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Fell From a Ladder.

Matt. Alber met with an accident Monday forenoon that will confine him to his home for a number of days. He was at work building a shed that will be used for onion storage on the farm of Elmer Smith in Lima. The building is 24x60, the center is 12-feet high and the side 8-feet.

At the time of the accident, which occurred about 11:30 o'clock, Mr. Alber was at work on the top of a 12-foot ladder and was engaged in removing a 2x6 that supported the rafters and when the piece of timber broke he was thrown from the ladder and landed on his head. His neck was strained, his left shoulder, arm and hand was badly bruised but no bones were broken. Several of the rafters fell from the building and landed near the fallen man.

Mr. Alber was in an unconscious condition for some time and when he recovered went into a small building near the new structure. About 2 o'clock Fred Riemenschneider went to the scene of the accident where he discovered the injured man suffering considerable pain. Mr. Riemenschneider returned to his home where he secured his automobile and brought Mr. Alber to his residence in this place.

Hummel-Schlatter Marriage.

The marriage of Miss Hazel, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. Hummel, and Mr. Harry Schlatter, of Niagara Falls, took place last Thursday evening at St. Mary's rectory, Rev. Father Considine performing the ceremony. The couple were attended by Miss Zeta Foster, of Grass Lake, a cousin of the bride, and her brother, Mr. Walter Hummel. A wedding supper was served to a number of the near relatives at the home of the brides' parents.

The couple and their attendants were driven in an auto to Ann Arbor where they took a Michigan Central train for Detroit. The bride is a graduate of the Chelsea high school and for the last two years has been the teacher of the sixth grade of our public schools. The groom was formerly employed as a chemist by the Michigan Portland Cement Co. and was a graduate in the engineering department of the U. of M. in 1905. The couple will make their home at Niagara Falls.

A Successful Picnic.

Wednesday while warm, proved to be an ideal day and the picnic which was held on the McKune house lawn, for the benefit of St. Mary's school was unusually well attended. The ladies of the Church of Our Lady of the Sacred Heart served one of their liberal dinners, and it is estimated that more meals were served than at the similar gatherings held in previous years. The numerous booths on the grounds were liberally patronized. It was both a social and financial success.

After the dinner hour a number of excellent addresses were delivered and all of the speakers as announced, were present except Congressman Beakes, who was detained in Washington. A program of numerous sports was carried out.

The Chelsea band furnished the music and not a single accident happened to mar the pleasures of the day.

Given a Pleasant Surprise.

The directors of the Hoover Steel Ball Company, of Ann Arbor, surprised Cone W. Lighthall one evening last week by presenting him with \$500 in gold. They did this in appreciation of his services in assisting them in moving their plant from Chelsea to Ann Arbor.

Mr. Lighthall was injured recently while moving a piece of machinery at the Ann Arbor plant, but has recovered so that he is able to resume his usual work. Besides assisting the ball company in the removal of their plant, Mr. Lighthall has remained in the employ of the Detroit Trust Co., receivers of the Flanders Mfg. Co., having charge of the automatic sprinkler system in the buildings and the steam plant.

Drowning Accident.

The remains of Mrs. C. W. Clement, of Kalamazoo, was brought here Tuesday afternoon and the interment took place at Oak Grove cemetery, Rev. A. A. Schoen officiating. The deceased was an only sister of Mrs. A. C. Guerin, of Detroit. Mrs. Clement was 24 years of age, and had been married about four years. She was drowned in Gull Lake, while in bathing with her husband and two other friends last Saturday afternoon, and her body was recovered Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Guerin are well known here, and formerly resided at Four Mile Lake, and the deceased was a frequent visitor at their home.

ANNUAL REUNION

Four of the Companies of the 20th Michigan Infantry were from Washtenaw County—Co. K, from Chelsea.

The annual reunion of the 20th Michigan Volunteer Infantry will be held in Jackson, on Tuesday, September 9, 1913. The regiment left Jackson 51 years ago and four of the companies were recruited in Washtenaw county. Company K was from Chelsea.

The 20th Michigan Volunteer Infantry was recruited from the 2d Congressional district under the call of President Lincoln, dated July 1, 1862, for three hundred thousand more men. The 2d district at that time was then composed of Calhoun, Ingham, Eaton, Jackson and Washtenaw counties.

The companies were recruited as follows:
A, Lansing; B, Ypsilanti; C, Battle Creek; D, Ann Arbor; E, Parma; F, Grass Lake; G, Eaton Rapids; H, Ann Arbor; I, Marshall; K, Chelsea. Total enrollment 1,183.

The record of the regiment is as follows:

Killed in action..... 72
Died of disease..... 42
Died in Confederate prisons..... 21
Died of disease..... 80
Discharged for disability and wounds..... 160
Died since close of war..... 508

Total..... 883
There is now nearly 300 members of the regiment left and they have held a reunion every year since being mustered out of the service.

Primary Money Apportioned.

The county clerk and treasurer have received from the superintendent of public instruction, L. L. Wright, the apportionment and distribution according to townships of Washtenaw county, including the basis of apportionment to the number of persons benefited by it. It is as follows:

Children.	Amount.
Ann Arbor.....	155 \$ 1,148 55
Ann Arbor city.....	3,619 26,816 79
Augusta.....	436 2,519 40
Bridgewater.....	279 2,067 39
Dexter.....	182 1,348 62
Freedom.....	297 2,200 77
Lima.....	209 1,548 69
Lodi.....	235 1,741 35
Lyndon.....	130 963 30
Manchester.....	481 3,564 21
Northfield.....	245 1,815 45
Pittsfield.....	218 1,615 38
Salem.....	483 3,579 03
Scioto.....	410 3,038 10
Sharon.....	228 1,689 48
Superior.....	298 2,208 18
Sylvan.....	674 4,994 34
Webster.....	152 1,126 32
York.....	695 5,149 95
Ypsilanti.....	209 1,548 69
Ypsilanti city.....	1,602 11,870 82
Total.....	11,424 \$84,651 84

Mapes Family Reunion.

The annual reunion of the Mapes family was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sharp of Unadilla last Saturday. There were about 50 members of the family were present and a picnic dinner was served.

A fine program was carried out the most interesting feature of which was complete history of the family from 1045 down to the present time. At the business meeting the following officers for the coming year were elected:

President—Roy Mapes, of Jackson.
Vice President—F. C. Mapes, of Chelsea.

Secretary and treasurer—S. A. Mapes of Chelsea.

The annual reunion for next year will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Jackson of Stockbridge.

Harry A. Stanbridge.

Harry A. Stanbridge was born in Jackson September 25, 1880, and died at his home in Lyndon, Friday morning, August 8, 1913.

Mr. Stanbridge purchased and moved to what is known as the Geo. Lehman farm about a year and a half ago. He was formerly in the United States army and did service both in the Philippines and Cuba. He is survived by his wife, one daughter, two sons, his mother, and a brother who resides in Lyndon.

The remains were taken to the home of his mother in Jackson Saturday where the funeral was held Monday.

Announcements.

The L. O. T. M. M. will hold their June, July and August birthday party at the home of Mrs. Julia Sweetland, on Friday afternoon, August 22. A scrub lunch will be served. Bring plate, cup, spoon and fork. Each lady may bring as many as she wishes to furnish lunch for.

The W. R. C. will hold a thimble party at the home of Mrs. Abner VanTyne Friday afternoon of this week. Scrub lunch. Bring plate, cup, fork, spoon also ten cents. Everybody invited.

