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Home Burned Monday Morning.

Edward Shanahan's residence on Madison street was destroyed by fire at 4 o'clock Monday morning. The blaze started in the roof and was discovered by the young daughter of Mr. Shanahan and Harry Foster at about the same time, and had gained considerable headway. Mr. Foster turned in the alarm and assisted with the neighbors in saving the furniture on the first floor.

The entire second story, contents, and most of the family clothing were consumed by flames. While the first story escaped the blaze, it was badly damaged by water. The young son and daughter who occupied rooms on the second floor escaped in their night dresses and their wearing apparel was food for the flames which was fanned by a high wind that carried the sparks for some distance. The other members of the family who occupied rooms on the first floor were able to save a portion of their wardrobe.

The fire started in the roof and is supposed to have started from the electric wiring. When an attempt was made to turn on the lights they failed to respond. Mr. Shanahan had an insurance of \$1,500 on the dwelling and \$1,000 on the contents which will fall far short of covering his loss.

Violin Recital.

Under the auspices of the H. S. A. A. Prof. A. J. Whitmire of the University School of Music has been secured by the athletic association to give a recital in the auditorium of the high school Wednesday evening, April 9.

Prof. Whitmire is a violinist with a wide reputation. He has studied in Europe and America under such famous teachers as Issay Barmas of Berlin and Henri Ern, S. P. Lockwood and Anton Witck, of Boston, the last of whom is now director of the Boston Symphony Orchestra.

While a student in Berlin, Germany, he received great praise from the most noted critics of music for his beautiful tone and fine temperamental playing.

He will be accompanied by Miss Francis Hamilton of the School of Music, a graduate under the famous Russian pianist, Joseph Shevinne.

Death of Harry Schussler.

Tecumseh News, March 28: Harry Schussler, a former resident of Tecumseh, died Wednesday morning at his home in Warren, Pa. He is survived by his widow and a four months old child, besides his parents, brothers and sisters. He was a member of Tecumseh Tent, K. O. T. M. M., and carried an insurance in that order. He left Tecumseh about three years ago. While here he was employed in Whitting's cigar factory. He was in the 24th year of his age.

County Auditor.

On township meeting day we elect two members of the County Board of Auditors. While this is an important board it is not political in the sense that it makes any difference whether the members are democrat, republican or progressive in their affiliations. It does make a good deal of difference to the people of the county however whether or not they are competent, qualified and honest. Sylvan has a candidate for this office in William Bacon, who possesses all these attributes as has been demonstrated in the past he having served since the creation of the board and there is no reason why he should not receive the vote of the entire township regardless of party.

"Freckles" at the Whitney.

What is the secret of success of "Freckles" its simplicity. There are no characters in modern fiction nor on the stage endowed with such simple nobility and wonderful sweetness as Freckles and his sweetheart "The Swamp Angel." Mrs. Porter has studied nature, she has lived all her life in the great Lumberland and writing about it. She has achieved a position which can be disputed by none: her action and her play reaches the height of popular demand.

"Freckles" with all its familiar scenes will be at the Whitney theater Friday, April 4. It has been a theatrical event everywhere it has played and it will be an event here.

Princess Theatre.

The management of the Princess theatre have booked dates as follows: Tuesday, April 8—"The dramatic sensation in two reels—"The Grotto of Torture."
Wednesday, April 9—Special three reels western feature—"The Stampede" at Calgary, B. C.
Thursday, April 10—Three reel Viti-graph special—"The French Spy."

Warner's White Wine of Tar.

Syrup, the best cough remedy on earth, cures a cold in one day if taken in time. Twenty-five and 50 cents. Adv.

TOWNSHIP NOMINATIONS

There Will be Three Party Tickets in Sylvan at Election next Monday.

REPUBLICAN.

The Republicans of Sylvan held their caucus in the town hall at 2:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon. The caucus was called to order by the chairman of the township committee, Wm. Bacon, who on motion was made the permanent presiding officer. A motion was then made that the chairman appoint a secretary and two tellers, and the following were named: Secretary, Geo. S. Davis; tellers, D. H. Wurster and Samuel Guthrie. The oath of office was administered by Hon. John Kalmbach.

The only contest was for the office of clerk. The result of the ballot showed that 62 votes were cast of which Warren C. Boyd received 46 and Fred Broesamle 16. The remainder of the ticket was made by the rules being suspended and the secretary instructed to cast the ballot. The ticket is as follows: Supervisor—J. Wilbur VanRiper. Clerk—Warren C. Boyd. Treasurer—William D. Arnel. Commissioner of Highways—John E. Walz.

Justice of the Peace—Jacob Hummel.

Member Board of Review—Frederick Kalmbach.

Overseer of Highways—Burleigh C. Whitaker.

Constables—Roy Dillon, Hector E. Cooper, George A. Young, Frank L. Davidson.

A motion was made and carried that the chairman appoint a township committee for the coming year and the following were named: Geo. A. BeGole, Jacob Hummel, Geo. W. Gage.

NATIONAL PROGRESSIVE.

The National Progressive Party held their caucus in the town hall at 3 o'clock last Saturday afternoon and was called to order by the township committee chairman E. A. Ward, who was made the permanent presiding officer. On motion that the chairman appoint a secretary and two tellers. He named the following: Secretary, Dr. H. H. Avery; tellers, W. H. Laird and D. C. Marriion. The oath of office was administered by Peter Merkel.

There were no contests for the various offices and the rules were suspended and the secretary cast the ballot for each candidate. The ticket is as follows:

Supervisor—Nathaniel W. Laird. Clerk—C. Emil Kantelehner. Treasurer—Willis H. Benton. Commissioner of Highways—Christian Kalmbach.

Justice of the Peace—Harry H. Avery.

Member Board of Review—Wirt S. Ives.

Overseer Highways—John Jensen. Constables—Dwight C. Marriion, Frank A. Leach, George H. Foster, Charles West.

In compliance with a motion made and supported the chairman then appointed the following as the party township committee for the coming year: Dr. H. H. Avery, J. S. Cummings, A. B. Clark.

DEMOCRAT.

The Democrats of Sylvan met in caucus at the town hall at 4 o'clock Saturday afternoon and was called to order by the chairman of the committee, H. D. Witherell, who was made the presiding officer. A motion was made that the chairman appoint a secretary and two tellers and the following were named: Secretary, C. W. Maroney; tellers, E. R. Schoenhals and Conrad Lehman. The oath of office was administered by Peter Merkel.

The clerk was the only office that was contested and the result of the ballot showed that 40 votes were cast, of which Oscar Schneider received 19 and Frank C. Fenn 21. The remainder of the ticket was nominated by the rules being suspended and the secretary casting the ballot. The ticket is as follows:

Supervisor—Chauncey Hummel. Clerk—Frank C. Fenn. Treasurer—Oscar Schneider. Commissioner of Highways—Charles H. Young. Justice of the Peace—Herbert D. Witherell.

Member Board of Review—Fred W. Notten.

Overseer of Highways—Fred D. Artz.

Constables—Conrad Lehman, John A. Conlan, Samuel Trouten, William Schatz.

The following were appointed by the chairman as the party township committee for the coming year: J. E. McKune, James Taylor and William Schatz.

Maccabee Minstrels.

The Maccabee minstrels will give an entertainment at the Sylvan theatre on Friday evening of this week. The company is made up of the best home talent and the program in two parts follows:

PART ONE.
Opening Chorus. Entire Company
Song—I'm the Guy. Donald Bacon
Mammy's Lullaby. Ladies' Quartett
Ballad—Till the Sands of the Desert grow Cold. Howard Boyd
Mandolin Club. Selected
Hold up Rag. Paul Maroney
I want to be in Dixie. Entire Company
Bock and Wing Dance. C. McKone
Saxophone Solo—Scenes that are Brightest. Robert Inskip
You're my Baby. Rollin Schenk
My Old Kentucky Home.
Musical Sketch. Entire Company

PART TWO.
Song—Mandy Lou. Audrey Harris
Yiddish Monologue and Solo.
Musical Sketch. Robert Inskip
Musical Sketch.
Acolan Stringed Orchestra.

Condition of Flanders Mfg. Co.

The Detroit Trust Co., receiver of the Flanders Manufacturing Company, has sent out a report to the creditors showing debts to the amount of about one million dollars and assets appraised at one million six hundred thousand dollars, the appraisal being taken on the basis of a going concern.

They report all departments both at Chelsea and Pontiac as closed down, and \$246,000 already collected. This they expect to distribute in the way of dividend to the creditors some time this month.

They also report that they have been unable to interest the stockholders in any reorganization plan, nor have they succeeded in finding any buyers for the plant as a whole, and if they cannot finally interest anyone in the plant as a whole, they intend to ask the court for permission to liquidate and sell the property in parcels to suit purchasers.

The Chelsea plant and equipment is appraised at \$588,000. The Pontiac plant and equipment at \$600,000. The balance of \$392,000 consists of material on hand, partially finished products, cash and bills receivable.

Miss Elizabeth A. Considine.

Michigan Catholic: A death of unusual sadness, was that of Miss Elizabeth A. Considine, who passed away Thursday morning, March 20, 1913, after a brief illness. Deceased resided with her aged father, John Considine, sr., and brother, John, jr., at the family homestead, No. 383 Sixth street. She was educated in Holy Trinity academy this city and "The Pines," Chatham, Ont., and from earliest childhood was specially gifted as a student. She took up the profession of teaching and for many years was an efficient instructor at both the Franklin and Tappan schools this city.

Aside from devoting herself to her chosen profession, Miss Considine centered her affections on the home and here is where she will be sorely missed by her venerable father, long past the three score and ten age, upon whom she lavished all a daughter's tenderness and to whom she was a solace through her life. She was the ideal daughter and sister, taking up the duties of the home when her good mother passed to her eternal reward, and she was a ministering angel to her aged parent and her two brothers.

The brief illness, which ended fatally, was no doubt brought on by a too constant devotion to her work and her associates and wide circle of friends were shocked to learn of her passing. Hundreds of these friends called at the home to pray for the repose of the soul of this good woman and to offer sympathy to her father and brothers, and despite the inclement weather a large congregation was present at the solemn Requiem mass sung in St. Peter and Paul's (Jesuit) church Sunday morning. Rev. W. F. Considine, of Chelsea, brother and deacon, was celebrant and he was assisted by Rev. Father Dooley, S. J., and Rev. Father Otting, S. S., as deacon and sub-deacon, and Rev. Father O'Mara acted as master of ceremonies. A most eloquent and beautiful sermon was delivered by Rev. William F. Dooley, S. J., President of the University of Detroit. Father Dooley spoke of her lovely character, her spirit of self sacrifice and devotion, and his comforting words gave great consolation to the bereaved family. Twelve priests were present in the sanctuary. The pallbearers, all old friends of the family were: Messrs. George Holland, Wm. McGreevy, P. J. McGreevy, of Chicago; Joseph Dunn, John Kilcline and Henry Rahaley. The Michigan Catholic tendered deepest sympathy to the aged father, and to the devoted brothers, Rev. Wm. P. Considine and John, jr., in their sorrow, and requests the prayers of its readers for the eternal rest of this excellent woman.

Obituary.

Miss Grace Smith was born in England, Kent county, January 2, 1827, and died at her home in Chelsea on Thursday, March 27, 1913.

She was the daughter of Thomas and Ann Smith. At the age of seven she with her parents, brothers and sisters came to America. Her father departed this life only a few weeks after their arrival. October 27, 1846, she was united in marriage with Elisha Congdon. To them were born seven children, six daughters and one son, Mary, Charles, Clara, Emeline, Fanny, Grace and Bertha. Six of her children survive her. Charles having died at the age of thirty-nine. The husband and father, a soldier in the Civil War, died at his home near here July 26, 1894.

She leaves to mourn her loss six daughters, twenty-five grandchildren, seventeen great grandchildren and a host of other relatives and friends, all of whom realize they have lost a most dear and loving mother and grandmother. She was loved and respected by all who knew her; and will be sorely missed and never forgotten.

MABEL DEAN.

