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The Alumni Banquet.

The eighteenth annual banquet of the Alumni Association of the Chelsea high school was held in the parlors of the M. E. church last Thursday evening and it proved to have been one of the best that has been held by the Association since its organization. A number of the former graduates of the high school responded to toast and about one hundred and fifty were present.

After a short social session in the church parlors Miss Mildred Cook, vice president, called the Association to order and the following officers were chosen for the coming year: President—Paul Belser.

Vice President—Miss Mabel Guthrie. Secretary—Miss Gertrude Storms. Treasurer—Margaret Vogel.

After the election the members and guests were ushered to the dining room which was handsomely decorated. The color scheme was yellow and white, being the alumni colors. The windows were banked with ferns. A four-course dinner was served by the members of the junior and sophomore classes, after which a good program was carried out. A number of out-of-town members were present. The Chelsea band furnished music during the meal hour.

Golden Wedding Anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mohrlock, of Sylvan, celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of their marriage at their home last Friday. Soon after marriage they settled on the farm where they reside. The farm when they located on it was unimproved and they cleared it of the timber and have brought it to a high state of cultivation and comfortable buildings have been constructed.

Nearly all of their children and grandchildren met at the home and assisted in celebrating the day and a family dinner was served. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Mohrlock and children, of Lyndon, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Mohrlock, of Chicago, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mohrlock and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Finley Hammond and children and Mrs. John A. Palmer and son Austin, of Chelsea. Mr. and Mrs. Mohrlock were presented with a number of gold pieces as a remembrance of the occasion.

On Saturday the members of the family spent the day at a fishing party at Johnson Lake and a picnic dinner was served.

Whipple-Seitz Wedding.

The marriage of Miss Hazel M., oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mason Whipple, of Lima, and Mr. Adolph M. Seitz, took place at the home of the bride's parents Wednesday afternoon, June 25, 1913. Rev. E. Thieme, pastor of Zion church, Rogers Corners, officiating. The couple were attended by Miss Ethel Whipple, sister of the bride and Mr. Emanuel Seitz, brother of the groom.

The bride is a graduate of the Chelsea high school, being a member of the class of 1912, and the groom is well known in this vicinity where he has resided all of his life. The ceremony was witnessed by the immediate relatives of the contracting couple. After the congratulations a wedding dinner was served.

The bride was the guest of honor at a miscellaneous shower that was given last Saturday evening by Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Eschelbach at their home. The couple will reside in Ann Arbor where the groom is employed.

John Michael Lehman.

John Michael Lehman was born in Germany, May 9, 1832, and died at the home of his son Jacob of Sharon, Tuesday, June 24, 1913, aged 81 years, 1 month and 15 days.

The deceased came to this country with his parents in 1852 and settled on the farm in 1855, where he died. He became a resident of Chelsea about 12 years ago. He was united in marriage with Mrs. Anna Walz in 1859, and she died Sunday, June 3, 1913. Mr. Lehman was taken sick on Thursday, June 12, and has been confined to his bed less than two weeks.

He is survived by three sons, one daughter, three brothers and two sisters. The funeral will be held from Zion church, Rogers Corners at 11 o'clock Friday morning, June 27, 1913. Rev. E. Thieme officiating. Interment at Zion cemetery.

Observed Memorial Day.

The Maccabees held their annual memorial services last Sunday afternoon. The officers and members of the L. O. T. M. M. held their impressive services in the hall and the work done by the members of the order was exceptionally good. A number of vocal duets were rendered that added greatly to the services.

At the close of the services in the hall a line was formed and members of both orders marched to Oak Grove cemetery and the L. O. T. M. M. had a roll call of their deceased members after which both orders proceeded to decorate the graves of their departed members in Mt. Olivet and Oak Grove cemeteries. The members of the L. O. T. M. M. then carried on a short service and at its close both organizations disbanded.

Hayes-Watts Wedding.

A quiet home wedding took place at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Johnson on west Middle street at high noon Tuesday, June 24, 1913, when Mrs. Ella W. Hayes, of this place and Mr. H. V. Watts of Dexter township, were united in marriage. Rev. C. J. Dole officiating. The ceremony was witnessed by about twenty of the immediate relatives of the couple. Following the ceremony a wedding dinner was served. Guests were present from Greenville, Lansing and Detroit and the couple received a number of handsome wedding presents.

SPECIAL SESSION

The Board of Supervisors Elected Three County Road Commissioners.

The board of supervisors met in special session at Ann Arbor on Monday and Supervisor Holmes of Ypsilanti township was appointed as temporary chairman and he called the session with reference to the death of former Supervisor Martin, consisting of E. M. Wurster, Christian Schlenker and George Gill, was appointed and the board adjourned until 1.30.

At the afternoon session Supervisor Madden of Dexter township was elected as the permanent chairman and Supervisor Holmes of Ypsilanti township as vice chairman.

A per diem committee was appointed, consisting of Supervisors Wurster, Dawson and Reno.

The discussion of the road commissionships was then taken up. A resolution was adopted to appoint, rather than elect at a special election. The matter of fixing salaries, etc., consisting of Supervisors Every, Van-Riper and Young.

The appointment of the road commissioners was made a special order for 11 o'clock Tuesday morning.

At the session on Tuesday the board elected three county road commissioners, and the following were chosen: Walter S. Billie, of Ann Arbor township; Frank Detting, of Freedom and Samuel Schultz, of Dexter township. The first two commissioners are democrats and the third member republican.

The report of the committee on commissioners' salaries, fixing \$4 for each day of actual work and pay their own expenses, was adopted without comment by a unanimous vote.

Walter S. Billie and Frank Detting were placed in nomination and both were unanimously elected.

The republicans placed Edward W. Groves, of Ann Arbor city, in nomination as their candidate, but he was rejected by a vote of 13 to 15.

Samuel Schultz, of Dexter township, was then nominated and elected.

Commencement Exercises.

The annual commencement exercises of St. Mary's school were held in the Church of Our Lady of the Sacred Heart last Sunday evening and diplomas were presented to four young ladies and two young men who have completed the prescribed course.

The graduates were: Magdalena Eisele, Mary Hummel, Florence McQuillan, Margaret Shanahan, William Ryan and Raymond Steele.

The sermon on "Christian Education" was delivered by Rev. Fr. Henigan of Detroit, and solemn benediction, celebrated by Rev. Fr. Hallagey of Hudson; assisted by Rev. L. M. Doyle, of Jackson, as deacon; Rev. J. W. Doyle, of Colorado Springs, sub-deacon; Rev. Fr. Merker, of Dearborn, master-of-ceremonies; Rev. Leo Chapman, of Jackson, chaplain; Rev. Fr. Coyle, of Pinckney, assistant.

The church was decorated with the class colors, blue and white. Nine prizes for general excellence were awarded as follows: Helen Conlan, Francis Kolb, Lucile Schanz, Frances Hoffman, Edwin Ryan, Gertrude Liebeck, Isabel Schanz, Florence McQuillan and Margaret Weick. A gold medal was given Gertrude Liebeck for general excellence in music and Wm. VanOrden was presented with a book for the greatest advancement in music.

Summer at Bay View.

The seasonable Bay View announcements are out and will interest the thousands in search of an ideal vacation place. All winter Bay View has barely a dozen families, but in July and August its population swells to 5,000, and then the young people in their gay costumes, the teachers and delightful people from all over the land through this summer city, amid the groves of Traverse Bay. More than 10,000 go there annually. The magnet which draws the people is the Assembly and Summer University, which this year opens on July 5, continuing to August 14. These five weeks are crowded with recreative pleasures and advantages of the finest order. A feature of the Assembly is a series of four great public conferences on supreme issues which are discussed by distinguished leaders. The general daily programs are filled with famous people, among the names this year being Wm. J. Burns, the great detective, Mme. Schuman-Heink and Helen Keller. The university's fame extends far and last season drew students from 14 states. This year a new school is added in Library Work, conducted by the state of Michigan. Those who desire to know more about this summer place will find it in the Bulletin, from which the above facts are drawn. J. M. Hall, Bay View, Mich., will send it. Adv.

Confirmation Service.

At the Church of Our Lady of the Sacred Heart last Thursday afternoon a class of forty received the sacrament of confirmation. Rt. Rev. Bishop Kelly, of Ann Arbor, administered the sacrament and addressed the newly confirmed. The following visiting priests took part in the services: Celebrant of benediction, Rev. Monsignor DeBever, of Dexter; deacon, Rev. Fr. Hally, of Dexter; sub-deacon, Rev. Fr. Coyle, of Pinckney; master-of-ceremonies, Rev. Fr. Fallon, of Ann Arbor; sermon, Rev. Fr. Stackable, of Chicago.

Notice.

To our patrons: The dining room of the Chelsea House will be closed from June 30th to September 1st 1913. During this time people can be accommodated for lodging only. Adv. J. G. WAGNER, PROP.

Davis-Hinchey Nuptials.

A very pretty June wedding took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Hadley, of Lyndon, at four o'clock Saturday afternoon, June 21, 1913, when Miss Jennie E. Davis, of Lyndon, England, and Mr. John Hinchey, of Dexter township, were united in marriage, Rev. P. J. Wright officiating.

The house was elaborately decorated with white bunting festooned with roses and green and the bride carried a shower bouquet of rose buds. The couple marched into the room where the ceremony was performed just as Miss Jennie Hadley concluded a vocal solo entitled "A Wreath of Roses." Miss Veva Hadley presided at the piano.

The couple were attended by Miss Hilda Appleton, of Norristown, Pa., a cousin of the bride, and Miss Grace Burrow, of Lyndon, England, who came to this country with the bride, and Mr. D. Percy Hinchey, brother of the groom and Mr. Ralph Hadley. The full ring ceremony was used and Miss Jennie Hadley acted as ring bearer and flower girl. The ceremony was witnessed by the immediate relatives and friends of the couple.

After the congratulations the guests were ushered to the dining room where a wedding dinner was served by the host and hostess. The couple are located on the farm of the groom at North Lake, and will be at home to their friends after July 1.

The Last Blockhouse.

A vivid portrayal of Western Frontier days, based upon historical incidents.

A party of western pioneers, while constructing a block house, are guarded by a troop under Captain Steele Crow, a renegade half-breed, tries to become friendly. He annoys Dot, the wife of Jim, a young settler, and is quickly repulsed.

Crow, infuriated at her scorn, incites the Indians to attack the settlers. The block house is destroyed. Crow captures Dot before the attack and rides off toward the camp.

Jack, the sole survivor, manages to reach the woods, while Jim and Captain Steele recapture Dot from the Indians and in a hand to hand struggle with Crow, Jim avenges the fate of the pioneers.

This thrilling photo-play will be shown at the Princess on Tuesday, July 1st.

Buehler-Geisel Marriage.

A home wedding occurred at 6:30 o'clock Wednesday evening, June 25, 1913, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. John Buehler on north Main street, when their daughter Miss Edith, and Mr. Herman Geisel were united in marriage. Rev. C. J. Dole officiating. The couple were attended by Miss Emma Buehler, sister of the bride, and Mr. George Geisel, brother of the groom. The bride was gowned in white and her attendant in pink and the ceremony was witnessed by a number of relatives and friends of the young couple.

At the close of the ceremony a three-course dinner was served. The couple received a number of gifts. For the present they will make their home in Ann Arbor where the groom is employed.

Jackson Race Meeting.

The races at Jackson, Mich., July 1-4 will be the first meeting in the Short Ship Circuit this year and they have the largest list of entries. A half-mile track ever had there will be more races, more horses, better horses, and faster races than ever seen on a half-mile track. The management of this meeting have taken to a large expense in remodeling the track and the grand stand and building new barns which give Jackson the most complete and the finest situated half-mile track in the U. S. today. They have also engaged the famous "Wallace Vocal Orchestra" which is acknowledged as the best of its kind in the country. Lovers of good music will have a rare treat listening to them throughout the races.

Wrecked the Hand Car.

Conrad Heselachwerdt, foreman of the Chelsea east section of the Michigan Central, and his crew consisting of Lewis Heselachwerdt, John Koch and John Simson had a narrow escape last Friday morning when eastbound train No. 16, that is due here about four o'clock, caught their hand car at the Downer crossing and it was reduced to kindling wood. The crew had taken some plank along with them to repair the crossing and had taken them of the car and had the car about half of the track when the train came around the curve and caught them. The men were unaware of the fact that the train was about two hours late. No one was injured, but two of the men quit their job at the spot.

"The Toll of Fear."

An unusual and one of the most remarkable films ever released. The story was written by Romaine Fielding, who plays the parts of the only two characters, in it. Fear, the unseen, overcomes two strong men in the quiet of the desert, and both seek refuge from it in death. The audience will follow the action of this film with bated breath. The above picture can be viewed at the Princess on Thursday, July 3.