New Weights and Measures Law.

The last legislature passed a new weights and measures law, placing its operation in charge of the state dairy and food department. This law takes effect August 15. Under the law the state dairy and food commissioner becomes superintendent of weights and measures for the state and his deputies become inspectors of weights and measures. He is also given authority by the law to prescribe rules and regulations for weights and measures in the state.

"One of the greatest abuses in the state is the so-called bottomless peck measure," says Commissioner Helme. "This measure is about the size of a stove pipe in diameter and the ostensible object of this small diameter is so that it can be slipped into a paper bag and the commodities measured will be in the bag on the withdrawal of the measure. This measure contains the same number of cubic inches that the ordinary flat peck measure contains, but owing to its peculiar shape, in the measuring of commodities like apples or potatoes, it is impossible to get a peck of those commodities in this measure. A bushel of potatoes under the Michigan law weighs 60 pounds and a peck of potatoes should therefore weigh 15 pounds, but in the bottomless peck measure only 12 pounds of average size potatoes can be placed. The use of this measure gives the dealer five pecks to every bushel. The use of this measure has been condemned by other states and on and after August 15 its use in Michigan will become illegal under the regulations that will be issued by the state superintendent of weights and measures.

"It has been customary throughout the state for grocers to sell dry beans and like commodities in a tin quart measure. This tin quart measure holds a liquid quart which is about 10 cubic inches less than a dry quart measure holds. As a result a bushel of beans which contains 32 quarts when measured out to the consumer in a tin quart measure will measure 37 quarts and the consumer is therefore deprived of 5 quarts of beans on every bushel he buys. After August 15 all commodities not liquid must be sold by dry measure, a quart of which contains 67.15 cubic inches. Under regulations to be issued by the superintendent of weights and measures in selling dry commodities is prohibited and a failure to observe this law will invite prosecution."

"The Modern Prodigal."

"The Modern Prodigal" is apt to come back rich and pay off the mortgage on the old home. In this case, the home has been auctioned away, and the youth buys it back and saves his white-haired mother from scrubbing the floors at the "home." Yet, though this is sentimental enough, the way its story is built up and acted makes it a very fair two-reel feature offering. Mrs. Maurice plays the old lady and gives a fine picture of a mother's solicitude for her wayward and wandering son. The stern father is as well played by Van Dyke Brooke, while James Morrison, in the role of the son, is also pleasing. The photography is clear and has good quality. This pleasing photo-drama is the feature at the Princes next Tuesday evening.

Band Concert.

The open air concert given by the Chelsea band, under the auspices of the south Main street business men, Tuesday evening was well attended and a success in every way.

The band was located in front of the Princess theatre and a program of excellent musical selections were rendered that held the crowd for over an hour. Louis Burg rendered a vocal solo that called forth a hearty encore, and in fact every number by the band was greeted by applause at its close. Another concert is promised for Tuesday evening of next week.

China Shower.

A very pleasant social function took place at the home of Mrs. T. S. Hughes, of west Middle street, on Wednesday evening of this week. The occasion was a china shower given by Mesdames T. S. Hughes and Wm. Miller in honor of Miss Vera Graham, whose engagement to Mr. Guy E. Sprague, of Jackson, has been announced.

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DETROIT JURIST IN STRIKE DISTRICT TO REPRESENT GOVERNOR.

YOUNG MAN GIVES HIS LIFE TO RESCUE FRIENDS.

Holds Couple Above Water Until Reached by Rescuers and is Forgotten and Drowned As Others Are Revived.

Judge Alfred J. Murphy, of Detroit, has been selected by Governor Ferris to represent him in the Copper Country instead of appointing a strike commission of three men, in an effort at mediation between the strikers and operators.

In speaking of his selection, of Judge Murphy, Gov. Ferris said: "I believe I am sending to Calumet in my place one of Michigan's most trustworthy men. I believe as much will be accomplished by him as could be by a commission of several members."

Judge Murphy had agreed to accept the mission before the appointment was formally made.

"It isn't becoming for me to say anything in regard to the matter at this time," said Judge Murphy last night. "I would rather the governor would say whatever he sees fit."

"I had planned to go on my vacation in a few days, but the governor put this matter up to me in such a way that I could not very well refuse. Besides, I regard it as a public duty that I ought not attempt to dodge, as long as the governor has seen fit to ask me to do this."

Judge Murphy arrived in the strike district Monday.

Boy Dies to Save Friends.

Hal Souter, aged 19, of Shelby, Mich., a sophomore at Albion college, gave up his life in Little Traverse bay in rescuing Miss Teresa Miller, of Detroit, and Arthur Cook, aged 23, of Gobleville, Mich. Miss Miller went far beyond her depth in the surf and Cook went to her rescue answering her cries for help. Unable to struggle successfully against the high waves, Cook went under and Souter, who had been some distance away, swam to the scene. He held them both above the water until William Bailey, of Big Rapids, engineer in the Harbor Point club house, swam out and took them from his hands.

Souter was thought safe and all efforts were concentrated to resuscitate Miss Miller and Cook. They were revived after an hour of hard work by Harbor Springs physicians and it was when Souter's body was found near the shore. He evidently had been taken with a cramp and drowned while attention was being paid to those whose lives he had saved.

Painting Is Held Up.

Glyn Philpot's painting, "The Marble Worker," awarded a gold medal and the first prize of \$1,500 at the international exhibition in Pittsburg, has not arrived in Muskegon, although it has been purchased for the permanent collection of the Hackley art galleries. Chances are the canvas will not be shown here until definite action is taken on the new tariff bill. Under the present tariff law, the full duty on the picture must be paid, as it was sold in this country, despite the fact that it intended for exhibition purposes. In order to bring the picture to Muskegon it must be sent to Canada and re-imported and the full duty paid.

Bryan Will Come to Michigan.

Secretary of State Wm. J. Bryan is coming to Detroit, September 29, to attend the national meeting of the American Road congress, which will be in session from September 29 to October 4.

Secretary Bryan will represent President Wilson, who will be unable to come, and will be accompanied by Secretary of Agriculture Houston. Word that Secretaries Bryan and Houston are coming has been received by Milton Carmichael, secretary of the Detroit convention and tourists' bureau.

Secretary Carmichael says that from 5,000 to 7,000 visitors are expected for the convention.

Announce Thumb Fair Dates.

Following are the Thumb fair dates for 1913: Huron County fair, Bad Axe, September 2 to 5; Cass City August 19 to 22; Caro fair, Caro, August 25 to 29; North Branch fair, North Branch, September 24 to 26; Elkton fair, Elkton, August 26 to 29; Imlay City fair, Imlay City, September 30 to October 2 and 3; Sanilac County Agricultural society, Sandusky, Sept. 9 to 12; Vassar fair, September 2 to 5.

Freeland has bonded for \$10,000 for a new high school building.

Governor Ferris has named delegates to the third American road congress which will meet in Detroit from September 29 to October 4, and included in the list are Amos S. Musselman of Grand Rapids, who headed the Republican ticket last fall, Major Arthur P. Loomis of Ionia, Musselman's campaign manager, and L. Whitney Wilkins of Jackson, who was the Bull Moose candidate.

MICHIGAN NEWS IN BRIEF

The old Saginaw mine, which was put down 16 years ago, has been abandoned.