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Coughs and colds, when neglected, always lead to serious trouble of the lungs. The wisest thing to do when you have a cold that troubles you is to get a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery. You will get relief from the first dose, and finally the cough will disappear. O. H. Brown, of Muscadine, Ala., writes: "My wife was down in bed with an obstinate cough, and I honestly believe had it not been for Dr. King's New Discovery, she would not be living today." Known for forty-three years as the best remedy for coughs and colds. Price 50c and \$1.00. Recommended by L. P. Vogel, H. H. Fenn Co. and L. T. Freeman. Advertisement.

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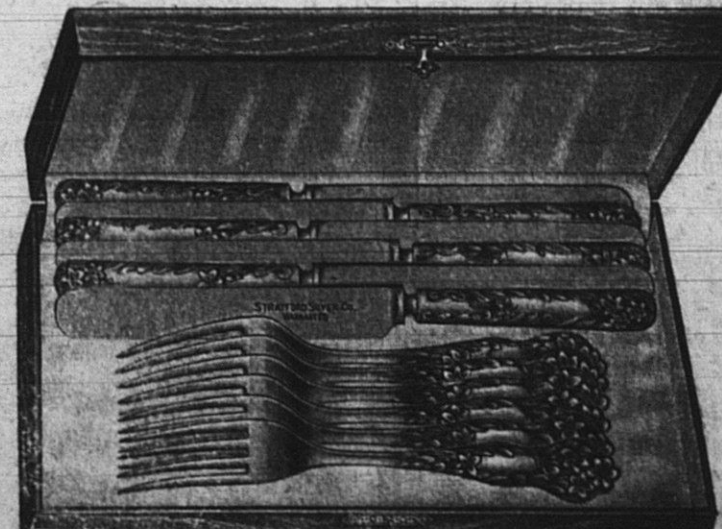
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RELIEF BEING GIVEN VICTIMS

FLOOD SUFFERERS IN OHIO AND INDIANA ARE RECEIVING FOOD AND SUPPLIES.

HIGH WATER IN OTHER PARTS CAUSES ALARM.

Many People Driven From Homes by Ohio and Mississippi Rivers Which Reach Record Mark.

Latest investigations tend to confirm the estimates of fewer than 500 deaths in the floods that swept over a score of cities in Ohio and Indiana last week.

As the waters receded from Dayton, Columbus and other places, leaving a thick coating of mud, alarm was caused by a rapid rise of the Ohio and the Mississippi rivers, inundating parts of cities along their banks.

There is no much danger of loss of life in these places, however, as the inhabitants have hills to flee to and are used to floods.

Revised reports indicate that the number drowned in Dayton may not exceed 150. The death list at Piqua, Ohio, fell from the estimate of 50 to 33 known dead.

Sanitary experts from the United States public health service are ordered to Dayton by Secretary of War Garrison to protect city from pestilence. The water has receded in Dayton and rescuers in some sections use canoes and flat bottomed boats, while in other sections relief squads wade.

People throughout country are urged by Dayton relief committee not to send messages of inquiry, as they cannot be delivered because the wire capacity is taxed to the utmost by official and public business.

Brookville, Indiana, is practically under martial law and 20 men have been driven out of the city after looting damaged homes and buildings. Two hundred and fifty children rescued from the flood have only night clothes and wagon trains carried food and clothing from Connersville to the stricken people.

The work of rehabilitation began at Dayton and other flooded cities as the work of rescue approached its end. All the important weather showed improvement as viewed by refugees, for it was warmer and pleasant to frost and water-chilled bones. Sanitary experts accepted the rise in temperature with mixed feelings, for the cold had retarded decomposition of animal matter and refuse.

Access to Dayton is now comparatively easy and relief trains are arriving nearly every hour with food, clothing, medical supplies, physicians, and Red Cross nurses.

No city even in war times was ever under stricter martial law. The provost guard sounds the curfew at 8 o'clock. With it all passes are revoked automatically and none permitted on the street. The sleep of the exhausted stricken was interrupted continually by the boom of guns. Despite the drastic military measures many attempts to pass the lines and borders were busy. The militia had orders to shoot to kill after one warning and the continual crash of the muskets was evidence that the war aims would stop the marauders.

With nearly 15,000 persons in the towns along the Kentucky side of the Ohio river driven from their homes by the rising water and sweeping away the Ohio valley, and with more than 5,000 homes elsewhere or partly submerged, the flood situation in that vicinity is appalling. Proportionately at Cincinnati the water front buildings are all partly under water and much damage has been done.

One life has been lost as a direct result of the high water here. Miss Anna Smith, the first victim drowned, lost her life in an attempt to reach Newport in a skiff that capsized in mid-stream. Her three men companions were rescued.

Newport and Covington, virtually are surrounded by water. Conditions there are worse than elsewhere and nearly 10,000 persons have been driven from their homes.

Relief measures, however, are adequate. In these two cities the only fear is that health conditions would be seriously affected because of the stagnation of backwater. As yet the water works have continued in operation. The electric light plants, already have had to cease, but gas plants are not interrupted.

The German Manufacturing Co., of Saginaw, capitalized at \$75,000, was organized to manufacture piano parts.

A fourth division of the second battalion of the Michigan naval brigade will be mustered in at Marquette if that city complies with certain conditions which were outlined at a session of the state naval board. A membership of 60 men must be secured by Marquette citizens before the decision will be formally recognized and they must pay the current expenses of the division.

FLOOD DANGER ALARMS CAIRO

All Along the Mississippi Waters Are High and People Are Fleeing From Their Homes in Terror.

Trainloads of persons left Cairo following receipt of news that the Ohio river was expected to reach a higher stage than during the disastrous flood of last spring. R. T. Lindley, the local weather forecaster, issued a statement, saying:

"With weather conditions becoming somewhat unsettled in this river district and rapid rises continuing in the Ohio and Wabash rivers, a 54-foot stage is regarded as certain at Cairo if the levees below hold. Fifty-six feet is regarded as a strong possibility here. As a prudential measure it is advisable that women, children and the infirm seek more secure refuge."

The Ohio has reached 51.3 feet. Every attention is being given the levees here. Labor is scarce and an appeal was sent to Governor Dunne for help and he responded that he would send 1,000 men, 200 national guardsmen, 10,000 rounds of rations and 200,000 sacks.

On the Missouri side of the Mississippi river water is reported everywhere. Hundreds of refugees have come into Cairo. Conditions in this entire district are very serious.

Raise Standard of School.

The state university regents at their meeting raised the standard of the school pharmacy and took definite action regarding the courses of both the engineering and medical departments. The pharmacy degrees will be granted hereafter as follows: At the end of two years, graduate in pharmacy; three-year course, pharmaceutical chemist; four-year course, bachelor of science in pharmacy. The board decided to make the requirements for admission the same as for admission to the literary department.

In the engineering department, the great number of degrees which have been granted will be reduced to two. Formerly there has been given a bachelor's degree from every department of the school. Hereafter the two degrees will be bachelor of science in engineering and bachelor of science in architecture.

Loss of Life at Peru.

An official report received by Mayor Charles E. Goetz, of South Bend, said that 300 persons were drowned at Peru, that no bodies had been recovered and that there was less than one block of the entire city that was not under water.

The report was telephoned to Mayor Goetz by the relief party sent from South Bend, which reached the outskirts of Peru. It stated further that only two feet of the upper parts of the houses in the submerged districts could be seen; that the court house, the hospital and some factory buildings were crowded with survivors in need of food and that Gov. Ralston had been asked to send more supplies from Fort Wayne.

STATE BRIEFS.

Ignace Murwaski, a laborer, was struck and killed by a Michigan Central train at Jackson Junction. The accident occurred at the Elm avenue crossing.

Roy Kivel, 18 years old, of Holbrook, while leading a horse, was thrown to the ground and suffered injuries and exposure. He died seven hours later.

A monument and marker will be placed on the trail of Fr. Marquette through the Arlington Park, according to the decision of Potoseg chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution.

The state military board has decided that the summer encampment of the Michigan National Guard shall be held Aug. 12 to 21, but the place will not be determined until the legislature accepts one of the proposed sites. The camp will be either at Ludington or on the Hanson site, in Crawford county.

William Barnes, of Lansing, awaiting a decision of the supreme court in a case in which he was convicted on a charge of killing a little girl with an automobile, confessed to the police that he was one of a party of three young men who pulled several fire alarm boxes, causing the fire department to make four unnecessary runs.

A petition signed by Supervisor Emerick and 90 taxpayers of Saginaw township, Saginaw County, was filed with the town board asking that their seven schools be combined as a township unit. A special election will be held at which time the question will be submitted to the voters. This is the first township in the county to take the step.

Allegan city is anxious to secure an electric railroad connection with the outside and there was great disappointment when the Kalamazoo-Grand-Rapids line decided to leave the city out.

Because Rev. Thornton Anthony Mills, new minister of the Independent Congregational church at Jackson, every Sunday afternoon reads a play and adds sermonesque comment, local theaters complain that their Sunday crowds are smaller than before he started his plan. The church notes that its attendance and its collection are doubled.

THREE DROWNED AT ANN ARBOR

STUDENTS IN CANOE PARTY ARE HURLED TO DEATH BY RUSHING WATERS.

ONE YOUNG LADY IS SOLE SURVIVOR OF PARTY OF FOUR.

Frail Craft Is Broken in Two and Young People Cling to Pilings for Four Hours Before Help Arrives.

Three persons are dead as the result of a canoe accident on the Huron river. The dead are Miss Ella Rysdort, of Spring Lake, Mich., Henry Bacon, of Pontiac, Mich., and Arthur Crandale, of Brockton, N. Y., while Miss Jane Hicks, of Detroit, had a narrow escape for her life. Three of the party were students at the U. of M. and Miss Rysdort was a former student. Miss Rysdort arrived in Ann Arbor on Saturday afternoon as the guest of Miss Hicks. Late Sunday afternoon the party decided to go for a canoe ride. The craft was broken in two and all swept down stream. They were discovered four hours later clinging to some pilings. Three were too far gone to be saved.

The Masonic lodge at Pottsville, has been offered a building site and \$100 by John C. Potter, providing they erect a two-story building on the property.

Fred Hultz, 60 years old, a Moorland township farmer, was drowned when he fell from the city dock into Muskegon lake. The baby was recovered.

Plans for a \$500,000 endowment fund for Adrian college were made public by President Anthony after an enthusiastic meeting of Adrian businessmen at the college.

E. P. Robinson, of Decatur, Ill., has been secured as agriculturist by the Saginaw County Crop and Improvement association. Mr. Robinson is a graduate of Michigan Agricultural college.

A bucket brigade of 700 men fought a fire that destroyed the Citizens and Michigan State telephone office and several other buildings at Interlochen. The estimated loss is \$5,000 partially covered by insurance.

Fire at Muskegon sweeping the Lake Harbor boat houses, on the northeast end of the lake, caused \$15,000 damage, three yachts and a number of smaller boats, together with four timber structures being destroyed.

One thousand dollars was raised in Chicago for scholarships for Chicago women at the University of Michigan by the Michigan alumnae, of Chicago at a theater party and banquet given for this purpose.

The common council has appointed Harry E. Hosken to succeed his father, former Alderman John Hosken, who dropped dead while returning from a council meeting. The appointment was made at the request of the widow.

The New Haven Coal company at Owosso, sold 196 acres of coal mining property in New Haven township to Wm. McAvoy, of Owosso, retaining the mineral rights. Local capital will make another attempt to operate the mines successfully.

Lowell, 13-year-old son of Mrs. Wm. Resseguie, of Grand Ledge, lost an eye while handling a two-pound can of gunpowder which he and another lad, Lisle Hodge, had found. The boys touched a match of the powder when a fuse proved useless.

Morris Athern's, of Alpena, fishing tug, the Fanny A., which had been drifting about Lake Huron since it was blown out of the river after breaking from its moorings during a heavy storm, was intercepted four miles off Greenbush, south of Alpena.

The Excelsior Wrapper company, of Grand Rapids, was unsuccessful in preventing the Manistee & Grand Rapids railroad from raising the rate on excelsior shipments to Grand Rapids. Hearing of the case was conducted in the offices of the state railroad commission.

The dogs of Cass county have been placed under quarantine by the state live stock commission to prevent a possible epidemic of rabies. A dog which bit three boys in Vandalla was found to have been inoculated, and the lads are being treated in the Pasteur institute in Ann Arbor.

William H. Flagg, Battle Creek's well known naturalist, was killed at St. Petersburg, Florida, where he had spent his winters for the last 14 years. Mr. Flagg was sitting on a dock, fishing, when an ice car rolling down to the boats alongside the wharf struck him, causing instant death.

