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### NEW FACTORY IN CHELSEA

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CheLSEA is to have a new factory which will be located on the second floor of the Mack building, formerly occupied by the Chelsea Mfg. Co. M. J. Dunkel and C. Lehman are at the head of the manufacturing concern, and the work of installing the machinery will be started in a short time. The principal output of the new factory will be automatic screw machine products and six of these machines will be in use when the factory is ready to begin operation. A machine shop will also be started for the use of the automatic department.

While all of the details of the new company have not been fully worked out they are so far advanced that the residents of this place may rest assured that the new factory is an industry that has come to stay. The Standard wishes the new undertaking success.

### Giving Warning.

Warnings to pensioners are being given in different towns in Michigan, that owing to a change in the law it will be necessary this spring for all who wish to claim exemption from taxation under the law to give a new notice this spring. It is also said that the assessing officers have no right to exempt any person who does not file this notice. Chelsea people interested had best make a note of this.

### Mrs. Lucia A. Ward.

Mrs. Lucia A. Ward died at the home of her daughter in Los Angeles, California, Tuesday, April 15, 1913, aged 75 years and 5 days.

Mrs. Ward was born in Lima, and for many years was a resident of Chelsea and vicinity. She is survived by her husband, Eli Ward, one son, H. B. Ward and one daughter, Mrs. H. B. Pierce, all living in Los Angeles and vicinity. The deceased was a sister of Mrs. Jennie Moore, of Chelsea and A. A. Konright, of Detroit.

### Mrs. Rebecca Leach Grant.

Mrs. Rebecca Leach Grant was born in Toronto, Canada, February 12, 1854, and died at her home in Detroit, Friday, April 18, 1913.

The deceased was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Leach, sr., and for several years her life was spent in this vicinity. She was the wife of Myron Grant. The family moved from here to Detroit about seven years ago. She is survived by her husband, four sons and four daughters, a number of grandchildren, seven brothers and one sister. The funeral was held from the family home in Detroit at 9:30 o'clock Monday morning and the remains brought here. Interment at Oak Grove cemetery.

### Commenced Suit.

Suit by summons was begun at Ann Arbor Monday against Frank P. Glazier by the Title Guarantee and Surety company of Scranton, Pa., for \$150,000. The surety company was one of Mr. Glazier's bondsmen when he was state treasurer. The suit is in connection with the Chelsea Savings bank, which was closed while state moneys were deposited in it. By the failure of this bank, the state stood to lose half a million dollars but recovered a portion of it from the bonding companies which were on the bond of Glazier as state treasurer at that time.

### A Successful Mission.

Rev. John O'Connor, O. P., left for his home in Louisville, Kentucky, last Monday. Rev. Vincent Cleary, O. P., left Tuesday for Louisville, by the way of Chicago, where he will visit relatives. The eloquent Dominican Priest finished a most successful mission Sunday evening in the Church of Our Lady of the Sacred Heart. They are masters of sacred oratory, and have endeared themselves to Chelsea Catholics. Those who were present, will not soon forget the memorable closing exercises. The splendid sermon on "Perseverance" by Father Cleary, and thrilling and eloquent discourse on "Christian Education" by Father O'Connor made a profound impression on the vast congregation. The Pappal blessing, followed by benediction and the singing of the "Te Deum" brought the grand mission to a fitting close.

### Henry Miller in "The Rainbow."

When Henry Miller makes his appearance at the Whitney theatre, Ann Arbor, on Saturday, April 26, for one performance only of his beautiful play, "The Rainbow," theatre-goers will see him for the first time in a role that does not require "make-up."

Mr. Miller's last appearance in this city was as Stephen Ghent in "The Great Divide," and he wore the picturesque garb of an American cowboy miner. Prior to that he was seen here as D'Arcy in "D'Arcy of the Guards," and in that rollicking comedy he wore the scarlet uniform of an English army officer of the American revolutionary period, had his hair powdered, smoked long clay pipes, and led his guests at a supper party in the chorus of "Sally in Our Alley."

### Card of Thanks.

Mrs. C. A. Smith and children wish to express their sincere thanks to the relatives and friends for their kindness and floral offerings in their recent loss of their loving husband and father.

MRS. C. A. SMITH,  
MR. AND MRS. BOJLOZAY.

### Public School Entertainment.

The rehearsals for the Japanese operetta, "Princess Chrysanthemum," which is to be given in the Sylvan theatre, Friday and Saturday evenings, May 2 and 3, are well under way. The principals and choruses, consisting of fifty voices, are faithfully attending the practices and are working industriously to make the presentation pleasing to the public. The synopsis is as follows: It is the birthday of Princess Chrysanthemum, upon which day she is to choose between the rival princes, So-lli and So-true. The public are invited to the Emperor's palace to celebrate the event and are having a gala-day. The Princess seems to favor So-true as do the subjects. So-lli, bound not to be overcome by his hated rival, calls upon the wizard cat, Saucer-Eyes for aid. Saucer-Eyes succeeds in abducting the Princess to the cave of inky darkness. Here she is retained through the power of Saucer-Eyes and his sprites. Finally Fairy Moonbeam comes and her power, together with that of her fairy-band, is sufficient to free the Princess who returns to her father's court and Prince So-true. The fairy So-lli and the wizard cat are baffled. The cast of characters follows: Princess Chrysanthemum..... Edith Johnson To-to, maid..... Ruth Widmayer Yum Yum, maid..... Josephine Miller Do-do, maid..... Helen Vogel Tulp, maid..... Marian Schmidt Fairy Moonbeam..... Grace Schenk Emperor What for Why, Donald Bacon Attendant..... Hollis Freeman Attendant..... Allen Crawford Prince So-true..... Everet Benton Prince So-lli..... Max Roedel Top-not..... Paul Wagner Saucer-Eyes..... Dean Hall Japanese chorus, sprites and fairies. The music will be furnished by the High School Orchestra. Proceeds for the lantern fund.

### Filed His Report.

Ex-County Clerk Charles L. Miller, the referee to whom the circuit court last November referred the matter of the county's claim against ex-Drain Commissioner Wilbur Jarvis, filed his decision last Friday afternoon holding Jarvis responsible for rebates, assessments alterations and illegal overpayments in the sum of \$2,040.26.

This is substantially a verdict for the county which claimed \$2,400. The referee refused to allow claims against the ex-drain commissioner and his bondsmen for payments for cleaning old drains. The board of supervisors began suit through the office of prosecuting attorney Burke in July, 1911. Judge Kinne appointed County Clerk Miller referee to conduct the hearing, last November. The hearing began in February and lasted about a week. The investigation and the hearing before the referee cost the county about \$700. Had the case come before a jury instead of the referee the jury fees alone would have amounted to \$1,200 and the total cost would have been close to \$2,000.

The referee's decision filed Friday takes up each item separately and covers 29 typewritten pages. The co-defendant with Jarvis is his bondsmen, the Federal Union Surety Company, of Indianapolis, surety in the sum of \$10,000.

### Improved the Streets.

A decided improvement has been made on the streets of Chelsea during the last two weeks and the work has been well and thoroughly done. On several of the streets the driveway has been narrowed and the parking has been or can be extended, which will materially lessen the expense of the road work in the future and at the same time add to beautifying the frontage.

The work has been done by E. Bahnmiller with his traction engine and Chris. Kalmbach and G. Hutzel handling the wheel scraping machine turningpiking the roadways and filling the low spots. The finishing touches have been given to be roadbed by Wm. Wolf, who used the split-log drag.

The village authorities extended the grade on south Main street to Wilkinson's corners and the township highway commissioner will cover the road with gravel from the south village limits to the territorial road.

The work that has been given to the streets so far has been the best that has ever been done in the corporation and all who have had a hand in the work deserve much credit for their efforts.

### Jury for May Term of Court.

The jury for the May term of the Washtenaw circuit court was drawn last Friday by the jury commission. The list is as follows:

Ann Arbor city—First ward, Guy P. Henning; second ward, John B. Eibler; third ward, Milton Steffy, George Allmendinger; fourth ward, Sam S. Hammill; fifth ward, M. Bowen; sixth ward, W. D. Otis; seventh ward, Lewis Otto.

Ann Arbor town—Henry Braun. Augusta—W. D. Simonds. Bridgewater—Wm. Rentschler. Dexter—James Storrey. Freedom—Lewis Koebe. Lima—Herman Kierce. Lodi—Herman A. Gensley. Lyndon—Owen McIntee. Manchester—Fred Schumacher. Northfield—Charles Wagner. Pittsfield—Charles Burkhardt. Salem—Lloyd Pebbles. Saline—Fred Bauknecht. Selo—Alexander Dance. Sharon—Reuben Kappler. Superior—Richard J. Bird. Sylvia—Maufred Hoppe. Webster—George Merrill. York—Arthur D. Conde.

Ypsilanti city—First district, Duane Spaulding; second district, John Harper.

Ypsilanti town—A. M. Kimmel.

### YOUNG PEOPLE'S LEAGUE

**Convention to be Held in St. Paul's Church May 3 and 4.**

A convention of the Young People's League, Ann Arbor conference, will be held in St. Paul's church on Saturday and Sunday, May 3 and 4. The convention will open Saturday afternoon. Convention motto: "We Can and We Will." The program follows:

**SATURDAY AFTERNOON.**  
2:00—Song service. Rev. A. Siegenthaler, Jackson.  
2:30—My Conception of Missions before Going Out and Now. Missionary F. Goetsch, India.  
Discussion.  
3:00—Hymn.  
3:15—Putting Young People to Work—How?  
Round Table Discussion. Rev. S. A. John, Ann Arbor.  
3:45—Duet: "Jesus, I my Cross have Taken." Misses Olga Hoffman and Alvena Lambrecht.  
Business session—Appointing committees, etc.  
4:15—Auto ride.

**EVENING SESSION.**  
7:30—Song service.  
7:45—The Relation of our Young People to the Sunday school.  
Discussion.  
Duet—"We Can and We Will." Mesdames Schneider and J. Hauser.  
8:15—Convention Echo. Miss Lena Peag, Grand Rapids.  
8:40—Journeying to and Beginning Work on the Mission Field. Mrs. F. Goetsch, India.  
Closing hymn and prayer.

**SUNDAY MORNING.**  
10:00—Prelude, processional, E. B. B. Miss Olga Hoffman, organist.  
Introitus.  
Hymn—Congregation.  
Prayer.  
Creed.  
Choir—Praise unto the Father—Gounod.  
Scripture.  
Hymn—Congregation.  
Sermon—F. Goetsch, missionary.  
Choir.  
Announcements.  
Offertory—Leybach.  
Closing hymn and benediction.  
Postlude—Tannhauser march—Wagner.

**AFTERNOON SESSION.**  
2:00—Prelude—Festal march—E. L. Ashford.  
Song service—Rea. Max Schultz, Francisco.  
2:15—The Value of Today's Preparation for Tomorrow's Work. Prof. Paul Crusius, Elmhurst college, Elmhurst, Ill.  
Hymn.  
2:45—Subject selected. Mrs. F. Goetsch.  
3:15—Reports of officers.  
Choir—Be ye Faithful—Price.  
Offertory.  
3:45—Convention echo. Rev. A. Siegenthaler, Jackson.  
4:30—Reports of Societies.  
4:15—Business session.  
Hymn.

**EVENING SESSION.**  
7:00—Prelude—Andante Cantabile—Beethoven. Miss Olga Hoffman, organist.  
Introitus.  
Hymn.  
Prayer.  
Choir—Rejoice and Sing—Jordan.  
Address—The Young People's Vision of the Home Mission Field. Prof. Paul Crusius, Elmhurst, Ill.  
Offertory.  
Solo—The Earth is the Lord's. C. Emil Kantlehner.  
Address—How God Values and Rewards the Work in the Foreign Field and at Home. Missionary F. Goetsch, India.  
Hymn.  
Address—Our Heritage. Rev. S. A. John, Ann Arbor.  
Installation of officers.  
Hymn—God be With You till We Meet Again.  
Prayer.  
Benediction.  
Postlude—Marche Pontificale—Gounod.

### Church Circles.

**CONGREGATIONAL.**  
Rev. Charles J. Dole, Pastor.  
Morning worship at 10 a. m.  
Sunday school 11 a. m. Subject of lesson, "Joseph Sold into Egypt."  
Young people's meeting at 6:30 p. m. Subject, "The Book Transforming the World."  
Union service at 7:15 p. m. Everybody welcome.

**METHODIST EPISCOPAL.**  
Rev. J. W. Campbell, Pastor.  
10 a. m. Sunday sermon.  
11:15 Bible study. Topic, "Joseph Sold into Egypt."  
Junior League at 3 p. m.  
Epworth League at 6:15 p. m.  
7 p. m. union meeting at the Congregational church.  
Prayer meeting on Thursday at 7:15 p. m.

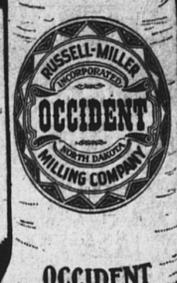
**ST. PAUL'S.**  
Rev. A. A. Schoen, Pastor.  
Services at 10 a. m.  
Sunday school at 11 a. m.

**BAPTIST.**  
Loren Heacock will conduct the morning service next Sunday.  
Sunday school at 11 a. m.  
B. Y. P. U. at the usual hour.

**Princess Theatre.**  
Tomorrow (Friday night) the Princess offers an unusual feature, "The White Riders of the South," a thrilling story of romance and tragedy with the principal scenes laid in the south, the hills of Tennessee forming the background of this startling 3 reel drama. The man who accompanies the film is a cowboy 6 feet 4 inches in height and he played the leading roll in the picture.

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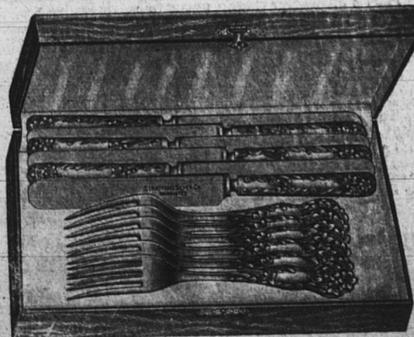
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### PARASITE IS BOTHERING FISH IN PILGRIM AND STATE WILL INVESTIGATE.

### PRINTERS CLOSE COST CONGRESS AT KALAMAZOO.

### Michigan Gideons Hold Meeting at Port Huron and Conduct Services in All of the Churches of City on Sunday.

All the streams and lakes of the counties of Houghton and Keweenaw, Ontonagon and Baraga, are to be stocked heavily with fish fry this spring and summer, many millions of the fry having been contracted for with the state and federal hatcheries by sportsmen of the district. The one exception is the Pilgrim river, where the fish seems to be bothered by some parasite. The pest has attracted so much attention that the state fish commission is preparing to investigate the cause. The Pilgrim has always been one of the finest trout fishing streams in the northern part of the state and has gained fame in prose and poetry the country over.

### Printers Meeting is Over.

The Michigan Printers' Cost Congress at Kalamazoo, after electing officers for the ensuing year, adjourned without definitely deciding on a convention place for next year. Saginaw and May City are both being considered.

The new officers are: President, Fred W. Gage, of Battle Creek; first vice-president, Alletz K. Tyson, of Grand Rapids; second vice-president, George Harland, of Detroit; secretary, R. A. Moore, of Jackson; treasurer, E. C. Peters, of Saginaw; commissioners.

### Gideons at Port Huron.

The Michigan Gideons held state meetings at the Y. M. C. A. in Port Huron. Delegates from Indiana and Canada were present. Services were held in local churches Sunday morning, afternoon and evening. Fred Bruce Horn, member of the executive board of the Canadian association, was present in the interest of the international convention which is to be held in Toronto the last week in July. Collections were taken for the purchase of books to be distributed in this city.