Workers on the state prison clay pit farm at Jackson, have uncovered a 15-foot layer of fine quality fire-clay.

The Mennonite Brethren in Christ are to hold their annual state camp meeting under tents at Elkton, Aug. 20-27.

Trisio Charbeneau, of Anchorville, was killed by lightning when he went upstairs to put down a window during a heavy storm.

Tentative plans have been made for the Michigan state Sunday school convention which will be held in Benton Harbor November 12-14.

Mrs. Frank Strodoner, of Gowley, Menominee county, mother of seven children, was struck by lightning and killed instantly, while standing near a stove.

Miss Hannah Whitmore, 61 years old, living with her brother on a farm near Bridgeport, went upstairs to close a window. Lightning struck and killed her instantly.

A. W. Miller, of Detroit, was elected president of the state branch of the National Association of Stationary Engineers at Grand Rapids. The next convention will be held at Muskegon.

Dr. Roy O. Knapp resigned as assistant physician at the Ionia State hospital and will locate for practice at Ann Arbor. Dr. P. C. Robertson, interne, is advanced to assistant physician.

Russell Young will represent St. Clair county in the delegation of youths to be guests at the Michigan state fair in Detroit. He received the highest mark in a competitive examination.

William Gephart, a farmer of Breckenridge, was struck by lightning and instantly killed while standing beside a barn near Pine river, where the Gephart family had been holding a picnic.

The Whitney hotel in Ann Arbor was sold by the Ann Arbor Hotel company to E. F. Hildebrandt. The price was not made public, but it is understood to have been more than \$8,000.

Bernard Nyland, 19, of Menominee, broke his neck while diving in water two feet deep, off Lakeside, a summer resort. He died an hour later. The accident was witnessed by 2,000 merry-makers.

Port Huron will start a practice house for working girls which will be connected with the domestic science course of the high school. The King's Daughters will give \$500 to promote the plan.

The Michigan Alkali Co., of which J. B. Ford, of Detroit, is president, paid \$18,000 to Richard Collins, of Alpena, for 80 acres of limestone land adjoining the present holdings of the company.

Soldiers and sailors from six states, though principally from Michigan, Ohio and Indiana, attended the twenty-sixth annual encampment of the Tri-State Soldiers' and Sailors' association, near Montgomery.

The commission which is rewriting the city charter for Saginaw elected William Baum chairman. Melville D. Brooks, the first chairman, died a few days ago, and J. J. McKevitt, the vice-chairman, died five months ago.

The removal of a "pussy willow" blossom from her ear restored the hearing of Martha Skellenger, 11-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William R. Skellenger, of Battle Creek. She had been partially deaf for six years.

The Michigan Association of Commercial Secretaries approved a plan to show to foreign students at the University of Michigan various state industries in an effort to build up a larger foreign trade, particularly with South America.

Attorney General Fellows announced that an appeal would be taken from the decision of Judge Murphy of Detroit, who held that the fire marshal law conflicted with the Detroit building ordinance and therefore prevents the fire marshal from closing second floor theaters. The case will be heard in the supreme court at the fall term of court.

The securities commission whose duty it is to administer the "blue sky" law, has appointed William R. Towne of Detroit, as chief examiner for the commission. Towne has been connected with the auditor-general's department for a number of years and has had charge of the installation of the accounting systems in the various state institutions.

The Grand Rapids & Indiana summer resort special No. 19, from Cincinnati to Mackinaw City, had a narrow escape from being wrecked just south of Tustin, 15 miles from Cadillac. Engineer J. A. Witkop saw a 700-pound rail and a half dozen cedar ties on the track as he rounded a sharp curve, and brought the engine to a standstill as it bumped into the pile.

Fred W. Sherman, formerly publisher of the Port Huron Times, has sold his interest in the Santa Barbara, Cal., Independent, which he acquired three years ago.

The western Michigan showing of apples at the fourth apple show in connection with the annual convention of the International Apple Shippers' association at Cleveland, won the silver medal for the north central states, including New York and New England. Western Michigan appeared to be of a better quality than those from other states.

Judge Cross in his decision in the Ottawa county good roads injunction asked by the county road commissioners, and dismisses the temporary injunction, which compelled the supervisors to rescind the vote by which they had decided to resubmit the good roads question.

SULZER REPLIES TO HIS ENEMIES

NEW YORK GOVERNOR IN STATEMENT DENIES GAMBLING IN WALL STREET.

SAYS HE DOESN'T KNOW BROKERS MENTIONED.

Admits Using Campaign Funds for Personal Use But Claims to Have Made Good All Such Transactions.

After a long conference with some of his close political advisors Governor Sulzer of New York, issued a short statement denying absolutely that he ever used campaign funds for speculative purposes.

He says he never heard of the stock brokerage firms of Fuller & Gray and Boyer & Griswold, alleged transactions with which figured largely in the testimony before the Frawley legislative committee, until these names were brought out before the committee.

The governor admits he did apply certain campaign contributions to his personal use, but adds that he made the amount good. He also admits having had transactions with the stock firm of Harris & Fuller, but insists that his account with this firm was not speculative and consisted of a loan on stock and collateral. He denies that he ever speculated in Wall street.

Telephone Deal Held Up.

All plans for a division of territory in Michigan between the Michigan State Telephone Co., or Bell interests, and the independents have been temporarily held up by a suit brought by United States Attorney General McReynolds against the American Telephone & Telegraph Co. It was announced at Grand Rapids by leading independents of the state, including Manager Thos. Bromley, Jr., of the United Home Co., of Ludington and Muskegon.

The independents and Bell interests have been planning for some time on a division of territory, the Bell to absorb the independents in those districts where it was stronger, and the independents to acquire the Bell properties at Grand Rapids, Muskegon, Ludington, and other points where they largely control. In this way, it is declared, service to the public could be improved, and competition would be eliminated.

Two Battle Creek Buildings Fall.

Without warning the rear of the Zelinsky building, a three-story brick structure facing Main street and extending to State, in Battle Creek, fell in, carrying the adjoining Schoder block with it.

How a fatal accident was avoided is little short of a miracle. Workmen were extending a cellar under the block owned by ex-Mayor Zelinsky and are believed to have gone too deep under a party wall separating the building from the Schoder block. This wall gave way and the whole State street frontage of the two buildings followed. The workmen in the cellar ran toward Main street when they heard the wall crack, and thus escaped death.

Women Gamble in Philadelphia.

Three hundred women gamblers, working in mills and spending their money in baseball pools, have been counted by Detective Charles Lee, head of the vice squad in Philadelphia. Harry Reed, of 4470 Germantown avenue, has been held in jail by Magistrate Coward, having been charged with operating a pool. Lee says 1,800 persons gambled on ball games in Reed's place each week, most of whom were women. The chances cost 25 cents each.

Dr. Sen May Come to U. S.

Dr. Sun Yat Sen, former provisional president of the Chinese republic, arrived in Moji, Japan, from Formosa. He was traveling incognito. In reply to an inquiry he declared that he had not yet decided whether he would remain in Japan or go to America. Following the failure of his revolt against the Yuan administration, a price was put upon Sun's head by Yuan.

Harry Rook, living two miles north of Marshall, lost 14 valuable sheep when dogs attacked the flock. Five others were so badly injured they had to be killed.

Between 40 and 50 boys of Sanilac county are enjoying an outing at Camp Sanilac under the supervision of C. E. McGeath, county secretary of the Y. M. C. A. The Sanilac county Y. M. C. A. is less than a year old, but in every town of any size a group of boys has been organized.