Gov. Ferris has appointed Frederick Gratoop, of Mt. Clemens, William Hartwig, of Warren, and Charles O. Crissman, of Utica, members of the Macomb county jury commission, and Fred Ulrich and Marshall N. Buckridge, of Port Huron, Daniel F. Gleason, of Emmett, and Eugene A. David, of Fair Haven, of the St. Clair county jury commission.

Plans for the new federal building, at Potoskey, consisting of 25 blue prints, have been received in six sets. The work of construction will begin shortly, the total cost to be \$30,000.

Chippewa county has hit on a scheme to keep its offenders employed at least eight months of the year. The men will labor on the county farm. The scheme has been authorized by the county board and will be put into effect at once. A board of control, consisting of the sheriff, prosecuting attorney and superintendent of the farm, will direct the operations.

Warren McClintic, for years a well known resident of the county and the past three years a resident of Charlotte, dropped dead while transacting business in a local bank. His widow and two daughters survive.

Fire, the cause of which is still unascertained, destroyed the Warner school, in district 2, Eckford township, near Albion. The loss is estimated at \$2,000, with \$1,200 insurance. The Warner school was considered a model district school and has been held as an example throughout the state.

MICHIGAN NEWS IN BRIEF

Gov. Ferris has designated May 5 as Arbor day and Bird day and will issue a formal proclamation.

The Michigan Home Missionary convention, in annual session at Grand Rapids, chose Pontiac for the next meeting place.

L. S. Brumby, of Nashville, Tenn., has been engaged as instructor in scientific farming at the Michigan school for the deaf, at Flint.

Nelson B. Gardner, a prominent civil war veteran, of Albion, died following injuries received when he fell breaking a rib and injuring himself internally.

The city council of Hastings, opened 17 bids for a mile of paving on Jefferson and Green streets, awarding the contract to Lee Howland of Charlevoix.

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A bucket brigade of 700 men fought a fire that destroyed the Citizens and Michigan State telephone office and several other buildings at Interlochen. The estimated loss is \$5,000 partially covered by insurance.

Fire at Muskegon sweeping the Lake Harbor boat houses, on the northeast end of the lake, caused \$15,000 damage, three yachts and a number of smaller boats, together with four timber structures being destroyed.

One thousand dollars was raised in Chicago for scholarships for Chicago women at the University of Michigan by the Michigan alumnae, of Chicago at a theater party and banquet given for this purpose.

The common council has appointed Harry E. Hosken to succeed his father, former Alderman John Hosken, who dropped dead while returning from a council meeting. The appointment was made at the request of the widow.

The New Haven Coal company at Owosso, sold 196 acres of coal mining property in New Haven township to Wm. McAvoy, of Owosso, retaining the mineral rights. Local capital will make another attempt to operate the mines successfully.

Lowell, 13-year-old son of Mrs. Wm. Resseguie, of Grand Ledge, lost an eye while handling a two-pound can of gunpowder which he and another lad, Lisle Hodge, had found. The boys touched a match of the powder when a fuse proved useless.

Morris Athern's, of Alpena, fishing tug, the Fanny A., which had been drifting about Lake Huron since it was blown out of the river after breaking from its moorings during a heavy storm, was intercepted four miles off Greenbush, south of Alpena.

The Excelsior Wrapper company, of Grand Rapids, was unsuccessful in preventing the Manistee & Grand Rapids railroad from raising the rate on excelsior shipments to Grand Rapids. Hearing of the case was conducted in the offices of the state railroad commission.

The dogs of Cass county have been placed under quarantine by the state live stock commission to prevent a possible epidemic of rabies. A dog which bit three boys in Vandalla was found to have been inoculated, and the lads are being treated in the Pasteur institute in Ann Arbor.

William H. Flagg, Battle Creek's well known naturalist, was killed at St. Petersburg, Florida, where he had spent his winters for the last 14 years. Mr. Flagg was sitting on a dock, fishing, when an ice car rolling down to the boats alongside the wharf struck him, causing instant death.

Gov. Ferris has appointed Frederick Gratoop, of Mt. Clemens, William Hartwig, of Warren, and Charles O. Crissman, of Utica, members of the Macomb county jury commission, and Fred Ulrich and Marshall N. Buckridge, of Port Huron, Daniel F. Gleason, of Emmett, and Eugene A. David, of Fair Haven, of the St. Clair county jury commission.

Plans for the new federal building, at Potoskey, consisting of 25 blue prints, have been received in six sets. The work of construction will begin shortly, the total cost to be \$30,000.

Chippewa county has hit on a scheme to keep its offenders employed at least eight months of the year. The men will labor on the county farm. The scheme has been authorized by the county board and will be put into effect at once. A board of control, consisting of the sheriff, prosecuting attorney and superintendent of the farm, will direct the operations.

Warren McClintic, for years a well known resident of the county and the past three years a resident of Charlotte, dropped dead while transacting business in a local bank. His widow and two daughters survive.

Fire, the cause of which is still unascertained, destroyed the Warner school, in district 2, Eckford township, near Albion. The loss is estimated at \$2,000, with \$1,200 insurance. The Warner school was considered a model district school and has been held as an example throughout the state.

J. P. MORGAN DIES WHILE ABROAD

AMERICA'S GREATEST BANKER PASSES AWAY IN ROME.

PHYSICIANS SAY MONEY TRUST INQUIRY HASTENS END.

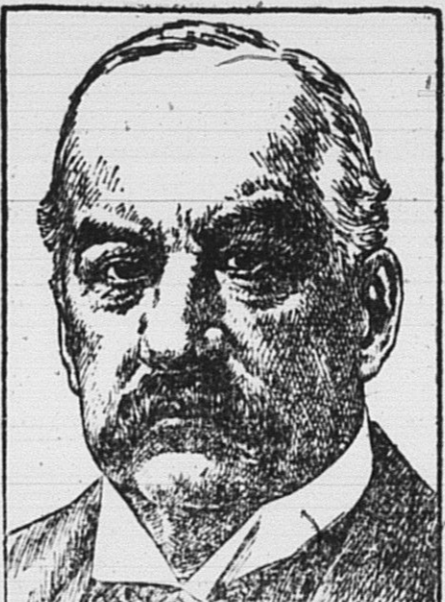
Eminent Financier Has Had Notable Career Extending Over Many Years—Started Son as He Started.

John Pierpont Morgan is dead. The foremost American banker, called by many the king of the world of finance, died at Rome.

Mr. Morgan had been indisposed for weeks. A critical condition was announced for the first time on the night previous to his death.

Dr. Allen Starr, of New York, called into consultation in connection with Mr. Morgan's illness, attributed the financier's breakdown to emotion caused by the investigation carried out by the Pujo committee at Washington as to the operations of the "money trust."

Mr. Morgan's splendid achievements as a pre-eminent financier are condensed in the last three decades. In 1851 he was living in Boston and two years later was at Georgetown, Germany, as a student. At 21 he began the banking business under instruction of his father.



J. PIERPONT MORGAN.

The elder Morgan started the son in the department called foreign exchange. Here the son had to study international trade. After an apprenticeship in New York young Morgan was sent to London.

The importance of this branch of banking will appeal to the layman when it is understood that the money transactions between the United States and the foreign nations run from \$75,000,000 to \$100,000,000 for each business day in the year. These debts are paid in drafts, on which there is a commission. The Morgan bank has profited immensely by writing a large percentage of this business.

For many years it was J. Pierpont Morgan's special study to control a large share of international exchange.

Morgan had at his fingers' ends the world's credit system, in its broadest aspects.

It is noteworthy that J. Pierpont Morgan started his son, J. P. Morgan, Jr. in the foreign exchange department of the Morgan banks.

Slowly Morgan came to eminence. In 1859 his associations with George Peabody brought him experience in handling vast sums, together with profits worthy of a king's ransom. In 1881 the firm of Drexel, Morgan & Co. was formed. On the death of the elder Morgan, 1890, J. Pierpont Morgan became the responsible head of the greatest financial machine in the world.

Page to Be Ambassador.

Walter P. Page, of Garden City, L. I., editor of The World's Work and member of Doubleday, Page & Co., publishers, has accepted President Wilson's offer to be ambassador to Great Britain.

Lynd Griest, about 25 years old, a Grand Trunk fireman, formerly of Charlotte, was instantly killed at the depot in Bellevue when he stepped in front of a passenger train running 60 miles an hour.

The Copper County limited, bound for Chicago on the Chicago & North-western road, was derailed at Bagley, 20 miles north of Menominee. Engine, baggage and mail coaches were derailed.

The Bay City board of commerce is shipping a car load of supplies to Dayton, O., for the flood sufferers.

C. A. Wehmeyer, a member of a committee of the State Fire Prevention association, announced that the committee would inspect the buildings of Adrian on April 15. The committee wishes to learn if all buildings are safe from fire, and will give suggestions as to how to better prevent fires in buildings. Local officers will aid them in their inspection and cooperate in their plans.

THE MARKETS.

Livestock, Grain and General Farm Produce.

Detroit—Cattle—Receipts 848; market steady; best steers, \$8@8.15; steers and heifers, 1,000 to 1,200 lbs. \$7.50@8; steers and heifers, 800 to 1,000 lbs. \$7@7.50; steers and heifers that are fat, 500 to 700 lbs. \$6@7; choice fat heifers that are fat, 500 to 700 lbs. \$6@7; choice fat cows, \$5@6; common cows, \$4.50@4.75; canners, \$3.75@4.25; choice heavy bulls, \$6.50@7; fair to good bolognas, bulls, \$5.75@6.25; stock bulls, \$5@5.50; choice feeding steers, 800 to 1,000 lbs. \$7@7.50; fair feeding steers, 800 to 1,000 lbs. \$6@6.75; choice stockers, 500 to 700 lbs. \$6.50@7; fair stockers, 500 to 700 lbs. \$5.50@6; stock heifers, \$5@5.50; milkers, large, young, medium age, \$5@6; common milkers, \$3.50@4.50.

Veal calves—Receipts, 408; market good grades, 25c to 50c higher than the close last week; common, steady; best, \$10@11.50; others, \$6@9.50. Milch cows and springers, steady.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 2,281; market, steady; best lambs, \$8.75; fair to good lambs, \$8@8.50; light to common lambs, \$7@7.50; yearlings, \$7.75@8; fair to good sheep, \$5.50@6.50; culs and commons, \$4@5.

Hogs—Receipts, 2,589; range of prices: Light to good butchers, \$9.50, pigs, \$9.60; light Yorkers, \$9.40@9.50; stags one-third off.

EAST BUFFALO—Receipts of cattle 145 cars; market 10@15c lower; best 1,350 to 1,500-lb steers, \$8.65@8.85; good to prime 1,200 to 1,300-lb steers, \$8.50@8.60; good to prime 1,100 to 1,200-lb steers, \$8@8.25; coarse, plainish 1,100 to 1,200-lb steers \$7.25@7.75; medium butchers steers, 1,000 to 1,100 lbs, \$7.25@7.75; butchers steers, 600 to 1,000 lbs, \$7@7.50; light butchers steers, \$6.00@7.25; best fat cows, \$5@6; butcher cows, \$4.25@4.75; cutters, \$4@4.50; trimmers, \$3.50@4.75; best fat heifers, \$7.75@8.25; medium butchers heifers, \$6.50@7; light butchers heifers, \$6@6.25; stock heifers, \$5.25@6; best feeding steers, \$7@7.25; light common stockers, \$5@6.25; prime export bulls, \$7@7.25; best butchers bulls, \$6.50@7; bologna bulls, \$5.55@6.25; stock bulls, \$5@5.50; best milkers and springers, \$6@8; common to fair kind do, \$4@5. Hogs: Receipts, \$9.50; closed steady; heavy, \$9.75@9.80; Yorkers, \$9.85@10; pigs, \$9.90@10; rough, \$8.50@8.75. Sheep and lambs: Receipts, 70 cars; market lower; top lambs, \$8.90@9; culs to fair, \$7@8.75; yearlings, \$8@8.25; wethers, \$7@7.25; ewes, \$6@6.75. Calves, \$5@11.50.

Grains, Etc.