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Old men and women feel the need of a laxative more than young folks, but it must be safe and harmless and one which will not cause pain. Dr. King's New Life Pills are especially good for the aged, for they act promptly and easily. Price, 25c. Recommended by L. F. Vogel, M. D., Fenn Co., L. T. Freeman. Advertisement.

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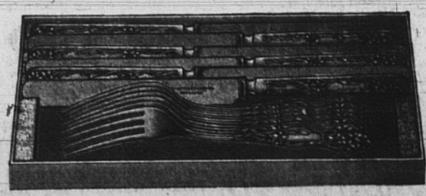
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LETTER FROM THE STATE CAPITOL

RAILROAD STATISTICS SHOW SLIGHT INCREASE IN EARNINGS

GEN. STONE WOULD EXCHANGE FLAGS WITH REES.

He Believes that if Trophies Were Returned at Gettysburg Reunion It Would be a Great Drawing Card.

(By Gurd M. Hayes)

Apparently there are grounds for the poverty walls emanating from the representatives of the various railroads operating in Michigan.

For the fiscal year ending June 30, 1911 the freight revenue for all steam roads in the state amounted to \$41,541,184.37, while for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1912 the business increased to \$44,359,780.24, a gain of \$2,818,595.87.

In 1911 the total passenger earnings from all steam roads amounted to \$15,820,337.21. Last year the total was \$16,436,741.02, an increase of only \$616,403.81.

In 1911 the passenger earnings of the Michigan Central amounted to \$4,449,816.26, and for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1912 the books show \$4,616.98.

In 1911 the passenger earnings of the Pere Marquette amounted to \$3,095,967.07 in 1911 as compared with \$3,174,572.56 in 1912.

The Lake Shore & Michigan Southern increased its passenger earnings from \$1,287,208.03 to \$1,315,222.31. The Grand Trunk advanced from \$2,251,256.01 to \$2,516,008.20.

The four big roads made but little gain in the revenue received from handling freight. In 1911 the Michigan Central received \$10,669,081.17, while last year the total was \$11,356,848.22.

Gen. George W. Stone of Lansing, past commander of the Michigan G. A. R. and chairman of the Gettysburg Reunion Commission declares that it is time that Michigan returned to the southern regiments the confederate battle flags captured during the civil war.

It is Gen. Stone's contention that this exchange should take place on the battle field at Gettysburg when the boys in blue and those who wore the grey meet July 4 on the historic fighting ground on the fiftieth anniversary of the most bloody battle of the war.

During the closing day of the state G. A. R. encampment in Lansing this question was discussed with considerable feeling by many of the old-vets and with but few exceptions they are in favor of returning to the "Johnnies" the colors which for nearly half a century have reposed among the war relics in the capitol museum.

There are a few men among the Michigan veterans who still retain a feeling of intense hatred for any one who wore the southern grey and one old soldier who lost an eye at the battle of Lookout Mountain declared most emphatically that "he would be d—

if he even shake hands with a reb." If he attended the big reunion at Gettysburg. However, time and the Spanish-American war has apparently cured many of the Michigan veterans of their intense feeling towards the southerners.

The flags of the Fifth Confederate Artillery which was captured by the Fifteenth Michigan Infantry July 22, 1864 would be returned if this policy is carried out.

The flag of the First Alabama Rebel Cavalry, which fell into the hands of the Fourth Michigan Cavalry is one of the interesting relics of the war that may be returned.

The flag of the Virginia "Taylor Greys" which was captured by Capt. James L. Carpenter of the Seventh Michigan Infantry. There are also three other confederate flags in the Michigan war museum.

State Fire Marshall C. A. Palmer makes a plea for a safe and sane observance of Independence Day in a bulletin issued from his department.

Each year our celebration of Independence Day is marred and our satisfaction and pleasure made less keen by accidents which apparently in many cases might have been avoided.

"In the use of fire works it is best to select a place for the display which is not adjacent to buildings or inflammable material.

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As a result of the recent decisions in the United States supreme court relative to the jurisdiction of state legislatures and railway commissions to fix rates, there is a general feeling among Michigan state officials that the Duluth South Shore & Atlantic railway company will be beaten in its attempt to avoid carrying passengers for two cents per mile in the upper peninsula as required by the act of the 1911 legislature.

This opinion seems to be shared by many residents of the upper peninsula, as word has reached Lansing that speculation if the due bills issued by the Duluth South Shore & Atlantic weeks. When the act was passed by the legislature two years ago the upper peninsula road announced its intention of contesting the constitutionality of the law in the federal courts.

The campaign for a \$109,000 building for the Y. M. C. A. was successfully launched at a big banquet at the Masonic temple in Flint, at which 400 business men sat down.

The safe that was stolen from Murray Brothers' grocery and saloon in Jackson ten days since was found four miles north of the city on the Lansing road in a clump of bushes.

ALFALFA TRIP IS GREAT SUCCESS

SIX SPEAKERS COVER MANY MILES AND HOLD TWENTY MEETINGS.

FARMERS SHOW INTEREST IN DEMONSTRATIONS.

Church is Dedicated in Traverse City Which is to be Open Seven Days in Week and Contain Institutional Features.

The Grand Traverse and Leelanau county alfalfa campaign, which lasted for three days, was a big success. Twenty meetings were held, better than 150 miles of road covered and six speakers used.

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Miss Anna J. Keeler, assistant instructor in the domestic science department at Hackley Institute, at Muskegon, and a former teacher in the public schools of Grand Rapids, died in an Ann Arbor hospital Saturday.

L. N. Bryant, formerly in charge of the Saginaw manual training school work, has been appointed director of industrial education in the Island of Porto Rico.

MICHIGAN NEWS IN BRIEF

William Thompson, working near Chestonia for the East Jordan Lumber Co., was struck by a rolling log and instantly killed.

Terry Kelley has been appointed head of the free employment bureau at Saginaw. Kelley was formerly an engineer on the Pere Marquette road.

After passing bad checks for \$30 on two Muskegon merchants, and attempting the same game on a third, a forger made his get-away from the city.

A quantity of wool valued at \$100 to \$200, stolen from the L. H. Shepard & Son wool house, Charlotte was found hidden under piles of logs in a mill yard.

The village of Carrollton, in Saginaw county, is to have one of the first civil service examinations for fourth class postmasters. J. W. Lavigne is the incumbent.

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HOLDS FIRE LAW UNCONSTITUTIONAL

MANISTEE JUDGE SAYS THAT RECOMPENSE IS NOT PROVIDED FOR

DECISION WILL BE APPEALED TO SUPREME COURT

Island Mining Company Offers State 90,000 Acres in Lake Superior to be Used for Forest and Game Preserve

Judge Withey, of the circuit court in a decision in the case of the state against George Hart, held as unconstitutional the law giving the state re marshal's department power to order the destruction of buildings which the department may condemn.

The island of 90,000 acres, in Lake Superior, containing about 120,000 acres, is to be made into a state game and forest preserve.

It is likely the next session of the legislature will pass an appropriation for use in preparing and stocking the island with game and planting trees.

The Post-Dispatch says in a recent edition that the Walters-Pierce Oil company is being reorganized, its capital being increased from \$400,000 to \$1,000,000.

President Wilson announced he would stand by Meredith Nicholson, the author, whose appointment as minister to Portugal brought out charges by Indiana democrats that Nicholson is not a good democrat.

Following a race riot at Americus, Ga., in which Police Chief W. C. Bannon was shot and four negroes wounded, a mob of 500 men at 10 o'clock stormed the jail where William Redding, the negro who shot the police chief, had been lodged.

A woman's bureau of instruction and instruction, conducted by employees of the election commission, office for the education of women voters in the use of the ballot, will be established under the auspices of the Cook county court by Judge John E. Owens as soon as the Magill law goes into effect.

Fire of unknown origin destroyed the millinery stock of Lebot sisters, of Traverse City with a loss of \$2,500, partially insured, and damaged the meat market of W. J. Hobbs \$500.

John E. Church of Detroit, who has been trainmaster of the Saginaw division of the P. M. for years, and who was superintendent at Ionia for a short time, has resigned to take a position as trainmaster for the Delaware, Lackawanna & Western road, Hoboken branch.

James Arthur Fielding, 19 years old, was drowned in Wolf lake. Fielding and B. L. Lacey, both of Jackson, were fishing when a big wave swept over into the boat and sank it.

The Muskegon Woman's club, to which Mrs. Francis Smith presented the \$25,000 club house, which is now its home, is planning a fitting acknowledgement of appreciation.

Half a dozen members of the Alpena fire department, pumping water from a ditch a quarter of a mile away, saved the village of Cathro, Maple Ridge township, from destruction by a forest fire which burned over 300 acres of land southeast of the Village.

CHANG YIN TANG



Minister from China has left Washington after three and a half years of service. It was largely through his influence that President Wilson recognized the new republic.

M.T. MCKINLEY SUMMIT REACHED

Episcopal Missionary and Companions are First to Perform Remarkable Climbing Feat.

The ascent of the highest peak of Mount McKinley was accomplished for the first time June 7, when the party led by Archdeacon Hudson Stuck, Episcopal missionary for Alaska, accompanied by Robt. G. Tatum, Harry P. Karstens and Walter Harper, reached the top of the south peak of the mountain, the highest on the continent.

Dr. Stuck and his assistants erected a six foot cross on the summit of the great mountain. Observations made with the mercurial barometer indicated the height of the mountain is 20,500 feet.

Thirteen persons were killed and 25 were injured, several fatally, in a head-on collision between two interurban electric trains of the San Francisco, Napa & Callisto electric line, one mile north of Vallejo, Cal.

Chief Justice White granted an appeal to the supreme court for Samuel Gompers, John Mitchell and Frank Morrison, labor leaders convicted of contempt of court in the noted Bucks Stove & Range Co. case.

The three officials were held in contempt by the supreme court of the District of Columbia for violating an injunction against boycotting the company.

Mayor Duncan, of Butte, Montana, and the conservative forces of the local socialist organization triumphed over those members whose sympathies were with the Industrial Workers of the World propaganda.

All of the 25 Democratic candidates for offices in Scott county Kentucky, assembled at Georgetown and pledged themselves in resolutions neither to "treat" nor to use money at the primary in August.

son of William Bennett, 16 years old, and one-half miles east of Hillsdale, was drowned in Beebe creek. He had ridden his wheel through the hot sun with the thermometer standing above 80 and was seized with cramps when he jumped in.

One hundred members of the senior class in Ann Arbor high school received diplomas, when the fifty-fourth annual commencement exercises were held.

The annual convention of the Michigan Underwriters' association was held in St. Joseph. The association is composed of field men representing various companies.

THE MARKETS

Live Stock, Grain and General Farm Produce.

DETROIT—Cattle: Receipts, 44; good dry-fed 15@25c higher; grades trifle lower. Best dry-fed steers and heifers, \$8.25@8.50; steers and heifers, 1,000 to 1,200 lbs., \$7.50@8.15; steers and heifers, 800 to 1,000 lbs., \$7.25@8; grass steers and heifers that are fat, 800 to 1,000 lbs., \$6.50@7; grass steers and heifers that are fat, 500 to 700 lbs., \$5.50@6.25; choice fat cows, \$6.50@6.65; good fat cows, \$5.75@6.25; common cows, \$5@5.50; canners, \$3.75@4.50; choice heavy bulls, \$6.50@7; fair to good bologna bulls, \$6@6.25; stock bulls, \$5@5.75; choice feeding steers, 800 to 1,000 lbs., \$7@7.50; fair feeding steers, 800 to 1,000 lbs., \$6.50@7; choice stockers, 500 to 700 lbs., \$6.50@7; fair stockers, 500 to 700 lbs., \$6@6.25; stock heifers, \$5@5.50; milkers, large, young, medium age \$6@7.75; Veal calves—Receipts, 311; market steady for good; culls dull; best, \$10@10.50; others, \$7@9.50.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 912; market 25@50c lower on all grades; best spring lambs, \$7.50@7.75; fair to good lambs, \$6@6.50; light to common lambs, \$5@6; yearlings, \$6@6.50; fair to good sheep, \$4@4.25; culls and common, \$2.50@3.

Hogs—Receipts, 1,705; market 10c lower. Range of prices: Light to good butchers, \$8.80; light Yorkers, \$8.80; heavy, 250 lbs and up, \$8.55; stage one-third off.

EAST BUFFALO: Cattle—Receipts, 216 cars; good dry-fed grades weighing from 1,200 lb up sold steady with last Monday, except in a few cases where they weighed around 1,300 or less; dry-fed butcher grades sold from 15c to 25c lower; grassy common stuff of all kinds sold 25c to 50c lower; fresh cows and steers were \$5@10 lower; best 1,350 to 1,500 lb steers, \$8.75@9; good to prime 1,100 lb steers, \$8.50@8.70; good to prime 1,100 to 1,238-lb steers, \$8.25@8.50; coarse and plain heavy steers, \$7.75@8; good to choice handy steers, \$7.75@8; medium butcher steers, \$7.25@7.50; light, common, grassy butcher steers, \$6.50@7; best fat cows, \$5.50@6; good butcher cows, \$5@5.25; light butcher cows, \$4.5@5.25; trimmers, \$4@4.25; best fat heifers, dry-fed, \$7.50@7.8; medium butcher heifers, \$7.50@7.75; light and common grassy heifers, \$6.50@6.75; stock heifers, \$5.50@6; best feeding steers, dehorned, \$7@7.50; light and common stockers, \$6.75@6.25; prime heavy bulls, \$6.50@7; best butcher bulls, \$6@6.50; bologna bulls, \$6@6.50; stock bulls, \$5.50@6; best milkers and springers, \$6@7; common kind do, \$4@5.00.