Twenty drill teams of the uniformed rank of the Modern Maccabees, from Michigan and Ohio, have agreed to come to Battle Creek, August 21, for the national encampment of the order to participate in prize drills.

Judge Cross in his decision in the Ottawa county good roads injunction asked by the county road commissioners, and dismisses the temporary injunction, which compelled the supervisors to rescind the vote by which they had decided to resubmit the good roads question.

Chairman Hemans, of the state railroad commission, announces that the commission has received several complaints from Detroit relative to telephone service in that city, and will at once send inspectors to Detroit to ascertain the source of the trouble.

IN STRIKE DISTRICT



Judge Alfred J. Murphy, of Detroit, is in the upper peninsula as the personal representative of Governor Ferris.

NATIONAL RURAL BANKING

System Proposed by Sen. Fletcher As First Fruit of Investigation of European Methods.

The first fruit of the recent European investigation of rural credits by an American commission was noted in the senate when Senator Fletcher, of Florida, introduced a comprehensive bill to provide for the establishment, operation, management and control of a National Rural Banking system.

Senator Fletcher, who was chairman of the commission that made the European investigation, addressed the senate in explanation of the bill, which it is believed may have a material bearing on the pending currency legislation.

The Fletcher bill formulates a plan for a complete system of rural banks to be organized under a federal charter especially designed to meet the financial requirements of the farmer. The bill divorces farm credits from commercial and industrial credits. It recognizes the need, first, of a credit arrangement whereby the farmer can acquire lands and a home and sufficient capital for the permanent improvement of his farm.

Women Whip London Doctor.

Four militants seized Medinal Officer Pearson, of the home office staff, as he was leaving Holloway jail in London and horse-whipped him. The militants had chosen four of the biggest and strongest of their numbers and Dr. Pearson had no chance to escape the severe chastisement. As the quartet approached Dr. Pearson drew a whip from her dress and commenced lashing at the face of the victim. When Dr. Pearson tried to get away he was seized by the arms and thrown to the pavement. Policemen and pedestrians interfered and Pearson was rescued.

Men Burn Foss' Letter.

Six hundred striking workmen of the two Hyde Park manufacturing plants controlled by Gov. Foss burned his letter containing suggestions for a settlement and voted to send him the ashes by special messenger as their reply to a mass meeting.

Gov. Foss in his letter said he would treat with his men as individuals after they had returned to work and suggested August 11 as the date for return.

His attitude was bitterly attacked by speakers at the meeting and the strikers voted not to return until a satisfactory adjustment of their grievances had been reached.

For ten weeks the men have been out to enforce a demand for a 20 per cent increase in pay.

Village Free Delivery a Success.

Satisfactory reports having been received from the villages in which free mail delivery service was provided as an experiment, the postoffice department is planning to extend that branch of its work materially. Last year congress appropriated \$100,000 to test the practicability of giving to towns, too small to be eligible for city delivery service, the service of one or two carriers and one or two deliveries a day. Several small towns in each state were selected, the five in Michigan being Durand, Fremont, Morenci, Reed City and Plainwell. From all parts of the country favorable reports have been received.

The first passenger train over the Detroit & Huron railroad, from Cass City to Bad Axe, will be run August 21, so that Bad Axe people may attend the Cass City fair.

Gov. Ferris has appointed N. H. Stewart, of Kalamazoo, as judge of the ninth judicial circuit in place of Judge Frank L. Knappen, deceased. Attorney Stewart was endorsed by the Kalamazoo county bar association.

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MEXICAN SITUATION MUCH BETTER

PRESIDENT BELIEVES THAT AN EFFORT TO BRING ON WAR IS BEING MADE.

OUTLINE PLANS FOR MR. LIND IN MEXICO CITY.

No Cause for Alarm As Representative Will Merely Report Conditions As He Finds Them and Make Suggestions.

President Wilson let it be known that he was inclined to believe there was an organized desire—proceeding from sources unknown to him—to bring on a war between the United States and Mexico.

The president does not regard the movement as extensive, but as very troublesome, and referred to misrepresentations in some individual newspapers. He indicated that he shared somewhat the views of Senator Williams, who declared in a speech last Saturday that an organized lobby existed to involve the United States in war.

There is no occasion for alarm, in the opinion of the president, who told callers that the Mexican situation had improved materially. It was made clear by the president to those with whom he discussed the situation that the instructions to John Lind, his personal representative, were chiefly to inform the American government how things stood generally in Mexico, and just what were the opportunities for the good offices of the United States in the interests of peace.

Sooner or later, it was pointed out, Mr. Lind will make certain suggestions to the Huerta government through the American embassy, but in just what circumstances has not yet been fully determined upon. Anything in the suggestions that may properly be made public will be revealed, according to administration officials here, and foreign governments will be constantly apprised of the various steps to be taken by the United States.

Citizens Tear Up Road.

Seventy-five armed men, officials and citizens of Rosedale, a suburb of Kansas City, Kan., put the finishing touches to the regraded street where the Kansas City & Olathe interurban tracks were torn up and the roadbed reduced to grade by the Rosedale mayor, J. R. Wimmer, and a band of determined men.

"We have been oppressed by this railroad long enough," Mayor Wimmer said: "If they want give us justice we shall take it."

More than a score of the Rosedale patriots under command of John Brawley, town marshal, remained on guard at the railway crossing all night.

Rebel General Is Taken.

Gen. Torres Castro, a relative of former President Cipriano Castro, was captured by the government troops, commanded by Gens. Corcoran, Cayago and Bustamante, according to an official communication from Venezuela. A number of Gen. Torres Castro's officers, who had fled to the mountains of Macuro after the defeat of Castro's adherents on July 23, when they attacked the government forces in the city of Macuro, also were taken in prisoners.

Chinese Rebels Fire on U. S. Boat.

An American steamboat has been fired on by Chinese rebels. Admiral Nicholson, commanding the United States fleet in Chinese waters, reported the matter to the navy department from Nankin. He gave no details.

The admiral further reported that the Chinese government troops are victorious in their battles, but that troops who have deserted the rebel army are threatening disorder at Nankin.

Panama Workers Are Killed.

Thirteen men were killed by an unexpected slide at the Portobello quarry which completely buried a steam shovel in the neighborhood in which they were working. The dead comprise Charles Nyland an American citizen, and 12 colored powdermen, drillmen and pimen.

Dr. Belisario Porras, the president of Panama, sent his condolences to Nyland's widow.

For eight hours one night recently the University of Michigan wireless station was in constant communication with the station at the University of North Dakota, in Grand Forks, more than 1,000 miles away. The two stations were testing high power distance transmission overland, and it was one of the most successful ever tried.

County Commissioner of Schools C. Lloyd Goodrich, of Allegan, has worked out an innovation in the way of teachers' institutes. Instead of closing schools to bring the teachers to the county seat he has arranged to take the institute to the schools.

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THE MARKETS.

Live Stock—Grain and General Farm Products.