Wheat—Cash No. 2 red, \$1.07; May opened without change at \$1.08 and declined to \$1.07 1/2; July opened at 93c and declined to 92 1/2c; September opened at 93c, declined to 92 1/4c, advanced to 93c and closed at 92 1/2c; No. 1 white, \$1.06.

Corn—Cash No. 3, 52 1/2c; No. 3 yellow, 1 car at 53 1/2c; No. 4 yellow, 52c.

Oats—Standard, 35 1/2c; No. 2 white 1 car at 34 1/2c; No. 4 white, 1 car at 33 1/2c.

Rye—Cash No. 2, 68c.

Beans—Immediate and prompt shipment, \$1.85; May, \$1.95.

Clover seed—Prime spot, 60 bags at \$12.40; sample, 16 bags at \$11.50, 27 at \$9.50; prime alsike, \$12.60; sample alsike, 15 bags at \$11.50.

Timothy seed—Prime spot, 40 bags at \$1.70.

Feed—In 100-lb sacks, jobbing lots: Bran, \$23; coarse middlings, \$23; fine middlings, \$27; cracked corn, \$25; coarse cornmeal, \$22.50; corn and oat chop, \$22 per ton.

GENERAL MARKETS.

Apples—Fancy, per bbl. \$2.50@3; ordinary \$1@1.25 per bbl; box apples, \$1.50@2.25.

Butter—Creamery extras, 35c; frats, \$3.12c; packing stock, 22c; dairies, 24c per lb.

Cheese—Michigan flats, new, 15@15 1/2c; old, 17@17 1/2c; New York flats new, 17@17 1/2c; New York flats old, 17 1/2@18; brick 16@16 1/2; limburger, 18 1/2@19 1/2; domestic Swiss, 21@22; imported Swiss, 28@29c; block Swiss, 20 1/2@22c per lb.

Dressed calves—Fancy, 15@15 1/2c; common, 12@14c per lb.

Eggs—Fresh United receipts, cases included, credited 17 3/4c per doz.

Onions—New Spanish, \$1.25 per craf; yellow, car lots, 55@60c per 100 lbs., out of store, 45@50c per bu; Bermuda, \$2.50 per box.

Honey—Fancy white, 16 1/2@17c; amber, 12@12 1/2c; extracted, 8 1/2@9c per lb.

Poultry—Live hens, 17 1/2@18c; No. 2, 15c; roosters, 12c; springs, 17 1/2@18c; ducks, 18@20c; geese, 15@15 1/2c; turkeys, 19@20c per lb.

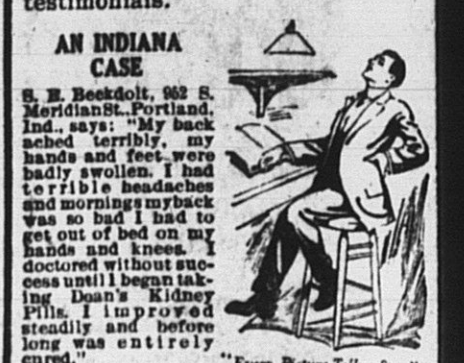
Potatoes—Michigan, car lots, 40@45c out of store, \$5@6c per bu; new Bermudas, \$2.75 per bu; \$7.50 per bbl.

Hay—No. 1 timothy, \$13.50@14; No. 2, timothy, \$11@12; No. 1 mixed, \$11@12; light mixed, \$12.50@13; rye straw, \$9@10; wheat and oat straw, \$8@9 per ton.

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A stubborn backache that hangs on, week after week, is cause to suspect kidney trouble, for when the kidneys are inflamed and swollen, bending the back brings a sharp twinge that almost takes the breath away.

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FOR SALE—Farms and village property. Inquire of H. D. Witherell. 181f

FOR SALE—I have the agency for the good old reliable Homestead Fertilizer. Give me a call. Lewis Ernst, phone 144 ring-21, r. 1. d. 2, Chelsea. 36

WOMEN WANTED—To sell reliable remedy. Big profits. Box 1, Goshen, Indiana. 35

FOR SALE—Shepherd and Collie pups. Guarantee they will make good cattle dogs. H. Stanbridge, Route 3, Chelsea. 35

FOR SALE—Gasoline range stove; nearly new; cheap. Chas. Martin, phone 5 ring-2. 36

FOR SALE—No. 9 range, nearly new; also two single bugles. J. E. Weber, phone 166, Chelsea. 36

WANTED—To buy an 8-room dwelling on contract. Address P. O. Box 303, Chelsea. 35

FOR SALE—200-egg incubator and out-door brooder; a bargain. Wirt S. Ives, phone 16 ring-2. 36

SEED OATS FOR SALE—I have a quantity of old oats that are bright, plump and free from smut. Will make better seed than the damaged crop of last year. They are re-cleaned and ready for the drill. While they last at 50 cents a bushel. Come and get what you want. A. D. Baldwin, phone 158 ring-30. 35

I HAVE on Elm avenue two lots with cement block foundations ready for a dwelling; cistern plastered; water and sewer connections now in and paid for. Will sell choice for price of lot alone. R. B. Waitrous. 35

FOR SALE—One bay yielding, 6 years old, weight 1100, extra good, price \$35. One grey mare, coming 19 years old, weight 1400, price \$140. 1 Holstein heifer, 2 years old, fresh, price \$40. A. J. Fuller, phone 206 ring-3. Royle 3, Chelsea. 35

A. BURKHART is the local agent for the State Mutual Cyclone Insurance Co. of Lapeer, Mich. See him before you insure. 35

FOR SALE—Thirty bushels early Michigan seed potatoes. Inquire of Ives Bros. Phone 16, ring 2. 35

FEED GRINDING every Wednesday and Saturday, Jerusalem Mills, E. F. Wacker, Prop. phone 144 ring 2. 33tf

FOR SALE—Conway Farm, 93 acres located 1 1/2 miles west of Chelsea on D. U. R. electric line land lying idle and in best of condition, an unusual bargain for \$6,500, must be sold at once. Mrs. M. Conway, 114 S. East Ave., Jackson, Mich. 35

WANTED—Man or woman for green-house work. Apply at the Chelsea Greenhouses; phone 189 ring 21. 33tf

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An independent local newspaper published every Thursday afternoon from its office in the Standard building, East Middle street, Chelsea, Michigan.

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PERSONAL MENTION.

Wm. Foor was in Detroit Wednesday.

H. S. Holmes was in Detroit Wednesday.

Max Kelly, of Detroit, was home Sunday.

Mrs. J. L. Gilbert spent Tuesday in Grass Lake.

D. H. Wurster was in Ann Arbor Wednesday.

E. J. Whipple and son were in Ann Arbor Sunday.

Mrs. Floyd-VanRiper spent Wednesday in Jackson.

Mrs. Mary Winans is visiting her daughter in Toledo.

Fred Gilbert, of Wayne, spent Tuesday in Chelsea.

Robert Leach spent Friday with relatives in Jackson.

Guy Murphy is at home this week helping on a new barn.

E. G. Hoag, of Ann Arbor, was a Chelsea visitor Sunday.

Joseph Murphy, of Detroit, spent Sunday with his parents.

L. Redmond, of Geneva, O., was a Chelsea visitor Wednesday.

Miss Laura Herzog, of Ann Arbor, was a Chelsea visitor Sunday.

Mesdames Hiram and Cone Lighthall are Jackson visitors today.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Hammond spent Sunday with relatives in Jackson.

Mrs. Sidney Bakewell, of Detroit, is visiting friends here this week.

Mrs. Lena McLaughlin is visiting friends in Detroit for a few days.

Herbert Riemenschneider, of Jackson, spent Sunday at his home here.

George Eisele, of Jackson, is spending this week with his parents here.

Mrs. John Waltrous and granddaughter were in Ann Arbor Saturday.

Mrs. Howard Everett, of Kalamazoo, spent Saturday with Chelsea relatives.

Miss Blanche Grant, of Detroit, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Conrad Schanz.

Mrs. N. Phelps, of Coldwater, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Bacon.

Dr. S. G. Bush was called to Durand Saturday by the serious illness of his father.

Mrs. Wm. Rheinfrank and niece Ella Ruth Hunter are spending a few days in Detroit.

Mesdames E. Pennycook and Carl Gauss, of Ann Arbor, are guests of Mrs. Wm. Arnold.

Miss Sylvia Runciman spent the week-end with Miss Dorothy McEldowney at Albion.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Miles and children, of Dexter, spent Sunday at the home of Cone Lighthall.

John Miller, who has been spending several days with his mother here, returned to Chicago Wednesday.

Mrs. W. Tuomey and Miss Caroline Whitaker, of Ann Arbor, were guests of Mrs. C. Whitaker Wednesday.

Mrs. Karl Bagge and daughter and Mrs. Fred Broesamle and daughter were Jackson visitors Wednesday.

Robert Holmes, of Battle Creek, is spending a few days with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Noyes.

Mrs. Henry Schneider and children, of Beloit, Wisconsin, are guests at the home of James Bacon this week.

Mrs. Howard Ellis and daughter, of Grand Rapids, are guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Holmes.

F. H. Roe, George Lamb and Geo. Washer, of Lansing, members of the tax commission, spent Sunday with J. L. Gilbert.

Miss Josie Bacon, who is teaching school at Marine City, is spending this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bacon.

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ANDERSON—Fred Mackinder has traded his farm here to Mr. Ader of Detroit for a house and lot there. Mr. Ader will take possession at once.

CHURCH CIRCLES

BAPTIST.
Prof. Laird will conduct the morning service.
The annual meeting of the church will be held Saturday, April 5. Dinner will be served at noon.
Sunday school at 11 a. m.
B. Y. P. U. at the usual hour.

ST. PAUL'S.
Rev. A. A. Schoen, Pastor.
Services at 10 a. m.
Sunday school at 11 a. m.
The Ladies' Aid Society will meet with Mrs. Michael Zeeb Friday afternoon of this week.
The Young People's Society will meet at 7 p. m.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL.
Rev. J. W. Campbell, Pastor.
10 a. m. Sunday sermon.
11:15 Bible study.
Junior League at 3 p. m.
Epworth League at 6:15 p. m. Topic, "The Indignation of Jesus." Leader, Miss Grace Fletcher.
Union meeting at the Congregational church at 7 o'clock.
Prayer meeting on Thursday at 7:15 p. m.

CONGREGATIONAL.
Rev. Charles J. Dole, Pastor.
Morning worship at 10 o'clock.
Subject of sermon, "The Dynamic of Christianity."
Sunday school at 11 a. m. "Jacob and Esau."
Young People's meeting at 6:15 p. m. "The Grace of Humility."
The evening service will be in charge of the Brotherhood. They have secured Rev. Frank M. Sheldon of Ann Arbor as speaker. All the men are especially urged to be present.

BREVITIES.

JACKSON—Ignace Murwaski, a laborer, was struck and killed by a Michigan Central train at Jackson Junction early Sunday morning. The accident occurred at the Elm avenue crossing.

STOCKBRIDGE—Chas. Townsend has accepted a position as commercial teacher in the high school at Aberdeen, S. D. He will leave the last of this week for that place, his work commencing there next Monday.—Brief Sun.

MANCHESTER—The Lake Shore company is considering the change of train service asked for by citizens of Tecumseh and Clinton and an answer is looked for any day. They wanted the train from the south to connect here with the trains east so they can get to Detroit and back the same day.—Enterprise.

GRASS LAKE—The building inspector was here Tuesday and inspected the walls of the M. E. church and pronounced them perfectly safe. There is not a crack in the walls anywhere and are as solid as if newly made. The work of repairing is progressing rapidly and in three or four weeks will be so that services can be held there.—News.

PLYMOUTH—C. H. Rauch, who for the past several years has been manager of the local telephone exchanges in this village and Northville and for the past year and a half general superintendent of all the long distance lines of the Interstate Long Distance Telephone Co., outside of the city of Detroit, with an office in the city, has tendered his resignation to the company, to take effect April 1st. While Mr. Rauch's severance his connection with the company next Monday, he will be in charge of the exchanges here and at Northville until April 15th.—Mail.

ANN ARBOR—Farmers living west of the city have a kick against the D. J. & C. Railway company. According to them, the company in preparing a switch just outside the city limits on the west, has so impaired the highway at that point that it is practically impossible for the farmers to drive into the city. They claim the company last fall dumped a lot of clay, taken from the right of way where the switch was built, into the middle of the road, leaving it there, without any attempt being made to spread or roll it, with the result that the road is now waist deep in mud.

