said; but she slipped the ring back on her finger.

"Isn't it? Well, I just guess yes, the finest kind of a one."

"How do you make that out?" and now there was a faint smile about the pretty lips.

"It is a mighty fine job, that of making you happy," Ted returned, his usual merry expression coming back into his eyes as he bent towards her.

"Nonsense. But honest, Ted, if you can tell me tonight, why not now?" and her eyes tempted him to go against what he believed to be right, but he shook off the influence, and returned gravely:

"Remember, Nell, that picture we saw last winter at the art exhibit?"

She did not need to be told which one, for there had been only that which had lingered in their memory.

"You know, the one where the girl is trying to get her sweetheart to wear



He Offered Her No Explanation.

a white handkerchief so that he will be taken for a member of the other grade, and not be killed?"

"Of course."

"And you know what was under it? Something about loving her less if he did not love her more?"

Helen nodded.

"Well, that's my case, girle—honest. I can't tell you because I promised not to, and I can't go back on my honor, for if I did I'd not be worthy of you. See?" And there was a strength of purpose in his dark eyes that appealed to her and made her eyes dim, although, woman like, she asked softly:

"Would you rather give me up than go back on your promise?"

Ted swallowed hard. "If you'd want me to, Nell, I don't believe I could care for you as much as I do. You see, I'd feel that something was wrong. Now kiss me, dear, and just wait until tonight, and I'll prove to you that I'm just what I've said I am, not so awfully bad after all," and without waiting for permission, he drew her into his arms, kissed her not once but several times, then ran away, leaving her gasping, but happier than she had been for several days.

The Girl Who Thinks.

"My estrangement, if you can call it that, from my mother, dated from the moment I began to think," says a writer under the title of "My Mother Didn't Tell Me," in Harper's Bazar. "I had been very much a 'mother's girl.' My mother and I planned my frocks, we sewed a great deal together, we chatted together, we read poetry aloud together, and also a good deal of modern fiction. My mother was very fond of books, and kept abreast of the times. Our companionship was of a very beautiful sort and still is—as long as I keep within those prescribed limits and as long as I do not venture into any question that has to do with the life or thought of the country today. My mother is as much interested in my frocks today, now that I am twenty-seven, as she was when I was seventeen. She still has that interest in books, nor does her dislike of the tendency of modern thought extend very far into literature."

Busy German Women.

In Germany there is a total number of 11,900 women filling honorary positions in cities and on charity boards. In 155 municipalities seven thousand women are in active service for the care of the poor and of orphans. In 115 towns there are women serving on school boards.

business had detained him. Still, she loved him with all her girlish heart, and as she sat there in the sweet, early spring air after he had left her, feeling alone as though on a desert island, she realized that she was beginning to understand more of her woman's nature, to make excuses and forgive without knowing why.

The day passed slowly, and she felt she could scarcely wait until evening. The cheerfulness of the house became more pronounced because of the calls from many of her girl friends, who came so openly to question her absence from the dance, that she felt that her endurance was almost gone. To them all she replied gaily, hiding her worry beneath a smile.

"Why, there's nothing in it. Surely Ted and I ought to be allowed the privilege of choosing our way of spending an evening. You see, Ted is a bit jealous, and I honestly believe he doesn't like me to dance with any one else." And with this palpable but innocent fiction, smilingly given, she disarmed even her chum who was to be maid of honor at the wedding. The latter laughed teasingly as she cried:

"And to think that you'd be so much in love, Nell, that you'd be willing to give up a dance like that last night." But Nell only smiled back:

"Just wait, Grace, until your turn comes, and then you'll know how dear the right one can be," and there was a catch in her throat as she spoke, for surely Ted was dearer than even her sense of justice, and she felt she could still trust him.

At last, when the gleaming of the spring evening wrapped the world in its cloud, with trembling fingers Helen dressed for Ted, her heart beating so rapidly that she could scarcely get her breath. Long before eight she was ready for him, but it was after nine before she heard his ring and ran to let him in. Somehow she could not reproach him, he seemed so tired and worn. His eyes were deep with fatigue and ring encircled, and so she only put her arms up and drew his head down, saying gently:

"My poor boy, how tired he looks; come, sit down and rest."

"You darling!" he whispered, and for a moment he rested his aching head on the little shoulder lovingly offered for his support, and then he broke out with:

"Thank God, it's all over," and drew her closer to him. All curiosity suddenly left Helen. No longer was she a petulant girl, jealous of her rights, but a strong, courageous woman, with a deep trust in the integrity of the man she was going to marry, and she laid her firm, cool hand on his burning one so contentedly that he raised it to his lips before he began:

"I wonder, Nellie, if I were to ask you to keep on trusting me without any explanation, would you do it?"

Without any hesitation, she returned:

"I've been thinking about that picture, Ted, and I believe the man was right; he could not have loved the girl as he ought, if he had not been true to his honor. If you can't tell me, it is all right."

It was worth a good deal to him, this simple confession of her faith, but fortunately Ted did not have to take advantage of it. With a little laugh of pure joy, he sat with his arm about her and told her the story, which after all was simple, once she understood. An employer's son, who had fallen into bad company, had been driven to forging his father's name. The check was presented and disputed, and then Ted had been sent to find the missing wrong-doer.

"I spent the whole of last night looking for him, and most of today in getting him to go back home. I had promised not to breathe a word of it until I landed him safely, and I couldn't break my word, not even for you, sweetheart," and he spoke earnestly.

"Oh, Ted, how good you are," she said softly.

"No, it was the only thing to do. Bob's father has been pretty good to me, and now that he and Bob understand each other, the boy will be all right. So no harm's done if you don't mind being loved second to honor. That's your only rival."

"You could not have loved me as much as you do if you had not given me that rival," was Nell's reply.

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A high priced box at the opera seems less expensive to some people than the cheapest church pew.

Diplomacy in Small Things.

Little Eloise Cave, aged seven years, was visiting her grandmother in Madison, Va., and was sent to carry a saucer of ice cream to a neighbor. By the exercise of infinite care she conveyed her burden safely to the house and gave it into the hands of the lady for whom it was intended. The lady, however, was less careful than Eloise had been, and dropped the saucer and broke it.

"You needn't mind about that," said the little diplomat, without an instant's hesitation. "I don't think grandma has a cup to match the saucer. If she has I will go right home and break it myself."—Popular Magazine.

Accelerated Brain Activity.

In the early days of Wisconsin, two of the most prominent lawyers of the state were George B. Smith and I. S. Sloan, the latter of whom had a habit of injecting into his remarks to the court the expression, "Your honor, I have an idea." A certain case had been dragging along through a hot summer day when Sloan sprang to his feet, with his remark, "Your honor, I have an idea."

Smith immediately bounded up, assumed an impressive attitude, and in great solemnity said:

"May it please the court, I move that a writ of habeas corpus be issued by this court immediately to take the learned gentleman's idea out of solitary confinement."—Popular Magazine.

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