Detroit—Cattle: Receipts, 57a, market opened dull and lower, but closed strong on all grades. Best dry-fed steers, \$8.50; steers and heifers 1,000 to 1,200 lbs., \$7@7.50; steers and heifers 800 to 1,000 lbs., \$6.50@7.25; grass steers and heifers that are fat, 800 to 1,000 lbs., \$6.50@7.25; grass steers and heifers that are fat, 500 to 700 lbs., \$5.50@6.25; choice heavy bulls, \$6; fair to good bologna bulls, \$5.50@5.75; stock bulls, \$4@5; choice feeding steers, 800 to 1,000 lbs., \$6.25@6.50; choice stockers, 500 to 700 lbs., \$6@6.25; fair stockers, 500 to 700 lbs., \$5.50@6; milkers, large, young, medium age, \$6@7.50; common milkers, \$3.50@5.00.

Veal Calves—Receipts, 149; market steady; best, \$10.50@11; others, \$5 @8.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 1,097; market 25c higher; best lambs, \$6.75 @7; fair lambs, \$6@6.25; light to common lambs, \$5@5.50; yearlings, \$5.50@6; culs and common \$2.50@3.

Hogs—Receipts, 487; packers were bidding \$9.10; very few sold. Range of prices: Light to good butcher, \$9.10; pigs, \$9.15; light yorkers, \$9.10; stags one-third off.

EAST BUFFALO: Cattle—Receipt, 155 cars; all grades weighing 1,200 lbs or over sold 15lb25c lower; handy weight butcher grades sold 10 @15c higher; best 1,350 to 1,450-lb steers, \$8.50@8.75; best 1,200 to 1,300-lb steers, \$8@8.50; best 1,100 to 1,200-lb steers, \$7.75@8; coarse and plain heavy steers, \$7.50@8; fair to good 1,000 to 1,100-lb steers, \$7.25@7.50; grassy 500 to 1,000-lb steers, \$6.50@7; best cows, \$6.25@6.50; butchers, \$5@5.50; cutters, \$4.25@4.50; trimmers, \$3.50@3.75; best heifers, \$7.25@7.50; medium butcher heifers, \$6.25@6.75; stock heifers, \$5.40@5.75; best feeding steers, \$6.75 @7; fair to good steers, \$6.25@6.50; common light stockers, \$5.25@5.50; best butcher bulls, \$6@7; best bologna bulls, \$5.25@5.75; stock bulls, \$5 @5.50; best milkers and springers, \$7 @8; common to good, \$4@5.00.

Hogs—Receipts, 60 cars; market 10c higher; heavy, \$9.20@9.40; rough, \$9.65@9.70; yorkers, \$9.80@9.90; pigs, \$9.80@9.95; roughs, \$9.80@9.90.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 30 cars; market active; top lambs, \$7.75@8; culs to fair, \$6@7.50; yearlings, \$5.50 @6.50; wethers, \$5@5.30; ewes, \$3.90 @4.50.

Calves, \$5@11.

Grains, Etc.

Wheat—Cash No. 2 red, 88c; September opened at 89c, advanced to 89 1/2c and closed at 89c; December opened at 93c, lost 1/4c, advanced to 93 1/4c and closed at 93c; May opened at 97 3/4c, advanced to 98 1/2c and declined to 97 3/4c; No. 1 white, 87c.

Corn—Cash No. 3, 71c; No. 2 yellow, 73 1/2c; No. 3 yellow, 1 car at 73c.

Oats—Standard, 1 car at 44c; new, 42 1/4c asked; No. 3 white, 1 car at 43c; new No. 3 white, 2 cars at 41 3/4c No. 4 white, 1 car at 41 3/4c; new, 1 car at 40 3/4c; sample, 1 car at 40c.

Rye—Cash No. 2, 62 1/2c.

Beans—Immediate and prompt shipment, \$1.80; October, \$1.85.

Cloverseed—Prime October, 100 bags at \$8.50; December, \$8.50; October alsike, \$11; sample alsike, 8 bags at \$10.50, 7 at \$9.75, 6 at \$9.25.

Timothy—Prime spot, 60 bags at \$2.50.

Alfalfa—Prime spot, 1 bags at \$8.50. Barley—Good samples, \$1.10@1.25 per cwt.

Flour—In one-eighth paper sacks, per 196 pounds, jobbing lots: Best patent, \$5.50; second patent, \$5.20; straight, \$5; spring patent, \$5.10; rye, \$4.60 per bbl.

Feed—In 100-lb sacks, jobbing lots: Bran, \$23; coarse middlings, \$22; fine middlings, \$26; cracked corn, \$26; coarse corn-meal, \$26; corn and oat chop, \$24 per ton.

General Markets.

Apples—Michigan, \$1.25 per bu; No. 1, \$3.50@4 per bbl; No. 2, \$2@2.50 per bbl.

Raspberries—Red, \$4@4.25 per 24-qt case; black, \$2@2.25 per 16-qt case and \$3.25 per 24-qt case.

Peaches—Arkansas, 90c@91 per 4-basket flat; Elberta, \$2.50@2.75 per bu. \$2.25@2.50 per 4-basket crate.

Green Corn—20c per doz.

Cabbage—\$2.50@2.75 per bbl.

Potatoes—\$2.65@2.75 per sack of 1-2 bushels.

Dressed Calves—Choice 10@11c; fancy, 13 1/2@14 per lb.

Onions—New southern, \$1.25@1.40 per bu; Spanish, \$1.75 per crate.

Honey—Choice to fancy new white comb, 14@15c; amber, 10@11c; extracted, 7@8c per lb.

Tomatoes—Texas, \$1.25 per 4-basket flat; home-grown, \$3@3.50 per bu; Canadian, \$1.25@1.40 per 16-lb basket.

Live Poultry—Broilers, 17c; spring chickens, 15@15 1/2c; hens, 15@15 1/2c; No. 2 hens, 11@12c; old roosters, 10@11c; turkeys, 17@18c; geese, 10@11c; ducks, 14@15c per lb.

Hay—Carlots track Detroit: No. 1 timothy \$16@16.50; standard, \$15@15.50; No. 2 timothy, \$12.50@13.50; light mixed, \$14.50@15; No. 1 mixed, \$12@12.50; rye straw, \$3@9; wheat and oat straw, \$7@7.50 per ton.

WOLVERINE NEWS BREVITIES

Hastings.—The annual conference of the Wesleyan Methodist Michigan will open here when the annual campmeeting will begin, to last until August 24. Among those who will conduct services are: Rev. E. W. Day of Grand Rapids, Rev. S. A. Marshall of Battle Creek, Rev. E. W. Brown of Brighton and Rev. H. D. Cheney of Owosso. The meetings for children will be conducted by Mrs. Alvin B. Der and Rev. J. N. McPherson of Owosso. The music will be in charge of C. J. Cosand of New York. Rev. Tetter of Rochester, N. Y., ministerary secretary of the church, and Mrs. Ethel Ovenshire of Marshall, who has returned on a furlough from missionary work in Sierra Leone, Africa, will speak. Rev. Ovenshire, often present at the meetings here, died a year ago in Africa. The Wesleyans hold their meetings in a beautiful 20-acre grove which was given to the conference by Mr. and Mrs. Eben Pennock, pioneer residents of Hastings township, who recently announced a gift to the city of Hastings for a hospital fund.

Muskegon.—The decision of the Muskegon classes of the Christian Reformed church to take over the support of the Zion Indian mission field in New Mexico means that practically every family of the denomination throughout western Michigan must subscribe \$2 each year in addition to their church dues. Many families strenuously objected, pointing out that at present they average \$50 each year in

Social Forms and Entertainments



Emigrant Party.

This was a most amusing entertainment given at a seaside place at the clubhouse built out over the water.