NAVIGATION OPENED

The Waterway is the Enjoyable Way. Daily service between Detroit and Cleveland, leaving at 10:45 p. m., arrive at destination following morning 6 a. m.
Week end excursions every Saturday \$2.50 Round Trip.
Service between Detroit and Buffalo and Detroit and Mackinac begins about April 20th.

Railroad tickets honored for transportation between Detroit and Cleveland, Detroit and Buffalo either direction.
Send two-cent stamp for illustrated pamphlet and Great Lakes Map. Detroit & Cleveland Nav. Co. Adv.

Cards of Thanks.

We desire to thank our neighbors and friends for their words of sympathy and kindness shown us in our recent sorrow.
MR. AND MRS. M. MOHRLOCH, SR. AND FAMILY.

In appreciation for the kind remembrances in gifts of flowers, singing and all services rendered in favor of Mrs. Ellsha Congdon, we her prosperity all express our gratefulness.
CHILDREN AND GRANDCHILDREN.

Mrs. R. W. Lake in this way wishes to express her thanks for the postal card shower and flowers she received on her birthday. She received 99 cards.

For Burns, Bruises and Sores.
The quickest and surest cure for burns, bruises, boils, sores, inflammation and all skin diseases is Bucklen's Arnica Salve. In four days it cured L. H. Haffin, of Iredell, Texas, of a sore on his ankle which pained him so he could hardly walk. Should be in every house. Only 25c. Recommended by L. P. Vogel, H. H. Penn Co., L. T. Freeman Co. Advertisement.

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Owing to the bad weather during our Opening (March 26-27) we have decided to continue it on

Saturday, April 5
afternoon and evening, when experts will be here to demonstrate our Electric Lighting Outfit. Many other tools and implements will also be demonstrated at that time.

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New Tan and Black Shoes in Princess Louise or Evangeline Makes at \$3.00 and \$3.50.
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LOCAL ITEMS.

Gov. Ferris has named May 9 as Arbor Day.

Miss Lena McLaughlin has rented her farm in Lyndon to J. N. Dancer.

Mrs. Mary Boyd will entertain the Willing Workers next week Tuesday.

The Chelsea public schools are closed this week for the spring vacation.

Holmes & Walker have engaged W. M. Hall of Harvard, Ill., as tinsmith in their shop.

Paul Belsler is in Ann Arbor where he will have an operation performed on his nose.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Weinburg moved to the Elmer Smith farm in Lima the first of this week.

Mrs. Florence Howlett has been elected treasurer of the Ladies' Aid Society of the M. E. church.

The High Five Club were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Walker Tuesday evening.

Mrs. John Spiegelberg was confined to her home several days of the past week with an attack of tonsillitis.

Conrad Heselchwerdt has been given charge of the east section from this place on the Michigan Central.

Mrs. N. S. Potter gave a "suffrage tea" to about thirty ladies at her home on Summit street Saturday afternoon.

The Loyal Workers will have an apron sale in connection with a sale of baked goods in the store of Geo. H. Foster & Son on Saturday, April 6th.

Jacob Hummel has been in Detroit for the last two weeks serving as a juror in the United States circuit court for the eastern district of Michigan.

Jacob Kern of Sylvan Center on Monday of this week delivered to Wm. Heselchwerdt of Sharon three head of fattened cattle for which he received \$210.10.

The Suffrage meeting held at the town hall Monday evening was well attended and Hon. H. Wirt Newkirk of Ann Arbor, who addressed the gathering, handled the subject in an able manner.

The son of Mr. and Mrs. George Scripser of Lyndon, who was accidentally shot about three weeks ago and was taken to the hospital in Ann Arbor, returned to the home of his parents Monday.

Word was received here Wednesday that Dorotha the young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Daly, of Cleveland, died Tuesday of diphtheria. Mr. and Mrs. Daly were former residents of this place and their Chelsea friends are pained to learn of their bereavement.

A very beautiful chalice and ciborium have been given to the Church of Our Lady of the Sacred Heart by Rev. Father Considine in memory of his mother. They were used today for the first time at the celebration of requiem high mass for the repose of the soul of the late Miss Elizabeth Considine.

The village authorities have engaged the services of Wm. Wolf and his team to do the street work the coming season. Mr. Wolf will also do the street sweeping and carting away the dirt. The authorities have under construction three split-log drags which will be used in the care of the streets.

The marriage of Miss Catherine Cavanaugh, of Big Rapids, and Mr. George P. McEnany, of Salt Lake City, Utah, took place at eight o'clock Wednesday morning, April 2, in St. Mary's church, of Big Rapids. The groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. E. McEnany, of Sharon. The couple will make their home in Utah.

The announcement is made of the marriage of Miss Mabel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Bacon, and Mr. Fred Dewey, a young attorney of Detroit. The ceremony will take place at high noon on Saturday of this week at the Congregational church. The young lady has been the guest of honor at a number of social functions that have been given during the past few weeks.

H. S. Holmes lost the horse barn on his Dewey Avenue premises which was struck by lightning about 3:30 o'clock Wednesday afternoon. John Bush and John Beuhler were able to get out the cows that were in the building but they were unable to rescue the farm team and they perished in the flames. When the fire department arrived on the premises the structure was a solid mass of flames and it was impossible to save any of the contents. Loss about \$2,500.

John Spiegelberg has accepted a position in the store of Holmes & Walker.

H. G. Spiegelberg has accepted a position as clerk in the store of C. E. Kantelehner.

There will be a regular meeting of the K. O. T. M. M. on Friday evening of this week.

Henry Wilson, of Lima, is suffering from the effects of stepping on a rusty nail Tuesday.

A number from Chelsea attended the student opera, "Contrarie Mary," at Ann Arbor Saturday.

The Chafing Dish Club was entertained at the home of Miss Helen McQuillan Tuesday evening.

A number of the high school students spent several days of this week camping at Cavanaugh Lake.

The steel for fire escapes at the Methodist Old People's Home were delivered at the home Saturday.

County Clerk Geo. W. Beckwith on Tuesday issued a marriage license to Lynn W. Kern and Miss Nellie F. Smalley both of Sylvan.

A. G. Faist unloaded a carload of automobiles here Tuesday morning. This is the second shipment that he has received in the last ten days.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hamp, of Tompkins, and Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Cooper, of Waterloo, were guests at the home of George Runciman Sunday.

C. W. Maroney, H. R. Schoenbals and J. B. Stanton were in Ann Arbor Monday and witnessed the conferring of the Royal Arch degree on a number of candidates.

Fred Winkleman, who has occupied the farm of Mrs. Daniel McLaughlin in Lyndon for a number of years, has moved to the Lyman Brothers farm in Dexter township.

A freight car on the D. J. & C. was derailed on the curve just east of the Chelsea waiting room early Wednesday morning. The first cars going east and west were delayed on account of the accident.

Last Sunday morning a west bound freight train of sixty-eight cars took the side track here and the conductor of the train informed a Standard employe that fifty of the cars were loaded with automobiles.

Married at high noon Thursday, April 3, 1913, at the home of the brides' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Smith, of Cavanaugh Lake, Miss Flossie Smith and Mr. George M. Martin of Howell. The couple were attended by Miss Edith Johnson, of Chelsea, and Mr. George Smith brother of the bride. Rev. Littlejohn of Howell officiated. The ceremony was witnessed by a number of relatives and a wedding dinner was served. The bride is a graduate of the Chelsea high school.

School Notes.
The entire corps of teachers has been invited by the board of education to remain another year.

The names of those to represent the class of 1913 as valedictorian and salutatorian at their commencement will be announced next week.

The class in physics will begin the study of electricity and magnetism while the class in chemistry take up their work in industrial chemistry at the opening of the spring term.

The members of the class in stenography are making fine progress. There are several in the class who are already able to take rapid dictation. Their work on the typewriter is also very commendable.

The athletic association is making arrangements to send track teams to the meet at Adrian, May 3; to the tri-county at Wayne or Plymouth, May 31; and to the state meet at Lansing, June 7. There is some very promising material and the boys are determined to redeem the cup which was lost at Plymouth last year.

An illustrated lecture to boys and men only will be delivered by Dr. Warthin of the medical department of the University of Michigan in the auditorium of the high school, Friday evening, April 18. The lecture is under the auspices of the school and is free. Young men are especially urged to attend as they will hear something of vital import to themselves and their posterity.

The Dayton Flood.
The Princess Amusement Company has purchased a set of 30 slides of the Ohio flood and fire scenes and they will be shown at a special performance on Friday evening. These views are all authentic, taken by a staff photographer of the Owl Film Co. of Chicago, in the vicinity of Columbus and Dayton. They are very clear and show the havoc wrought by the great flood. In addition to the above, three unusually fine reels of pictures will be shown.



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IT will be up to the voters of Washtenaw County on April 7th, next, to vote for a man for County Auditor who will look after their interests. Such a man is William Bacon. A in front of his name will do the business.

Chancery Notice

STATE OF MICHIGAN, suit pending in the Circuit Court for the County of Washtenaw, in chancery, wherein Addison J. Fuller is complainant and the unknown heirs at law of Josiah Wilsey are defendants. Satisfactory proof appearing to the court by affidavit on file, that the defendants are unknown, it is hereby ordered, that the said defendants appear and answer the bill of complaint filed in said cause within six months from the date of this order.

E. D. KINNE, Circuit Judge.
Dated February 28, 1913.
JOHN KALKREUTH, Solicitor for Complainant.
Business Address, Chelsea, Mich. 38

Probate Order

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw, ss. At a session of the probate court for said county of Washtenaw, held at the probate office in the city of Ann Arbor, on the 29th day of March, in the year one thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

Present, William H. Murray, Judge of Probate.
In the matter of the estate of John G. Edwards, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Wibur VanRiper, administrator of said estate, praying that he may be licensed to sell certain real estate described therein at private sale for the purpose of preserving the estate and final distribution.

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In the matter of the estate of Herbert E. and Emma L. Schenk.

On reading and filing the petition of Emanuel Schenk, guardian of said estate, praying that he may be licensed to sell certain real estate described therein at private sale for the purpose of reinvesting the proceeds.

It is ordered, that the 1st day of May next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office be appointed for hearing said petition.

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

Notice.

We the undersigned dentists of Chelsea will close our offices on Wednesday during the summer, beginning Wednesday, April 2, 1913.

H. E. AVERY,
A. L. STUBBS.

Try the Standard "Want" Ads.

SURVIVORS TELL OF FLOOD THRILLS

Lecturer Saw 28 Bodies Recovered at Delaware, O.

MEANEST MAN A BOAT OWNER

College Girls Relate Death Scenes and Heroic Rescue Work by the Students—Stories of Other Refugees.

Chicago.—Thrilling stories of the flooded districts in Ohio were told by Rev. E. O. O'Neal, who returned to this city from a lecture tour. He saw rescuers take 28 bodies from the river at Delaware, O.

"All of the small towns along the river have been swept away," he said. "The greatest problem is food. The victims are starving and freezing to death. Those who are able to work are making every effort to rescue and help others. There is no communication between towns.

"When at Delaware I saw college students make many thrilling rescues by swimming out into the swift current and swimming back with a flood victim. One young man swam out and rescued 30 persons in one day. He was the bravest fellow I ever saw.

Women and Children Afloat.

"I saw a house with one woman and three children clinging to the roof floating down the stream. The house was whirling and bobbing up and down in the water. The woman was screaming for help. Persons on the edge of the flood had a small boat, but they could not row fast enough to catch up with the house.

"The house bore down on the Pennsylvania railroad bridge and crashed against it. The mother caught the bridge and went down. The children went down, but came up again near a tree. The eldest child helped the other two and help on to the tree. The boat put out and rescued all of them.

"A few minutes later a house with a man about 75 years and his wife floated down the stream. The woman was lying on the roof. The old man was holding her. Suddenly the house struck a tree and the brick chimney fell off. Then we saw the old man lift his wife in his arms and carry her to the chimney hole in the roof and let her down into it. When the rescuers put out in a boat and caught up with the house, one of the rescuers inquired of the woman:

"She is dead," said the old man. "She died two hours ago, and I was afraid to let her lie on the roof because the water would carry her away."