Hogs: Receipts, 100 cars; market 10c lower; all grades sold at \$9; with a few selected lights and pigs at \$9.05 @9.10.

Sheep and lambs: Receipts, 20 cars; market slow; top lambs, \$7@7.25; yearlings \$6@6.25; wethers, \$4.75@5; ewes, \$3.50@4.50.

GRAIN, ETC. Wheat—Cash No. 2 red, \$1.05 1/2; July opened without change at 92 3/4; advanced to 93 1/4 and declined to 93; September opened at 93 1/4; moved up to 93 3/4 and declined to 93 1/2; December opened at 94; gained 1/2c and declined to 97 1/4; No. 1 white, \$1.04 1/2c.

Corn—Cash No. 3, 1 car at 62c; No. 2 yellow, 64 1/2c; No. 3 yellow, 60c bid.

Oats—Standard, 2 cars at 44 1/2c; No. 3 white, 2 car sat 43 1/4c, closing at 43 1/2c; No. 4 white, 42 1/2c.

Rye—Cash No. 2, 64c.

Beans—Immediate, prompt, and June beans, \$2.05; August, \$2.10.

Flour—In one-eight paper sacks, per 196 pounds, jobbing lots; Best patent, \$5.70; second patent, \$5.20; straight, \$5; spring patent, \$5.10; rye, \$4.60 per bushel.

Feed—In 100-lb sacks, jobbing lots; Bran, \$21; coarse middlings, \$21; best middlings, \$27; cracked corn, \$25; coarse cornmeal, \$22.50; corn and oat chop, \$21 per ton.

GENERAL MARKETS. Apples—Steele Red, \$4.50@5; Best Davis, \$3@4 per bbl; western, \$2@2.50 per box.

GOING SOME

A ROMANCE OF STRENUOUS AFFECTION

BY **REX BEACH**
SUGGESTED BY THE PLAY BY
REX BEACH AND PAUL ARMSTRONG
Illustrated By
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CHAPTER I.

OUR cowboys inclined their bodies over the barbed-wire fence which marked the dividing line between the Centipede Ranch and their own, staring mournfully into a summer night such as only the far southwestern country knows. And as the four inclined their bodies, they

inclined also their ears, after the strained manner of listeners who feel anguish at what they hear. A voice, shrill and human, pierced the night like a needle, then, with a wall of a tortured soul, died away amid discordant raspings: the voice of a phonograph. It was their own, or had been until one over-confident day, when the Flying Heart Ranch had staked it as a wager in a foot-race with the neighboring Centipede, and their own man had been too slow. As it had been their pride, it remained their disgrace. Dearly had they loved, and dearly lost it. It meant something that looked like honor, and though there were ten thousand thousand phonographs, in all the world there was not one that could take its place.

The sound ceased, there was an approving distant murmur of men's voices, and then the song began: "Jerusalem, Jerusalem, Lift up your voice and sing— Higher and higher the voice mounted until it reached again its first thin, ear-splitting pitch.

"Still Bill!" Stover stirred uneasily in the darkness. "Why'nell don't they keep her wound up?" he complained. "Gallagher's got the soul of a wart-hog. It's criminal the way he massacres that hymn."

From a rod farther down the wire fence Willie answered him, in a boy's falsetto: "I wonder if he does it to spite me?" "He don't know you're here," said Stover.

The other came out of the gloom, a little stoop-shouldered man with spectacles. "I ain't noways sure," he piped, peering up at his lanky foreman. "Why do you reckon he allus lets Mrs. Melby pester out on my favorite record? He done the same thing last night. It looks like an insult."

"It's nothing but his ignorance," Stover replied. "He don't want no trouble with you. None of 'em do." "I'd like to know for certain." The small man seemed torn by doubt. "If I only knew he done it a-purpose, I'd git him. I bet I could do it from here."

Stover's voice was gruff as he commanded: "Forget it! Ain't it bad enough for us fellers to hang around like this every night without advertising our idleness by a gun-play?"

"They ain't got no right to that phonograph," Willie averred darkly. "Oh, yes, they have; they won't it fair and square."

"Fair and square! Do you mean to say Hump Joe run that foot-race on the square?"

"I never said nothin' like that what-er. I mean we bet it, and we lost it. Listen! There goes Carara's place!"

Out past the corral floated the announcement in a man's metallic syllables: "The Baggage Coach Ahead, as sung by Helena Mora for the Echo Phonograph, of New York and Pa-s-a-t!"

From the dusk to the right of the two listeners now issued soft Spanish phrases. "Madre de Dios! The Baggage Car in Front! Tadora Mora! God bless her!"

During the rendition of this affecting ballad the two cow-men remained draped uncomfortably over the barbed-

"I'd hate to think it," said the foreman, gloomily; then after a moment, during which the only sound was that of the muffled hoofbeats: "Well, what we goin' to do about it?"

"Humph! I've laid awake nights figurin' that out. I reckon we'll just have to git another foot-racer and beat Skinner. He ain't the fastest in the world."

"That takes coin. We're broke." "Mebbe Mr. Chapin would lend a helpin' hand."

"No chance!" said Stover, grimly. "He's sore on foot-racin'. Says it disturbs us and upsets our equilibrium." Carara fetched a deep sigh.

"It's ver' bad 't'ing, Senor. I don't feel no worse w'en my gran'mother die."

The three men loped onward through the darkness, weighted heavily with disappointment.

Affairs at the Flying Heart Ranch were not all to Jack Chapin's liking. Ever since that memorable foot-race, more than a month before, a gloom had brooded over the place which even the presence of two Smith College girls, not to mention that of Mr. Fresno, was unable to dissipate.

The cowboys moped about like melancholy shadows, and neglected their work to discuss the disgrace that had fallen upon them. It was a task to get any of them out in the morning, several had quit, the rest were quarrelling among themselves, and the bunk-house had already been the scene of more than one encounter, altogether too sanguinary to have originated from such a trivial cause as a foot-race.

The master of the ranch sought his sister Jean, to tell her frankly what was on his mind. "See here, Sis," he began, "I don't want to cast a cloud over your little house-party, but I think you'd better keep your friends away from my men."

"Why, what is the matter?" she demanded. "Things are at a pretty high tension just now, and the boys have had two or three rows among themselves. Yesterday Fresno tried to 'kid' Willie about 'The Holy City'; said it was written as a coon song, and wasn't sung in good society. If he hadn't been a guest, I guess Willie would have murdered him."

"Oh, Jack! You won't let Willie murder anybody, not even Berkeley, while the people are here, will you?" coaxed Miss Chapin, anxiously.

"What made you invite Berkeley Fresno, anyhow?" was the rejoinder. "This is no gilded novelty to him. He is a Western man."

Miss Chapin numbered her reasons sagely. "In the first place—Helen. Then there had to be enough men to go around. Last and best, he is the most adorable man I ever saw at a house-party. He's an angel at breakfast, sings perfectly beautifully—you know he was on the Stanford Glee Club—"

"Humph!" Jack was unimpressed. "If you roped him for Helen Blake to brand, why have you sent for Wally Speed?"

"Well, you see, Berkeley and Helen didn't quite hit it off, and Mr. Speed is—a friend of Culver's." Miss Chapin blushed prettily.

"Oh, I see! I thought myself that this affair had something to do with you and Culver Covington, but I didn't know it had lapsed into a sort of matrimonial round-up. Suppose Miss Blake shouldn't care for Speed after he gets here?"

"Oh, but she will! That's where Berkeley Fresno comes in. When two men begin to fight for her, she'll have to begin to form a preference, and I'm sure it will be for Wally Speed. Don't you see?"

The brother looked at his sister shrewdly. "It seems to me you learned a lot at Smith." Jean tossed her head. "How absurd! That sort of knowledge is perfectly natural for a girl to have." Then she teased: "But you admit that my selection of a chaperon was excellent, don't you, Jack?"

"Mrs. Keap and I are the best of friends," Jack averred, with supreme dignity. "I'm not in the market, and a man doesn't marry a widow, anyhow. It's too old and experienced a beginning."

Social Forms and Entertainments



A Birthday Shower.

Did you ever hear of a "birthday" shower for a bride?

Try it the next time a bride-elect is to be honored. This is the way one was managed: The guests are requested to bring something suitable for their birthday month. For instance, say the natal day is in June, a bunch of roses, or any gift, for June is the month of brides; or in May a basket of flowers or something in green glass to represent an emerald, for a few are rich enough to give a real emerald; in February, a heart-shaped pin cushion, or a book of Dickens' quotations. This shows how to work it out. An umbrella or even a pair of rubbers for April, a bunch of fire crackers and a fan for July, or a silk flag. This, you see, may be made very interesting and amusing. Having funny things always adds to the merriment. This is a shower in which the men can participate and is best for the evening. A rhyme to go with each parcel will help make more fun. A clothes basket or hamper may be given in which to send everything home to the bride.

I have heard of similar affairs being given under the name of "calendar" showers; that is, when there are just twelve guests and each one brings a gift suitable for the month which the hostess designates in the invitations. Every one, of course, selects something acceptable and appropriate for the new home.

A luncheon may or may not precede the shower.

A Progressive Dinner.

It is with great pleasure I give this description of a dinner which was successfully carried out by a few neighbors. I read about it a long time ago and have been intending to pass it along but other things have crowded.

The first course was soup and was served at 6:30; it was a consommé with celery and olives. When all had finished the maid passed a tray containing oyster shells to each guest and on the clearly scrubbed interior was written the name of the next hostess. Here creamed oysters were served, and the place cards were charming figures of young girls. Before leaving the table sticks of macaroni tied with ribbon to cards which said: "Polla de signora with de macaroni sticks," and this led to the next hostess, who had delicious macaroni served "a la Italian." She passed brown bread sandwiches. When the maid handed around a box of cigarettes, each one was found to contain a roll of paper, with the invitation to pass on for "more" at "Mrs. Blanks." Here roast leg of lamb was served with green peas and browned potatoes, and the place cards had amusing riddles written on them. Salad and wafers came at the next stopping place and there were little tissue paper parcels at each place, which the hostess said could not be opened until the last course was served. Snapping mottoes were passed last and each con-

tained the invitation to the next place, where ice cream, cake, candies and fruits regaled the party. The last stop brought after-dinner coffee with bon-bons and cordials served in the drawing room. The packages were opened and each one found a musical instrument and all joined in singing "When Good Fellows Get Together."

Boat Party.

Did you ever hear of a boat party? 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 tinsmith 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 toy store she bought ducks, miniature rowboats, sailboats, a little steamer, swans, frogs and play fish. There was a five-cent sailboat at each place, with the name of child on the side. The cake had a sailboat 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 were wild with delight. This mother is noted for her successful children's parties, and she says it's because she has just the same things for each child to take home, and she usually serves refreshments first, as ice cream 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.

Passing Pennies.

This is a jolly pastime much enjoyed by children and hailed by mothers as something new. Place five chairs in a row and five chairs opposite them with a small table or tabouret at each end. Ask ten children to take the seats thus provided, with a captain at each head of the line. Then the captain takes five pennies that are given him and lays them on the head table. Every other child must hold out its hands for the penny to be dropped into them, the palms flat and close together. Now the captain sitting beside the head table starts sending the pennies to the other end. They pick one cent of the table, drop it in the next child's hand, then the third person picks it out and drops it in the next hand and so on until the last player is reached and the coin is laid on the foot table. As soon as the fifth cent reaches the foot table it is sent back by the same process. The side getting the five cents "home" first wins. The faster this game is played the more exciting it is and the children always want to do it over and over.

Guessing Noses.

Did you ever let the children try to guess whose nose belonged to who? It is very funny and this is the way to proceed: Hang a cloth in front of a doorway and place one-half of the company in each room, only one of which is lighted. Cut a V-shaped hole in the cloth and let those in the dark room place their noses through it, one by one, while those in the light room guess whose nose it is. When a right guess is made, the owner of the nose must join the guessers, but should the guess be wrong the one making it must join players. Game ends when all are in one room, unless there are too many children and they will be before all have been successful. It is a better plan to stop one thing and go to the next amusement before any one wearies.

MADAME MERRI.

DISCOVER PLOT TO KILL THE KING

BULGARIANS ARRESTED ARE SAID TO HAVE PLANNED ASSASSINATION.