The invitations read: "All Aboard the 'Manor' Dook. Come in 'Emigrant' Costume; August Eighth at Eight O'clock."

"Refreshments fifty cents." The cards were limited to a coterie of well acquainted and as the party of the evening was near, everyone entered most heartily into the game.

The couple who attracted a great deal of attention was a man and a woman who appeared as Dutch peasants, including wooden shoes, "Paddy" from "Cork" and "Sweet Kitty," a colleen, were hailed with delight.

They were awarded to a family of Jewish, who were most realistic, carrying great rolls and bags, with bird cage and a baby which was a large doll.

The grand march was formed and all led by the inspector, who gave a clean bill of health. Refreshments consisted of sandwiches, iced coffee, doughnuts and pie served just as such things are found in a country station; counter and benches had been arranged with tall dishes of fruit; plates of sandwiches, alternating with "fried" pies and pie; hot tea or coffee, also the cream could be ordered.

Card tables were provided for those who wished to play, and there was a very dance. The possibilities of this game are great and such an affair could be utilized by a church society or club as a means of making money.

Flags of all nations would make an appropriate decoration.

"Cobbler" Game for Wee Tots. Here is something the little kiddies will enjoy: Tell one of the children to sit on the floor, while the other join hands and dance around him. The cobbler says:

"Now is the time to try on the shoes," and at once, but without leaving his seat, reaches for the feet of those in the ring while the players, who must not let go of hands, endeavor to place out of his reach. If one is caught he, or she, becomes the cobbler.

Novel Shower Scheme. This is a pretty way to present the bride to a shower if the articles are small like hosiery or handkerchiefs. Make a Jack Horner pie in the colors the hostess wishes to have and when dessert time comes (if the occasion is a luncheon) ask each guest to pull her ribbon and as the package forthcoming, each one has some sense to find like "This piece of pie is too large, please hand it to Miss (the honored guest). And the

next one says: "My piece is very much too small, just pass it to Miss B—." This makes loads of fun and opening the parcels adds zest to the occasion. It is well to have an appropriate sentiment written on the donor's card to be read aloud. Handkerchiefs and stockings may be rolled and concealed in tissue paper with fringed ends and so look like the snapping motto favors so popular at all social functions; the ribbons tied around each one and all put within the pie.

Unique Wedding Anniversary.

At the celebration of the fortieth wedding day interesting decorations on the dining room table either side of the wedding cake were small dolls, dressed in costumes which were exact reproductions of the bridal apparel worn by the bride and groom on their wedding day. Every one was so delighted in comparing fashions, and a daughter of the couple wore her mother's wedding gown, as the bride of 40 years could not get into it.

The place cards bore pictures of the honored guests taken at the time of the original wedding and ones of today, under which was written "Forty Years After." A picture of the first home and the present one were also on the card. It is needless to say the guests were much pleased to have these valuable souvenirs. The boxes containing wedding cake bore the date of the wedding and the present date.

Practical and Seasonable.

So many requests have come to me for simple but well balanced menus for stag affairs. I think these two very good; precede the second one with watermelon and cantaloupe balls in glasses, slightly sugared, and a few drops of sherry poured over them an hour before serving. Keep on ice.

- Consomme and Bread Sticks. Salmon Croquettes. Sauce Tartar. French Fried Potatoes. Roast Beef, Brown Gravy. Stewed Tomatoes. Potatoes. Grape Jam. Chipped Peas. Parker House Rolls. Fruit Ice. Tomato Salad. Cheese Balls. Sandwiches. Peach Mousse. Cake. Coffee. Bonbons. Beefsteak. Creamed New Potatoes. Tiny Radishes. Spiced Pig. Apricot Marmalade. Tiny Baking Powder Biscuits. Tomato Salad. Wafers. Peaches and Cream. Tiny Sponge Cake. Coffee.

"Letter" Game.

This is a very old game, but I have no doubt that it will be new to many, and I am sure those of us who knew it in our youth will be glad to renew the acquaintance. Any number of players may participate.

The one who proposes the game explains that the letter chosen must begin the answer to the question; for instance, suppose the letter "A" is agreed upon and the leader says "mention the name of an American city beginning with 'A.'" (Atlanta); a foreign city, (Amiens); an American river, (Alabama); a mineral, (amethyst); a vegetable (artichoke); an animal, (ape); an article to be worn, (arctics), etc. Questions innumerable may be suggested.

Link Buttons in Style.

Link cuff buttons seem to be gaining in fashion. They are even used in the cuffs of coats. Very attractive link buttons, made of dull silver in handwrought design, are sold for \$8 a pair. More attractive links, with silver settings about Russian blue lapis lazuli, sell for \$15.

GOING SOME



A ROMANCE OF STRENUOUS AFFECTION BY REX BEACH

SUGGESTED BY THE PLAY BY REX BEACH AND PAUL ARMSTRONG

Illustrated by Edgar Bert Smith

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Cowboys of the Flying Heart ranch are heartbroken over the loss of their much-prized photograph of the defeat of their champion in a foot-race with the cook of the Centipede ranch. A horse party is on at the Flying Heart, J. Wallingford Speed, cheer leader at Yale, and Culver Covington, inter-collegiate champion runner, are expected. Helen Blake, Speed's sweetheart, becomes interested in the loss of the photograph. She suggests to Jean Chaplin, sister of the owner of the ranch, that she induce Covington, her lover, to win back the photograph. Helen declares that if Covington won't run, Speed will. The cowboys are hilarious over the prospect. Speed and his valet, Larry Glass, trainer at Yale, arrive. Helen Blake asks Speed, who has posed to her as an athlete, to race against the Centipede man. The cowboys join in the appeal to Wally, and fearing that Helen will find him out, he consents. He insists, however, that he shall be entered as an unknown, figuring that Covington will arrive in time to take his place. Speed begins training under Glass's direction. The ladies fix up training quarters for Speed.

CHAPTER VII.—continued.

"No, indeed," Jean corrected, "he will merely use this room to train in."

"How do you train in a room?" Stover asked her.

"Why, you—just train, I suppose." Miss Chaplin turned to Glass. "How does a person train in a room?"

"Why, he—just trains, that's all. A guy can't train without trainin' quarters, can he?"

"We thought it would make a nice gymnasium," offered Miss Blake. "Looks like business," Stover's admiration was keen. "I rode over to Gallagher's place last night and laid our bets."

"How much have you wagered?" asked Fresno.

"More'n we can afford to lose." "But you aren't going to lose," Miss Blake said, enthusiastically.

"I got Gallagher to play some records for me."

"'Silas on Fifth Avenue'?" "Sure! And 'The Holy City,' too! Willie stayed out by the bar-wire fence; he didn't dash to go in. When I come out I found him ready to cry. That desperado has sure got the heart of a woman. I reckon he'd commit murder for that photograph—he's so full of sentiment."

Fresno spoke sympathetically. "It's a fortunate thing for you fellows that Speed came when he did. I'm anxious for him to beat this cook, and I hate to see him so careless with his training."

"Careless!" cried Helen. "What's he done?" Inquired Stover. "Nothing, so far. That's the trouble. He's sure he can win, but—Fresno shook his head, doubtfully—"there's such a thing as overconfidence. No matter how good a man may be, he should take care of himself."

"What's wrong with his trainin'?" demanded Glass.

"I think he ought to have more rest. It's too noisy around the house; he can't get enough sleep."