Sees Man and Woman Drown.

"I saw another house with a man and woman clinging to the chimney to keep from falling off. The house struck a tree and the chimney crumbled. Both went down before the boat reached them and we never saw them again. These are only a few instances of the horrible things seen in the flooded district.

"I went from Delaware to Prospect, and the same tragedies were repeated. At Prospect I saw the meanest man in the world. The meanest man, I think, is a farmer who owned a boat at Prospect. He lived across the river from the town. He lent his boat to a Baptist minister who used it for rescue work. They saved more than a dozen women and children during the day. It was the only boat in the town.

Farmer Demands His Boat.

"Although the minister could rescue but two persons at a time he was doing noble work. Many persons were swept away before the boat could reach them. Late in the afternoon the farmer came to the shore and announced he wanted the boat. He declared he would take the boat by force. He said he wanted the boat to go across the river and attend to some business.

"The minister refused to give up the boat, but offered to row the farmer across the dangerous river, if he could keep the boat. The farmer grudgingly assented, and a newspaper man from Marion and the minister rowed him across. It was the first attempt to take the boat across the swift river and was extremely dangerous.

"The preacher declared he would take any risk in order to keep the boat. They landed the farmer across the river with much difficulty. They started back and when in the middle of the stream the boat capsized, and both went down. With the boat hundreds of persons could have been rescued.

Bread Famine at Delaware.

"The victims need food more than anything else. There is a bread famine at Delaware. To show they were willing to do anything to help the sufferers more than 100 students at Wesleyan college volunteered to leave the city so there would be 100 less to

How to Paint a Tin Roof.

In painting a new tin roof, clean all rosin and acid off with coal oil, wash with strong soda water, and rinse with clear clean water. Treated in this manner, the paint will not scale off and leave the tin exposed.

First Power House.

The first electric power house in this country consisted of a small shack at Appleton, Wis., housing a small generator driven by a water-wheel.

feed. The students departed at night for their homes in different parts of the country.

"At Celina I saw the same suffering. The town was under ten feet of water. I saw them take ten bodies from the water at Massillon, O. Prospect, O., is under 14 feet of water, and the river at that point is four miles wide. I saw them take more than a dozen bodies from the water.

"The reports of the dead have not been sent in from these small towns and the country will be appalled when the full number is known. From what I saw I do not think the reports have been exaggerated.

"Piqua and Fostoria are under water, and many people are drowned. The nearest I could get to Dayton was Piqua. Most of the town was under water. It was impossible to get to Dayton."

Co-Eds Tell of Horrors.

Four weary young women, co-eds from Ohio Wesleyan university at Delaware, O., climbed from a Pullman on a delayed Lake Shore train in the LaSalle street station. They were the first arrivals in Chicago from the actual scenes of death and desolation attending the floods throughout central Ohio.

Eagerly questioned by newspaper men, the young women talked freely of their experiences and painted graphic word pictures of the horrors of the inundation of a large part of Delaware.

They were Miss Florence Wyman of 3653 Sheffield avenue, student in general work and instructor in the art school of the university, Edith and Esther Quayle of 233 North Harvey street, Oak Park, and Mabel Lees of 325 Elmwood avenue, Oak Park.

Fear Horror to Follow.

Miss Wyman, who had chaperoned the party on the trip, was the spokesman, but the other girls broke in from time to time with eager ejaculations to emphasize the horror of the tale she told.

"The thought that is uppermost in my mind," said Miss Wyman, "is not so much of the horror that has passed as of the greater horror that must inevitably come to those poor people in Delaware and elsewhere throughout the flooded district. There are some dead bodies still in the houses at Delaware, and thousands elsewhere in Ohio, and it is staggering to the imagination to attempt to conjure up the picture of desolation, famine and pestilence that will follow the recession of the waters."

"The flood itself was like a horrible nightmare. The water crept up slowly, but, oh, so steadily and relentlessly. First it was six inches deep in some of the lower streets; then a foot deep, and at last it had covered all the lower part of town and was lapping at the feet of the hills, while the houses in the flooded portion stood, many of them, with only the upper stories and roofs visible.

Hear Prayers for Safety.

"And on nearly every house there was a family, or what was left of the family, clinging to the ridgepole and chimneys and praying for deliverance. "The university stands on the highest hill in town, and we were not affected by the flood itself. But all night, that first night, the 200 girls in Monnett hall, our dormitory, walked the floor and wept and prayed as the walls of the unfortunates only a few blocks away were borne to their cells. Closed windows could not keep out the sound. Now and then a woman shrieked above the general lamentations, and we knew when that sound reached us that some one had seen a loved relative, an aged father or mother, or perhaps a child, lose the grip of numbed fingers and slide off into the black chill waters."

"Throughout the night the men students and members of the faculty did what they could to rescue the sufferers, but we had no boats at the university and it was almost impossible for that some one had seen a loved relative, an aged father or mother, or perhaps a child, lose the grip of numbed fingers and slide off into the black chill waters."

Rescue Work Makes Heroes.

"As soon as dawn came the boys got together in an organized rescue corps. Our school produced a hundred heroes in half an hour. Every one of those students risked death on the flimsy rafts they were able to construct, but they never hesitated. They found some small boats, too, and did as well as they could with these. Prof. W. E. Dixon, the physical director of the university, headed the work of rescue. He had a dozen active lieutenants in the work of directing operations."

"Some of the houses could not be reached at all. The rafts were unmanageable, and the few boats were smashed one after another as they were caught by the eddying currents. Every time a boat was smashed two or three of the boys would be thrown into water ten or fifteen feet deep, but they all swam out in safety.

"Well, when they found how impossible it was to get actual contact with the houses they went to the nearest houses they could reach and took ropes and pulleys from a hardware store that had escaped the flood.

"They would tie a bolt to a light line and throw it over to a house

where there were persons clinging on the roof. These people would catch the light line, pull over a heavier one and a pulley and set up a running line of cable by making fast to a chimney or house tower.

"The boys must have known something about breeches buoy work, for as soon as they had a line to a house they would rig up a chair and pass it over. Then the people would be hauled across. I guess they must have taken more than 100 off the different roofs. One woman, who weighed more than 200 pounds, started across in a chair. The pulley was fastened to a chimney and the chimney toppled over. The woman went into the water, but they kept hauling her in and she clung to the chair. She was half drowned when they got her up.

Take Refuge in "Frat" Houses.

"The men students have responded nobly in time of distress, and the Phi Kappa Psi, Sigma Chi, and Beta Theta Pi fraternity houses, which are on hills, have been turned over for sleeping places for women and children. A Mr. Houseman and a Mr. Sullivan manned the boats sent down by the life saving station at Toledo, and saved fifteen persons. The students are doing practically all of the work of saving people and bringing what food there is to the starving men, women and children.

The property loss in the city, not counting personal property, is over \$2,000,000. There is danger of fire, because the co-eds are using candles for lights.

"We know of thirteen deaths: Mr. and Mrs. Frank Melcher and their two sons, Ralph, 6 years old, and Lewis, 4 years old; Mrs. Silas Smith and her two sons and one little daughter, 1 year old; Miss Hazel Jones, a 15-year-old girl; Miss Hazel Dunlap, Mrs. Slosson, William Hessey, William Fielding and James Maine.

Dies After Being Rescued.

"William Fielding clung to a tree for three days and was rescued only to die of exposure. A Mr. Rainer was marooned in the top of a tree for three days and a half and was rescued. He is now ill from exposure and it is thought he will get pneumonia.

"A little girl was picked up from a raft on which she had floated five miles from Stratford. She is ill of exposure, but it is believed, she will live."

Other Refugees Arrive.

Every train that came in from the east brought men and women who had escaped from Indiana after arduous, roundabout trips and disheartening delays. Perhaps none of these refugees had a more exciting experience than that of Frank Jamieson, a commercial traveler of Muncie, Ind.

For thirty-six hours Jamieson was marooned with eighty-five other men and women guests and employees of the Barnett hotel in Logansport. The basement and first floor were flooded, water standing eight feet deep in the office. All there was to eat was some corned beef and coffee, which one of the women heated over a small gasoline stove. In the basement, under water, was \$3,500 worth of fine food which could not be reached.

Wednesday afternoon a man rowed down the street near the hotel and Jamieson hailed him. He had only a small skiff and there was room for one passenger. Jamieson offered him \$10 to be ferried out of town and the boatman accepted the offer. No one else in the hotel dared risk the trip, feeling safer in the building than adrift on the waters, but Jamieson climbed out of the second story window and took a seat in the boat.

Five Miles in Row Boat.

"We rowed for five or six miles, I should think," said Jamieson, in describing his experience. "The water gradually grew shallow and finally I darkened in a field, where I was about knee deep in mud and water. I got a farmer to drive me a few miles further on, where I caught a train at a crossing of the steam and interurban tracks."

"As the train was passing Warsaw we saw a horrible thing. A farmer was driving a team attached to a light wagon. He had a passenger, apparently a traveling man, and they waded at the train, which slowed down and was about to stop for them. The horses were knee deep in water and the bed of the wagon lapped the flood now and then, but they came on confidently and seemed likely to make the tracks in safety.

Suddenly, however, the wagon and horses disappeared from view. It seemed as if they must have struck a sinkhole or something, but the queer part of it was that they didn't come up. The train waited for ten minutes, but not even a bubble came to the surface of the pool where the men and horses had disappeared. It was a terrible thing, and several women on the train who saw it became hysterical and were restored with extreme difficulty."

Insanity and Suicide.

At Brookville, where the loss of life is estimated at 20 to 50, insanity and suicides followed in the wake of the flood. Five parents who had seen their children drowned or who feared they met that fate are reported to have committed suicide.

Avoid Overheating.

The danger of overheating which attends incandescent lamp sockets containing a resistance unit to lessen the brilliancy of the light is avoided by distributing the resistance through a cord, provided with a regulating switch at the end.

American Typewriters.

The United States supplies Russia with three-fourths of its typewriters, twenty kinds of American machines being sold there.

Slave Mart of Morocco

FOR MANY years no slaves have been imported into Morocco by sea. Mediterranean pirates no longer chase unfortunate vessels that have ventured near the inhospitable coast of Moghreb, but slavery still exists everywhere in Morocco. Mrs. Doctor Lezey writes in the Pittsburg Gazette-Times. Marakech is still, as it was at the time of which Voltaire wrote, the headquarters of this shameless traffic. In vain France forbids slavery in all her African possessions, but as long as numerous droves of human cattle are driven into Marakech by caravans from Souss and Taflet the slave trade will continue.

The imported slaves are readily sold, either openly in the market or secretly. The slave market is situated in the quarter of the aularines, or druggists. Nothing is more pitiful than to see this slave market, where sales are made in bright daylight under the protection of Allah.

Imagine an enormous open square, surrounded by a large number of boxes. In the center is a covered gallery, under which the vendors stand in rainy weather. A little before the opening time of the market the slave traders bring in their human merchandise, leaving the actual sale to commissioners, delalls.

Slave Mart Opened With Prayer.

Women, children, youth and grown men are driven promiscuously into the boxes. In most cases they make no attempt at resistance. They know full well that they have nothing to say, and that they will be sold whether they like it or not. Little by little the square is filled up by purchasers. Everybody tries to get the best place to obtain a good view of the slaves. At last the delalls arrive.

The market is opened with a solemn prayer. Standing near the entrance with their hands open to simulate "the book," they place themselves under the protection of Sidi bel Abbes, the patron of town, and in a loud voice recite the "Fatima," or first surate of the Koran.

It reads: "Praised be Allah, master of the universe, the lenient, the merciful, the ruler on the day of retribution. It is thee whom we adore, it is thy help we implore."

When the invocation is over, each Jellal takes charge of the lot of slaves entrusted to him. A hasty toilet is made, consisting in removing the most filthy rags and replacing them by neat clean clothes. This enhances the value of the ware, and the sale begins.

The delalls run all around the square in all directions, followed by the group of women, children and men they have to sell. If any buyer appears to be interested the gang is stopped and he is given an opportunity to take his choice. He carefully examines the hair, teeth and limbs of the creatures offered for sale.