### Miner is Given Large Verdict.

Victor Westburg has been given a verdict in circuit court at Bessemer for \$17,500 against the Montreal Mining Co. for personal injury received while employed as miner in the company's mines. Westburg was caught in a fall of earth and crushed, rendering half his body permanently paralyzed. This is the largest verdict ever rendered in a personal injury case here. The case will be appealed.

### Will Drain Chandler Marsh.

J. W. Sanderson, of Detroit, has purchased the Chandler marsh near Lansing from Mrs. Mary Chandler Hale, daughter of the late Zach Chandler. Sanderson has drained the marsh and will cut it up into 40 and 30 acre farms about 1,500 acres of the marsh are in good condition, but the rest is partly covered by water.

William R. Payne, an old resident of Saranac, formerly editor of the Local, and for many years justice of the peace, is dead.

Eugene C. Dana, 69, fraternal correspondent of the Grand Lodge, Knights of Pythias of Michigan, is dead. He was formerly in the newspaper business at Niles.

Frank Mierzewski, a teamster, is the second man to have been crushed to death under the wheels of a truck within 24 hours, at Grand Rapids. The first was Delmer J. Everett.

Dr. W. Dudley Powers, for 10 years, rector of St. Paul's Episcopal church, at Flint, has tendered his resignation, to take effect Sept. 1. Dr. Powers is ill in New York at present.

Prosecuting Attorney Bishop established a precedent when he succeeded in persuading the supervisors of Genesee to appropriate money with which to add to his law library.

To fulfill the terms of its franchise, the Commonwealth Power Co. will build its next Au Tache river dam near Mio, beginning sometime this summer. Two dams, Cooks and Five Channels, are in operation, and one at Blue Joe will be finished in June.

Secretary Joseph P. Tracey, of the Saginaw board of trade, announced that he has accepted the offer of the city of Lettbridge, Alberta, to organize the bureau of commerce and industries and take a post in the commission form of government in that city. His salary is to be \$6,000 a year, and his contract runs three years.

Ald. Albert Olson, foreman of a repair gang on the Chicago and Northwestern railroad for 30 years, was killed instantly at Escanaba, when an entire carload of pulp-wood fell on him as he was working under the car.

## MICHIGAN NEWS IN BRIEF

Two hundred and forty-one pupils will be graduated from the Grand Rapids schools in June.

The C. K. Williams Co., of Easton, Pa., manufacturers of paper mill supplies, will locate in Kalamazoo.

Permission for the presentation of "Contraire Mary" in Chicago has been granted by the university senate.

The 1913 spraying bulletin has been completed by the Michigan Agricultural college experiment station and is ready for distribution.

Rev. George E. Shorter, for over 20 years traveling evangelist for the Free Methodist church, at Hillsdale, died from a general breakdown.

Attorney-General Fellows has declared that a municipally operated saloon is illegal, and as a result Harbor Springs will not be allowed to run one.

The supervisors of Alpena county, have allowed bounties on 28 wildcats and two lynx. This is the largest number ever killed in this county in one year.

A prosecuting attorney has no right to call on the county he is serving for any extra compensation, according to the ruling of Attorney General Fellows.

Civic reformers of Saginaw have secured permission from the school authorities to keep all playgrounds open this summer and will open up other playgrounds.

The Germania Maennerchor Singing society of Saginaw, will tour Europe in a body, starting from New York May 1 and spending four months on the continent.

Burned from head to foot when her dress caught fire while playing with matches, three-year-old Leona Conrad died at Flint, after four hours of terrible suffering.

Albert Gatewood, of Saginaw, has started suit for \$15,000 damages against the Consolidated Coal Co., alleging that his eyesight was partially destroyed while he was dynamiting stumps.

The supervisors passed a resolution declaring unjust the system pursued by the state tax commissioners in arriving at the equalization of property in Genesee county and asking for a review before May 10.

Through the refusal of the supervisors of Genesee, to pay the expenses of County Game Warden Ross the latter will likely quit bringing prosecutions. Ross turned over to the county \$107.10 in fines collected.

Rev. Father Joseph Spaeth, for 20 years in charge of St. Joseph's parish, in Port Huron, dropped dead while conversing with a friend. Embolism was the cause of death, superinduced by a clot of blood on the brain.

Following are the officers elected by the Gideons in convention at Port Huron: President, A. E. Gould, Grand Rapids; vice president, W. F. Redfern, Lansing; secretary-treasurer, J. J. Kinsey, Grand Rapids; chaplain, L. D. Jones, Buchanan.

Thomas Thompson and two granddaughters were killed when a boiler in a brick factory one mile east of Mt. Pleasant, in which they were working, blew up. H. Orson Smith, who was driving by the factory, was badly injured by flying debris.

The First Baptist church of Muskegon has extended a call to Rev. Ira Smith, pastor of a church of the same denomination at Sault Ste. Marie for the past seven years. The local church has been without a pastor, Rev. R. N. McNemer, going to Bloomington, Ind.

Henry Jacobs, of Hope college, took first honors in the state prohibition oratorical contest. Guy Fox, of Albion, was awarded second place and Ward R. Lyon, of Adrian, third. Mr. Jacobs will represent Michigan in the interstate contest at Winfield, Kan., in May.

Figures just compiled show that there were 3,825 deaths in the state during March and 5,999 births. This is an increase of 58 deaths and 433 births over February. Of the deaths, 714 were infants under one year old; 219 of persons between the ages of one and four, and 1,316 of persons 65 years old and over.

Clarence A. Bradford, of Kalamazoo; Franklin J. Russell, of Adrian; Harry A. McCord, of Detroit; Arthur N. Demarie, of Bay City; Roy A. Hall, of Bay City, and A. H. Syman, of Manistee, have passed the examination for admission to the bar and were admitted by the supreme court. Fourteen took the examination.

Henry Peck, 71, a pioneer resident of Perry, was instantly killed when a through freight on the Grand Trunk struck him. The train did not stop until it reached Durand. At that point the conductor wired back that he believed his train had struck something at Perry. Before the telegram had been received, however, the dead body had been found.

R. F. Frary, 65 years old, was instantly killed at McCumbers Crossing, about one mile east of Lansing, by a westbound Grand Trunk passenger train.

Mrs. Noah Bryant, 77, of Kalamazoo, is dead. Her husband started the paper industry in Michigan and was for years head of the Bryant Paper company.

The Wolverton house, in Bay City, built in 1862, oldest hotel in Michigan outside of Detroit, is being demolished to make way for a modern office building.

## NEWS FROM THE STATE CAPITOL

### GOVERNOR FERRIS EXERCISES VETO POWER FOR THE FIRST TIME.

### MOBILE BILL IS PASSED AFTER BITTER FIGHT

### One Million Eight Hundred Thousand is Required by State Institution for the Insane and Feeble Minded

Governor Ferris vetoed his first bill when he refused to approve Senator Kelly's measure authorizing the auditor general to cancel all taxes undischarged where there has been legislative or judicial action to vacate the debt prior to January 1, 1913. The governor's veto is based on an opinion by the attorney general to the effect that the bill is unconstitutional because it purports to give public property to private individuals.

The governor signed the Skeels bill authorizing counties to establish the office of farm commissioner, whose duty shall be to aid in farm development, and to appropriate money for the purposes of the act. Other bills signed were the Lee bill giving railroad train officials certain police powers; McBride bill to provide for the state inspection of sugar beet weighing and testing; the Crapper bill for pure cheese; Bayliss bill authorizing the state railroad commission to issue free transportation to persons engaged in securing settlers for unimproved farm lands; Henry bill prescribing standard headlights for locomotives; Groll bill adopting the U. S. standard of judging the purity of food products; Woodworth bill to increase the salary of the deputy state treasurer from \$2,000 to \$2,500; Amberson bill regulating the sale of oleomargarine.

After being passed in the senate by a vote of 22 to 8, in slightly amended form, the Mobile bill which regulates fraternal insurance societies, was sent back to the house. Here the lobbyists who vainly endeavored to kill this progressive measure, attempted to defeat the amendments proposed by the senate and bring on a delay that would result in the death of the measure.

Rep. Bricker attempted to have the bill tabled and failed by a vote of 55 to 27. The amendments were then adopted against the wishes of the enemies of the measure by a vote of 63 to 34. Rep. Kappler then came to Bricker's aid and moved to reconsider the vote, in order as he explained, that like the firemen's pension and other matters in which the people are interested, a referendum might be attached. But he failed even with this popular argument. The vote was 49 to 37. The bill will go to the governor where it will be signed.

Desire not to delay proceedings at a time when the house is devoting all its energy in an effort to finish work April 25, prevented an investigation which threatened to end in a legislative scandal. As it was Sergeant-at-arms A. A. Bush of Detroit was called before the house to explain alleged misconduct.

The incident was precipitated by a resolution by Rep. Pollette calling attention to the fact that the sergeant-at-arms was absent without leave and had been on duty in the house in a condition unbecoming an officer of the legislature and asking that a committee be appointed to investigate the sergeant. However, the resolution was tabled.

It cost \$1,823,000 for the support of the inmates of the hospitals for the insane and home for the feeble minded, according to a bill passed by the senate carrying an appropriation for that amount to recompense the general fund. Of that amount the Kalamazoo hospital is charged with \$348,000; Pontiac hospital with \$246,000; Traverse City \$263,000; Newberry \$164,000; Ionia \$79,000; Ann Arbor hospital \$12,000; Wayne county infirmary \$99,000; Home for the feeble minded at Lapeer \$168,000.

By a vote of 21 to 9 the senate passed the bill introduced by Senator Grace of Kalamazoo which allows cities of more than 10,000 population to settle by a referendum vote the question of whether Sunday amusements shall be allowed.

Mothers who are fighting to keep their families together, but who find the battle too hard, will be given aid by the state if the Amberson-James bill passed by the senate, secures equally favorable consideration in the house. The bill is similar in its provisions to legislation proposed and enacted in other states and it was introduced by Senator Jamps, of Houghton, and Senator Amberson, of Lenawee, and has met with no objection in the senate, either in committee of the whole or on third reading.

As passed by unanimous vote the bill provides for the relief of mothers having dependent children, under the supervision of probate judges. These

to whom the bill is intended to apply are classified in its terms as follows: "If the mother of such dependent child is unmarried, or is a widow deserted by her husband, or if married has been divorced and is poor and unable to properly care and provide for said child, but is otherwise a proper guardian, and it is for the welfare of such child to remain in the custody of its mother, the court may enter an order finding such facts and fixing the amount of money necessary to enable the mother to properly care for such child such amount not to exceed \$3 a week for each child.

The bill is claimed to be the premier progressive bill of the session. Just how the bill will be received in the house no one can make a guess, and no one can venture an opinion as to the number of mothers who will be eligible to aid under its provisions.

Speaker Currie and Lieut. Gov. Ross believe that the house and senate will be able to clean up necessary legislation in time to cease work April 25. They realize it means a persistent grind during every available minute the next two weeks and have quietly laid their plans to facilitate the work of both branches.

To facilitate matters in the house Speaker Currie has organized an unofficial board of censors whose work it will be to scan every bill for jokers and indicate those are wrong in spirit or intent. An effort is to be made in the house to pass every measure which has merit regardless of its relative importance. To this end there will be three sessions daily until April 25.

Once more the anti-cigarette bill is on its way to the statute books, as the house in committee of the whole has agreed to the Dunn bill which prohibits the sale or giving away of the paper pipes in this state. In every session of the legislature in the present century such a bill has made its appearance and in every session it has been beaten in one way or another. Only the most optimistic predict any better success this session.

There has not been any particular fuss raised with the members over the matter, other issues having the center of the stage now to the practical exclusion of what was once a burning issue. It is said that the house has the idea that it can pass the bill, get the credit and safely rely on the senate to suppress the measure. Whether the senate will accept its part in the play remains to be seen, if the bill is passed on the third reading remains to be seen.

The house has passed the teachers' retirement fund bill, but virtually put the measure on the same ground as the constitutional amendment to provide firemen's pensions. A referendum was attached by which the bill must be endorsed by a majority vote of the people at the fall election in 1914 before it can become effective.

Realizing that there is probably little hope of gaining the favorable vote of the electors of the state, the friends of the measure made a determined fight against the referendum clause, but it was adopted by a vote of 54 to 31. It appears certain that the bill never would have passed the house without the referendum. An attempt to attach an amendment prohibiting superintendents of schools and county school commissioners from participating under the benefits of the proposed law was defeated.

The house in committee of the whole has agreed to the Bricker-Follette-Hinkley-Copley bill to regulate the sale of stocks and bonds in this state. The bill in reality agreed to was the senate blue sky bill, which had passed that body, the substitution being made to save time and trouble as the senate and house bills are identical in form. No amendments were made to the bill and no opposition was offered.

The house has passed the James bill which went through the senate, which eliminates the 15 per cent clause and the enrollment feature of the present primary election law. The bill was not passed in exactly the same form as it went through the senate, but the changes made are of a minor nature.

This is in accordance with the notion agreed upon by Governor Ferris and the members of both houses interested in primary reform legislation. The understanding was then that the James bill was to be accepted as a means of avoiding jeopardy to that by provisions which might give members opportunity to oppose it. Other changes in the law are to be proposed in separate bills. This plan was given as a reason for turning down an amendment offered by Rep. Bayliss of Chippewa, which provided for the selecting the national committeemen of each party at the same time nominations for governor are made.

Representatives Taylor, Bricker and other democrats declared they favored the amendment, but believed that if it was incorporated in the bill the senate would kill the whole proposition, and on this declaration the amendment was voted down.

Whether the amendment will get safely through the senate again is said to be somewhat of a question. There is a bevy of senators opposed to wiping out the enrollment feature of the present law and they will be only too glad to hit this proposition if the opportunity is presented.

## WOULD ABROGATE THE TREATIES

### CHAMBERLAIN INTRODUCES RESOLUTION IN THE SENATE.

### WOULD SETTLE QUESTION OF PANAMA TOLLS.

### Hay-Pauncefote Treaty With England May Be Set Aside As Simplest Way Out of Controversy.

A joint resolution to abrogate the Hay-Pauncefote and Clayton-Bulwer treaties, on which Great Britain is basing her protests against the Panama canal act, was introduced by Senator Chamberlain, of Oregon, and referred to the foreign relations committee.

Upon the Hay-Pauncefote treaty Great Britain bases her protests against the free passage for American ships in the Panama canal. Senator Chamberlain, a leader in the senate of the



Senator Chamberlain.

free passage exponents, declared that he considered abrogation of the treaty the easiest and quickest way to get to the bottom of the affair.

Senator Chamberlain explained that while the Clayton-Bulwer treaty had been superseded by the existing Hay-Pauncefote treaty, he included it in his resolution for abrogation upon the theory that were the Hay-Pauncefote treaty to be abrogated alone, Great Britain might rebase her claims upon the old treaty with the contention that the abrogation of its successor still left it in force.

### Million Dollar Fire in New York.

A million dollar loss is estimated for a fire which destroyed the old Shooters Island shipyard in the Kill Von Kull, near Staten Island, in New York bay. It was used by the Standard Oil Co. for the reconstruction of many tank ships and tugs. The German emperor's yacht, Meteor, was built at the Shooters Island yard in 1902, when many celebrities, including Prince Henry, of Prussia, President Roosevelt, and others, attended the launching.

Besides sweeping the yard, today, the fire burned to the water's edge the large transfer ferry, Express, of the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad, the ferryboat Ferdham, a barge and two schooners.

### Mexican Rebels Wreck Train.

Seventy-five federal soldiers were killed when insurgents dynamited a troop train a few miles south of Chihuahua City, according to refugees arriving by automobile tonight from the district. The refugees reported that had encountered the wrecked train, and estimated the dead, which apparently for several days has remained along the tracks of the Mexican Central railway. Strong groups of constitutionalists were met at intervals along the route.

### School Board Members Fined.

Eleven members of the St. Louis board of education were fined \$300 each in circuit court for failure to equip three school buildings with fire escapes. The members signed their own bonds and were released pending the outcome of appeals. It was testified during the trial that the board of education had appropriated \$230,000 to make every school building in the city fireproof.