"Nor anybody else," agreed Glass, meaningly; "there's too much singin'."

"That's funny," said Stover. "Music soothes me, no matter how bad it is. Last night when we came back from the Centipede Mr. Fresno was singin' 'Dearie,' but I dozed right off in the middle of it. An' it's the same way with cattle. They like it. It's part of a man's duty when he's night-ridin' a herd to pizen the atmosphere with melody."

"We can't afford to spoil Speed's chances," argued the young man. "There is too much at stake. Am I right, Mr. Glass?"

Now, like most fat men, Lawrence

KNOX'S TRIBUTE TO BEAUTY

Stern Old Scotsman Felt Its Charm, but Was Able to Withstand Its Appeal.

Secretary Knox's name suggests old John Knox, the only man who was able to withstand the charms of Mary, Queen of Scots, one of the truly great women of the world. Knox, says Leslie's Weekly, wore a long beard, described as flowing in his waist, and he was noted as a lady's man and for his wonderful eloquence. He possessed the unusual trait of being fond of his mother-in-law. Mary, Queen of Scots, sent for John Knox. She hoped, by her own beauty and the beautiful women of her court, to dazzle the man of charm. When the full splendor burst upon Knox and as he took the hand of Queen Mary, he was heard to say: "Oh, how beautiful you are! If only the beauty could last! But fire upon the Knave Death, who would come in and rob the eye of his master, the sheek of his bloom, and make it

food for the worms! Lay up your treasures in heaven, where neither moth nor rust doth corrupt or thieves break through and steal."

Printer's Devil's Prayer. O Lord, I pray thee, make me a good printer. Make me as wise as the proof reader, who carries a dictionary in each of his vest pockets, and as honest as Bill, the pressman, who borrowed a quad last spring to use as a feed guide and returned it yesterday, as good as new; make me to be as

faithful as Jerry, the stone-man, who comes down to the shop every Sunday and cleans up the pl he has made during the week; as industrious as Old Tom, the comp., who has not missed a day at his frame since he came to work for the firm twenty years ago; and lastly, O Lord, make me as patient as the poor boss, who has put up with my devilry for three mortal years, and paid me good hard cash for the privilege.—Rostoe. E. Haynes, in the National Printer-Journalist.

Speed exploded, when he and Glass were inside the gymnasium. "What made you say 'yes'?"

"I had to." "Rot, Larry! You played into Fresno's hands deliberately! Now I've got to spend my evenings in bed while he sits in the hammock and sings 'Dearie.'" He shook his head gloomily. "Who knows what may happen?"

"It will do you good to get some sleep, Wally."

"But I don't want to sleep!" cried the exasperated suitor. "I want to make love. Do you think I came all the way from New York to sleep? I can do that at Yale."

"Take it from me, Bo, you've got plenty of time to win that dame. Eight hours is a workin' day anywhere," Glass chuckled. "The whole thing is a bit. Look at this joint, for instance." He took in their surroundings with a comprehensive gesture. "It looks about as much like a gymnasium as I look like a contortionist. Why don't you get a Morris chair and a mandolin?"

"There are two reasons," said Speed, facetiously. "First, it takes an athlete to get out of a Morris chair; and, second, a mandolin has proved to be many a young man's ruin."

Glass examined the bow of ribbon upon the lonesome piece of exercising apparatus.

"It looks like the trainin'-stable for the Colonial Dames. What a yelp this place would be to Covington or any other athlete."

"It is not an athletic gymnasium," Speed smiled as he lighted a cigarette. "It is a romantic gymnasium. As Socrates once observed—"

"Socrates! I'm hep to him," Glass interrupted, quickly. "I trained a Greek professor once and got wised up on all that stuff. Socrates was the—The Hemlock Kid."

"Exactly! As Socrates, the Hemlock Kid, deftly put it, 'in hoc signature vintage.'"

"I don't get you."

"That is archaic Scandinavian, and, translated, means, 'Love cannot thrive without her bowen.'"

"No answer to that telegram yet, eh?"

"Hardly time." "Better wire Covington again, hadn't you? Membe he didn't get it?"

"I promised Mrs. Keap that I would, but— Speed lost himself abruptly in speculation, for he did not know ex-

actly how to manage this unexpected complication. Of one thing only was he certain—it would require some thought.

"Say, Wally, suppose Covington don't come?"

"Then I shall sprain my ankle," said the other. "Hello! What in the world—"

Still Bill Stover and Willie came into the room carrying an armful of lumber. Behind them followed Carara with a huge wooden tub, and Clouy rolling a kerosene barrel.

"Where do you want it, gents?" inquired the foreman.

"Where do we want what?"

"The shower-bath."

"Shower—I didn't order a shower-bath!"

"No; but we aim to make it as pleasant for you as we can."

"If there is anything I abhor, it's a shower-bath!" exclaimed the athlete.

"You just got to have one. Mr. Fresno said all this gymnasium lacked was a shower-bath, a pair of scales, and a bulletin board. He said you'd sure need a bath after workin' chest-developer. We ain't got no scales, nor no board, but we'll toggle up some sort of a bath for you. The blacksmith's makin' a squitter to go on the bar'l."

"Very well, put it wherever you wish. I shan't use it."

"I wouldn't overlook nothin', if I was you," said Willie, in even milder tones that Stover had used.

"You overwhelm me with these little attentions," retorted Mr. Speed.

"Where you goin' to run today?" inquired the first speaker.

"I don't know. Why?"

"We thought you might do a hundred yards agin time."

"Nix!" interposed Glass, hurriedly. "I can't let him overdo at the start. Besides, we ain't got no stop-watch."

"I got a reg'lar watch," said Willie. "And I can catch you pretty close. We'd admire to see you travel some. Mr. Speed."

But Glass vowed that he was in charge of his protegee's health, and would not permit it. Once outside, however, he exclaimed: "That's more of Fresno's work, Wally! I tell you, he's Jerry. He'll rib them pirates to clock you, and if they do—well, you'd better keep runnin', that's all."

"You can do me a favor," said Speed. "There's other watches on the farm."

"Buy them all, and bring me the bill."

Before setting out on his daily grind, Speed announced to his trainer that he had decided to take him along for company, and when that corpulent gentleman rebelled on the ground that the day was too sultry, his employer would have none of it, so together they trotted away later in the morning, Speed in his silken suit, Glass running fat-footed and with great effort. But once safely hidden from view, they dropped into a walk, and selecting a favorable resting place, paused. Speed lighted a cigarette, Glass produced a deck of cards from his pocket, and they played seven-up. Having covered five miles in this exhausting fashion, they returned to the ranch in time for luncheon. Both ate heartily, for the exercise had agreed with them.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

TWO OPINIONS AS TO MERIT

Mr. Blank's Verdict on Dancer Did Not at All Agree With That Expressed by His Wife.

At a social gathering a bachelor with a somewhat satirical opinion of feminine prejudice approached a party of women who happened to be speaking of plays and players they had seen during the last season in New York.

"By the way," he ventured casually, "did any of you go to see Gaby Des Lys while you were there?"

"We saw her in London," replied Mr. Blank.

"What did you think of her?"

"Oh, she was positively nil. She couldn't sing or dance and she was so bold that Mr. Blank and I were both disgusted as well as disappointed," came the ready criticism.

The topic changed and the bachelor excused himself to join the men in another room. His curiosity was aroused, and finding Mr. Blank's ears not directly engaged, he singled him out for a chat.