When a bargain is made it is ratified before the adoul (notary). The price depends on the sex, age and quality of the slave. I have seen a man of twenty-four sold for 16 duros hasani, or about \$14 in American money, while a girl of ten or twelve brings 120

to 150 duros. The very little children are worth next to nothing. A woman who knows how to cook may bring 500 duros. When a woman is brought to the market with an infant at her breast or just able to walk it often happens that the buyer wants only the mother; the poor baby is then sold separately. Heartrending scenes take place, for the mother, even if she be the lowest kind of savage, refuses to submit to this brutal separation willingly, but is soon beaten into submission by merciless blows.

Sales Are Perfectly Legal.

Inside the limit of two months the sale may be declared void, if the slave does not come up to the stipulated conditions. The slave is then returned to the merchant. This gives rise to many lawsuits, and not seldom the cases are carried even to the pasha, who pronounces final judgment.

These sales, as I have said, take place quite openly in the market, according to certain laws. The market is practically a state institution. Before the sale the merchants take the slaves before the khalif, or vicero, who authorizes the transaction. This rule was made by Mulai Hassan, father of the present sultan. During his reign a large number of white women were sold, but too many complaints were made that he decided to authorize only the sale of negroes and halfbreeds, and no sale is valid without such authorization.

Until the time of Mulai Hassan this slave market was the source of an enormous revenue to the sultan, who took one-fifth of all slaves as his share, and when one sees the large number of boxes around the square he may judge of the great quantity of slaves disposed of.

To avoid this tax and facilitate the sale of white slaves, the Moroccans began to negotiate direct with the caravans.

Nobody can imagine what a harem is like, nor form any idea of the enormous number of women kept prisoners within its walls. I have visited harems containing 500 women and over. An ordinary citizen owns a score of slaves. Monogamy exists nowhere, and those too poor to own slaves are dreaming only of the day when they can possess some.

The sultan shares the vices of his people. His harem is fantastic beyond all imagination. Besides the women he has about him at Fez, he has at Marakech, in the lar-el-makhzen, a reserve, 3,000 women. The royal harem at Marakech is a special institution. Every village, every tribe pays a tribute of women to the sultan, who is a veritable modern Minotaurus.

Every time a calf feeds the anger of the sultan, or merely wishes to please him, he offers him a number of women, often his own daughters. On account of this the number of unfortunate women is almost daily increased, and they are kept in a prison from which they are liberated only by death.

The sultan, however, never sells any of his slaves. He has the right to give them in marriage to his best friends when he grows tired of them himself.

NO CHANCE FOR "CLIMBERS"

Social Position is Almost Irrevocably Fixed in Europe, and Adhered To.

In Europe everybody has a definite social position fixed by birth and education. Individuals pass from one social level to another with more facility than is thought. Yet the vast mass of Britons, Frenchmen, Germans and so forth, pass their lives on the social level where they were born. Position is fixed. Their compatriots place them at a glance. This caste makes for contentment. There is hardly any temptation to spend for appearance, because such spending will not lift them into a higher order. The social values are not easily falsified. Thus two merchants of the same class will have retired with incomes earned in business. They live in the same suburb. One has twenty thousand a year and keeps a motor car. The other has only five thousand, and for him a motor car is out of the question. Yet their families associate with little envy on one side or pretentiousness on the other, and to the man with five thousand a year it would seem madness to try to maintain a touring car for the sake of appearing as well off as his neighbor with four times the income.

In the United States, on the contrary, the absence of fixed social levels tends to encourage lavish spending. People try, by appearances and the possession of mere things to give themselves fictitious social values. This social counterfeiting, though common in every American community, reaches its highest development among the third class of New York's spenders. Elsewhere people seem to feel that the thing is successful if they can put themselves into circulation as twenty dollar banknotes. But the metropolitan standard of social counterfeiting is to pass yourself off as a safe deposit box full of gilt edge securities—Saturday Evening Post.

Feathered Architect.

The hanging nests in the cottonwoods and other trees in the suburbs of Denver, and all the towns in Colorado from the eastern slope of the Rocky mountains to Durango and Grand Junction, in the eastern part of the state, are the work of Bullock of Bullock's oriole.

Bullock's oriole is a wonderful architect and a shrewd builder. Its nest is fastened to the smaller swaying branches or twigs of trees, generally safe from those who would rob or destroy eggs or young. Strings, wood, fiber, horsehair, leaves, wool and soft materials are used in its construction, the rim of the nest being so artfully attached to the limb of the tree that it can withstand almost any gale that blows. This oriole is not averse to stealing string and other material from the nest of the house finches, also linnets and other birds. The nest contains from three to six eggs, and the young orioles are truly the rock-a-bird babies in the tree-tops of the bird world.—Rocky Mountain Herald.

Passing of Father.

Father is going. The patient, kind spirit who made us say our prayers at night and tucked us up in bed will soon be a thing of the past. Even now it is rare to find him anywhere.

We can see him yet—for our childish memory goes over our back almost to the beginning—bending over our crabs and anon in the still (except for our presence) watches of the night heating the milk over the gas stove. And when mother used to come home from the caucus, how father's face would light up when, before turning in, she nodded her approval!

There was nobody in all the world quite like father. No matter what our troubles were, we always found a safe refuge in his sympathetic bosom. How soft was his voice as he read aloud to us at night from Elinor Glyn's fairy stories and other well known classics. And when we tossed on our beds in fever there was no cooling touch like father's.

Who will take his place?—Life.

What It Means.

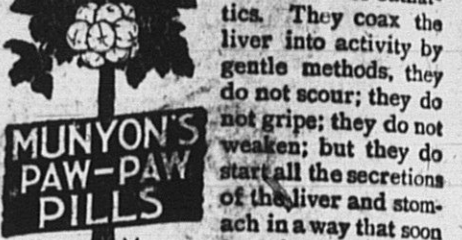
Did you ever hear the expression, "He'll never set the river afloat?" Naturally. Do you know how it started? No? Here is the origin. In olden days grain was sifted by hand in a sieve known as a "temse." When a very energetic man did the sifting he often rubbed the sieve so violently against the receptacle for the grain as to set fire to the wooden hoop of the temse. It used to be said of a lazy man: "He'll never set the temse afloat." People hearing this supposed that word "temse" was the "Thames," and, believing the expression referred to the river Thames, they gradually changed the word "temse" to "river." You have heard the phrase "not worth a tinker's dam." That isn't profanity. A tinker's "dam" was the little mound of pressed bread or dough that tinkers used to put around a hole or joint they were mending. When the work was over the bits of bread were useless. They were worth nothing. Hence, a useless thing was said to be "not worth a tinker's dam."

Even Royal Children Are Inquisitive.

The subdean of the Chapel Royal, London, was giving the royal children a religious lesson. They said: "Please we want to ask you something. If Adam and Eve had died when they were babies, should we have been here now?" Which was something of a poser. However, he gave the next answer: "There is nothing in the Bible which tells us that Adam and Eve ever were babies."

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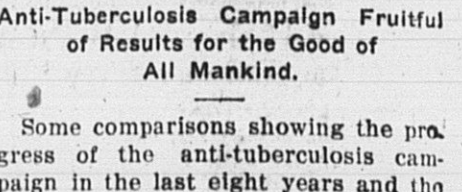


RECORD OF WORK WELL DONE

Anti-Tuberculosis Campaign Fruitful of Results for the Good of All Mankind.

Some comparisons showing the progress of the anti-tuberculosis campaign in the last eight years and the present needs of this movement are made by the National Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis in a brief report of its work recently issued. During the eight years of its work, the national association has assisted in the organization of over 800 state and local anti-tuberculosis societies located in almost every state and territory of the Union. Over 500 hospitals and sanatoria have been established, with more than 30,000 beds for consumptives. About 400 dispensaries, with more than 1,000 physicians in attendance and at least 150 open air schools for tuberculosis and anaemic children, have also been provided. Laws dealing with tuberculosis have been passed in 45 states, and ordinances on this subject have been adopted in over 200 cities and towns. An active field campaign of education against tuberculosis has been carried on in 40 states and territories by means of lectures, exhibits, the press, and the distribution of over 100,000,000 pamphlets on this disease.

ARCTIC SKEPTICISM.



"Did you see the janitor?"

"Yes, I told him it was as cold in our flat as at the north pole."

"What did he say?"

"He merely looked supercilious and asked for my proofs."

Appreciation Coming.

"You'll never realize your husband's true value until he has gone," counseled Mrs. Goodman. "I know it," replied Mrs. Nagg. "His life is insured."—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Good for Small Towns.

A few big shoe manufacturers are fighting us because we have always refused to give them better terms than we give to the small manufacturer. The little fellows stand with us because we treat all manufacturers alike, no matter how many machines they use. Hence, competition in the shoe business and prosperous factories in small towns!

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The Result.

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"That's what they scour the seas with."

No thoughtful person uses Liquid Blue. It's a pinch of blue in a large bottle of water. Ask for Red Cross Ball Blue, the blues that'll blue. Adv.

It Depends.

"Do you favor the open door policy?"

"Not if I am on the warm side."

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Mr. and Mrs. Adelphi Meyers, who have been residing on the Elmer Smith farm in Lima, have moved to the Thomas McQuillan farm.

While horse back riding Sunday E. Lee Hopkins of this place was thrown from the horse and the result was some fun getting himself and Max out of the mud.

Oliver Full of Holmes & They are fully guaranteed.

FRANCISCO VILLAGE.

Mrs. Sadie Frey, of Grass Lake, spent Sunday with her parents.

Mrs. Abner Spencer, of Sylvan, called on Mrs. J. S. Rowe Tuesday.

The thimble circle met last Thursday evening with Miss Alma Kalmbach. All enjoyed a delightful evening.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the German Evangelical church met with Mrs. C. Fahrner of Sylvan, Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Jacob H. Wals visited her brother Wm. Horning, Sunday. Mr. Horning recently purchased the Pacey farm on the State road and took possession a couple of weeks ago.

Mrs. Fred Mensing had the misfortune to fall on the icy walks at her home last week, and in falling was thrown over a cart wheel, painfully injuring her side. It is feared she fractured a rib. Her sister, Mrs. Fred Gentner, and her cousin, Miss Augusta Benter, are caring for her.

C. T. Conklin, of Chelsea, who has been spending the winter in Florida, called on his niece, Etta B. Frey, Tuesday on his way home from the south. He was detained several days in Chattanooga on account of flood conditions, and returned via Chicago. He is spending a few days with his grandson, B. C. Whitaker.

The Gleaners held a very interesting special meeting last Tuesday evening. Fred Gauss of near Grass Lake was obligated and two prospective members balloted upon.

Companion John McCall of Leon Harbor was a welcome guest. Arrangements were made for a "poverty" social and dance to be held at the Gleaner hall Friday evening, April 4. A prize will be awarded to the lady having the most unique costume, and one to the man wearing the most "poverty stricken" garb.

A fine, not to exceed 25 cents, will be imposed upon those not in costume. The bill for the dance, including light refreshments, will be 50 cents. Everybody come and see how everybody else looks, and enjoy a pleasant evening with the Francisco Arbor of Gleaners.

Leon Webb, of Williamston, called on Addison Webb Tuesday.

Stowell Wood, of Toledo, is spending some time at his home here.

Miss Bertha Fader, of Ypsilanti, spent Friday with Miss Maude Faulkner.

Miss Maude Coe, of Belleville, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Coe.

Addison Webb returned home from Williamston Monday where he spent the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. James Whalen are spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. Stowell Wood.

Mrs. Jacob Streiter and grandchildren, Elsa and Russell Casterline, spent the week-end in Ann Arbor.

Miss Bata and Mata Klein attended a dancing party at the home of Adolph Gross Wednesday evening.

Misses Magdalen Eisele and Eda Koch, of Chelsea, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Martin Koch of Jerusalem.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Lindauer and son Oscar, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Bahnmüller attended the wedding of Miss Amanda Schairer to Ernest Fiebig at Sebewing Tuesday of last week. Mr. Oscar Lindauer acted as best man.

The National Progressive ticket for township officers is as follows: Supervisor, Alvin D. Baldwin; clerk, Benjamin Heubi; treasurer, Carl Easton; highway commissioner, George W. Coe; justice of the peace, Herman Fletcher; member board review, Harvey Clements; overseer highways, Aaron Hoffman.

The democrats have placed the following in nomination for township officers: Supervisor, Fred C. Haist; clerk, David E. Beach; treasurer, G. Edward Gross; highway commissioner, George E. Haist; justice of the peace, Reuben W. Kaercher; member board review, John Lucht; overseer highways, William Pidd.