INTENDED TO BLOW UP ROYAL PALACE.

Bulgaria Withdraws Recent Acceptance of Czar's Offer to Arbitrate Territorial Differences of Allies.

A plot fomented by Bulgarians against the life of King Constantine of Greece, has been discovered at Saloniki. A number of Bulgarian soldiers, disguised in civilian dress, were arrested by the Greek military police.

A quantity of explosives had been discovered outside of the city gates and investigation led to the discovery of the conspiracy. One of the Bulgarians who was arrested confessed that an attempt was to have been made to blow up the king's palace.

Constant fighting between Greeks and Bulgarians is going on near Saloniki. The city has been strongly fortified on the landward side.

Bulgaria withdrew its recent acceptance of Czar Nicholas' proposal to arbitrate the territorial dispute between this country on one side and Serbia and Greece on the other. This may mean that Russia's attempt to prevent a fresh conflict in the Balkans will prove futile.

The Bulgarian press is bitterly hostile against Russia, charging that the Russian government is secretly encouraging Serbia and Greece to aggressive measures.

Bible School at Raisin Valley.

Preparations are being made for a bible conference and reunion at the Raisin Valley seminary, August 1 to 17. The conference will be conducted along the Chautauqua plan, and among the instructors will be: Rev. William Kirby, pastor of the Friends' church, Columbus, O.; Mary Barrett Pim, former instructor in the Cleveland Bible institute, Rev. Edgar Woolam, field secretary of the Cleveland Bible institute.

One of the leading features of the conference will be the reunion, Aug. 13, of all of the former students of the seminary. In order to make this event a success, announcements and invitations are already being sent out in the form of chain letters.

Nine Men Are Drowned.

Nine men were drowned and five others had a narrow escape when a sudden Mississippi river squall hit the government survey boat Beaver, causing it to capsize four miles above New Madrid, Mo.

The boat sank near Hotchkiss light in Snakey Bend, and as soon as a report of the accident was received, word was sent to Memphis and the government steamer Chiska hurried to the scene.

The party had been up the river on surveying work and it is supposed were about to return here when the squall struck them.

Panama Jurist is Dead.

The death of Facundo Mutis Duran, the eminent Panama jurist occurred recently. He was governor of Panama when it seceded from Colombia and was the first chief justice of the supreme court of the canal zone. He was at one time secretary of foreign relations.

Largest Cargo of Coal

Steamer Col. James M. Schoonmaker left Ashabula for Superior, Wis., with 13,712 tons of coal, the biggest cargo ever placed on board a lake ship. It required 296 cars of coal to load her. The Schoonmaker, one of the world's largest bulk freighters, was built at Ecorse.

For the second time within a few weeks a hunting dog, Barney, saved the life of Violet Haveman, 3 years old of Cadillac. The child was playing between the rails of the G. R. & I. road, back of her home, with her dolls, and did not hear the approaching train, and would have been ground to pieces had not the dog rushed to the child, grabbed her in his teeth and dragged her to the door of the Haveman home, 50 feet away.

Earl Warner, engineer of the King Paper mill, at Kalamazoo, is dead of burns he sustained when a fue in a boiler exploded. The man was frightfully scalded by escaping steam.

The police commissioners of Saginaw, have decided to purchase a fast auto as a starter for what will eventually be a flying squadron.

After deciding to hold the next convention in Holland, the state aerie of Eagles, at Hancock, elected the following officers: President, Leonard Clapp, Traverse City; vice president, H. Boyle, Kalamazoo; secretary, M. H. Graham, Lansing, no opposition; treasurer, E. G. Goff, Battle Creek; trustees, James F. Jewell, Hubble; M. W. Ryan, Alpena; B. McSweeney, Mt. Clemens.

WILSON ASKS NEW CURRENCY SYSTEM

President Wilson Reads Message to Joint Session of Congress.

NEW SYSTEM IS DEMANDED

Revision of the Banking and Currency Laws Must Go Hand in Hand With Revision of the Tariff.

Washington, June 23.—President Wilson today read his special message on the subject of banking and currency reform to the joint session of congress. The message follows:

Mr. Speaker, Mr. President, Gentlemen of the Congress: It is under the compulsion of what seems to me a clear and imperative duty that I have a second time this session sought the privilege of addressing you in person. I know, of course, that the heated season of the year is upon us, that work in these chambers and in the committee rooms is likely to become a burden as the season lengthens, and that every consideration of personal comfort, perhaps, in the cases of some of us, considerations of personal health even, dictate an early conclusion of the deliberations of the session; but there are occasions of public duty when these things which touch us privately seem very small; when the work to be done is so pressing and so fraught with big consequence that we know that we are not at liberty to weigh against it any point of personal sacrifice. It is absolutely imperative that we should give the business men of this country a banking and currency system by means of which they can make use of the freedom of enterprise and of individual initiative which we are about to bestow upon them.

We are about to set them free; we must not leave them without the tools of action when they are free. We are about to set them free by removing the trammels of the protective tariff. Ever since the Civil war they have waited for this emancipation and for the free opportunities it will bring with it. It has been reserved for us to give it to them. Some fell in love, indeed with the althogether security of their dependence upon the government; some took advantage of the shelter of the nursery to set up a mimic mastery of their own within its walls. Now both the tonic and the discipline of liberty and maturity are to ensue.

It is not enough to strike the shackles from business. The duty of statesmanship is not negative merely. It is constructive also. We must show that we understand what business needs and that we know how to supply it. No man, however casual and superficial his observation of the conditions now prevailing in the country, can fail to see that one of the chief things business needs now, and will need increasingly as it gains in scope and vigor in the years immediately ahead of us, is the proper means by which readily to vitalize its credit, corporate and individual, and its originative brains. What will it profit us to be free if we are not to have the best and most accessible instrumentalities of commerce and enterprise?

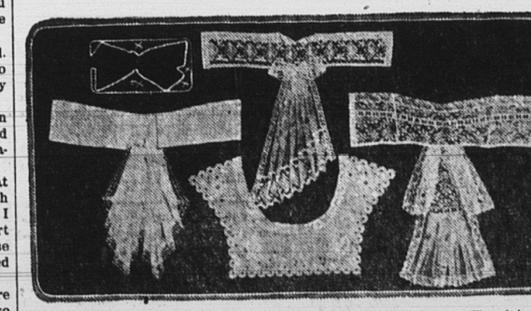
The principles upon which we should act are also clear. The country has sought and seen its path in this matter within the last few years—see it more clearly now than it ever saw it before—much more clearly than when the last legislative proposals on the subject were made. We must have a currency, not rigid as now, but readily, elastically responsive to sound credit, the expanding and contracting credits of everyday transactions, the normal ebb and flow of personal and corporate dealings. Our banking laws must mobilize reserves; must not permit the concentration anywhere in a few hands of the monetary resources of the country or their use for speculative purposes in such volume as to hinder or impede or stand in the way of other more legitimate, more fruitful uses. And the control of the system of banking and of issue which our new laws are to set up must be public, not private, must be vested in the government itself, so that the banks may be the instruments, not the masters, of business and of individual enterprise and initiative.

The committees of the congress to which legislation of this character is referred have devoted careful and dispassionate study to the means of accomplishing these objects. They have honored me by consulting me. They are ready to suggest action. I have come to you, as the head of the government and the responsible leader of the party in power, to urge action now, while there is time to serve the country deliberately and as we should, in a clear act of common counsel.

Musie Napoleon's Solace.

A curious foot note to history is found in G. L. De St. M. Watson's recently published book, "A Polish Belle With Napoleon," to the effect that the emperor's evenings at St. Helena were solaced with music from a piano which was imported from England at a cost to Napoleon himself of £122 (\$380). The musician was perhaps Mme. Bertrand; at any rate, the piano was bequeathed to her and was removed by her from the island after Napoleon's death.

Dainty Neckwear in Favor for the Midsummer Season



Neckwear is designed so that it may be easily laundered of sheer but strong laces and of embroideries. For the waists cut with a round or pointed opening, turn over collars of self material are provided. These are protected by turn-over collars of embroidery or worn over small gumps and standing collars of lace or embroidery. Waists made at the neck and the separate collar and jabot is pinned to this. Two or three such collars keep the waist fresh looking and save its too frequent tubbing.

Shadow laces have proven well adapted to these neck pieces. They are combined with narrow headings and edgings and often made up with net. A pretty example is shown here having a plaiting of net set on to one of the lace.

Strong clyney lace is so durable and at the same time so dainty that it is of all the favorite for trimming summer gowns and for making neckwear. A collar and jabot of this lace shows the straight hand of lace edged with fine batiste. Two little points are turned down and fastened with small buttons at the front. The jabot attached is of net edged with the lace. A little cravat makes a finishing touch, joining the collar to the jabot.

One who can embroider will be able to make the elegant neck piece which shows a straight plaited band finished with turn-over collar and an attached jabot. The jabot is cut in a graceful shape and finished with a narrow dainty lace edging.

Jobbing list: Beans, \$2.15; corn, \$3.50; corn and oat...

Advertisement for CHELSEA ELEVATOR CO. featuring an illustration of an elevator and the text 'NOW IS THE TIME' and 'to let us demonstrate our ability to serve you promptly and satisfactorily...'.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE Farmers & Merchants Bank. Table with columns for RESOURCES and LIABILITIES, listing various assets and liabilities with their respective values.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE Kemp Commercial & Savings Bank. Table with columns for RESOURCES and LIABILITIES, listing various assets and liabilities with their respective values.

Advertisement for New York Central Lines. Features a large illustration of a train and text: 'Low Round Trip Fares to New York or Boston', 'Tickets on sale daily June 1st to Sept. 30th', and 'New York \$27.00 Boston \$25.00'.

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

PERSONAL MENTION. A. W. Wilkinson is in Buffalo and Niagara Falls. Mrs. E. K. Stinson is visiting relatives in Albion. Miss Adeline Spinnagle spent Sunday in Detroit.

PERSONAL MENTION. Dr. and Mrs. G. A. Rowe, of Stockbridge, were Chelsea visitors Tuesday. Miss Margaret Hoag, of Ann Arbor, spent Saturday with Miss Bessie Allen.

PERSONAL MENTION. Mrs. Paul Tappan and daughter, of Dayton, O., are guests of Rev. and Mrs. A. A. Schoen. Mrs. W. A. BeGole, of Ann Arbor, spent Tuesday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Cole.

CORRESPONDENCE. LIMA TOWNSHIP NEWS. Fred Hulce, of Niles, spent Sunday with Mrs. Fanny Westfall. Mr. and Mrs. Michael Paul, of Dexter, were Lima visitors Sunday.

CORRESPONDENCE. SHARON NEWS. Mrs. L. B. Lawrence visited in Manchester Monday. Robert Morrissey, of Grass Lake, is working for Bernis O'Neill. Born, Friday, June 20, 1913, to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Forner, a son.

CORRESPONDENCE. SYLVAN HAPPENINGS. Arthur Chapman is visiting relatives at Detroit. Misses Lila and Lena Prinzing have been on the sick list. Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Loomis returned to their home at Jackson Tuesday.

CORRESPONDENCE. FRANCISCO VILLAGE. Walter Kalmbach, of Detroit, spent Sunday at his home here. Miss Mamie Sager, of Chelsea, visited her mother and sisters Sunday. Wm. Kalmbach and family, of South Lyons, spent Sunday at the home here.

Truth In Advertising. Sincerity in service, honesty in merchandise, truth in advertising, go hand in hand. Right-doing is its own reward; to us it results in a business that grows as steadily as we could possibly wish.

This Basement Sale of Pretty Washable Dresses. Is one of the most important sales held this season and shows the readiness of this popular department to supply every need in stylish summer frocks. They are unusual dresses for the prices and show superior workmanship.

At 98 Cents. Women's \$2.00, \$3.50 and \$4.50 slightly soiled and mussed Wash Dresses, in Gingham, Lawns and Percales, all light colors, no two alike, and not one has been marked less than \$2.00. Now in three lots. At 98c, \$1.39 and \$1.98.

Special for Saturday. Five dozen Best Print \$1.25 House Dresses, all sizes, Navy, Grey and Light Colors only. We made a specially fortunate purchase. For Saturday Only. At 89 Cents.

Women's Long Silk Gloves. Women's 12, 16 and 20 button length, heavy quality Milanese Silk Gloves, double finger tips, Paris Point Back, in black, white and colors, every pair warranted to wear, \$1, \$1.50 and \$2.

Women's Silk Hose. Full fashioned, pure dye, thread silk hose, lisle soles and silk lisle tops, black, white and tan, extra quality, special at 50c.

Special in Wash Goods. 25c and 35c Wash Tissues, now 15c. Newest Lawn and Batiste, now 12c and 15c. New Dress Gingham, at 10c, 12c and 15c. Special Bargains in White Goods to close, were 25c to 50c, now 10c and 15c. A big lot of new Wash Dresses just placed on sale at \$1.50, \$2, \$3, \$4 and \$5.