Port Huron suffered a deficit of \$10,000 in its schools this year and the city commissioners believe that it will be necessary to assess the maximum per capita to raise an amount sufficient for the coming year.

A special election will be held at Monroe, June 2, for the purpose of voting for commissioners to revise the city charter, in accordance with the decision of the electors April 7.

Just three days after his 106th birthday, Charles Beety, one of Muskegon's two famous French-Canadian centenarians, died at the Muskegon county home.

Otto L. Hill has started suit against the city of Port Huron for \$5,000. He alleges his property was damaged when repairs were made to a water main.

## AMBASSADOR FROM JAPAN



Viscount Chinda is very much in the public eye since the proposed legislation in California has brought about an acute situation in the relationship of the two nations.

### PRESIDENT WOULD MAINTAIN FRIENDLY RELATIONS WITH JAPAN.

Alarmed by the earnestness of the Japanese in manifesting their objections to the anti-Japanese legislation pending in the state of California, President Wilson abandoned his policy of "hands off" and put the international phase of the situation squarely before Gov. Hiram Johnson, of California.

Secretary Bryan in a message inspired by the president informs the governor that while the right of the state of California to enact such legislation as she may see fit on the subject of land tenure, they are urged to recognize the international character of such legislation and strike out the words "ineligible to citizenship."

Thus President Wilson has adopted essentially the same course in handling the anti-Japanese tendencies of the Pacific coast as was taken by former President Roosevelt in 1907 and more recently by President Taft. Temporary relief from the strained relations now existing is expected promptly when the president's message is published in Japan. A large part of the Japanese resentment is said to be due to the fact that the Japanese people as a whole have believed the federal government was entirely willing that California adopt even the most drastic measures. It is expected that when the president's efforts to smooth out the situation becomes known that there will be at least a suspension of the anti-American demonstrations and the talk of making war on the United States.

### Peace Congress in St. Louis.

The program of the fourth American Peace Congress, which will be held in St. Louis May 1-3, has been announced. Among the speakers for the first day of the congress are Andrew Carnegie and Senator Theodore Burton of Ohio.

Others who will speak during the congress are Booker T. Washington, Edwin D. Mead, of Boston; John Lewis, editor of the Toronto Star; Justice Wm. R. Riddell, of the supreme court of Ontario, and Justice B. Russell, of Halifax.

Secretary of State Bryan will deliver two addresses May 3.

### Fatal Explosion at Canal.

A premature explosion of dynamite occurred between the Pedro Miguel Locks and the Miraflores Locks of the Panama canal.

Three men were killed and 23 wounded. Dynamite to the amount of about 21,000 pounds, filling 96 drill holes "let go."

The electric wires were not attached, and the only possible explanation seems to be that a sulphur formation at this point had generated heat.

### Greatest English Vessel Launched.

The largest steamship ever built in Great Britain, the Cunard liner Aquatania, was successfully launched on the Clyde.

The new vessel is double shelled and carries boats sufficient to accommodate 4,250 persons, the entire complement of passengers and crew. She is a vessel of about 47,000 tons gross.

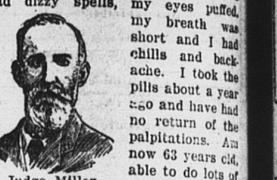
Charles English, a farmer near Alpena, shot and killed a big bear just as the animal was about to enter the sheep shed.

At the last meeting of the Saginaw common council the endowment fund of \$20,000 left by the late ex-governor A. T. Bliss for the improvement of Bliss park was accepted.

In the first decision ever announced by the supreme court of the United States in regard to the use of X-rays, the tribunal held that the burden was on the plaintiff, in suits for damages resulting from the use of X-rays to show the physician, or defendants, was negligent, and that the physician in such suits need not show he was not negligent.

Alarmed for His Mother. Little Harry, hanging about the kitchen, saw a stuffed fowl sewed up before roasting. He was much impressed by the sight. A few nights later his mother, hastily dressing to go out, found that a new frock had been sent home without the proper allowance of hooks and eyes. Summoning aid, her sister basted the frock together up the back.

"Grandma," said Harry, seeking the source of perennial sympathy and comprehension, "come and see what auntie's doing to mamma. I think she's going to roast her, for she's sewing her all up."



Judge Miller.

### JUDGE CURED, HEART TROUBLE.

I took about 6 boxes of Dodds Kidney Pills for Heart Trouble from which I had suffered for 5 years. I had dizzy spells, my eyes puffed, my breath was short and I had chills and backache. I took the pills about a year ago and have had no return of the palpitations. Am now 63 years old, able to do lots of manual labor, am well and hearty and weigh about 200 pounds. I feel very grateful that I found Dodds Kidney Pills and you may publish this letter if you wish. I am serving my third term as Probate Judge of Gray Co. Yours truly, PHILIP MILLER, Cimarron, Kan.

Correspond with Judge Miller about this wonderful remedy. Dodds Kidney Pills, 50c. per box at your dealer or Dodds Medicine Co., Buffalo, N. Y. Write for Household Hints, also music of National Anthem (English and German words) and recipes for dainty dishes. All 3 sent free. Adv.

Valued Patron. "Confound it," said the uptown druggist, "that woman took all the change I had in the drawer."

"Why didn't you tell her you couldn't break her \$10 bill?"

"No, no; she's one of our most regular patrons. Why, I've known that woman to buy as high as 11 one-cent postage stamps in a week."

### Uncle Josh's Joke.

"Gee!" said old Uncle Josh, as the wall from the parlor waxed louder and more piercing. "I wish that there female summer boarder'd stop that infernal practicin' on her singin' fer a leetle. She hez a voice like a fish."

"Like a fish?" demanded Mrs. Josh, scornfully.

"Ya-as," said Uncle Josh. "Mostly scales an' flatter'n' hokey."—Harper's Weekly.

### Keeper of Secrets of Kings.

Lord Knollys, who is retiring, after having been private secretary to King George and the late King Edward, has received many tempting offers to write his autobiography, but, needless to say, has steadfastly resisted them all. An enterprising publisher, from the United States, once ran him down during his vacation, and placed a blank check before him, inviting him to fill it in for any sum he liked to name in return for a book of no fewer than 50,000 words.

"My terms would be five million dollars," Lord Knollys remarked, quietly. The publisher gasped. "Good gracious, sir, are you serious?" he asked.

"Quite," Lord Knollys rejoined, and then, with one of his merry twinkles of his eyes, he said: "Would it not be worth a good deal more to you if I had to say frankly all I know?"

The publisher realized the force of the argument, and was bound to admit that it would be a hopeless task to induce an indiscretion on the part of the veteran courtier.

Charity covers a multitude of sins that ought to be exposed.

## Everybody From Kid To Grandad Likes Post Toasties

Thin, crisp bits of white Indian Corn, cooked to perfection and toasted to a delicate brown without the touch of human hand.

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A dish of Post Toasties for breakfast and lunch, with thick cream or rich fruit juice, is a dish that epicures might chortle over.

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# SERIAL STORY

## STANTON WINS

By Eleanor M. Ingram  
Author of "The Game and the Candle," "The Flying Mercury," etc.  
Illustrations by Frederic Thorburn

### SYNOPSIS.

At the beginning of great automobile races the mechanic of the Mercury, Stanton, drops dead. Strange death. Jesse Floyd, volunteer, and is accepted. In the rest during the twenty-four hour race Stanton meets a stranger, Miss Carlisle, who introduces herself. The Mercury wins race. Stanton receives news from Miss Carlisle, which he ignores. Stanton meets Miss Carlisle on a train. They alight to take walk and talk. Stanton and Miss Carlisle follow in car. Accident by which Stanton is hurt is mysterious. Floyd, at lunch with Stanton, tells of his boyhood. Stanton again meets Miss Carlisle and they go together. Stanton comes to track and makes race. They have accident, but make race. Stanton is hurt, but not seriously. At dinner Floyd tells Stanton of his twin sister. Stanton becomes very ill and less consciousness. On recovery, at hotel Stanton receives invitation and visits Jessica.

### CHAPTER VII—(Continued).

"I am alone in the crowd, too," he rejoined. "If I thought Floyd would not object, or feel that I took advantage of his absence, I should ask if you would do me so much honor as to go to the theater with me, this evening."  
Her gray eyes widened, the color flushed through her transparent skin. Suddenly and vividly Stanton was reminded of Floyd's face on the first night when he invited the mechanic to race with him for the season. "You are asking me?" she doubted. "I would like to do so. But not if you think Floyd would refuse to let me, if he were here. He can't have much of an opinion of me."  
"I wish I might tell you what Jess thinks of you," she made grave answer. "I am quite sure that he would let me go with you, Mr. Stanton; you are very good and I thank you from the bottom of my heart."  
The little old Irishwoman in black silk opened the door for him, beaming and smiling. Amazed at himself, bewildered by a sense of having seen Floyd and yet not seeing him, Stanton went down into the practical city street.

He spent two hours in selecting an irreproachable play and theater; a task of some delicacy in this his native town. After which, he ate a perfunctory dinner and went home to dress. Stanton, whose overbearing willfulness spared no one, whose sharp tongue hurt his mechanic as often as they met, would no more have taken Floyd's sister to dine with him in a public restaurant without Floyd's permission, than he would have stolen his purse.

It was a dazzling Jessica whom he found waiting for him, at the appointed hour. Yet she was simply gowned in delicate gray, with a demure lace collar that came up to her round chin, and long lace sleeves. It was her cold, expressive face; the bronze curls massed under the wide gray hair, the splendid glow and young vitality of her, that made people look and look again. Stanton approved of her unreservedly; he had fixed, masculine notions of what women should wear in public places.

On her left arm, over the transparent sleeve, she wore an antique silver bracelet fully four inches in breadth; a singular ornament, set with dull turquoise matrix. When Stanton assisted her to remove her cloak, at the theater, she suddenly wiped.

"The bracelet—it caught my arm," she explained, before he could question. "It is too heavy, really, to wear."  
But nevertheless, she did not take it off, and several times through the evening touched her gloved finger to the silver band as if to assure herself that it was in place. A souvenir, perhaps, Stanton idly reflected. His was too much interested in the wear to pay heed to the bracelet. Except for the hours passed with Floyd, he had never experienced anything like this satisfying companionship.

The performance had ended, and Stanton was carefully piloting his charge through the slow-moving mass of people, when he heard his own name exclaimed. He glanced around, and saw Valerie Carlisle coming down the stairs from the boxes, her large, amber eyes fixed upon him. Under the strong light, in her elaborate pale-green gown, her shoulders bare and showing satin white where her cloak had slipped back, her blonde hair circled with a wreath of green anemones and jeweled leaves, she was conspicuous enough to draw the glances of all those passing, as well as that of the man she called. Stanton bowed and would have continued on his way, but she called a second time, adding a gesture of summons.

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of the attempt at command. He deliberately retained Jessica's hand upon his arm, and since he must go, led her with him.

"You called me, Miss Carlisle?" he questioned. "Miss Floyd, let me introduce Miss Carlisle."  
The two women bowed without effusion, Valerie Carlisle scrutinizing Jessica with an acute attention that seized every detail of her appearance.

"Miss Floyd, have we not met?" she puzzled. "Pardon, it seems so to me."  
"Probably you have met my twin brother," Jessica suggested, gravely self-possessed. "He is much with Mr. Stanton."  
There was a shock of antagonism in their meeting gaze, as there had been between Floyd and this girl when he had seen her in the railroad depot on the way to Lowell. Miss Carlisle turned to Stanton, enlightened.

"Oh, your mechanic; I remember."  
"My friend and mechanic, yes," he amended.  
"Ah? But I am detaining you—I merely wished to ask if you had quite recovered from your illness. When you left us that night, I never imagined you would try to race next morning. And you should not have done so; it resulted in an accident."  
He opened his lips to deny that his illness had caused the Mercury's mishap, then paused. If he had not felt the average irritability of a strong man sick, would he have quarreled with Floyd and taken his car around the turn at such ruinous speed? He did not know.

"I am perfectly well, thank you," he answered, instead.  
"Indeed, I am glad. Will you not come to see us soon—you owe us a dinner call, you know."  
He did not echo her delicately expectant smile, his dark face hard.

"You must believe my appreciation of the dinner without that formality, Miss Carlisle. I start for Indiana in a few days," he regretted.  
Her amber eyes also hardened, suddenly and strangely; she moved a step to retire, catching up her trailing lengths of satin and lace.

"As you will, of course. Ah; we found out what car wins when you are taken from a race, Mr. Stanton, as at Lowell. And you judged wrong—it was not the Duplex, but the Atlanta. Good night."  
Stanton looked after her, amazed, then abruptly turned his eyes to the frank, steadfast face of Jessica Floyd.

"Come out in the fresh air," he requested. "That perfume she wears smothers one."  
"Sandalwood." Interpreted Jessica, turning; she had her brother's habit of instantly obeying a suggestion. And as they emerged: "May I say something interfering and impertinent?"

"What right have I to object to anything said to me? I show small grace to others."  
"Then, pray do not go near Miss Carlisle just before a race."  
He stopped short on the sidewalk.

"You know—only think—"  
"I know only what Jess knows," she declared. "But I think that Miss Carlisle is not good for your racing. Some people are naturally unlucky influences, perhaps."  
Stanton shook his head, unbegulled by the pleasantry.

"I understand what Floyd believes, but it is impossible, absurd. Besides, Floyd's stolen his purse."  
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cried out; Stanton laughed in approving admiration, she had her brother's pluck. He hated whining people. Only he wished that her eyes were not so exactly like Floyd's; it confused him.

### CHAPTER VIII.

Team-Mated.  
Floyd returned Stanton's call after a fashion of his own, some days later. "There's a gentleman down-stairs to see you, sir," the bell-boy brought information to the latter, one afternoon. "He won't come up because he says he can't leave his automobile, but he'd be glad if you'd come down, sir."  
Stanton looked at the card presented, and rose with alacrity.

His mechanic was in the hall, gazing across the wide windows at a low-slung, long-bonneted, dull-gray motorcar that stood by the curbstone; a car stripped as bare of every superfluous belongings as a pugilist entering the ring. At the hiss of the descending elevator he turned to meet Stanton with his smile of sun-shoot cordiality.

"I was afraid to let your machine out of my sight," he exclaimed. "She is going on to Indiana, to-night, and the chief wanted you to see her first. There wasn't time to get you to the factory, after fixing her steering business the way you wanted, so they sent her down for you to look over. The chief sent word for you to try her out anywhere you liked and he would pay the cost if you got in trouble, but to get her shipped west to-night unless she had to go back to the factory, for there were rumors of a strike among the train men and we might not be able to get her through in time for the race."  
"Who drove her down here?" Stanton demanded, casting a jealous glance out the window, but accepting the facts more amiably than could have been expected.

"The chief, until he left me at the avenue corner, just now. He said—never mind."  
"Oh, go ahead."  
"Well, he said he had been a racing driver himself and knew how you would feel about having your car yanked thirty miles across country roads by another driver; and, er—that he guessed that he was the only man in the shops who'd care to tell you he had done it."  
"It'll get some driving things," suggested Stanton, and went back to the elevator.

When he joined Floyd beside the big car, he stood for a moment busied with the clasp of his gauntlet, before attempting to start.  
"Miss Floyd told you of my call, the other day?" he queried.  
"Yes, of course. I was sorry to be away; I had never thought of your hunting me up."  
"You did not object to my taking her out? There was no way of asking you."  
This from the self-willed Stanton! Floyd's eyes glinted with an appreciation at once humorous and touched.

"Object? Why? You could take care of her," he countered.  
"Fix the spark," bade Stanton, and went front to crank his motor.  
"We'll not get half a block without drawing every mounted policeman for ten miles," Floyd called, above the roar of the exhausts. "We ought to have made ready by putting on a few dozen mufflers."  
"What time must she be shipped?"  
"We must have her at the Mercury office by six o'clock, unless you say she has to go back to the factory."  
"It is after four, now. No time to try the Long Island course, and there is a motor-cycle race on the Beach track. Get into your seat; we'll take Pelham Parkway."  
"Pelham Parkway? Why—"  
"Have you anything better to propose?"