Martin Koch received a letter and photograph of his brother George from Kirchentellinsfurt, Germany, whom he long thought dead, he is 70 years old. His sister Magdalen, who is 77 years is also living. He was surprised for he had not heard of them within the last 25 years. There were 13 children in the family of which 3 are living.

Robert McNeil is on the sick list. Earnest Hopkins has purchased a saddle pony.

G. F. Madden has hired John Hartford for the summer.

L. Reade of this place visited friends in Grand Rapids last week.

Christopher Fitzsimmons has hired out to Earnest Hopkins by the month.

John Webber has rented Mrs. Hannah Garegthy's farm in Webster and moved there.

Mrs. Earnest Hopkins, who has been confined to the bed for the past week, is now improving.

Misses Maude M. Reade and Belle Ward, of Dexter, spent Saturday with friends in Ypsilanti.

Chris. Leavey has rented a residence in Dexter village and has moved from his farm to his new home.

J. McCarthy who recently purchased a farm of the Hudson estate in Webster, has moved from Scio to his new home.

Mr. and Mrs. Adelphi Meyers, who have been residing on the Elmer Smith farm in Lima, have moved to the Thomas McQuillan farm.

SYLVAN HAPPENINGS.

Mrs. Milo Uppike is improving very slowly.

Miss Erma Gage visited in Grass Lake Wednesday.

Edmund Robinson spent Saturday at his farm near Francisco.

Mrs. S. Weber and daughter Mary visited in Jackson Saturday.

Anna Wortley is spending part of this week in Chelsea visiting her sister.

Henry Lammers sr. is spending some time with his daughter, Mrs. S. Weber.

The neighbors here gave Reuben Grieb a surprise Monday night after he had retired for the night.

Mrs. Hattie Wedemeyer and daughter Freda, of Chelsea, are spending this week at the home of G. W. Gage.

Miss Lizzie Blainch, who has been teaching in the stone school house, has resigned her position owing to poor health. She and her mother are now in Lansing with her sister, Mrs. Geo. Wacker.

Miss Anna Gilbert is spending this week in Chelsea.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Watson visited at the home of Wm. Collins Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. May, of Jackson, spent the first of the week with Mrs. Nancy May.

Miss Nora Gorton, who is attending college at Ypsilanti, is spending the week with her parents here.

Mrs. Hudler's house caught fire from the chimney Sunday, but was put out before any great damage was done.

The maple sugar social given by the Presbyterian Ladies' Aid Society last Wednesday evening was well attended.

DOWNWARD COURSE. Fast Being Realized by Chelsea People. A little backache at first. Daily increasing 'till the back is lame and weak.

Urinary disorders may quickly follow; Dropsy and often Bright's disease. This frequently is the downward course of kidney ills.

Don't take this course. Follow the advice of a Chelsea citizen.

C. Lehman, 420 Garfield St., Chelsea, Mich., says: "Several years ago I was bothered by weak kidneys and backache. There was a constant lameness across the small of my back and the kidney secretions were irregular in passage.

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Auction Sale. S. L. Leach having decided to quit farming will sell the following personal property at public auction on the premises known as the Martin Howe farm, 6 miles north and west of Chelsea, on Wednesday, April 9, 1913, commencing at 10 o'clock a. m.: Three good horses, 9 head of cattle, swine, farming tools and a quantity of hay and grain. Lunch served at noon. E. W. Daniels, auctioneer. H. D. Withereil, clerk.

FOLEY KIDNEY PILLS For Backache Rheumatism Kidneys and Bladder. Contain no Habit Forming Drugs. For Sale By All Druggists.

County Road Proposition. To the electors of the County of Washtenaw, State of Michigan. Notice is hereby given that at a meeting of the board of supervisors of said county, held on the 10th day of January, 1913, the following resolution was adopted, viz.: Resolved, That the question of adopting the County Road System be submitted to a vote of the electors of the County of Washtenaw, at the General Election to be held on the Seventh day of April, A. D. 1913.

Notice is further given that said question will be stated on the ballots to be used at said election as follows: Shall the County Road System be adopted by the County of Washtenaw? Dated, March 15th, A. D. 1913. GEORGE W. BECKWITH, Clerk of said County of Washtenaw.

Mrs. Isham is spending this week at the home of S. L. Leach.

C. A. Rowe attended the wedding of his niece last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Howlett spent Sunday at the home of E. E. Rowe.

Florence Guinan and Nina Beeman are spending their vacation at home.

Henry Akay, of Grand Rapids, is spending this week with relatives here.

G. W. Beeman and family entertained company from Napoleon on the first of the week.

George Rowe sr., who has been in poor health for several months, is no better at this writing.

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MISSION!

The Eloquent Dominican Fathers from Louisville, Kentucky, will open a Mission in the Church of Our Lady of the Sacred Heart on Sunday, April 13, 1913, to continue one week. Services every morning and evening.

You Are Cordially Invited

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Democratic Candidate for

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Your vote at the election Monday will be greatly appreciated

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Township Report.

To the Electors of the Township of Sylvan: We herewith submit statement of the receipts and disbursements of the Township of Sylvan for the fiscal year ending April 1, 1913. CONTINGENT FUND.

March 25, 1912 bal. on hand, \$ 671 46 Receipts during year, 1,847 72 Total expenditures during year, \$ 2,368 23 April 1, 1913 bal. on hand, 139 95 Total, \$ 2,508 18 \$ 2,508 18

HIGHWAY IMPROVEMENT FUND. March 25, 1912 bal. on hand, \$ 185 82 Receipts during year, 3,823 78 Total expenditures during year, \$ 3,748 28 April 1, 1913 bal. on hand, 136 32 Total, \$ 4,009 63 \$ 4,009 63

PROVINCIAL MARKET FUND. March 25, 1912 bal. on hand, \$ 33 03 Receipts during year, 1,800 00 Total expenditure during year, \$ 1,376 68 April 1, 1913 bal. on hand, 162 56 Total, \$ 1,539 03 \$ 1,539 03

DOG FUND. March 25, 1912 bal. on hand, \$ 104 80 Receipts during year, \$ 33 72 Total expenditures during year, \$ 44 00 April 1, 1913 bal. on hand, 148 30 Total, \$ 192 80 \$ 192 80

POOR FUND. March 25, 1912 bal. on hand, \$ 101 02 Receipts during year, 330 63 Total expenditures during year, \$ 239 87 April 1, 1913 bal. on hand, 191 78 Total, \$ 421 65 \$ 421 65

PROVINCIAL MARKET FUND. March 25, 1912 bal. on hand, \$ 55 99 Receipts during year, 108 00 Total expenditures during year, \$ 130 53 April 1, 1913 bal. on hand, 33 46 Total, \$ 163 99 \$ 163 99

SCHOOL DISTRICTS. No. 1 fractional Lyndon and Waterloo. Receipts during year, \$ 30 72 Paid treasurer, \$ 30 72 Total, \$ 30 72 \$ 30 72

No. 3 Sylvan. Receipts during year, \$ 499 54 Paid treasurer, \$ 440 07 Bal. on hand, 59 47 Total, \$ 499 54 \$ 499 54

No. 3 fractional Sylvan and Lima. March 25, 1912 bal. on hand, \$ 117 91 Receipts during year, 12,303 39 Paid treasurer, \$ 12,321 30 Total, \$ 12,321 30 \$ 12,321 30

No. 4 Sylvan. March 25, 1912 bal. on hand, \$ 251 91 Receipts during year, 668 98 Paid treasurer, \$ 920 89 Total, \$ 920 89 \$ 920 89

No. 4 fractional Lima. March 25, 1912 bal. on hand, \$ 38 Receipts during year, 32 40 Paid treasurer, \$ 32 40 April 1, 1913 bal. on hand, 38 Total, \$ 32 78 \$ 32 78

No. 5 fractional Sharon. March 25, 1912 bal. on hand, \$ 23 67 Receipts during year, 433 53 Paid treasurer, \$ 456 20 Total, \$ 456 20 \$ 456 20

No. 6 fractional Waterloo. Receipts during year, \$ 13 16 Paid treasurer, \$ 13 16 Total, \$ 13 16 \$ 13 16

No. 6 fractional Grass Lake. Receipts during year, \$ 675 70 Paid treasurer, \$ 501 10 April 1, 1913 bal. on hand, 174 60 Total, \$ 675 70 \$ 675 70

No. 7 Sylvan. March 25, 1912 bal. on hand, \$ 244 75 Receipts during year, 437 07 Paid treasurer, \$ 677 71 April 1, 1913 bal. on hand, 4 11 Total, \$ 681 82 \$ 681 82

No. 8 fractional Lyndon. Receipts during year, \$ 188 62 March 25, 1912 overdraft, \$ 1 30 Paid treasurer, \$ 187 42 Total, \$ 188 62 \$ 188 62

No. 10 Sylvan. March 25, 1912 bal. on hand, \$ 145 98 Receipts during year, 670 56 Paid treasurer, \$ 569 80 April 1, 1913 bal. on hand, 216 74 Total, \$ 816 54 \$ 816 54

No. 10 fractional Lima. Receipts during year, \$ 153 46 Paid treasurer, \$ 153 46 Total, \$ 153 46 \$ 153 46

No. 11 Sylvan. March 25, 1912 bal. on hand, \$ 81 46 Receipts during year, \$ 81 46 Paid treasurer and school dist. No. 4, \$ 154 51 Total, \$ 148 51 \$ 148 51

RECAPITULATION. Contingent fund, \$ 130 85 Highway Imp. fund, 254 35 Road repair fund, 169 50 Dog fund, 148 30 Poor fund, 191 78 Town hall fund, 33 46 School dist. No. 1, 30 72 School dist. No. 4, 59 47 School dist. No. 7, 216 74 School dist. No. 8, 134 60 Total, \$ 1,339 09

April 1, 1913 cash on hand, \$ 1,339 09 All of which is respectively submitted. PAUL O. BACON, Township Clerk.

General Election and Annual Township Meeting. Notice is hereby given that the next ensuing General Election and Annual Township Meeting for the Township of Sylvan, County of Washtenaw State of Michigan, will be held at the town hall, Village of Chelsea, within said precinct, on Monday, April 7, A. D. 1913, at which general election and annual township meeting the following officers are to be chosen, viz.: STATE—Two Justices of the Supreme Court; Two Regents of the University of Michigan; One Superintendent of Public Instruction; One State Highway Commissioner; One Member of the State Board of Education; Two Members of the State Board of Agriculture.

COUNTY—Two County Auditors, full term. Township—One Supervisor; One Highway Clerk; One Township Treasurer; One Highway Commissioner; One Justice of the Peace, full term; One Member Board of Review, full term; One Overseer of Highways; Four Constables.

PROPORTION—To be adopted the County Road System for said County. The following proposed amendments to the constitution of Michigan will also be submitted in accordance with concurrent resolutions adopted by the legislature of 1913:

To amend Section 1, of Article 5, of the constitution relative to the right of women to vote. To amend Section 3, of Article 17 of the constitution relative to initiative in constitutional amendments.

To amend Sections 1 and 10, of Article 5 of the constitution relative to the initiative and referendum upon legislative matters.

To amend Section 14, of Article 10 of the constitution relative to the relief, insurance or pensioning of members of the department.

To amend Section 8, of Article 3 of the constitution relative to recall of elective officers, except judicial officers.

WOMEN ELECTORS. In accordance with the Constitution of the State of Michigan and Act 336, Public Act of 1909, should there be any proposition or propositions to vote upon at said Election involving the direct expenditure of public money, or the issuance of bonds, every woman who possesses the qualifications of male electors and owns property assessed for taxes or owns property subject to taxation jointly with her husband, or with any other person, or who owns property on contract and pays taxes thereon, all such property being located somewhere within the district or territory to be affected by the result of said election, will be entitled to vote upon such propositions, provided such person has had her name duly registered in accordance with the provisions of said Act.

The Polls of said Election will be open at 7 o'clock a. m. and will remain open until 5 o'clock p. m. of said day of Election, unless the board of election inspectors shall in their discretion adjourn the polls at 12 o'clock noon, for one hour. Dated the 7th day of March, A. D. 1913.

PAUL O. BACON, Clerk of said Township. The Standard "Want" advs. give results, try them.