New Muslin Underwear. Women's Muslin Gowns, Lace or Embroidery Trimmed, at 50c, 75c and \$1. New Muslin Petticoats at 50c, 75c, \$1 and \$2.50. Children's Muslin Drawers, at 10c, 15c and 25c. New Slips and Union Suits.

Handkerchiefs at Wholesale Prices. To close out two small lots of Women's Pure Linen Handkerchiefs, Hemstitched, Real Hand-Embroidered Corners, at about Wholesale. LOT 1—Worth 15c and 17c, to close, 10c. LOT 2—Worth 17c and 19c, to close, 2 for 25c.

H. S. Holmes Mercantile Co. Miss Anna Peterson is enjoying a week of vacation after attending the Normal College at Ypsilanti. She will return for the summer school session.

Bloomer Girls. The Boston Bloomer Girls will play the Chelsea Business Men at Ahnemiller Park Tuesday, July 1, at 3 o'clock p. m. Admission, 15 and 25 cents.

Business Men. We don't use all the old scraps around the market to make bologna sausages. Ours is made from clean, sweet meat and blended with the finest ground spices; it is delicious. Our bologna is great for lunches and it's worth something to you to know that it is clean. A choice line of fresh and salt meats always in stock. Phone 59. Fred Klingler.

OUR BOLOGNA IS FINE. NORTH FRANCISCO. Mrs. E. J. Notten was an Ann Arbor visitor Tuesday. Almerine and Doris Whitaker are spending some time with relatives in Ann Arbor. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mensing entertained their cousin and her husband, of Mt. Pleasant, several days of the past week.

WATERLOO DOINGS. Mrs. Geo. Rentschler is on the sick list. Miss Vivian Gorton spent last week in Ypsilanti the guest of her sister there. Judson Armstrong and daughter, of Jackson, are guests at the home of Jacob Rommel. Miss Ardie Hubbard, of Stockbridge, is spending a few days at the home of David Collins here.

Trust Your Repair Work With Us. When your watch is broken it needs an expert hand. An inexperienced jeweler may ruin your watch. You hardly dare take the chances. We have a reputation to maintain as careful artisans and your repair work is safe here. I. E. WILKINS & SON.

Cool Comfort on Hot Days



A lightweight suit, minus all unnecessary trimmings and linings will do more toward keeping you cool and comfortable than an electric fan.

Come in tomorrow and ask one of our salesmen to show you our feather-weight suits that are hand tailored in the latest style creations.

You'll find the colorings and patterns pleasing to a surprising degree, the fit will delight you and the price astound you.

\$10.00 TO \$25.00.

COOL FURNISHING GOODS.

We have in our store all of the newest Neckwear, Plain and Fancy Shirts, Handkerchiefs, Collars and Cuffs, Hosiery, Gloves, Hats, Straw Hats and Caps for cool and comfortable wear.

COMFORTABLE FOOTWEAR.

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

DANGER BROTHERS.

Drop in Meat

Special for Saturday Only

All Cuts of Pork, **15c**
Per Pound

Best Lard, **12 1-2c**
Steam Kettle Rendered,
Pail or Bulk, Per Pound.

All Other Meats in Proportion

Eppler & VanRiper

The Magnet's Power

The savings account will prove a magnet that will draw from your pocket the dollars and dimes you might otherwise spend.

Try it and you will soon feel the attraction—a lessening of the desire to spend freely, and in return, an added ambition to increase what the "magnet" has already accumulated. We will be glad to have you open an account with us, no matter how small.

The Kempf Commercial & Savings Bank

LOCAL ITEMS.

Mrs. N. J. Jones is seriously ill at her home at Cavanaugh Lake.

Painters are at work painting the Palmer garage on south Main street.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Woods had their household goods moved to Ann Arbor Monday.

Emanuel Feldkamp, of Lima, has purchased a seven-passenger Studebaker touring car.

Miss Amanda Koch has accepted a position in the department store of W. P. Schenk & Company.

The L. C. B. A. ladies were entertained at the home of Mrs. William F. Kress last Thursday evening.

Kenneth Walz, of Charlotte, spent several days of the past week at the home of his mother, Mrs. Geo. Walz.

Miss Helene Steinbach entertained her music pupils at the Steinbach cottage, Cavanaugh Lake, on Tuesday.

A number from here attended the annual promenade of the seniors of the U. of M. in Ann Arbor on Monday evening.

The ladies of the Baptist church will hold an all day baked goods sale on Saturday of this week in the store of Geo. H. Foster & Son.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Prout and family, of Detroit, have moved into the Stocking residence on east Middle street for the summer months.

Miss Leona Gieske, who has been teaching in the public school at Ovid for the past year, has returned to her home here for the summer.

Mrs. Frank Krouse and son, of Bellefontaine, Ohio, were guests Saturday evening and Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Spiegelberg.

Mesdames Roy Evans and Cone W. Lighthall gave a miscellaneous shower at the home of Mrs. Evans last Thursday evening in honor of Miss Edith Buehler.

Robert Dole, who has been confined to the home of his parents, Rev. and Mrs. C. J. Dole, for the last two weeks suffering with granulated eyelids is slowly recovering.

Dr. J. T. Woods has sold his five-passenger Ford automobile to P. M. Slaybaugh, who is employed at the Chelsea sub-station of the Commonwealth Power Co.

Mrs. Wm. Whiting and daughter Eva, of West McHenry, Ill., are visiting relatives and friends here. Mrs. Whiting was formerly Miss Nona Guerin of this place.

Miss Edna McColl, who has been a guest at the home of Dr. and Mrs. J. T. Woods for the past three weeks, returned to her home in London, Ont., Monday morning.

The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Pierce, of Williamston, was brought here Wednesday evening and taken to the home of her aunts, Misses Mary and Alma Pierce. She has been ill for several months.

The Lehman family held their annual reunion at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Lehman, of Waterloo. The reunion next year will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lehman, of North Francisco.

Dr. B. Defendorf, who recently underwent an operation at the Homeopathic hospital in Ann Arbor, has so far recovered that he is able to get about and will probably be able to return to his home here the last of this week.

The two children of Mr. and Mrs. William Appleton, of Detroit, and one of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hinchey, of Dexter township, were christened by Rev. P. J. Wright, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Hadley, of Lyndon, last Saturday evening.

Miss Dorothy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Daniels, of North Lake, is confined to the home of Mrs. J. C. Taylor on Park street with an attack of diphtheria. Miss Daniels is a pupil in the Chelsea high school and was taken ill about a week ago. She is reported as being considerably better this morning.

Michael Welch, manager of the Chelsea exchange of the Michigan State Telephone Co., spent several days of last week at Benzonia looking over the company's plant in Benzonia county. There is a possibility of Mr. Welch being transferred to Benzonia as manager of Benzonia and part of Manistee counties.

Highway Commissioner Young has completed relaying a drain across the highway near the residence of B. C. Whitaker, of Sylvania. The old tile drain had become filled up, and when the new one was opened Wednesday afternoon it released water that covered upwards of 100 acres of land. The drain is 19 feet deep and quicksand interfered with the work.

Lightning struck the large barn on the farm of Jas. S. Gorman in Lyndon during the storm Wednesday afternoon, and some of the timber in the building were badly splintered. Mr. Gorman and his hired man had just come from the field and were near the barn when the bolt of lightning struck. It had come a few moments later the man and team would have been in the building and both might have been killed. The storm lasted but a short time but there was a heavy fall of rain which was accompanied by a high wind and lightning.

John Bagge, of Detroit, was the guest of his son Karl Wednesday.

Wm. Wheeler, jr., has had his residence on south Main street newly painted.

Mrs. Byron Fortman, of Webberville, is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Olive Winslow.

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

Clover Chapter of the Congregational church will meet with Mrs. S. A. Mapes, July 2.

Mrs. Anna Baries and family, of St. Louis, Mo., are visiting relatives here for a few weeks.

Born, Tuesday, June 24, 1913, to Mr. and Mrs. Walter P. Kantlehner, of Grant street, a daughter.

Lewis Faber left Sunday for Detroit where he will take a course of instruction in a barber school.

Mrs. Howard Ellis and daughter, of Grand Rapids, are spending this week with Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Holmes.

L. T. Freeman is driving a new five-passenger touring car which he received the last of the past week.

Miss Dorothy Bacon, who has been attending school at Olivet, has returned home for the summer months.

Joseph Nemethy, of Detroit, and sister, Miss Mary Nemethy, of Mt. Clemens, were Chelsea visitors Sunday.

Mrs. Margaret Hindelang and children, of Mishawaka, Indiana, are spending the summer with relatives in this vicinity.

E. Lindeman, of Dexter township, has the material on the ground for a new roof that he will have placed on his barn.

County Clerk Beckwith has purchased a lot on Huron street in Ann Arbor and will probably build a home on the same.

Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Staffan and Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Wood are spending a few days at the Staffan cottage Cavanaugh Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Williams and daughter Alta, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Williams, of Detroit, spent Sunday at North Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Schmidt of Ann Arbor were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Spiegelberg several days of this week.

Mrs. John Forner gave a kitchen shower in honor of Miss Edith Buehler, at the home of her parents on Monday evening of this week.

Mrs. Sophia Spring and daughters and Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Spring and son, of Ann Arbor, spent Sunday at the home of Chas. Steinbach.

A work train and crew of men commenced distributing new steel rails along the Michigan Central right-of-way through Chelsea on Monday.

Misses Margaret Eppler, Alice Walz and Isabelle Gorman were members of the graduating class of the Normal College at Ypsilanti Wednesday.

Eastside Chapter, No. 2, of the Woman's Guild of the Congregational church will meet at the home of Mrs. Ed. Gentner on Wednesday afternoon, July 2.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Jackson moved their household goods to Detroit the last of the past week. Mr. Jackson was formerly employed by the Flanders Mfg. Co.

The city authorities of Ann Arbor and the D. J. & C. are having a "chewing match" and both sides have had injunctions granted to them by the circuit court.

Married, Monday morning, June 23, 1913, in the Church of Our Lady of the Sacred Heart, Miss Lavinia di Naleo, of Italy, and Mr. Emidio Vitali of this place, Rev. Father Considine officiating.

L. Dean Hall, who graduated with the class of 1913 from the Chelsea high school last week, has returned to his home in McGuffey, Ohio, where he has accepted a position in the office of the Erie railroad.

Last Saturday evening 19 cans containing 30,000 black bass fry were received here and the contents of 4 cans were planted in Cedar Lake and 7 cans of the fry were planted in Blind Lake, 4 in Cavanaugh Lake and 4 in Reilly Lake.

William, the youngest son of S. L. Leach, is suffering with an attack of diphtheria. The young boy is making his home with Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Noah, of North Lake, and he came down with the disease on Monday of this week, but he had been alling for a number of days before the disease was fully developed.

The Cytherian circle met at the home of Mrs. E. R. Dancer Friday afternoon. In the evening they entertained their husbands at dinner at the Chelsea House. The following guests were also present: Mrs. H. O. Ellis, of Grand Rapids; Mrs. L. O. Hall, of McGuffey, O.; Miss Nellie Congdon, of Saline, and Mrs. Karl E. Vogel, of Omaha, Neb.

Herbert, the eight-year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Ben. Huehl, of Lima, met with a severe accident Tuesday afternoon. The boy was riding a horse and fell from it and he broke both bones of his right arm about half way between the elbow and wrist. Mr. Huehl brought the boy to the office of Dr. S. G. Bush where the fractured bones were reduced.

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No. 214

SPECIAL

\$1.50 Corset

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\$1.00



We have just received a large shipment from the factory of this special number, and a letter saying, "This No. 214 Special is a \$1.50 Value, and a good one. In fact the best that can be made to retail at \$1.50. We are shipping a limited number to all of our dealers, with the request to sell them at \$1.00 during the usual dull season, and only while this shipment lasts, as there will be no more placed on the market this season."

Remember this is a new Summer Corset and embodies all the practical, sensible features of a \$1.50, \$2.00 or \$3.00 corset and is the very latest in corset style.

Royal Worcester is the most widely known corset—trade mark—and the one that women think of first when corsets are mentioned. This corset is not placed on the market for profit but for the purpose of introducing to more women the Royal Worcester higher grade corsets and proving their superiority by actual trial and test over all other corsets.

Ask to be shown the new No. 214 Royal Worcester Corset advertised at \$1.00 compare with any \$1.50 corset sold any where else and judge for yourself.

W. P. Schenk & Company

SUITS IN WHICH YOU CAN CELEBRATE

BOTH THIS AND NEXT FOURTH OF JULY

That's how good and how lasting the quality in them is. Ready now are all the spicy new styles for men and young men—Suits that will hold their shape and wear. Many styles and patterns to select from \$15.00, \$18.00, \$20.00. Many good Suits to select from including Blue Serges at \$10.00 and \$12.50.