"It's a first offense," Floyd resigned himself. "They can't do worse than fine you."  
Stanton shrugged his shoulders, and the car rolled forward.  
The Mercury glided through the beaming, congested streets, and left a faultless record behind her. Not a traffic officer's slightest signal was disregarded, no speed regulations were materially fractured; Stanton drove like a law-abiding chauffeur from the suburbs, and until they were in the park.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)  
Imagination.  
The faculty of imagination is the great spring of human activity, and the principle source of human improvement. As it delights in presenting to the mind scenes and characters more perfect than those which we are acquainted with, it prevents us from ever being completely satisfied with our present condition, or with our past attainments, and engages us continually in the pursuit of some untired enjoyment, or of some ideal excellence. Hence the ardor of the seafarer to better their fortunes, and to add to their personal accomplishments, and hence the zeal of the patriot and the philosopher to advance the virtue and the happiness of the human race. Destroy this faculty, and the condition of man will become as stationary as that of brutes.—Dugald Stewart.

Only Problem of Happiness.  
"Real happiness is so simple that most people do not recognize it. They think it comes from doing something on a big scale, from a big fortune, or from some great achievement, when in fact, it is derived from the simplest, the quietest, the most unpretentious things in the world. Our great problem is to fill each day so full of sunshine, of plain living and high thinking, that there can be no consciousness of unhappiness in our lives."—Orison Sweet Mirren.

## MAKING THE HOME GROUNDS BEAUTIFUL



Path Made Beautiful With Currant Bushes.

(By BESSIE L. PUTNAM.)  
Peony clumps should not be allowed to grow too large or remain too long undisturbed, else they will produce fewer flowers which will be small and poorly colored. Therefore if not attended to before this choose some warm, bright day towards the end of this month and divide the clumps. Of course this means when the frost is out of the soil and it is in good working order. This condition obtains in many sections of the country at this time.

What has been written above in regard to the peony applies to most of our herbaceous and perennial plants—that is, they do not like to be disturbed after they have made much growth, but as they are about to start growing in the spring is the time to divide them.

Get your beds and borders in shape so that when you receive dormant plants from the seedman or nurseryman you can put them in their permanent home, and not have to heel them in to wait until you get their beds ready for them.

Guard against roses, shrubs and the like that have been placed in cold storage to retard growth. They are not in strong growing condition when you receive them late in spring, and will not withstand the usual heat of May and June. They must make their early growth under natural conditions and not a month after their usual time.

Above all, don't crowd. This applies to the window garden where the amateur wishes to grow a great number of plants, forgetting that a few well-grown specimens would give more pleasure than a lot of shabby failures. It also refers to the lawn that is often cut up into flower beds of divers shapes and sizes that spoil all the beauty of the home place, and this holds true also where flowers are crowded in bed and border.

At this season of the year, when the days lengthen and the sun grows warmer, plants in the window begin to grow and blossom. Now is the time to make cuttings of plants wanted for summer decoration. Procure a wooden flat or an old iron pan, or dish that will hold water and fill it with sand. Insert cuttings, or rather "strike" them fairly and squarely into the sand. Do not move the cuttings sideways, or in any way have air spaces about them. Do not place in direct sunlight; a thinly curtained south window is the best. Keep them moist.

Include in your list of new plants a climbing rose or two. They are lovely while they bloom just after the June roses has faded. Prepare the soil well, digging it deeply and enriching it generously. Of course the soil must be well drained.

Much of the success of seedlings depends upon the soil they are started in. We should endeavor to grow seeds in light, rich soil so that the tiny seedling may acquire a stock of vitality which will give it a fair start and fighting chance in life to enable it to withstand the trials of its later existence.

will then be produced later, and the plant becomes "own rooted." Where the stock stem is very long plant it on the slope; this is better than too deep planting. Dwarf roses should be planted about 18 inches apart, standards three feet, and climbers four feet of more.

If a rose tree is dry when received from the nursery give it two or three hours' soaking in a pail of tepid water. If planting cannot be done immediately, then open a trench, lay the roots therein, with the stems lying on the ground, and cover with soil; leave thus till a convenient time arrives. Do not plant in frosty weather. Avoid exposure to drying winds while planting.

Hay Should Not Sunburn.  
The feeding value, as well as the market value, and palatability of hay, is lowered by being sunburned. The feeding value is probably hurt most by the loss of leaves. Sunburned clover and alfalfa lose a large part of the leaves in handling, and this is the best part of the crop.

## THE KITCHEN CABINET

Who lives and works for love  
The miracle shall prove;  
The Eternal Power is his, whatever he do,  
Weakness is strength for him, and old things are made new.

### COMPANY DISHES.

When entertaining at luncheon and a small cake is desired, try these: Bake cup or sponge cakes in gem pans, frost with boiled frosting, and when cold cut a small circle from the top and scoop out part of the inside crumb. Fill with a rich preserve, place on a dolly-covered plate and serve with a bowl of sweetened whipped cream.

Lemon Snow Pudding.—Put two tablespoonsful of gelatine into a bowl, add a cup of water, and when the gelatine is softened add two cups of boiling water, a half cup of sugar, the strained juice of two lemons which has been boiled with the water and sugar for five minutes. The thin yellow rind may be added, too, and strained out. When the mixture begins to set add six whites of eggs folded in carefully after they are stiffly beaten. Put into a wet mold and allow to set until firm. Serve with a custard or with whipped cream and fruit of any kind desired for a garnish.

Cheese Fingers.—Beat the whites of two eggs to a stiff froth and fold in lightly a cup of grated cheese. Season to taste with paprika and salt. Spread in long, narrow crackers, then brown in the oven. These may be either served hot or cold, and are nice with a salad course.

A delicious salad is made of finely-diced apples and a shredded green pepper. Serve on lettuce with mayonnaise.

Cucumber Salad.—Take five tablespoonsful of sour cream, add two tablespoonsful of vinegar, a dash of red pepper and salt to taste, and a tablespoonful of finely-chopped chives. Blend carefully, and use as a dressing on thinly-sliced cucumbers.

Hot fried sardines served on a bed of water cream makes a nice way of serving these little fish.

Celery and nuts chopped fine and mixed with a salad dressing makes delicious filling for sandwiches. A teaspoonful of sugar added to each quart of flour when making baking powder biscuits will improve them.

### FOOD EN CASSEROLE.

Of course, all cooking in casserole is done in the oven. If one uses gas, it may seem an expensive method of cooking, but when one realizes how much can be done with the oven, the work may be planned to save every bit of heat. There are on the market small ovens which can be used on the little simmer burner at a very slight expense. The oven will save its price in a few weeks' gas bill.

There are small stone dishes which may be used to serve hot bits of any vegetable or meat and make most appetizing dishes. For example, if one has a tablespoonful or two of sweetbreads, mushrooms or fish of any kind, they may be put into a small ramekin, white sauce added, and covered with crumbs and browned when needed. For a family of five, one may have something different in each dish, and each member of the family may be suited as to choice, provided they don't all want the same thing.

Tongue which has been corned, if cooked for several hours, with seasonings, a teaspoonful of Worcestershire sauce, a few drops of tabasco, half a cup of seeded raisins, and a pint of beef stock, will be delicious and tender. The tongue may be removed to a platter and the sauce poured around it.

Veal, though one of our expensive meats just now, may be used to add variety to the table, buying one slice from the leg, brown it well and place on a layer of carrots, turnip, onion and potato. Sprinkle with celery and pour over all the browned gravy, slightly thickened with flour. Bake slowly until tender.

A most delicious casserole dessert is baked bananas, which have a sauce of lemon butter and sugar poured over them. Serve with a half glass of currant jelly added ten minutes before serving.

Two Kinds of Pleasure.  
"The girls are getting up another party."  
"Well, inviting people to one's house is a delightful pleasure."  
"True, but the keenest enjoyment seems to come through leaving people out."  
Rich Man and Poor Man.  
"I should think you'd be ashamed to sponge on Gotrox daily at lunch. The meals are always at his expense."  
"Oh, it's a mutual arrangement. The more he eats, the more I eat."  
Nellie Maxwell.

Roller is Great Aid.  
The use of the roller is of very great aid in securing a catch of clover by increasing the rate at which moisture is brought to the seed from the subsoil.

Possibly Two Conflagrations.  
"Papa, what is a conflagration?"  
"It is a big fire, my son."  
"And what do they call a little fire?"  
"There is no special name for a little fire. Oh, they sometimes call it an incipient fire and—let's see—well, it is sometimes called an inconsiderable fire. Why?"  
"Well, I see your coat-tail is on fire, and I was wondering whether it was a conflagration or an incipient fire."  
In a few minutes the young man had reason to think it was a conflagration.

The Cause.  
"George is raising mutton-chop whiskers."  
"That accounts for his sheepish expression."

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**PERSONAL MENTION.**

Archie Clark was a Jackson visitor Monday.

Henry Wirkner spent Sunday in Jackson.

George Staffan was in Manchester Monday.

Miss Marie Lusty was in Ann Arbor last Friday.

Mrs. James Runciman was in Detroit Tuesday.

Miss Margaret Miller was a Detroit visitor Monday.

J. B. Cole and W. E. Stipe were in Tecumseh Tuesday.

Mrs. J. H. Runciman is spending a few days in Detroit.

Miss Clara Hutzler was in Detroit Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Floyd L. VanRiper was an Ann Arbor visitor Sunday.

Miss Mary Helm, of Jackson, was a Chelsea visitor Sunday.

Edward Gorman, of Detroit, was a Chelsea visitor Monday.

Miss Carrie Koons spent Sunday with friends in Jackson.

Washington Barry is spending a few days in London, Ont.

Miss Kathryn Hooker was in Detroit on business Monday.

Collin Babcock, of Grass Lake, was a Chelsea visitor Sunday.

Mrs. Grover Koch, of Ann Arbor, visited friends here Monday.

D. L. Rogers spent the first of the week in Detroit and Pontiac.

Conrad Lehman and M. J. Dunkel were Detroit visitors Monday.

Miss Ella Slimmer spent Saturday with relatives in Ann Arbor.

Martin Wackenhut and son George were Detroit visitors Sunday.

Mrs. A. C. Yearance, of Dexter, was a Chelsea visitor Monday.

Mrs. John Schlee, of Ann Arbor, was a Chelsea visitor Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Steinbach spent Sunday with relatives in Concord.

Stanley Foran, of Detroit, visited friends here Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Sweetland spent Saturday and Sunday in Ann Arbor.

L. J. Miller, of Chicago, is visiting his mother and sisters at this place.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Bradley, of Ann Arbor, were Chelsea visitors Sunday.

Miss Rose Mullen, of Detroit, was the guest of her mother here Sunday.

Miss Edna Wackenhut, of Jackson, was the guest of relatives here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Lyons, of Jackson, spent Sunday with Chelsea relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. George Blach, of Ann Arbor, spent Sunday with Chelsea relatives.

Miss Minnie Merrinane, of Grass Lake, spent Sunday with Chelsea friends.

Mrs. Mabel Dodds, of Lansing, was the guest of Miss Nen Wilkinson Sunday.

Thos. Watkins and family and Mr. and Mrs. L. Barge were in Detroit Sunday.

Mrs. H. Lighthall returned Sunday from a visit with relatives in Manchester.

V. D. Hindelang, of Albion, spent one day of the past week with relatives here.

Mrs. Josephine Weber, of Detroit, is the guest of her son Arthur Schulte and family.

Kenneth Wals has gone to Charlotte where he has accepted a position as an electrician.

Mrs. Barbara Manz and Miss Mabel Geyer spent several days of the past week in Ann Arbor.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Watkins and daughter, of Grass Lake, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Gilbert Sunday.

Carlton Runciman, of Saginaw, spent Sunday at the home of his mother, Mrs. J. H. Runciman.

Miss Hilda Appleton, of Norristown, New Jersey, is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Dunkel.

Mrs. O. Floyd returned to her home in Detroit Saturday after spending several days with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Paul spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Goetz, of Dexter township.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Foster and children, of Detroit, spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. H. Foster.

Mr. and Mrs. Thompson and daughter, of Detroit, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Salamarghi, of Sylvan, Sunday.

Rev. Father Hally, of Dexter, and Rev. Father Cullinane, of Jackson, were recent guests of Rev. Father Considine at St. Mary's rectory.

Sister M. Camilla, O. S. D., of St. Joseph's Academy, Adrian, spent last Friday and Saturday as a guest of the Sisters of St. Dominic at St. Mary's convent.

**Council Proceedings.**

[OFFICIAL]

**COUNCIL ROOMS, Monday, April 21, 1913.**  
Board met in regular session. Meeting called to order by President McLaran. Present—Trustees, Hummel, Dancer, Storms, Merkel, Wurster. Absent—Palmer.  
Minutes of previous session read and approved.

The following bills read by the clerk:

**GENERAL FUND.**

Hector E. Cooper, half months' salary.....\$ 27.50  
James Dann..... 1.15  
John R. Miner, auditing book of treasurer..... 190.95

**LIGHT AND WATER FUND.**

Roy Evans, half months' salary\$ 37.50  
C. Hyzer, balance salary..... 15.80  
James Tallman, time for C. Hyzer..... 9.20  
N. H. Mans, half months' salary..... 30.00  
E. Paul, half months' salary..... 30.00  
Mrs. Ann Hoag, half months' salary..... 12.50  
The Chelsea Tribune, blanks and slips..... 16.00  
The Sterling Electric Lamp Works, 100 lamps..... 38.00

**STREET FUND.**

William Wolff, 6 days, self and team..... 24.00  
Hugh McKune, 2 days..... 4.00  
Emanuel Bahnmiller, 42 days self and engine..... 47.50  
James Dann..... 12.70

**PAVING FUND.**

Order No. 3923 by Board 1912 \$514.93, interest 9 mo. 10 days \$20.02, total.....\$534.95

Order No. 3899 by Board 1912 \$461.81, interest 9 mo. 18 days \$13.49, total.....\$475.30

Nays, none. Carried.

Moved by Hummel supported by Wurster that bills be allowed and orders drawn for amount. Yeas, Hummel, Dancer, Storms, Merkel, Wurster, Nays, none. Carried.

The bill of J. R. Miner, labor auditing books for 5 years, for \$190.95, read by clerk. Moved by Storms supported by Merkel that the bill be allowed and order drawn for amount. Yeas, Hummel, Dancer, Storms, Merkel, Wurster, Nays, none. Carried.

Moved by Wurster supported by Storms that the report of the auditor be referred to the finance committee. Yeas, Hummel, Dancer, Storms, Merkel, Wurster. Nays, none. Carried.

Moved by Storms supported by Wurster that the report of the sidewalk committee, which is as follows: That walk be built from Washington street to east line of Henry Winters, and crosswalk from Morse place to Schieferstein's, and crosswalk from Rheinfrank's to Kalmbach and Palmer; and walk from James Wade's to Summit street south, and from Summit street to south line Mrs. Sullivan's. Yeas, Hummel, Dancer, Storms, Merkel, Wurster. Nays, none. Carried.

Moved by Wurster supported by Dancer that Trustee Hummel be authorized to purchase the property of Mrs. Lucy Stephens, for the purpose of straightening Dewey avenue at a price not to exceed \$500.00. Yeas, Hummel, Dancer, Storms, Merkel, Wurster. Nays, none. Carried.

Moved by Hummel supported by Merkel that the petition of A. L. Steger and 18 others for the extension of the paving of South Main street from present paving to electric railroad, be accepted and that the same be completed as per specifications named in petition; viz., the village to pay for street intersections and 20 per cent of all other costs. Yeas, Hummel, Dancer, Storms, Merkel, Wurster. Nays, none. Carried.