Suits for Boys

In splendid new Norfolk and Double Breasted Styles, in Fancy Mixtures and Blue Serges—Suits that will stand the hardest "wear and tear." SPECIAL VALUES At \$5.00, \$6.50, \$7.50. Some good values in Odd Suits, to close out, \$1.00 and \$4.00.



Shirts for Summer Comfort

Many new patterns in Madris, Pongee, etc., with soft turn back cuffs and collars to match, at \$1.00 and \$1.50.

New Straw Hats

All the new styles, stiff and soft straws at \$1.00 to \$3.00. Genuine Panamas at \$4 to \$6

Cool Summer Underwear

Genuine Balbriggan Underwear per garment 50c. -Others, 25c. Union Suits, cool B. V. D., Cooper Knit, etc. all with closed crotch \$1.00 to \$1.50. Balbriggan Union Suits 50c.

Men's Oxfords and Shoes

Just received another lot of Men's Shoes in Button and Lace of those especially good values in dress shoes at \$3.50. Men's Oxfords in all shapes in both Black and Tan, Button or Lace. MEN'S WORK SHOES—Every pair made to give you absolute satisfaction or a new pair, many shapes and styles to select from in Black or Tan, \$2.50 to \$3.50.

H. S. Holmes Mercantile Co.

WANT COLUMN

RENTS, REAL ESTATE, FOUND LOST WANTED ETC.

FOUND—Pocketbook. Owner can have same by calling on John R. Miller, route 1, Chelsea. 51

FOUND—A crucifix from a rosary; owner can get same by calling at this office, proving property and paying charges. 47

LOST—A Lava pin; week ago last Saturday between east Middle street and Eppler's market. Finder please return to Standard office and receive reward. 47

FOR SALE—18 nice Poland China Pigs, 6 weeks old. Inquire of Boyd Bros., Chelsea. 47

FOR SALE—1913 Model, Motor Cycles and Motor Boats at bargain prices, all makes, brand new machines, on easy monthly payment plan. Get our proposition before buying or you will regret it; also bargains in used Motor Cycles. Write us today. We enclose stamp for reply. Address lock box 11 Trenton, Mich. 3

FOR SALE—Ohio hay loader used one season; cheap if taken at once. B. Steinbach. 47

FOR SALE—Two extension dining tables; 8 and 10 foot; good as new. S. P. Foster. 47

HORSES bought by the piece or pound. No questions, only the price. Tommy McNamara. 49

FOR SALE—40 bushel millet seed at \$1.25 per bushel. Telephone 454 Dexter. Address Ann Arbor route No. 3, box 30. C. O. Parker. 48

FOR SALE—To close estate of John Lingane, farm 230 acres, 3 miles from Chelsea; good productive soil and in best state of cultivation and repair. H. D. Witherell, administrator. 44tf

LAWN MOWERS sharpened on short notice, and in a first-class manner. W. D. Arnold. 49

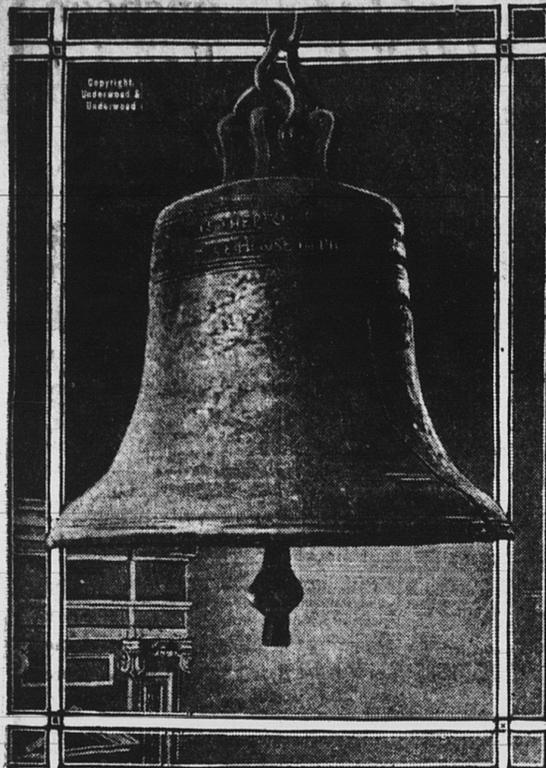
FOR SALE—Farms and village property. Inquire of H. D. Witherell. 18tf

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

OLD PAPERS for sale at this office. Large handle for 5c.

"FOR SALE" and "For Rent" window signs for sale at this office.

THE OLD LIBERTY BELL



Religiously preserved in Independence Hall, Philadelphia, is the Liberty Bell which rang to celebrate the adoption of the Declaration of Independence on July 4, 1776. It was brought from England in 1752 and the next year was recast with the words "Proclaim Liberty Throughout All the Land, and Unto All the Inhabitants Thereof" inscribed on it. For many years it was rung annually on the Fourth of July, but in 1835, while being tolled in memory of Chief Justice Marshall it was broken. Liberty Bell in past years has been taken to many cities for exhibition, but of late this practice has been abandoned in order that it may be preserved.

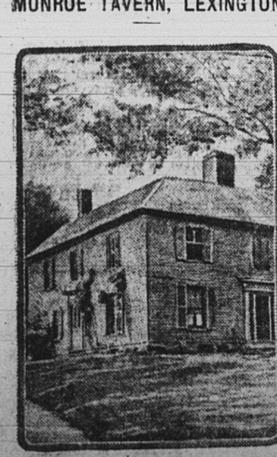
HOW TO CELEBRATE

Many Cities Join Movement for Sane Fourth of July.

Casualty Lists Have Been Greatly Reduced—Fine Example of Proper Observance Set by Springfield, Mass.

REPORT published by the Russell Sage Foundation on "How the Fourth Was Celebrated in 1911," gives conclusive proof that the movement inaugurated in many cities for a sane and safe observance of the day resulted in reducing the death toll. The number of casualties by fire and accident was 1,603. In 1909 there were 5,307 victims of their own or another's carelessness. Last year 161 cities made a point of holding sane celebrations, but there remains over 1,100 cities of 5,000 population that have not embraced the reform. It is hoped that this year many other cities and villages will fall in line. Besides the gain in ridding the day of fires and accidents, the sane method of observance has given a larger amount of pleasure to the public and in many localities has been historically instructive as well. In New York city many large celebrations are planned for different centers which will include parades, pageants, historical tableaux, music and speeches by well known men on events and people connected with our national history. Besides the celebrations, devised for our English-speaking residents, there will be special festivals and celebrations in the Italian, Hungarian, Bohemian and Jewish sections of the city where our more newly arrived citizens will hear the history of their adopted land explained in their own tongue and illustrated by stereopticon views or tableaux. An example of this kind of celebration was set two years ago in Springfield, Mass., at the instance of the settlement workers of that city. It required, to be sure, some time and thought, but the result was a beautiful, poetic and educational holiday— with no aftermath of killed and wounded. There were processions, a balloon ascension, games, folk dances, athletic contests, boat races, band concerts and public fireworks—but no firecrackers. One of the processions was a thing unique in America. Each nationality in the city was invited to put a float in line. The Pilgrims were there to represent the old American stock; beside them came a huge Viking ship on wheels, sent by the Swedes; English residents put in a float showing the signing of Magna Charta; the Scotch, Queen Mary, escorted by killed Highlanders; the French Canadians, Champlain in his boat on the St. Lawrence; Greeks, Italians and Irish, Armenians, Poles and negroes all made suitable and interesting contributions to the line. Probably a more unifying and citizen making celebration was never seen in America.

MUNROE TAVERN, LEXINGTON



Earl Percy's headquarters and hospital, April 19, 1775. The Munroe Tavern, built 1695.

LARGEST OF OFFICIAL FLAGS

Mammoth Banner Hangs in the Middle of the Post Office Building at Washington.

If patriotism were measured by the yards of red, white and blue bunting made into the form of the flag of the nation, the biggest assignment of it would be found in the post office building at Washington, for here hangs the biggest official flag that was ever made, although there are larger unofficial flags. It also was made at the little flagshop on the side street. The building which houses the headquarters of the postal service and keeps its finger on the pulse of all Uncle Sam's mails, boasts this mammoth flag. The great building is constructed about a half square at the bottom of which is the glass-roofed floor space where the local mail is handled. Above this rise eight or nine stories of masonry inclosing the hollow square. In the middle of this hangs the great flag reaching nearly the height and width of it. It is solitary and alone, with but the masonry as a background. It is impressive so hung and people come far to see it, and the idle passerby is often brought to attention and stands in unconscious admiration.

FIRST STARS AND STRIPES

It Appeared over the Headquarters of General Washington at Cambridge, Mass.

The stars and stripes first appeared floating over the headquarters of Gen. George Washington, on the heights of Cambridge, near Boston, on January 2, 1776. This is a fact which is not usually impressed upon the minds of the children in our public schools. With that fact the children should also be impressed with the co-ordinate and correlative fact that the flag was made originally under the direction and under the military orders of George Washington; and that it contained in every fold the personal defiance of British rule by George Washington himself. Celebrated Judiciously. Some of the greatest men this country has ever produced succeeded in retaining all their fingers. Having a spirited horse and taking your wife and children out riding where the automobiles are thick is one of the poorest ways in which to celebrate the nation's natal day.

NERO, THE AVENGER

How Circus Lion Inflicted Just Retribution on a Cruel Trainer.

By SIGISMUND B. TAILER. Nero had not been quite the same for several weeks. Signor Bianco, his trainer, had perceived nothing amiss, because his eyes had lost their keenness and his brain had grown sodden and bewildered. Nero obeyed as quickly as ever, but when he sprang, at the word of command, upon his pedestal, there was a slight quivering of his sides, a lashing of his tail, which would have told Bianco a story—once. But Bianco was mad with drink and jealousy of his young wife, Minetta. Every trainer knows that the old story of Daniel and the lions is true. The lion fears a good man more than anything in the world. But let the trainer drink or give way to any base impulse and his power is gone. As for Majolica and Betty, they were mere kittens of creatures, hardly larger than well-grown Newfoundlanders. And Parsifal, the tiger, was old and toothless. Nero carried off the honors in Bianco's menagerie, and Nero was so magnificent a Nubian specimen that he would have made any show respectable. Minetta had noticed it. So had Giuseppe. The girl had told Giuseppe, and the apprentice had warned Bianco. Bianco had laughed and sneered and cut Nero across the face with his heavy training whip. Nero retreated, growling and licking his paws; he longed to sink their needle-like points into Bianco's white flesh. Giuseppe fought the hardest battle of his life that moment. At last he conquered; raising Minetta's hand to his lips he walked slowly back to the collection box. He would leave that afternoon; he would never see Minetta again. Minetta went into the lion house presently. Bianco, who seemed particularly amiable, called her into the cage. She was not loath to go; she was a better trainer than he. Bianco caught his wife by the arm. "Minetta—dear Minetta," he said, smiling like a devil; "I saw what happened five minutes ago. Kneel down, Minetta, and pray."

Minetta knelt down and prayed, because she was docile and it seemed the only thing that she could do. Bianco stepped toward Nero and cut him savagely across the loins. The cat leaped from his pedestal and crouched, snarling, in a corner. Bianco stepped back toward the half-open door. He took his eyes from Nero. He knew that he could reach the door and close it on his wife before Nero could spring. He leaped for the door, tripped, and stumbled. He had fallen upon Minetta's whip, which she had cast aside. He strove wildly to rise. He saw a great shape darken the daylight over him. It was Minetta's scream that called Giuseppe from the collection box. When he arrived he saw her beating with her little fists on Nero's face, while the lion blinked and snarled over the body of Bianco. (Copyright, 1913, by W. G. Chapman.)



Nero Retreated, Growling.

not know where Giuseppe is now. Marry me and I will hang diamonds round your neck." Poor little Minetta, helpless and hopeless, fell an easy victim to Bianco. It must be admitted, though, that he was deeply infatuated with her girlish beauty. So they were married and lived happily three months. And then—Giuseppe came back. Bianco had taken advantage of the raw youth's ignorance to have him shanghaied aboard a Chesapeake oyster-transport. He had thought the life would kill him; instead of which he had grown strong. He came back to find Bianco married to Minetta. "Pooh, that is nothing!" Bianco said airily. "I thought you had run away. It was for your sake I married her. Listen, Giuseppe, I want an assistant again. Stay with me and I will give you ten dollars weekly." This seemed a fortune to Giuseppe. And he would have worked for nothing to be within sight of his beloved Minetta. He felt dimly that the day might arrive when he could help her. Bianco had laughed quietly at his triumph. He felt sure that his cunning act, showing Minetta how he despised her former sweetheart, would make her despise him too. But Minetta did not despise Giuseppe. Bianco, watching them, saw that the old love was only dormant. He knew that, though she would not have dared let herself acknowledge it, Minetta still loved Giuseppe. He dared not send him away, for he wanted to have him in his sight constantly. He had tried in various ways to kill him. Once he teased Nero and sent Giuseppe into his cage. But Nero only crouched down at his feet. Another time he rubbed Giuseppe's clothes with catnip. Giuseppe smelled nothing and wondered why the big cats fawned around him and rubbed against him. But here, too, he escaped disaster. Then Bianco began to beat Minetta and accused her openly of loving Giuseppe. When she denied this in-

FATHER ACTS AS HOST

PARENT OF YOUNG WOMAN ENTERTAINS HER BEAU.