Moved by Wurster supported by Dancer that the appointments of the president for fire chief and fire marshals be confirmed. Carried. President appointed as follows:

Fire Chief—Howard Brooks.

Fire Marshals—G. A. Young, Fred Clark, Roy Dillon and H. E. Cooper.

Moved by Wurster supported by Merkel that we adjourn until Monday, April 28th, 1913, at usual hour. Carried.

C. W. MARONEY, Village Clerk.

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There will be a meeting of the W. R. C. at 2 o'clock on Friday afternoon of this week.

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- 98c Black 45-inch Batist, now 75c.
- \$1.50 Black Voile, Altmans best French, now 89c.
- \$1.25 Black Fine Serge 44-inch, now 75c.
- Several pieces black, all wool Dress Goods were 50c to 75c, now 25c and 29c.
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- 75c White Pure Worsted Storm Serge, now 50c.
- \$1.50 White Pure Worsted Storm Serge, now \$1.10.
- 69c Worsted Black and White Pekin stripe very desirable, now 49c.
- One piece 75c Black Mohair, now 39c.
- One piece \$1.25 Black Mohair, now 48c.

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- 24-inch \$1.25 Black Windham Taffeta, now 75c.
- 26-inch \$1.75 Black Windham Taffeta, now 98c.
- About eight pieces various colors and shades of 26-inch \$1.25 Taffeta, now 69c.
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Ask to see the Children's Muslin Drawers we are showing in our Muslin Underwear Department at 10c, 15c, 19c and 25c. Mothers can't afford to make these garments. Tailored Waist were \$1.25 some slightly soiled, now 75c. Others to be closed out now at \$1.00 were \$1.50. Others at \$1.25 were \$2.00 and \$2.50.

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DO NOT FAIL TO VISIT OUR SHOE DEPARTMENT. A COMPLETE STOCK FOR MEN AND BOYS.

## DANGER BROTHERS.

### LOCAL ITEMS.

Fred Kanteleher has had his residence on south Main street repainted.

C. Klein has had his house on Main street reshingled and otherwise improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Klingler have moved into the Youngs house on Railroad street.

There will be twenty-four in the graduating class of the Chelsea high school this year.

Mrs. Jacob Mast is at the U. of M. hospital in Ann Arbor, where she is receiving treatment.

A number of the Boy Scouts accompanied by Commissioner Steiner spent last Saturday at Cedar Lake.

Dr. B. Defendorf, who has been ill for some time, has so far recovered that he is able to be about the streets.

W. F. Riemenschneider, administrator of the Christopher Kaiser estate, has sold the farm in Sylvan to Henry Lehman.

Mrs. Bert Castle and children have moved into the residence of E. J. McKune on the corner of Main and Summit street.

Geo. W. Millsbaugh has carpenters at work on the residence property that he recently purchased of the J. G. Edwards estate.

John Spiegelberg has sold his farm in Lima to Gilbert Munsel, of Howell. Mrs. Munsel is a daughter of Charles Stephenson of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Schantz have moved from the Raymond residence on Railroad street to the house of Elmer Beach on Middle street.

Cone Lighthall is superintending the installation of the machinery and electric equipment for the Hoover Steel Ball Co. in their new plant at Ann Arbor.

H. S. Holmes is making arrangements to move the barn on his McKinley street property to the location of the one that was recently destroyed by lightning.

The April examination of school teachers is being held by County School Commissioner Essary in the high school building at Ann Arbor today and tomorrow.

J. W. Brighton, of Edmonton, Alberta, is spending this week with Mr. and Mrs. J. Geo. Webster. Mr. Brighton was employed in the office of the Glazier Stove Co. about twenty years ago.

The Michigan Portland Cement Co. started their plant on full time last Saturday morning for the coming season. During the last three months the works have been thoroughly repaired and put in good condition.

Jacob Hummel was authorized by the common council at their meeting Monday evening to purchase of Mrs. Lucy Stephens a piece of land for the purpose of straightening Dewey avenue.

Ed. Shanahan has accepted a position at the track tank water pumping station of the Michigan Central near Four Mile Lake. David Mohrlock, who has been filling the position for the last few months resigned the last of the past week.

A team belonging to J. L. Sibley and driven by Peter Oesterle, who was delivering a load of potatoes to be shipped to Detroit, became frightened on north Main street last Saturday and ran away. The only damage done was to a quantity of eggs that were thrown to the ground.

There is a report in circulation that the D. J. & C. is about to remove their tracks from west Huron street in Ann Arbor to the Boland road bed which is owned by the company. The cause of the contemplated change is to avoid the expense of paving between the rails on the street that is being used at the present time.

At the meeting of the board of education Monday evening the entire corps of teachers in the Chelsea public schools of the past year were engaged for the coming year. The board has not received a single complaint from any of the patrons of the schools and they are highly pleased with the work that has been accomplished by the instructors during the past year.

The village authorities started the superintendent of the electric light and water works plant at work Tuesday afternoon shutting off the lights and water of consumers who were delinquents. A list of fifty patrons were given the employees of the plant and up to last night eight users of lights, and six takers of water had had their supplies cut off. At a number of the residence of the delinquents paid up accounts that were long past due.

The common council at their meeting Monday night voted to grant the petition of the property owners to pave another section of Main street. The proposed extension of the paved section will commence at the end of the present pavement and extend to the D. J. & C. electric line. The village is to pay for the street intersections and twenty per cent of the cost and the remainder is to be paid by the property owners. The proposed roadway will probably be about twenty-eight feet in width and will be an improvement that will last for years to come. All of the property owners except two signed the petition for the improvement.

Mrs. W. S. McLaren and daughter are Ann Arbor visitors today.

Mrs. Roy Dillon and Miss Anna Mast were in Ann Arbor Sunday.

Mrs. L. Hindelang who has been ill for some time is reported as improving.

Wm. Ward, of Milan, has accepted a position in the tin shop of Holmes & Walker.

A cement sidewalk is being put down on the south side of St. Mary's school house.

John Clark, of Lyndon, who has been confined to his home for some time, is reported as improving.

The Chaffing Dish Club was entertained at the home of Miss Florence Heselwerdt on Monday evening.

The Bay View Reading Circle was entertained at the home of Mrs. F. H. Sweetland Monday evening of this week.

P. G. Schable has purchased a five-passenger Overland automobile. The sale was made through the agency of A. G. Falst.

Considerable wool is being brought into the Chelsea market at the present time. The prices range from 15 to 17 cents per pound.

Miriam Nih a young lady who is a native of China and a sophomore in Albion College will speak at the M. E. church Sunday evening, May 4.

Married, Sunday, April 20, 1913, in Windsor, Miss Katie Fritz and Mr. Albert Horton, both residents of this place. Mrs. Bert Castle accompanied the couple.

Mr. and Mrs. Myron Lighthall and daughter, left Sunday for Detroit where they will make their home. Their household are in storage here for the present.

Dr. J. T. Woods is confined to his home as a result of an attempt to stop a runaway horse Tuesday morning. The ligaments of his left ankle were badly torn and he will be confined to his home for sometime.

Mrs. Jacob Schumacher met with a severe accident at her home Monday. She was coming down stairs from the rooms of the second floor and her foot caught in the carpet. Her left wrist, hip and side was badly bruised.

Miss Eda Koch, who is employed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Dancer, fell from a chair last Thursday and fractured a rib. At present she is at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Koch, in Jerusalem.

The relatives of Mrs. Thomas Taylor very pleasantly surprised her last Sunday in honor of the 70th anniversary of her birth. After a bounteous dinner she was presented with a beautiful leather chair in commemoration of the event.

Mrs. Mary Wade has issued invitations announcing the approaching marriage of her daughter, Miss Ellen M. and Mr. Edward N. Moez, of Toledo which will take place at 8 o'clock Monday morning, April 28, 1913, in the Church of Our Lady of the Sacred Heart. The young couple will make their home in Toledo.

At the annual meeting of the Jackson Association of the Congregational churches that was held at Sandstone last week, Rev. C. J. Dole of this place was elected moderator. Rev. F. M. Sheldon, of Ann Arbor, was elected as delegate to the national council at Kansas City in October. Papers were read from all of the churches in the association and Rev. C. J. Dole read a fine paper on "The Religious Mission of Poetry and Song."

A solemn requiem high mass, of month's mind, was offered up Monday, April 21, for the happy repose of the soul of the late Miss Elizabeth Considine in the Church of Our Lady of the Sacred Heart. Rev. Father Considine was the celebrant, Rev. John B. O'Connor, O. P., was deacon, and Rev. Vincent G. Cleary, O. P., was sub-deacon. There was a devout congregation present, and the singing by the choir was excellent. The altar was appropriately draped in mourning and the "Libera" was sung. The service was very solemn and beautiful.

Potato and Flower Contest.

The executive committee of the Washington County Sunday School Association met in the Ypsilanti M. E. church April 15 and planned for a potato and a flower contest to be entered into by Sunday school boys and girls under sixteen years of age. The contest is so planned that both city and county pupils may enter and have equal opportunities of winning the prize.

The potato growing contest can be entered by boys and the aster growing by girls. There will be two sets of prizes given for each event. In the potato growing event there will be a first, second and third prize offered for quantity and also first, second and third for yield. The prizes in the aster growing contest will be first, second and third for size and the same for variety of color.

The local Sunday school will decide on the winner from the school and enter him and her in the district contest. The district will decide on the winner from the district and enter him and her for the county contest which will take place at the convention in Ypsilanti October 2 and 3.

JACKSON—The death of Billy Allen, who was killed in a prize ring at Hastings Thursday night, has resulted in the clamping on of the lid in all parts of Michigan by Gov. Ferris. The governor declared Friday that the prosecuting attorney and sheriffs of every county would be notified to enforce the law against professionals. Purely amateur contests will be permitted, it is understood.—Patriot.

# Here Are Some Bargains

Monday, April 28, you can buy up to 10 yards of best Prints, per yard **5c**

Tuesday, April 29, you can buy up to 10 yards best Apron Check Gingham, per yard **6c**

Wednesday, April 30, you can buy up to 10 yards best Percales, per yard **9 1-2c**

Saturday, April 26, from 9 to 10 o'clock a. m., you can buy a first-class 25c Broom, (one to a family) for **10c**

## Hosiery Special

We are showing the greatest values in Women's Misses', Children's and Boys' Hosiery at 10c and 15c ever offered in Chelsea at these prices.

## Special in Our Clothing Department

Men's \$6.00 Slip On Coats **\$3.98**  
Men's \$5.00 Slip On Coats **\$3.00**  
Every Coat Guaranteed to Shed Water  
Men's All Wool Blue Serge Suits **\$10.00**  
Actual \$12.00 to \$14.00 Values.

## Special in Our Shoe Department

Men's Elk Shoes, worth \$2.00 now **\$1.65**  
Men's Work Shoes, heavy sole, solid throughout, warranted, and a corking value at \$2.50 our special price **\$2.00**

## Housefurnishings

An elegant display of Rugs, Carpets, Lace Curtains and Linoleum. Every thing new and the patterns are simply grand.

# W. P. Schenk & Company



Nothing stale ever leaves our bakery. Our bakers are up with the chickens and the earliest deliveries are made with goods of the morning's baking. Everything comes to your table light and fresh... and you know we use nothing but the best in our bakery. If you do not know the advantage of buying here give us a trial order. Trial customers become our steady customers.

Thos. W. Watkins

## WANT COLUMN

### RENTS, REAL ESTATE, FOUND LOST WANTED ETC.

FOR SALE—Pure White Rock eggs for hatching \$1.00 per setting. The U. R. Fishel Strains. Ed. Riemenschneider. 40

FOR SALE—Durham Bull, 14 months old, weight 700, price \$40. John Doll, phone 92 ring 13. 39

FOR SALE—Four Scotch collie pups, also barred rock eggs for setting. E. W. Beutler, Chelsea. 38

STEADY EMPLOYMENT for teams. We can furnish steady employment for teams and dump wagons, with drivers, from now until December first; hauling sand, stone and plaster. Communicate with the Bartlett Supply Company, No. 410 Hammond building, Detroit, Mich. 40

WANTED—Young men between the age of 20 and 30 for steady work the year round in manufacturing line. Wages from \$1.65 to \$3.25 a day, depending on position. Apply to the Supt. Peninsular Paper Co., Ypsilanti. 38

FOR SALE—Eight rowed smut nose seed corn; some yellow dent seed corn; 150 bushels seed oats, new variety. Inquire B. Stenbach. 37tf

LAWN MOWERS SHARPENED—Leave mowers at M. A. Shaver's harness shop, or at my house, 608 west Middle street. J. Frank Shaver. 38

WANTED—Competent girl or women for general house work in family of three adults; good wages. Address P. O. box 55, Chelsea. 37tf

FOR SALE—Span good work horses, weight 2,000; work harness and farm wagon. Inquire of Elmer Beach. 38

FOR SALE—House and lot with barn, on south Main street, Chelsea. A bargain. Inquire of Geo. Clark. 38

FOR SALE—Three pool tables and one billiard table, wall-case and cigar case, all mission finish, balls, cues and racks, all complete. Will sell cheap. Thomas W. Watkins, Chelsea. 38

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

EGGS FOR HATCHING—Indian Runner Ducks, American standard, white egg strain, \$1.00 per setting. Leave orders at Geo. H. Foster & Son's or phone line 4 ring-26. C. E. Foster. 361f

FEED GRINDING every Wednesday and Saturday, Jerusalem Mills, E. F. Wacker, Prop. phone 144 ring 2. 331f

WANTED—Man or woman for green-house work. Apply at the Chelsea Greenhouses, phone 180 ring 21. 32tf

## THE NEW STORE

Here is how to save the chicks. You need the Klean Drink Automatic Fountain for your chicks. Fresh, clean water always ready for chicks. Can also be used for grit, grain or oyster shells. Keeps everything clean. 25c each. Sent anywhere in the county, for 5c extra.

U. S. Cream Separators, Alabastine all colors, Waranted Rubber hose for 12c per foot, regular 18c value.

### Grocery Dept.

Full line of groceries. Good goods at right prices.

22 lbs. Cane Sugar for \$1.00. Six 5c cans Pet Milk for 25c. Large cans Red Salmon, 15c. Choice Pink Salmon, can, 10. Eight 5c cans Sardines for 25c. Full Cream Cheese, lb. 15c. Three large cans Sardines for 25c.

## J. Bacon Mercantile Co.

First door south of Chelsea House

## The Money Goes

The question confronts all of us, every day of our lives. Where DOES the money go? We make enough, but it slips away. Where?

Here's a good way to find out. Put every cent of your money in our bank. Pay everything by check. You will soon have a complete record that will show you where it goes. It may also show you where you might save. It's no trouble for us to keep the books. Come on and try it.

## The Kempf Commercial & Savings Bank

# Distribution of Elk Begins



ON HER NATIVE HEATH

**T**HE long-promised distribution of elk from Jackson's Hole and Yellowstone National Park has begun. Thousands of the animals are now being rounded up by cowboys on the overstocked winter range in Wyoming and Montana, and are being shipped by the railroad to states that have sent in requests for them.

A carload of eighty elk, rounded up on the Yellowstone Park region and shipped from Gardiner, Mont., the northern gateway to the Yellowstone, arrived in Denver the other day on their way to Arizona. These elk will be turned out upon their new range in Arizona. They will be protected from hunters, under state laws, and will be given every opportunity to increase.

In the last few weeks herds of elk have been sent in this way to Pennsylvania, West Virginia, North Dakota, Washington, Oregon and California. Many other states have put in application for elk, and will be provided with shipments as fast as the animals can be rounded up. It was supposed that, when this plan was adopted, the elk would not stand shipment, but the percentage of loss has been small. Only one of the Arizona consignments died en route. It is necessary to give the elk a rest every day. They are unloaded from the cars and put into convenient corrals, and after a few hours' rest they proceed on their journey. In this way the loss is comparatively small.

### Prevent Extinction.

The government was forced to adopt this plan to prevent the elk in the west from going the way of the buffalo to extinction. Most of the elk in the Rocky Mountains had ranged north until they reached the Jackson's Hole region south of Yellowstone Park. Here they congregated in vast herds. The number of elk in this region has been estimated at from 25,000 to 100,000 head, but D. C. Nowlin, former game commissioner of Wyoming, who is now at the head of the work of transportation carried out by the government biological survey, estimates that the smaller number is nearer correct.

Last year congress appropriated a considerable sum for the care and feeding of the Jackson's Hole elk, which were starving in the deep snows. Government employees, aided by ranchmen, carried hay to the elk ranges, where they found conditions appalling, especially in the early spring. Hundreds of calves, as well as older elk, were dying of starvation. The lives of thousands of elk were saved by feeding, but it was soon demonstrated that this measure of relief was only temporary. It would entail a tremendous expense to keep up the work of feeding, so it was determined to distribute the elk among the states that put in applications for herds and that were willing to pay the expenses of transportation and guarantee protection to the animals after arrival.

Many states have taken advantage of this offer. Probably 1,500 elk have been shipped, and this number will be doubled before the shipping season has ended. The herds are rounded up in the deep snows and driven to Gardiner. Ranchmen, state game wardens, forest rangers and Yellowstone Park employees are assisting in the work. It is easy to round up the elk which become "stalled" in the deep snows. During recent seasons they have become comparatively used to men. They have descended to the valleys and have fed from all the unprotected haystacks of the Wyoming ranchers. It did not take them long to become used to the visits of the men who composed the government rescue parties, and they would follow the hay sleds for miles. Sometimes, where hay could not be carried on sleds, owing to the depth of the snow and the rough character of the range, alfalfa was "packed" to the elk on snowshoes. The animals soon learned the friendly nature of the visits of these snowshoe men. All these things have made it comparatively

easy to round up the animals for shipping purposes.

**Mostly Yearlings.**  
"Most of the elk we are shipping," said Robert Downey, who is in charge of the transportation work, "are yearlings, averaging from 300 to 500 pounds in weight. The state which is to receive the elk is required to pay all expenses of capture and shipment. All the elk in the Yellowstone region are fat and in prime condition this year. They look much better than last year, and consequently are in first-class condition for shipping. The railroad journey is hard on them. Once on their new range, they will be accustomed to changed conditions in a short time, and they ought to do well in their new homes."

The scenes in the elk region of Wyoming during the last two years are described as heartrending. The starving elk, driven to the lowlands by the high snows in the mountains, found most of the range fenced in by ranchers. In many cases they broke down fences and demolished the haystacks of the ranchers. They ate the willows along the streams, and gradually grew weaker and weaker, and finally sank down to die in the snow. Immediately they were pounced upon by magpies and other birds, and their eyes were picked out, in many cases before the elk were dead.

In all, the government has appropriated close to \$100,000 for elk protection. The appropriation is generally approved, as it will result in replenishing the depleted elk ranges of many states, and will give the fast-disappearing elk of this country a new lease of life.

## QUEER VERDICTS IN FRANCE

Aesthetic Crime Not Punished, but if Work is Clumsy Courts Are Severe.

A French humorous paper has been at pains to compile two parallel columns of verdicts rendered in the courts of France. And very funny readings they make, too. As a guide to would-be criminals, the list should be invaluable. Do you wish to love? Do so with all lightness of heart. Joseph Frechet did it, and left the court without a stain on his character, though rather a big one on his knife. But a motor car tire is sacrosanct, as Mme. Maret-Turel discovered to her cost. Stick a knife into that—and who has not felt the temptation at one time or other—and it will mean four months' hard labor. At least, that is what it meant for madam. If your sense of humor is highly developed you have quite a number of ways in which you can give it harmless vent—harmless, that is, for yourself. Take the case of the grocer's apprentice who made a jolly bonfire in his master's shop. It cost the master \$10,000, but the apprentice had his fun for nothing. There was the asylum nurse who put the refractory patient in a bath of boiling water and kept her there till parboiled. We really think that was carrying the joke a little too far, but the jury, no doubt, considered that the bounds of legitimate humor had not been passed, for they brought in a verdict of acquittal. Husband-killing is no murder, as you well know. Only the wife must shoot straight. The jury does not like a botched job. Thus, Mme. Bourdillon, who could do no better with a six-chambered revolver than shoot her husband in one of his big toes, got six months for her bad marksmanship. So did Mme. Sarasin, and lucky to get off so lightly, for she missed her lover altogether. Again, there was Leon Douyelle, who tried to bite off his wife's nose. He was condemned to eighteen months for this vulgarity. Another man who had the decency to use a razor for the same genital purpose was, of course, acquitted. And the moral of it all is that if you must commit a crime let it be one which by its finish or its humor will appear to the aesthetic susceptibilities of jury or judge.—Boston Transcript.

## GREATEST OF ALL DISASTERS

Flood of the Hoang-Ho in China in 1887 Takes First Place Among Catastrophes.

"Talking of floods, what was the greatest disaster nature ever hit the world with? I don't mean the deluge or anything so far off as that, and I don't mean wars, either. They're our own work. But what was the biggest loss of life that ever happened because of a flood or a fire or an earthquake, or anything of that sort, as far back as the ordinary records go?"

"I suppose you don't include plagues, such as the 'black death' that ravaged Europe for a century or so, almost continuously, back in the Middle Ages?"

"No; that lasted too long. I mean one of the sudden smashes that have hit the world and knocked out cities or sunk ships; anything of that kind."

"Well," said the man appealed to as a handy reference book, "if you limit it that way I think the flood of the Hoang-ho, or Yellow River, in China, in 1887, takes first place. It began late in September and before the water went down about 50,000 square miles of one of the most fertile and populous plains in the world had been swept by the swift current. That means twenty-five per cent. more land than there is in Ohio.

"More than a thousand villages and towns were simply washed off the map, and the loss of life has never been calculated at less than a million. Some authorities say that fully 1,100,000 persons perished. It was like wiping out as many people as there are in Cleveland and Cincinnati together."

"I should say that might be the record disaster of all the ages!" exclaimed the friend who started the talk about losses through the violence of nature. "It must be away ahead of anything an earthquake ever did, or a storm at sea."

"Yes, probably by four to one, at least. But some of the worst earthquakes and volcanic eruptions have done a lot of killing where there was no way to get authentic figures. It is possible that more than a quarter of a million people have lost their lives in some earthquake or eruption, or both together, but the odds are against it."

"What a paralyzing policy such a flood as the one in China would be if it happened in this country or Europe!"

"Indeed, it would," was the reply, "but half the people in China probably never even heard the news."

## Rather an Abuse.

Claude Grahame-White, the English aviator, is a Tory, and, like all Tories, he hates the Democratic legislation of the chancellor of the exchequer, David Lloyd-George.

Mr. Grahame-White, in a recent letter to an American friend—married to an American wife, he has many American friends—said bitterly:

"The Lloyd-George policies are all open to abuse. Take his latest policy, the maternity benefit, 30 shillings a week to every insured woman who has a child born to her."

"A mechanic of mine was in a pub, getting a glass of sour ale the other day, when a woman entered."

"'Say, old dear,' she began, 'could you let me have half a dozen of gin on tick? Tom and me are havin' a party tonight.'"

"'You're a customer of mine,' said the landlord doubtfully, 'but if I let you have this gin, when'll I get my money?'"

"The woman smiled an embarrassed smile. Then she said:

"'Old Lloyd-George'll owe me thirty bob next month. I'll pay you then, old dear!'"

## He Should Worry.

Three students of philosophy sat on top of a high hill. One was a Pessimist, one an Optimist and the third had not declared himself.

While the first two were warmly discussing their opposing theories of life, a sudden gust of wind simultaneously lifted off three hats and sent them bowling down the hill. The Pessimist and the Optimist gazed calmly, but their companion remained calmly sitting on top of the hill and watched the others running after the hats. Presently each procured his own hat and the Optimist picked up also that of the third man. Then they panted back up the hill.

"'Wow!' gasped the Optimist, as he handed over the hat to him who still sat on top of the hill. 'I guess you're an Optimist, too. You didn't seem to worry any.'"

"'Why should I?' was the dispassionate reply. 'I knew that 'mine own shall return to me.' You see, I'm a Fatalist.'—Frederick Moxon, in Lip-pincott's.

## Really Neat Retort.

While telling stories in the freight car on a recent afternoon the question arose: "What is the neatest and cleverest retort on record?" The claimants were many, but the following, which may not be familiar to some of our readers, was adjudged winner:

One day Douglas Jerrold and a friend, who were neither quite so sober as they might have been, quarreled, as men will under such circumstances. Next morning Jerrold, who had forgotten the incident, met the friend on the street, and raised his hat in greeting, as was then the manner. To his surprise he was "cut dead." He pulled up in surprise. "My dear B—, what is wrong?" "Oh," said B—, in whom the memory of the quarrel still rankled, "I never raise my hat to a cad, Jerrold." "Don't you," replied Jerrold, raising his hat again as he passed on. "I always do."

## BELGIUM STRIKE WON BY WORKERS

UNIQUE FIGHT FOR BALLOT IS SUCCESSFUL AND MEN RETURN TO WORK.

HALF MILLION TOILERS WERE INVOLVED IN WALKOUT.

During the Ten Days of Idleness Strikers Indulged in No Violence and Leaders Believe All Demands Will Be Met.

The "political strike" in Belgium, after keeping at a standstill the country's industry and commerce for 10 days, was brought to a conclusion favorable to the workmen, half a million of whom laid down their tools to enforce their demands for equal suffrage.

The leaders of the socialist trades unions and their followers gained their chief point, which was to make the government take up for consideration a change of the Belgian parliamentary franchise with its hated system of plural votes for the wealthier and more educated classes.

At the last returns, 993,070 men possessed one vote, 395,866 two votes and 308,683 three votes, so that the single votes were always overwhelmed.

This is the first occasion on record in which a political strike has resulted in victory for the strikers, and the whole movement has been notable for the energy and determination displayed and for the excellent control shown by the men. There was no violence on the part of the 500,000 strikers.

They have not yet obtained their full demands, but the socialist leaders express confidence that the consideration of their claims will result in the franchise being made equal for all.

## TARIFF BILL IS COMPLETE

New Revenue Measure Is Reported Out by Ways and Means Committee of House.

Presenting the completed democratic tariff revision bill to the house the democrats of the ways and means committee, recommended a radical readjustment of the entire fiscal policy of the nation.

They proposed to make an income tax the means of accurately adjusting the funds to be raised by taxation to correspond with necessities for governmental expenditures.

A detailed table was presented showing, by schedules, the total revenue secured under the Payne law for 1912, and the estimated revenue under the new bill for a 12-month period. The table showed that in 1912, \$759,203,915 worth of imports paid \$304,597,035 in duties at an equivalent average ad valorem rate of 40.12 per cent. It is estimated that under the new bill \$1,000,939,000 worth of imports would pay \$267,701,000 in duties at an average ad valorem rate of 29.60 per cent. Thus the new bill would raise \$739,956,000 less than the present law.

## To Submit Suffrage Amendment.

The women suffragettes won a great victory in the Pennsylvania legislature, when the senate passed with barely the necessary number of votes the joint resolution proposing an amendment to the state constitution giving women the right to vote. The vote was 26 to 22. The resolution had previously passed the house, and it must be adopted by the legislature of 1915, after which it goes to the people for ratification.

## Would Investigate Base Ball.

Characterizing organized base ball as "the most audacious and autocratic trust in the country," Rep. Gallagher, of Illinois, introduced a resolution for an exhaustive inquiry into the operation of the national commission, by a special committee of congress and would also direct the attorney general to investigate the base ball contract system with a view to instituting prosecutions for violation of the Sherman anti-trust law.

## Countess of Yarmouth Married.

Mrs. Copley Thaw and Geoffrey G. Whitney were married at Cumberland Island, Ga., at the estate of Mr. and Mrs. George Carnegie, brother-in-law and sister of the bride. Mrs. Whitney is the sister of Harry Thaw. Mr. Whitney is a Boston banker. The bride's former marriage, was to the earl of Yarmouth, at Pittsburg, in 1903.

According to a statement prepared by Auditor General Fuller it will cost the state \$1,287.60 to advertise the delinquent tax lands in Gogebic county. The total state tax is only \$264.77.

Eighteen residents of Addison township, Oakland county, have petitioned the circuit court to set aside taxes on their property levied for weed cutting by the highway commissioner. They contend that an opinion from the attorney general says the expense of weed cutting cannot be assessed to farm property.

## THE MARKETS.

Live Stock, Grain and General Farm Produce.

**Detroit—Cattle—**Receipts 1,784; fat, 1,242; market steady; best steers \$8@8.40; steers and heifers 1.00 to 1,200, \$7@7.50; steers and heifers, 800 to 1,000, \$6.75@7.25; steers and heifers that are fat, 500 to 700, \$5@7; choice fat cows, \$6.50@6.75; good fat cows, \$5.75@6.25; common cows, \$4.50@5.25; canners, \$2.75@4.25; choice heavy bulls, \$7; fair to good hogs, \$6.50@6.75; stock bulls, \$5@5.75; choice feeding steers, 800 to 1,000, \$6.25@6.75; choice stockers, 500 to 700, \$6@6.50; fair stockers, 500 to 700, \$5.75@6; stock heifers, \$5@5.50; milkers, large, young, medium age, \$65@75; common milkers, \$55@60.

**Veal Calves—**Receipts 1,194; last, 1,011; market steady; best, \$8.50@9; common, \$6@7; milch cows and springers, strong.

**Sheep and Lambs—**Receipts, 4,358; last, 2,763; market steady, run very light; quotations are for clips; best lambs, \$7.50@7.70; fair lambs, \$6.50@7; light to common lambs, \$4.50@6; fair to good sheep, \$5.50@6.25; culls and common, \$3.50@4.50.

**Hogs—**Market 10c higher. Range of prices: Light to good butchers, \$9.20; pigs, \$9.20; mixed, \$9.10@9.20; stags one-third off.

**EAST BUFFALO—Cattle—**Receipts, 130 cars; market 10@20c lower. Best 1,350 to 1,500 pound steers, \$8.80@9.10; good prime, 1,200 to 1,300 pound steers, \$8.75@8.85; good to prime, 1,100 to 1,200 steers, \$8.25@8.50; coarse, plainish, 1,100 to 1,200 pounds steers, \$7.25@7.75; medium butcher steers, 1,000 to 1,100 pounds, \$7.50@8.10; light butcher steers, \$6.50@7.25; best fat cows, \$6.75@7.50; butcher's cows, \$5.50@6; light butcher cows, \$4.50@5; trimmers, \$3.75@4; best fat heifers, \$4.50@5.25; medium butcher heifers, \$6.50@7.25; light butcher heifers, \$6@6.50; stock heifers, \$5.25@5.50; best feeding steers, dehorned, \$7.25@7.50; fair to good, \$6.75@7; prime export bulls, \$7.25@7.50; fair to good do, \$6.75@7; hologna bulls, \$5.75@6.50; stock bulls, \$5.25@6; best milkers and springers, \$65@80; common to fair kind, \$40@50.

**Hogs—**Receipts, 90 cars; market, 5@10c lower. Heavy, \$9.40@9.50; yorkers, \$9.50@9.55; pigs, \$9.25@9.50. Sheep—Receipts, 50 cars; market active. Wool lambs, \$9.25@9.50; clipped, \$8.25@8.50; yearlings, \$7@7.50; wethers, \$6.65@6.90; ewes, \$6@6.25. Calves, \$5@10.

## Grains, Etc.

**Wheat—**Cash No. 2 red, \$1.03 1/4; May opened without change at \$1.08 1/4 advanced to \$1.08 3/4 and closed at \$1.08 1/4; July opened at \$2 3/4, advanced to \$3 and closed at \$2 3/4; September opened at \$2 1/4, declined to \$2 and closed at \$2 1/4; No. 1 white, \$1.07 1/4.