Papa at Least Did His Best to Interest Elsie's Friend and Unnecessarily Saved Her the Trouble, Perhaps. "Speaking of parents and daughters," said Van Patter, "let me remark that parents are pretty dense sometimes. Now, there's Elsie, my niece. She's the prettiest thing that ever happened. She has light, fluffy hair and long, curly lashes that make a fellow feel as if he were standing on top of a lightning rod and looking down at the world about a thousand feet below. Elsie is one of those dainty little creatures who would make a gorilla act like a piano salesman, or, at least, wish that he could. "Elsie's father is as dense as a sack of meal. It has never occurred to him that Elsie is old enough to have a beau. "The other evening a young fellow dropped in. Young fellows are mighty apt to drop in when there is a girl like Elsie around. Elsie and her father were sitting in the library when the young man appeared. The old man was finishing a cigar and Elsie was just sitting there looking like peaches and cream. "The old man invited the young fellow to have a cigar and began to be polite and entertaining. He chatted and imparted information and asked polite questions and inquired about his parents and ran the whole gauntlet of stereotyped conversation. "The young man took hold and talked back. They went around like a 60-day race without either of them getting fagged and having to drop out. Elsie just sat there, taking no part at all in the talk. Along about ten o'clock, when they had done 40 laps, the old man began to wobble a little. Once or twice he asked questions he had asked before—nice, polite questions. He was reassured as to the health of the young man's mother three times, and was also informed several times as to the young man's father's welfare. Elsie sat there as light and airy and untruffed as a butterfly. "About the 60th lap, when it was getting along toward eleven o'clock, the old man was all in. He was wabbling all around the track. He was no longer rational. Part of the time he didn't talk at all. The young man also had a sort of baffled, anxious look. But Elsie was as translucent as a purring stream—calm, sweet, serene. "Very soon after eleven the young man left. Elsie's father stretched himself and sighed: "My gracious! How in the world do you suppose that young man happened to come here tonight and make such a visit? He is the worst to entertain I ever saw! I like his father, all right, but that fellow is a regular bore! I've been wanting to go to bed for two hours, and there I had to sit up and talk to that young spud! "Elsie never turned a hair. She was as smiling as a summer's morning. She gurgled like a merry brooklet. But she offered no theories as to the visit."

No Discrimination. A southern statesman, now a member of congress, tells of the negro view of politics still entertained in certain sections of the south. "Marse Tom," once said an old darky to this gentleman, "I hears yo' gwine to jine in dis race for governor." "Dick," said the statesman, "I have given the matter no thought." "Dick scratched his head. "Well," he continued, "of yo' does nor, Marse Tom, and yo' does git elected, don't forget me. I wants a job." And he grinned broadly. "What job would you like?" "Well, suh, I'd jest like to black boots roun' de statehouse." "And what would you expect for that service?" "Oh, 'bout \$4 a day, Marse Tom. Four dollars a day would be reasonable. Dat's what de yuther legislators gits."—From Judge.

Factor in the Calculation. Politician (arranging for music at political meeting)—Isn't that a big price? You may not have to play half a dozen times during the whole evening. Brass Band Leader—That's all very well. But, my dear sir, you must always remember we have to sit there and listen to the speeches.—Puck. His Job. "How are the plans for your new house coming along?" "Splendidly. My wife has finally laid out all the cupboards she wants, and now all the architect's got to do is to build the house around them." Leads to Indigestion. Mrs. Bacon—Don't you think a little knowledge is a dangerous thing, dear? Mr. Bacon—If it is a little knowledge about cooking, I certainly do.

A Pressing Need. "Why was it necessary for Mrs. All-cash to undergo an operation?" "I guess it was because the surgeon's wife wanted to go to Europe." Shifting the Blame. Bill—Poets are born, not made, you know. Jill—Of course; blame it all on the poor stork.

IS IT RIGHT TO ADVERTISE COCA COLA?

Men who play the wily game of politics have discovered that the best way to distract the attention of the public from their own shortcomings is to make a loud-mouthed sensational attack upon someone else. As the cut-throat eludes its purgator by clouding the surrounding water with the contents of its ink sac, so the political adventurer takes advantage of the ignorance and prejudices of the people to escape from his indefensible position by muddying the waters of public opinion. A case in point is the recent attack made upon the religious press for carrying Coca-Cola advertising. This attack was made by a politician who was supposed to be an expert in chemistry but who, having brought a suit against the Coca-Cola Company, was humiliated by having to acknowledge that he could not qualify as an expert. The court decided in favor of the Coca-Cola Company as it was clearly shown that the only essential difference between Coca-Cola and coffee or tea is that the former contains only about half as much caffeine as the latter and that the flavor is different. The question as to whether it is right to advertise Coca-Cola seems to resolve itself therefore into the question as to whether it is right to advertise coffee, tea, chocolate, cocoa and other beverages of the caffeine group.—Adv.

How Mad She Was. The limit of forgiveness was surely reached by the woman who, after receiving 25 lashes from a hatchet and having two ribs broken, refuses to prosecute her husband, and asks: "What is the use of starting up a lot of trouble?" Perhaps it is as much dependence as forgiveness. In London, where wife-beating is a favorite sport of the alms, the police find the greatest difficulty in bringing the offenders to book because women have to choose between denying that they were ill-used or starving while their brute husbands are in jail. One woman was brought into court all bruised and beaten up, but she denied that her husband had done it and pleaded that she had fallen downstairs. "But," said the judge, "a piece of your ear has been bitten off." "Yes, I did that myself; I was so mad."—San Francisco Chronicle.

Convict Made Pets of Mice. An interesting story of a convict and his two pet mice is told in the report of Captain Hanson, the prison commissioner of London. Captain Hanson said the convict, who was imprisoned at Parkhurst, had two pet mice, but was ordered to another prison, where he was unable to take his pets. Captain Hanson promised to have them cared for and himself went to the cell for the mice. "Never shall I forget the parting scene," continued the officer. "The man took each of the mice, calling them by name, kissed them, and then put them in a little box he had lined with fannel, and with them a piece of bread and a piece of cheese he had saved."

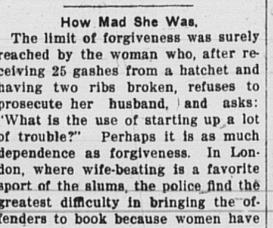
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There is no effect without a cause, except when a woman changes her mind. More men might get to the front if they didn't stop to talk.

Obvious Course. "What do you do when you get in deep water for speeding?" "Send for the first friend I can think of to bail me out." Mrs. Winalow's Soothing Syrup for Children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic, etc. a bottle 10c. The people who complain that life isn't worth living are the very ones who do nothing to make it so. When a man gets full he is apt to use a lot of empty words.

AILING WOMEN OF MIDDLE AGE Mrs. Hilbert Tells of Her Distressing Symptoms During Change of Life and How She Found Relief. 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 went so bad sometimes that I did not know what to do. "One day a friend advised me to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and it made me a strong well woman. I am very thankful that I followed my friend's advice and I shall recommend it as long as I live. Before I took the Compound I was always sickly and now I have not had medicine from a doctor for years. You may publish my letter."—Mrs. EDWARD B. HILBERT, Fleetwood, Pa.



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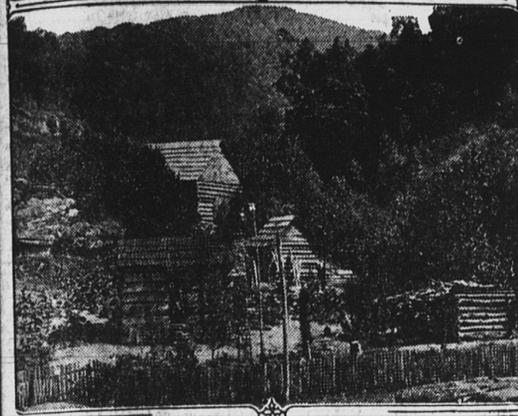
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Primitive Mountain Folk



TYPICAL MOUNTAINEER'S HOME

ONE of the most interesting regions in the United States is the southern Appalachians. It is a land of giants and patriarchal families and of isolated simplicities in life which have deep human interest. One can explore on horseback this fascinating region, traveling through the western part of Virginia and North Carolina and the eastern districts of Tennessee and Kentucky. You can stop off anywhere you happen to get tired and board, indefinitely and sumptuously, for \$2.40 a week. These mountain folk are rich in the material things if poor in the gimcrack luxuries of the world esteem them needful. They are still shut in their fastnesses; but conditions are changing now from the absolute isolation that existed before the civil war.

In following one of the mountain trails the traveler is well paid. Throughout these ranges are bridge paths, where notches are cut in the rock on the steep mountainside for the horse or mule to secure good footing. A traveler can find nowhere such a variety of scenery. He starts at the foothills, along the banks of some stream. The cliffs are completely covered with moss and ferns, watered by innumerable springs, which in summer form a hanging garden of foliage.

Following one of these cataracts between mountains, one discovers all of a sudden that the trail he is in comes to an end. Looking to the left he discovers a path leading off up the mountain. By a modified climb, placing one foot above the other, one can reach a high cliff and stop for a rest. Only a few feet below is the trail, a switchback, and to gain one-fourth of a mile you climb a whole one.

In the Evergreens. Rarely could one find so fascinating a picture of mountain grandeur, all in contrast with the enticing charms of the valley below, where hundreds of cattle are peacefully grazing on vast fields of blue grass. You are on the edge of the evergreen timber, called the hemlock belt.

Once in the evergreen timber, the view is entirely shut off, except now and then where the trail leads over some cliff; then the glimpse is just for an instant. There are forests of laurel so thick in places that one cannot see two feet away. The laurel trees are from 18 to 25 feet high, some measuring eight inches in diameter.

You rest again and hear sounds that tell of some habitation. Listen! Yes, you can hear dogs bark. You resume the journey, and through open places in the timber you can now see fields. Soon you come to a log fence, and afterward the trail leads off into a cove.

A cabin appears, built of logs, fire-place on the outside and split-oak roof. A short distance away is the spring. Just back of the cabin lies the peach orchard, and alongside the path leading to the barn are other fruits, such as apples, pears and paw-paw.

This is the land of milk and honey. You can count over 60 hives of bees, or "gums"—a hollow tree sawed in two, then set on end on hewn timber and covered with a slab split from a log. Away in the distant woodland one hears the "ting, ting" of the cow-bell.

A man about six feet four inches in height emerges from the door. "How d'you do, stranger?" is his greeting. You give him the usual handshake, which is the custom of the country, and commence to tell your story. But before it is finished he says, "Step in, sah, brother."

You enter the door before your host, which is customary among mountain folk, and are told to have a seat. In one end of the room is a fireplace with the old-fashioned mantel shelf. After supper the fiddle comes down and the whole cabin thrills to the old-time airs—My Old Kentucky Home, Nellie Gray and Barbara Allen and all the tunes that make home of a wilderness.

Close to Nature. The head of the house asks if you would like to lie down. You are ready enough, and you are shown a ladder in one corner of the room. It leads to a hole in the floor above, where

ELOPERS STOPPED BY A BLACK ALLEY CAT

Runs In Front of Prospective Bride Who Considers Aot an Ill Omen.

Wellsburg, W. Va.—A big gaunt alley cat as black as the night was the cause of bitter tears and the indefinite postponement of a "love match marriage" here the other night when Harry Sanderson, a young coal operator of Dawson, Pa., driving a big car had outdistanced the machine driven by the father of his fiancée, Miss Julia Albright, and with her was about to enter the home of the minister where the ceremony was to have been performed.

Sanderson and his fiancée had a good hour's start on Henry Allen Albright, her father. Just a few minutes before the courthouse closed the big car containing Sanderson and Miss Albright halted in front of the building and the young couple hurriedly secured a license. After securing



A Big Black Cat Dashed in Front of Them.

the license, young Sanderson called up a minister known to him, over the telephone, and made the arrangements for the marriage.

Hurriedly entering the big car Sanderson and his fiancée were but a few minutes in reaching the home of the clergyman. Both had alighted on the sidewalk and were about to step on to the front porch of the minister's house when a big black cat dashed directly in front of them, hesitated a second and then scampered away. Instantly Miss Albright was in tears. Bewailing the cat's act an ill omen she refused to either enter the house or to have the ceremony performed. Sadly young Sanderson turned his car and headed back to Dawson.

SNAKE GOBBLED IRON BUNNY

So Badly Handicapped by Its Weight the Reptile Could Not Make Escape.