**Corn—**Cash No. 3, 56; No. 3 yellow, 3 cars at \$1.34, 2 at \$7; No. 4 yellow, 1 car at \$4 3/4, closing at 65.

**Oats—**Standard, 1 car at \$9; No. 3 white, 2 cars at \$8; No. 4 white, 1 car at \$7, 1 at \$6 1/2.

**Rye—**Cash No. 2, 62.

**Beans—**Immediate, prompt and May shipment, \$2.

**Clover Seed—**Prime spot, \$13.25; sample, 50 bags at \$12.75, 18 at \$10; prime alsike, \$12.50; sample alsike, 12 bags at \$11.50.

**Timothy Seed—**Prime spot, 100 bags at \$17.

**Flour—**In one-eighth paper sacks, per 196 pounds, jobbing lots: Best patent, \$5.60; second patent, \$5.20; straight, \$4.90; spring patent, \$5.16; rye, \$4.60 per bbl.

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

## General Markets.

**Apples—**Baldwin, \$2.50@2.75; greening, \$2.75@3; spy, \$2.75@3; steel red, \$3@3.50; common, 75c@1.50 per bbl.

**Onions—**40@45c per bbl.

**Cabbage—**Home grown, \$1@1.25 per bbl.

**Dressed Hogs—**Light, 10@10 1/2; heavy, \$9 1/2 per lb.

**Sweet Potatoes—**Kiln-dried Jerseys, \$1.65 per crate.

**Dressed Calves—**Choice, 11@12; fancy, 12 1/2@13c per lb.

**Tomatoes—**Hot-house, 15@20c per lb; Florida, \$4@4.25 per crate.

**Potatoes—**Michigan, car lots in sacks, 45@46c; store lots, 45@50c per sack.

**Live Poultry—**Spring chickens, 18@18 1/2; hens, 18@18 1/2; No. 2 hens, 11@12; old roosters, 10@11; turkeys 17@20; geese, 12@14; ducks, 16@17c per lb.

**Hay—**Car lot, track Detroit; No. 1 timothy, \$14.50@15; No. 2 timothy, \$12@13; light mixed, \$13.50@14; No. 1 mixed, \$12@13; rye straw, \$9@10; wheat and oat straw, \$8.50 per ton.

**Honey—**Choice to fancy white comb, 17@18c; amber, 14@15c; extracted, 7@8c per lb.

**Cheese—**Wholesale lots: Michigan flats, new, 33 1/2@34; Michigan flats, old, 30 1/2@31; New York flats, new, 15 1/2@16; New York flats, old, 18@19c brick cream, 14@14 1/2; Limburger, 18@19c; domestic Swiss, 22@24; imported Swiss, 27@28c; block Swiss, 21@22c per lb.

At a special meeting the Alpena city council appropriated \$1,000 for the Ohio and Indiana flood sufferers.

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# Social Forms and Entertainments



**May Day Possibilities.**  
Very soon the children will be saying, "Tomorrow is May day; can't we have a party?" and if you are a dutiful, obliging mother you will say "yes, indeed, but begin your preparations this minute." So they will get tissue paper and braid it into neat baskets; if they can get the rope crepe paper so much the better. Then they will scurry off to hunt wild flowers, place them in water over night, all ready for the early May day morning filling, then they'll hang them on the door bells and run away. Tucked inside there may be love notes and even tiny gifts.

Perhaps you will plan for a costume pageant with a May queen, recalling Pennycuik's favorite:  
You must wake and call me early, call me early, mother dear; Tomorrow'll be the happiest time of all the glad New Year—mother, the maddest, merriest day; For I'm to be Queen of the May, mother, I'm to be Queen of the May.

Most children know how to dance, so you can have a group of milk maids, Scotch highlanders, English shepherdesses, Roman maids with pipes and garlands, dainty Japanese, and Robin Hood with his merry men. Crepe paper and cambric will make the costumes, and girls of twelve and over can do much towards making their own, as I know from experience that they love to do it. Dressing up and "make believe" come perfectly natural to children, and they thoroughly love plays with action. It is great fun to wind a May pole and not difficult, either, to braid the gay strips around the pole and then undo them. There may be any number of strips to wind. I want to tell you of a book called "Maypole Possibilities," by Mrs. Jennette E. Carpenter Lincoln. It will tell you much that you all want to know and I cannot take space to go into details here.

**An "S" Supper.**  
Some years ago this "S" supper was given to vary the monotony of the ordinary church supper. It was a success and I copy the menu for others who may like to try it. The card at the top said "Summer Schedule." Sumptuous! Superb! Satisfying! Substantial! Slimly Sliced Sandwiches, Stylishly Shaped Selected Sea-Fruit, Somewhat Seasoned Scalloped Sea-Fruit Savory Salmon Salad Scrumptious Salad; Small, Sleek, Sardines Square Sallines Sundry Slices Sharply Spiced, Slender Sweet Pickles Sour, Stinging, Stimulative Sauce Seraphic Sweet-Cakes Silver Spiced Sponge Snow Sweetmeats Small, Succulent Saccharine Slices Sweetened, Solidified Strawberry Syllabub Soft, Smooth, Snowy, Slippery Sherbet Sips Sisters' Special Steeped Slip Steaming, Soul-Stirring Stimulant Sentimental Souvenirs, Suitably Selected Supper, Six—Seven Sixty Several Sweet Sisters Sedulously Serving

**Ideas for Luncheon Tables.**  
At an early summer luncheon, or rather a "spring" affair, as the season is so late, have the centerpiece of the most abundant flower available. In the case I am describing apple blossoms were used. A small but very sweetly toned music box was the centerpiece, literally covered with a mound of apple blossoms. When luncheon was announced there was "music in the air" and the guests found their places by cards decorated with apple blossoms done in water-colors and a bar or two of Mendelssohn's "Spring Song" done in gilt.

**Novel Neck Frill.**  
A charming Parisian actress has adopted very becoming neck frills, which she wears on all her gowns. She has the gown cut in a small V and round this she wears a two-inch frill not full but in double and in front allowed to fall full. This dainty fashion leaves the throat bare to show a row of pearls, and yet there is no hard outline such as a severely turned-down lawn collar may show.

## Models of Hats Accepted as Best of Season's Styles



across the top. The favors were candy boxes in the shape of musical instruments and the hostess said she hoped all her guests were "sweetly attuned." The home at which this pretty luncheon was given was in the country, and after the repast all repaired to the orchard and gathered blossoms, which they took home.  
At another spring party the table was laid out like a formal garden with stiff little trees taken from "Noah's ark" and purchased at the favor department, as were the gilded garden tools. Wild flowers were used in toy wheelbarrows. As a pastime the hostess used some of the flower guessing contests that have appeared in our department from time to time. She had made the cards on which the questions were written in the shape of flower pots, the outside being painted to represent a potted plant. The prizes were brown baskets of spring flowers. The ice cream was served in flower pots and the salad in turnip cases. As it was made of vegetables, this was most appropriate.

**Ship Party.**  
Did you ever hear of one? Well, neither did I until recently, and I am telling you all about it just as soon as I can. This affair was given for a boy's eighth birthday and he just loved boats better than anything else, so his mother had the tinmith make an oval pan four inches deep, which she filled with water and put in the center of the dining-room table. Around the edge she arranged ferns and vines with moss, and in the water she placed the gold fish from the aquarium. At the top store she bought ducks, miniature row boats, sail boats, a little steamer, swans, frogs and play fish. There was a five-cent sail boat at each place with the name of child on the side. The cake had a sail boat done in pink icing for decoration, with the boy's name and date of birth and present date underneath. All this had been kept a profound secret and all the kiddies and cake are after all what makes a real party to the average child, and served early, the supper hour is not interfered with. Then, too, she says children are much happier and easier to manage when their stomachs are full.

**Moon and Morning Stars.**  
Here is a Spanish game that I am sure the children will enjoy these warm spring days. One thing is necessary, and that is bright sunshine for this pastime. The girl who represents the moon stands in the shadow of a large tree or building and she cannot go out into the sunshine. All the other players are the morning stars, and belong in the daylight, so they stay out in the sun; occasionally they venture into the shadow calling alluringly:  
Oh, the moon and morning stars, Oh, the moon and morning stars, Who dares to tread, oh! Within the shadow?  
The watchful moon keeps her eyes open and pounces upon some too venturesome star, catches her and takes her place among the stars and the victim becomes the moon.

**Frills and Furbelows.**  
In Pierrot frills there is a charming novelty, the frill being of very fine white knitted net veiled by a still finer transparency of black net. Unless you see this you will hardly realize how sweet it is and how lightly the black rests mistily on its under killing.  
Debutantes, of course, have always worn tulle, and equally of course they do so still, tulle with pretty groups of roses and flowing girldes of broche ribbon. At the same time older women are making net the favorite material for blouses, and the choice is not altogether unwise, for a well-made net often wears better than chiffon, and white net is not difficult to wash and do up.

**Dog's Elaborate Funeral.**  
One of the most elaborate funerals ever held at the celebrated dogs' cemetery at Moleworth Hunts, England, has just taken place. The body was inclosed in a coffin of regulation type, with handles attached, and was conveyed from London in a motor car. The "deceased" was a fox terrier, and the interment was witnessed by four persons, including the lady owner of the dog. A wreath placed on the grave bore the inscription: "To my darling little Funch; from his loving mistress. Requiescat in pace."

## IN DEFAULT OF BRIDE

By NELLIE CRAVEY GILMORE.

Though fully twenty-two, young Stamford did not look a day over nineteen in his light flannels as he ran nimbly up the veranda steps of the Etheridge home and pressed the electric bell button.  
The door flew open simultaneously and a stolid-visaged personage in livery stood confronting him.  
"Is Miss Etheridge in? I wish to see her at once, if possible!"  
A minute passed and the butler returned, bearing a slip of paper across the back of which was scrawled in a hasty hand: "Dear Dick: I am, unfortunately, too ill to leave my room. Can you not, just as well, communicate with me through Charley?"  
Young Stamford was in a quandary. Decidedly nothing could be done without the co-operation of Miss Etheridge in person, and time was flying. "Tell Mr. Charley to come down immediately," he said.

When Charley Etheridge appeared in response to this summons he found Stamford pacing restlessly up and down the long hallway.  
"The fact of the matter is, Etheridge," he began at once, "my uncle is dying. He has always had his heart set on D— on my marriage with your sister. For some unexplained and inexplicable reason, he chooses to fancy at this late day that one of us will draw back from our engagement because of the delay. The bulk of his property, as you have heard, has been willed to me on the specified condition of my marriage." He paused and drew from his pocket the small, unmistakable yellow envelope. "And now, the worst of it is," he pursued anxiously, "he has but a few hours to live, and sends this telegram at the eleventh hour: 'If you are not married before the breath leaves my body—at my very bedside—will shall be changed.'"  
Etheridge pondered a second and looked up with a daring inspiration in his eyes. "I have it," he cried. "Suppose I—what if I might rig out in some of my sisters' toggery and go on with you?"  
"Capital!" exclaimed Stamford. "Get ready as soon as you can; we've precious little time to squander."

Inside fifteen minutes Etheridge was "rigged out" in one of his sister's smartest gowns, with a great loose coat to hide his figure. The daintiest of French togues surmounted his curling, blonde hair.  
Together they entered a coupe and drove rapidly away.  
Five minutes brought them to the Grand Central depot, and just in time to purchase tickets and board the east-bound train.

A drizzling rain had set in by the time they reached Springfield, and the night was pitchy. They were met and ushered immediately into the sick man's chamber, where a strange priest, lawyer, and one or two servants as witnesses were already assembled.  
Half an hour passed, and the darkened sick room became the chamber of death. The newly wedded couple lingered for a solemn moment, then silently left the room to prepare for the return journey.

Katherine Stamford entered the parlor with some trepidation. Etheridge was standing before an open window looking out into the street, but at the sound of her step he turned and came forward with outstretched hand.  
"So good of you to come," she said, placing her fingers in his; "we have been waiting and wishing for an opportunity to thank you for the royal way in which you came to Dick's assistance."  
Etheridge smiled and caught her other hand in his, crushing them together in both his own. "And how about you, Kate?" he asked, laughing suddenly into the tell-tale eyes raised to his.  
Katherine turned away swiftly to hide the burning flood of crimson on cheek, neck and brow.  
"No need to deny it, dearest. Thank heaven luck was the means of bringing me to what so amount of pleading could!"  
"How did you guess? I thought—I was sure—"  
"That that flimsy disguise of yours was perfect? Never, with me. Because I love you, neither wig, nor clothes, nor the startling resemblance you bear to your twin brother could avail one iota to deceive me. Besides," he went on, "I happened to know that old Dick was hundreds of miles away when that telegram came."

"But Charley, that marriage was all a sham; the proper parties are to be married in two weeks. It—our—cannot really count, you know."  
It did, however, for a fortnight later there was a double wedding at St. Paul's.  
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## "THE CLIMATE OF WESTERN CANADA."

AN IMPORTANT FACTOR IN CANADA'S IMMIGRATION.

A letter dated February 2, 1913, published in a "People's Voice" column in a Swedish paper, while dealing with other conditions in Canada, such as grain yield, social conditions, etc., says: "We have had fine weather until New Year's, when some snow fell and was cold for a few days, but during the past few days we have lovely weather again." The writer, who lives near Davidson, Sask., says they got from 30 to 35 bushels of wheat per acre, 60 bushels of oats and about 20 bushels of flax. All homesteads are taken in the vicinity, but wild land can be bought at reasonable figures. Word from Alberta gives the information that up to the 22nd of February there were eighty-four and a quarter hours of bright sunshine, but that did not come up to the corresponding month of 1912, when the meteorological department registered 120 hours for the 29 days.

February was exceptionally fine all through, but 1912 went one better, and was a glorious month. However, taking the weather generally throughout the northern hemisphere, February has been marked by serious and severe disturbances resulting in heavy storms, bad weather and low temperatures in many other parts.  
The coldest temperature this week occurred on Tuesday morning, when the thermometer registered 23.5 below, and the coldest Wednesday was 1 below. During the last fortnight of February 20 and 8.7 hours of bright sunshine spread its glorious rays over Edmonton, and this out of a possible total of about ten hours is something to talk about.—Advertisement.

**Scissors for Memorial Wreaths.**  
The police of Berlin applied the censorship of the scissors to a recent demonstration at the cemetery where are buried the socialists and anarchists who fell in the revolution in Berlin March 18, 1848. Hundreds of visitors brought wreaths, the socialists red and the anarchists black, to lay on the graves. The police, with scissors, stood at the entrance to the cemetery. Every wreath was submitted to them, and the sentiments on the ribbons had to undergo the censorship of the scissors.

## HANDS ITCHED AND BURNED

Abbotsford, Wis.—"My son had eczema on his hands for about one year. The eczema started with a rash. His hands were sore so he could not close them, and when he wet his hands they hurt him so he could hardly wash. His hands itched and burned just terrible and if he would scratch them, they would break out into sores. He could not get any rest or sleep, and his hands looked quite bad.  
"We had medicine and salve and it kept getting worse all the time. I got some Cuticura Soap and Ointment, and after washing his hands with the Cuticura Soap and putting some of the Cuticura Ointment on two times a day and tying cloths on them for about six months they got well and have not broken out since. Cuticura Soap and Ointment cured him entirely." (Signed) Mrs. Lawrence Kiehl, Feb. 13, 1913.

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# Women of Middle Age

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From Mrs. EDWARD B. HILBERT, Fleetwood, Pa.  
Fleetwood, Pa.—"During the Change of Life I was hardly able to be around at all. I always had a headache and I was so dizzy and nervous that I had no rest at night. The flashes of heat were so bad sometimes that I did not know what to do.  
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From Mrs. F. P. MULLENDORE, Munford, Ala.  
Munford, Ala.—"I was so weak and nervous while passing through the Change of Life that I could hardly live. My husband had to nail rubber on all the gates for I could not stand to have a gate slam.  
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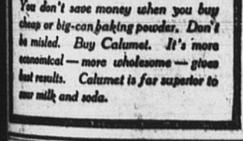
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Three-year-old George and his sister, slightly older, were having a tete-a-tete luncheon. "Why," she demanded, "do you take the last ginger-snap when you've had two and I haven't had any?" The young philosopher pondered for a moment, then condescended to elucidate.  
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Frequent tests show that a 24 lb. sack of **Penkel's Bread Flour** will make 37 delicious loaves. At 5c per loaf this gives you \$1.85 worth of bread. Ask your grocer how much this flour will cost you. You will know why good housewives buy **Penkel's Bread Flour** it is never dear.

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## BREVITIES

**PINCKNEY**—The business men at Pinckney are planning on an old fashioned Fourth of July celebration in hopes it will waken the town up.

**STOCKBRIDGE**—A baseball team has been organized by the young men of this place and there will probably some good games played here during the coming season.

**ANN ARBOR**—The boiler in the dye works on Packard street exploded Saturday afternoon but nobody was injured. The south side of the building was blown down.

**DEXTER**—Scio village is to have a grove of 70 acres of Scotch pines which will be set out by the Eastern Michigan Edison Co. on land that was formerly part of the McGinn and McCarthy farms. The trees will be set 8 feet apart.—Leader.

**DELHI MILLS**—One of Delhi's old landmarks, a barn on the place owned by Charles Roost of Ann Arbor, was torn down last week. This barn was built for a schoolhouse but was replaced many years ago by the one in use at the present time.

**ANN ARBOR**—The body of Miss Ella Rysdorp was recovered from the Huron river Sunday about 200 feet below the Whitmore lake road bridge. It was partly buried in the sand. All three of the victims of the canoeing tragedy, which happened three weeks ago last Sunday night have been found. The father of the young woman, who has been here for two weeks, returned to Spring Lake Monday.

**MANCHESTER**—Rev. Wulfman and members of his congregation are making arrangements to entertain the Michigan district conference of the evangelical synod May 21 to 26 inclusive. It is expected that there will be from 100 to 125 ministers and delegates.—It will be remembered that Rev. Paul Trion of Michigan City, Ind., is president and that he was formerly pastor of Bethel church in Freedom.—Enterprise.

**PLYMOUTH**—Henry Culp, a farmer four miles northwest of Northville, recently lost six cows from what seemed a peculiar disease. N. A. Clapp, when consulted, gave it as his opinion that they died from rabies and suggested that one then affected be killed and its brain sent to Ann Arbor for an examination. This was done and the analysis confirmed Mr. Clapp's diagnosis. Mr. Culp and family have gone to Ann Arbor for treatment as a precautionary measure.—Mail.

**YPSILANTI**—One of the highest honors granted by the Normal college to women students is the choice by the faculty on recommendation of the English and oratory departments of the Ivy day orator. The Ivy day speakers were chosen last week. The chief orator is Miss Clarabelle Landt of Monroe. The others are Conservatory, Helen Showerman, Ypsilanti; gymnasium, Laura Stearns, Deerfield; training school, Hetta Root, Otisville; science building, Angela Flood, Port Clinton; O. Starkweather hall, Gertrude Peck, Belding.

**ANN ARBOR**—Arthur Clark, fireman at No. 1 house, narrowly escaped death Monday when he fell from a thirty-foot stack on the plant of the Ann Arbor Piano company and was caught by a companion on a ladder. Clark was standing on the top of the stack directing a stream of water on a fire in a shoring chute when there was an explosion and flames shot out of the stack into his face. He toppled over backwards and fireman Harry Wise, who was standing on a ladder near, grabbed him by the coat collar and held him until help arrived. Clark was badly burned about the head and his right arm was burned and cut, by being dragged over the ledge of the stack as he fell. He will be laid up for several weeks. The fire was a small one, resulting in slight damage.

## CORRESPONDENCE

### LIMA CENTER NEWS.

Miss Carrie Renz spent Sunday in Chelsea.

Fred Staebler was an Ann Arbor visitor Monday.

Mrs. Lewis Renz and daughter were Chelsea visitors Sunday.

Miss Estella Guerin, of Ann Arbor, was a Lima visitor last Thursday.

Charles Strieter has gone to Ann Arbor where he has accepted a position.

John Webb spent Saturday and Sunday at the home of his parents at Williamston.

Mr. and Mrs. John Riley, of Detroit, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. Drislane.

Mrs. William Foot and son Henry, of Chelsea, spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. A. Strieter.

Miss Kathryn Hooker, of Chelsea, called at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. Drislane Sunday.

Mrs. Addison Webb returned home Sunday after a spending the past week with relatives in Williamston.

Frank McMillen has the material on the ground for a new tile drain that he is having put down on his farm.

The High Five Club will be entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Fletcher on Thursday evening of this week.

The Michigan Portland Cement Co. and H. J. Heininger have constructed a split-log drag which they will use in front of their properties to keep the highways in proper shape.

### FRANCISCO VILLAGE.

Walter Kalmbach, of Detroit, spent Sunday at home.

Edward Peterson, of Detroit, visited his parents north of town Sunday.

Mrs. Sadie Frey, of Grass Lake, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Helle.

Mrs. Oren Thacher and children, of Jackson, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Frey.

Frank Youngs, of Chelsea, and Matt. Fahrner, of Sylvan, are repairing and remodeling the barn on the Stuart Daft place.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Helle were guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Maute whose two sons, Oscar and Elmer, were confirmed Sunday.

The last of the series of dancing parties given by the Francisco dancing society was held last Friday evening. A thoroughly good time was had by the forty couples in attendance.

Eleven children, six girls and five boys were confirmed Sunday in St. John's Evangelical church. Rev. Schulz preached a very impressive sermon after which the children made their vows, were confirmed and admitted to the church. The sacrament of the Lord's supper was observed following the confirmation. Following are the names of the children confirmed: Vera and Ernest Gauss, Milda and Winnie Walker, Oscar and Elmer Maute, Clara and Otto Straub, Matilda Afahai, Esther Widmayer and Rupert Eschelbach.

### NORTH FRANCISCO.

John Lehmann, of Waterloo, spent Sunday at home.

Fred and Nelson Peterson were in Jackson Monday.

Misses Rose and Mae Morris spent Sunday in Chelsea.

Earl Notten is having extensive repairs made to his residence.

Miss Alma Riemenschneider and two of her scholars spent Sunday at her home here.

H. Notten and wife and Leonard Loveland were Sunday guests at the home of Emmett Dancer, of Lima.

Mesdames John Miller and George Towers spent the last of the past week with relatives at Hastings.

Rev. Geo. Nothdurft and Fred Kalmbach were in Lansing Tuesday looking for a lighting plant for the German M. E. church.

### WATERLOO DOINGS.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Alva Beeman Sunday, April 20, a son.

John Collins, of Jackson, spent last Thursday in this vicinity.

Wm. Thomas and family, of Jackson, were Sunday visitors here.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Proctor spent Tuesday at the home of L. L. Gorton.

Mr. and Mrs. Judson Armstrong and children and Mr. and Mrs. F. Durkee spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. Rommel.

Mrs. Monro, of Fenton, and Ardie Hubbard, of Stockbridge, are assisting Mrs. Collins with her household work and telephone.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Beeman and children also Mr. and Mrs. V. Moeckel spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. Musbach in Munith.

For Burns, Bruises and Sores. The quickest and surest cure for burns, bruises, boils, sores, inflammation and all skin diseases is Buckler's Arnica Salve. In four days it cured L. H. Hallin, 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. Fenn Co. and L. T. Freeman Co. Advertisement.

## UNADILLA NEWS.

Mrs. Lee Hadley is on the sick list. Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Lane were in Chelsea Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Marshall spent Sunday with Ed. Cranna.

A. C. Watson, of Ann Arbor, spent Sunday with his family here.

Mesdames V. Bullis and Alex Pyper were Gregory visitors Monday.

Douglas Watson spent the week-end with his grandmother in Chelsea.

## SYLVAN HAPPENINGS.

Elsworth Hoppe, of Detroit, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Hoppe.

Fred Heydlauff has purchased of L. T. Freeman a five-passenger E.M.F. automobile.

Owing to the sudden storm Tuesday evening the meeting of Cavanaugh Lake Grange that was to be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. Hammond on that evening was postponed.

## "The Dawning."

A pretty and wholesome idea is worked out in this two reel subject. A young woman, captivated by the handsome presence and engaging manners of a French artist is ready to take him for her husband, when a call of art and business takes him to Paris. Offended by his willingness to leave her the young woman marries another suitor, an American, whom she does not love but who is very much in love with her. Later her newly made husband is also called to the French capital. The artist and her former admirer meet in the latter's studio. While posing in the studio in a Carmen costume the artist attempts to take liberties with her. She resents them and begins to recognize the true character of the man. She now turns to her husband, whose open and manly ways she finds contrast very favorably with those of the unprincipled artist. At the Princess theatre Tuesday, April 29.

## Notice.

All persons having any property, such as uniforms, instruments, music, etc., belonging to the Chelsea Band are requested to return the same to M. A. Shaver as soon as possible. BY ORDER OF BAND COM.

## AID THE KIDNEYS

Do Not Endanger Life When a Chelsea Citizen Shows You the Way to Avoid It.

Why will people continue to suffer the agonies of kidney complaint, backache, urinary disorders, lameness, headaches, languor, why allow themselves to become chronic invalids, when a tested remedy is offered them? Doan's Kidney Pills have been used in kidney trouble over 50 years, have been tested in thousands of cases. If you have any, even one, of the symptoms of kidney diseases, act now. Dropsy or Bright's disease may set in and make neglect dangerous. Read this Chelsea testimony:

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**ANN ARBOR**—Pretty Minnie Holzgraber of Mt. Pleasant, who has just graduated from the University of Michigan Homeopathic training school for nurses, is going to leave soon for far-off Arabia and the medical mission and hospital established in Busrab by the U. of M. Student's Christian association. She goes to devote her life to mission nursing. She will make the eighth U. of M. graduate sent there by the same campaign society. And on the same boat another Michigan graduate, Dr. David Ford of Morley, Colo., will eventually go to Busrab after funds have been secured to establish him there.

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I wish to publish my terms for treatment, so that there may be no misunderstanding about what my charges are:—

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Extra charges are made for night calls, mileage, surgical, gynecological or special treatment of any kind.

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"And the glass oven door, Oh, it's such a pleasure to watch things bake to just the right brown. And besides, this is the only really perfect oven I ever heard of. Everything I bake comes out a beautiful even brown on top, sides, and bottom. I tell you it's a joy!"

"Then too, you see these high legs make it so much easier to sweep under, and the aluminum finish and smooth castings make it so easy to clean, that I can't help being a bit enthusiastic about this stove."

"And you should see Frank smile every time he gets his gas bill. I guess it's true alright that these star-shaped burners and ventilating holes in the oven-bottom save gas."

### OF COURSE MRS. SMITH IS ENTHUSIASTIC—THERE ARE THOUSANDS OF OTHER WOMEN WHO ARE JUST AS ENTHUSIASTIC AS SHE IS, AND YOU WILL BE ONE OF THEM JUST AS SOON AS YOU BUY YOUR "GARLAND" CABINET GAS RANGE FROM

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### Probate Order

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw, ss. At a session of the Probate Court for said County of Washtenaw, held at the Probate Office in the city of Ann Arbor, on the 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 Herbert E. and Erna 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 relieving 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 and 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.

WILLIAM H. MURRAY, Judge of Probate.  
S. ANNA O'NEILL, Register. 38

### 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 Wiley are defendants. Satisfactory proof appearing to the Court by affidavit on file, that the said 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.

Dated February 28, 1913.  
JOHN KALMBACH, 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 18th day of April, in the year one thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

Present, William H. Murray, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Loren Babcock.

On reading and filing the duly verified petition of Collin E. Babcock, praying that a certain paper in writing, and now on file in this court, purporting to be the last will and testament of Loren Babcock, be admitted to probate, and that Collin Babcock, the executor named in said will, or some other suitable person, be appointed executor thereof and that appraisers and commissioners be appointed.

It is ordered, that the 18th 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.

WILLIAM H. MURRAY, Judge of Probate.  
S. ANNA O'NEILL, Register. 40

### 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 15th day of April, in the year one thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

Present, William H. Murray, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Mikalio Kowalewicz deceased.

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

It is ordered, that the 18th 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.

WILLIAM H. MURRAY, Judge of Probate.  
S. ANNA O'NEILL, Register. 40

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### REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE Farmers & Merchants Bank

At Chelsea, Michigan, at the close of business, April 4th, 1913, as called for by the Commissioner of the Banking Department:

RESOURCES.	
Loans and discounts, viz:—	
Commercial Department.....	\$ 49,672.22
Bonds, mortgages and securities, viz:—	27,850.00
Commercial Department.....	500.00
Savings Department.....	161,076.28
Premium account.....	311.90
Overdrafts.....	2,800.00
Banking house.....	1,000.00
Savings deposits (book accounts).....	190.61
Items in transit.....	1,541.47
Reserve.....	
Due from banks in reserve cities.....	\$20,374.61
Exchanges for clearing house.....	86.58
U. S. and National bank currency.....	2,197.00
Gold coin.....	880.00
Silver coin.....	1,183.20
Nickels and cents.....	454.67
Checks, and other cash items.....	\$25,098.01
Total.....	\$407,717.73
LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in.....	\$25,000.00
Surplus.....	2,000.00
Undivided profits, net.....	5,133.24
Dividends unpaid.....	15,000.00
Commercial deposits subject to check.....	\$ 40,574.78
Cashier's checks outstanding.....	669.00
Savings deposits (book accounts).....	180,668.74
Savings certificates of deposit.....	49,077.27
Total.....	\$309,919.11

State of Michigan, County of Washtenaw, ss. I, P. G. Schaeble, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief and correctly represents the true state of the several matters therein contained, as shown by the books of the bank.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of April, 1913.  
J. B. Cole, Notary Public.  
My commission expires December 12, 1915.

CORRECT—Attest:  
JOHN KALMBACH,  
O. G. BURKELIAR,  
JOHN FARRELL, Directors.

### REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE Kempf Commercial & Savings Bank

At Chelsea, Michigan, at the close of business April 4, 1913, as called for by the Commissioner of the Banking Department:

RESOURCES.	
Loans and discounts, viz:—	
Commercial Department.....	\$117,007.05
Bonds, mortgages and securities, viz:—	42,430.68
Commercial Department.....	940,308.00
Savings Department.....	1,250.99
Premium Account.....	4,578.00
Overdrafts.....	1,072.86
Banking house.....	15,000.00
Other real estate.....	12,000.00
Due from other banks and bankers.....	1,540.39
Items in transit.....	1,541.47
Reserve.....	
United States bonds.....	149.15
Due from banks in reserve cities.....	\$14,313.82
Exchanges for clearing house.....	149.15
U. S. and National bank currency.....	6,779.00
Gold coin.....	2,185.00
Silver coin.....	5,463.28
Nickels and cents.....	95.87
Checks, and other cash items.....	\$28,335.55
Total.....	\$99,354.45
LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in.....	\$30,000.00
Surplus fund.....	30,000.00
Undivided profits, net.....	15,750.00
Dividends unpaid.....	15,000.00
Commercial deposits subject to check.....	68,904.92
Cashier's checks outstanding.....	47,701.43
Savings deposits (book accounts).....	90.00
State monies on deposit.....	5,000.00
Due to banks and bankers.....	855,750.00
Savings deposits (book accounts).....	60,190.70
Savings certificates of deposit.....	887,400.00
Total.....	\$638,410.45

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

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of April, 1913.  
Geo. A. BeGole, Cashier.

CORRECT—Attest:  
H. B. HOLMES,  
C. E. LANE,  
D. C. McLANE, Directors.