Rockwood, Pa.—Up at his home near Cresaptown, Md., Gibson Umstott, a wealthy farmer, has a cast-iron rabbit painted in the natural colors of a bunny, which is used to hold the front door open.

The other night Umstott heard a thumping noise on his porch and going out was astounded to find a monster blacksnake in the act of swallowing the cast-iron rabbit. Soon the snake completed the process of swallowing the iron rabbit; but could not escape with it. He was badly handicapped in his efforts to squirm away and was easily captured by Umstott and his hired man.

Umstott, taking the big reptile by the tail with the help of his man finally forced him to disgorge the rabbit. Then taking a silk handkerchief he pulled the snake's teeth rendering him harmless. He then took the snake to the distillery in Cresaptown and fed him rye mash, causing his snakehood to go to sleep.

Umstott later brought the reptile here and turned it over to the police where it was measured and found to be nine feet and one-half inch in length. The reptile was pronounced by Chief of Police Warren to be the largest blacksnake ever seen in these parts where big snakes are common.

Prince Spent His Allowance.

London.—An Oxonian, who vouches for its truth, tells the following story: Frequently when undergraduates make up a dinner party preceding a visit to a theater it is understood that each pays his own shot.

One day a Magdalen man, on meeting the prince of Wales, asked him to join a party for a dinner and play. "I should love to go," the prince said, "but the fact is I haven't the three shillings."

"Why don't you write home?" the friend asked. "I have," the prince replied, "but mother says I must make what I have do until the end of the term."

Wanted Fee Back.

New York.—In returning a marriage license to the city clerk a jilted suitor wrote: "This is no use to us. We are not going to get married; please send the one dollar fee if returnable to her."

SHEEP EXCELLENT AS SOIL IMPROVERS



Profitable for Wool and Mutton.

(By R. S. CURTIS.) It is universally accepted that sheep droppings under like conditions contain a larger amount of fertility than that from either the horse, cow or hog. One of the desirable features of this product is the uniform distribution made by the sheep over the land. In the leading European countries, such as England, Scotland, France and Germany, the value of sheep in improving impoverished or



Flock of Shropshire Ewes.

naturally thin soils has been recognized for centuries. It is stated on good authority that many of the soils would be almost worthless but for the fact that they are densely covered with sheep. In these countries flocks of sheep aggregating two or three thousand in number are not uncommonly seen. The various breeds which

CONDITION OF THE FARM WORKINGMEN

Many Farmers Do Not Know How to Use Help of Any Kind, Says Hired Man.

There is no doubt that the condition of the farm workman has been greatly improved during the last few years. That this better condition is the result of the scarcity of help nobody can deny. The plain truth is that there were too many farmers who did not know how to use help of any kind. They imagined that \$20 per month entitled them to the last ounce of muscle in a man's body without regard to hours, decent food, bed or any of the ordinary comforts of life. These men have done more to drive good workmen from the farms than anything else. Good workmen with self respect refused to labor under such conditions and the result is that thousands have left the farm to work in the cities where they at least believed they would be better off. Now that farmers are learning that it pays to give their help fair treatment and better pay the tendency of many good workmen is again towards the farm and I for one believe that if the conditions continue to improve, as they must under the prosperous times we are having, that the question of farm labor will soon right itself and we will not only have a better class of workmen but higher wages and richer farmers.—A Hired Man.

PROPAGATION OF GRACEFUL FERNS

Enterprising Lover of Plants Will Find It Interesting to Do Work by Spores.

The enterprising fern lover will find it most interesting to propagate by spores, and perchance produce a really valuable addition to these beautiful and graceful plants. The ordinary way to propagate this class of plants is by dividing the plants, by the creeping rhizomes, by the little bulbets that form on the fronts, and by the seeds or spores that appear on the underside of the leaves. Procure a seed pan or box with plenty of drainage holes, and cover the bottom with broken crockery. On this place half decayed sod, and fill with carefully mixed and sifted leaf-mold and sand. Make the surface of the soil perfectly smooth and level, and then scatter the spores on it, and leave them without any covering, that is of soil. However, they must be enclosed in glass by placing a pane of glass over the seed box or pan. Water by placing the seed pan in water, and keep it there until the water appears on the surface of the soil. Then removed at once, for too much water will destroy the spores. Keep the box in the light, but not the sun, remembering that ferns naturally grow in shady places and that we should try to follow nature's lead.

naturally inhabit the rough mountain lands, and the precipitous cliffs of these countries, where only scanty and coarse herbage exists, manifest their great value in making otherwise worthless land bring in profitable returns.

Much of the gullied land and waste hillsides of this country could be utilized profitably in the production of sheep. Many prominent farmers have proved this to their highest satisfaction. Much of the land which now grows reeds and other coarse vegetation can be restored to profitable tillage by the use of sheep. Fortunately the sheep is a ruminating animal and with the compound stomach can make use of much of the coarse grass and weeds which thrive on these depleted soils.

In European countries where sheep raising is carried on extensively and usually profitably, little concentrated feed is used, except through the flushing and lambing season. During other periods hay, grass and roots form their mainstay. Any farmer who is willing to give to sheep the same amount of intelligent care that he gives to other livestock will find them not only profitable, but good soil improvers, bringing into cultivation large areas of otherwise waste land.

HOW TO MAKE THE HOME BEAUTIFUL

Microphilla Rose Is One of Prettiest Things for Odd Corners Around Garden.

(By L. M. BENNINGTON.) Nothing is lovelier than the deutzias; perfectly hardy and low-growing. One of the loveliest things for an odd corner, or to train over a trellis, is the microphilla rose—literally pink in the spring with tiny white or pink roses, full of fragrance, followed by clusters of red berries.

Plant a row of hollyhocks along the path to the barn; keep them growing and see them bloom next year. Get one or more packages of the mixed seeds of perennial and biennials and plant them in rows or beds and see what they will give you. Don't go too strong on "novelties," unless you have time and money to throw away. Many of them are worthless.

Plant a paper of Everlasting flower seeds. They make beautiful winter decorations. Plant canna and dahlia seeds in the hotbed or boxes now. They are easily grown, and make fine showing of flowers the first year.

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RAISE CABBAGE AND POTATOES

First Put Land in Best Possible Condition and Mark Off in Three-Foot Rows.

I always plant the seed of my late cabbage where I want plants to stand. I put the land in the best possible condition, mark it off in rows three feet apart and plant four or five seeds in a place where I want the cabbage to grow.

When the plants come up I let them get about as large as they would be if I were going to transplant them, then I pull out all but the strongest one in each bunch.

This allows the plant to grow from the start without any setback and the heads are larger than they would be had the plants been transplanted.

I do not sow the seed until late in June and have raised good cabbages, the seed for which was planted after early potatoes had been dug up and the land smoothed down.

Potatoes make an excellent first crop where late cabbages are to be grown. Even if the plants are to be transplanted they may be set between the potato rows before the potatoes are dug.

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METHODIST EPISCOPAL.

Rev. J. W. Campbell, Pastor.

10 a. m. next Sunday sermon by the pastor. 11:15 a. m. Bible study. 6:15 p. m. Epworth League devotional service. Topic, "The Price of Power." 7 p. m. union meeting. 7:15 p. m. Thursday prayer meeting.

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Rev. Charles J. Dole, Pastor.

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Council Proceedings.

[OFFICIAL.]

COUNCIL ROOMS.

Chelsea, Mich., June 23, 1913.

Pursuant to adjournment board met in regular session. Called to order by President Pro Tem Jacob Hummel.

Moved by Wurster, supported by Dancer, that we adjourn until tomorrow evening, June 24, 1913. Carried.

C. W. MARONEY, Village Clerk.

COUNCIL ROOMS

Chelsea, Mich., June 24, 1913.

Pursuant to adjournment board met in regular session. Called to order by President McLaren. Pres. Cynthia P. Glover, be admitted to probate, and that Lula Glover, 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 13th day of July 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. C. W. MARONEY, Village Clerk.

Notice of Paving.

The Village Council has under consideration the proposed paving of a certain portion of Main street, Chelsea, Michigan, and has caused to be made plats and diagrams including estimates of the expense of such paving, which plats, diagrams and estimates are now on file with the Village Clerk at the council room, for the purpose of public examination. That portion of said Main street to be paved, is that part which lies between the south line of the present pavement and the north line of land owned by Jacob Hinderer.

All the lots and parcels of land abutting upon that portion of said Main street, above designated, as shown by the maps and diagrams of the proposed district to be paved, now on file with the Village Clerk, will be assessed, under a special assessment for the purpose of defraying the expense of said paving. Such property to bear eighty per cent. of the cost of such paving outside of the intersections.

The common council will meet at the council rooms on the 7th day of July, 1913, at 7 o'clock p. m., to consider any and all objections to the said proposed paving.

Dated, June 18, 1913.

C. W. MARONEY, Clerk of the Village of Chelsea, Mich.

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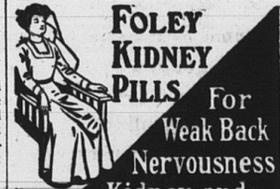
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Probate Order

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 22nd day of June, in the year one thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

Present, William H. Murray, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Cynthia E. Glover.

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

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



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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 12th day of June in the year one thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

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

Wilbur J. VanRiper, administrator of said estate, having filed in this court his petition asking that the court determine who is entitled to the proceeds of the sale of real estate in said estate; also that the Court authorize and direct the final disposition of the residue of said estate.

It is ordered, that the 11th day of July next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office be appointed for hearing said account.

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

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



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Failure to comply with this notice on or before the dates mentioned or within ten days thereafter shall make the parties so failing liable for the costs of cutting same and an additional levy of ten per centum of such cost to be levied and collected against the property in the same manner as other taxes are levied and collected. Dated Lima, June 3, 1913.

GEORGE E. HAIST, Commissioner of Highways of the Township of Lima, County of Washtenaw, State of Michigan.

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Commissioner of Highways of the Township of Lima, County of Washtenaw, State of Michigan.

Commissioners' Notice.

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 12th day of June, in the year one thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

Present, William H. Murray, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Kate Babcock, late of said county, deceased, hereby give notice that four months from date are allowed, by order of said Probate Court, for creditors to present their claims against the estate of said deceased, and that they will meet at the Kempf Commercial & Savings Bank in Chelsea, in said county, on the 1st day of July and on the 26th day of August, at ten o'clock a. m. of each of said days, to receive and examine and adjust said claims. Dated, May 24th, 1913.

ROLAND WALTRUS, Du. R. S. ANASTASOFF, Commissioners.

Notice of Mortgage Sale.

Whereas Anton Gabel and Katharina Gabel, his wife, of the township of Augusta, Washtenaw county, and state of Michigan, made and executed a certain mortgage, bearing date of day of October, A. D. 1888, to Leonard Gruner, trustee, of the same place, which was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of the county of Washtenaw, Michigan, on the 11th day of 1888, at 4:45 o'clock in the afternoon in Liber 7 of mortgages on Page 392.

And whereas said mortgage has been duly assigned by the said Leonard Gruner, trustee, to Frederick Schneider, by assignment bearing date of the 26th day of November, A. D. 1888, and recorded November 21st, 1912, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, whereby the said mortgage is now owned by the said Frederick Schneider, and in pursuance thereof, and of the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage is to be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, at public vendue to the highest bidder, at the south front door of the court house, at the city of Ann Arbor, in said county, that being the place of holding the circuit court within said county, on the 24th day of September, A. D. 1913, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon; the description of which is as follows: Contained in said mortgage is as follows: All those certain pieces or parcels of land situated and being in the Township of Augusta, Washtenaw County, Michigan, commencing five rods south of the north east corner of the south east quarter of the north east quarter of section sixteen (16) and running thence eight (8) rods west; thence eight (8) rods south; thence eight (8) rods east to the east line of section sixteen (16); thence north along said rods to the place of beginning. The same being in town four (4) south range seven (7) east.

Dated June 9, 1913.

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STIVERS & KALMBACH, Attorneys for Assignee. Business address: Chelsea, Mich.

CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN—In the Circuit Court for the County of Washtenaw—In Chancery.

EDWARD CHARLIER, Complainant.

AMEY CHARLIER, Defendant.

At a session of said court, held at the Court House in the city of Ann Arbor on the second day of June, A. D. 1913.

Present—Hon. E. D. Kinn, Circuit Judge.

In this cause it appearing that the defendant, Amey Charlier, is a resident of the city of Elkhart and State of Indiana, therefore on motion of Edward Charlier, petitioner, for appointment of a commissioner to take the deposition of the defendant, it is ordered that the defendant enter her appearance in said cause on or before four months from the date of this order or that a certified copy of this order of publication be personally served upon the said defendant within four months from the date of this order to be published in the Chelsea Standard, a newspaper printed and circulated in the county of Washtenaw, and that said publication be continued once in each week for six weeks in succession.

CAVANAGH & BURKE, E. D. KINNE, Circuit Judge. Solicitors for Complainant. Business address: Ann Arbor, Michigan.