"You saw Gaby Des Lys in London, did you not?" he began.

"Gaby?" responded Mr. Blank with a sudden-impetus of interest. "Yes, I saw her in London and I sneaked off and saw her again in New York, too. She certainly is a peach!"

Knew His Time Was Coming. Louis Browning, who is noted as a writer and traveler, and who denies that he is a hypochondriac, has a headache every morning at 11 o'clock

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"You just got to have one. Mr. Fresno said all this gymnasium lacked was a shower-bath, a pair of scales, and a bulletin board. He said you'd sure need a bath after workin' chest-developer. We ain't got no scales, nor no board, but we'll toggle up some sort of a bath for you. The blacksmith's makin' a squitter to go on the bar'l."

"Very well, put it wherever you wish. I shan't use it."

"I wouldn't overlook nothin', if I was you," said Willie, in even milder tones that Stover had used.

"You overwhelm me with these little attentions," retorted Mr. Speed.

"Where you goin' to run today?" inquired the first speaker.

"I don't know. Why?"

"We thought you might do a hundred yards agin time."

"Nix!" interposed Glass, hurriedly. "I can't let him overdo at the start. Besides, we ain't got no stop-watch."

"I got a reg'lar watch," said Willie. "And I can catch you pretty close. We'd admire to see you travel some. Mr. Speed."

But Glass vowed that he was in charge of his protegee's health, and would not permit it. Once outside, however, he exclaimed: "That's more of Fresno's work, Wally! I tell you, he's Jerry. He'll rib them pirates to clock you, and if they do—well, you'd better keep runnin', that's all."

"You can do me a favor," said Speed. "There's other watches on the farm."

"Buy them all, and bring me the bill."

Before setting out on his daily grind, Speed announced to his trainer that he had decided to take him along for company, and when that corpulent gentleman rebelled on the ground that the day was too sultry, his employer would have none of it, so together they trotted away later in the morning, Speed in his silken suit, Glass running fat-footed and with great effort. But once safely hidden from view, they dropped into a walk, and selecting a favorable resting place, paused. Speed lighted a cigarette, Glass produced a deck of cards from his pocket, and they played seven-up. Having covered five miles in this exhausting fashion, they returned to the ranch in time for luncheon. Both ate heartily, for the exercise had agreed with them.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

WOMAN TOOK FRIEND'S ADVICE

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Windom, Kansas.—"I had a displacement which caused bladder trouble and I was so miserable I didn't know what to do. I suffered from bearing down pains, my eyes hurt me, I was nervous, dizzy and irregular and had female weakness. I spent money on doctors but got worse all the time."

"A friend told me about the Pinkham remedies and I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and was cured. I cannot praise your remedies enough for I know I never would have been well if I had not taken it."—Miss MARY A. HORNER, Route No. 2, Box 41, Windom, Kansas.



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Red Cross Ball Blue gives double value for your money, goes twice as far as any other. Ask your grocer. Adv.

Fatal Day Was Near. "Charles seems to be very exacting," said a fond mamma to the dear girl who was dressing for the wedding. "Never mind, mamma," said she sweetly, "they are his last wishes."—Lippincott's.

Libby's Luncheon Delicacies

Dried Beef, sliced under thin, Hickory Smoked and with a choice flavor that you will remember. Vienna Sausage—just right for Red Hot, or to serve cold. Try them served like this. Cut up bread in thin slices, spread with creamed butter and remove crusts. Cut a Libby's Vienna Sausage in half, lengthwise, lay on bread. Place on top of the sausage a few thin slices of Libby's Midget Pickles. Cook with other slices of bread, press lightly together. Arrange on plates, serve garnished with parsley sprigs. Libby, McNeill & Libby, Chicago.

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"Strange!"

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THIS is one of the large shapes which are again the rage in Paris. It is turned up at one side and under the brim there is a cluster of shaded roses. A length of black velvet ribbon is passed under the chin and fastened under the roses at one side. Nearly all the new picture hats show strings, either of velvet ribbon or soft satin. These strings give the world's appearance to a simple hat and they are, for the greater part,

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bit of ball... fell on the... place of John... by a storm... of dollars... out the corn... and a minis... four wagon... a field.

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PERSONAL MENTION.

Ed. Keusch was in Detroit Sunday. Arzie Pinckney was home over Sunday.

John Faber was a Leoni visitor Tuesday.

Miss Jennie Walker is visiting in Plymouth.

Mrs. Wm. Campbell was in Parma Wednesday.

Miss Pearl Maier spent Sunday at Portage Lake.

Galbraith Gorman spent Monday in Ann Arbor.

William Schatz spent last Thursday in Ann Arbor.

Miss Anna Eisele was a Jackson visitor Sunday.

John Kelly and son were Jackson visitors Sunday.

Miss Freda Wagner spent last week at Put-in-Bay.

Miss Hazel Speer is visiting friends in Clinton this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hendry were in Ann Arbor Monday.

Roy Maier is spending a few days with his parents here.

Mrs. C. E. Whitaker was an Ann Arbor visitor Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cummings were in Ann Arbor Sunday.

Mrs. Hendry is visiting her son Frank and family here.

Louis Heatley, of Detroit, is visiting relatives in Lyndon.

Mrs. Lorenz Bagge, of Detroit, was a Chelsea visitor Friday.

Miss Henrietta Hefner is spending a few days in Ann Arbor.

Walter Mack, of Ann Arbor, was a Chelsea visitor Monday.

Miss Lucile McKernan visited her sister in Detroit last week.

Mrs. Louis Burg and her sister were Jackson visitors last Friday.

Geo. Axtell spent Saturday and Sunday with Detroit friends.

Miss Leone Gieske spent the past week with friends in Detroit.

Miss Kathryn Hooker, of Detroit, was a Chelsea visitor Sunday.

George Winters, of Grass Lake, was a Chelsea visitor Sunday.

Alva and Philip Steger, of Detroit, visited their parents here Sunday.

Mrs. John Stiegelmaier, of Jackson, spent Saturday with Chelsea friends.

Miss Laura Wellhoff, of Ann Arbor, is visiting her parents here this week.

N. S. Potter and family spent the latter part of last week in Sandusky, Ohio.

Miss Ruth Pratt, of Toledo, was a guest of Mrs. John Cummings last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Sutfin, of Jonesville, are guests at the home of L. A. Maze.

Misses Charlotte and Helene Steinbach were Ypsilanti visitors Wednesday.

Miss Tressa Winters is visiting relatives in Detroit, Owosso and Grand Rapids.

A. W. Cooper, of Fowlerville, was the guest of Dr. Byron Defendorf Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Eisele, of Angola, Ind., are visiting relatives here this week.

Mrs. Jas. Helber and son, of Ann Arbor are spending a few days here with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Spiegelburg and daughter Enid were Detroit visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wolf spent Sunday with Wm. Riemenschneider at Cavanaugh Lake.

Mrs. Wilbur VanRiper spent the first of the week in Holland the guest of Miss Kerriniss.

Mrs. Jennings, of Milan, visited her daughter, Mrs. R. B. Gates, several days of last week.

Mrs. George Eder and daughter Margaret were in Detroit several days of last week.

Mrs. M. Mecham, of Norfolk, O., is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Skinner.

F. W. Schumacher, of Ann Arbor, visited his mother, Mrs. Mary Schumacher, Sunday.

Mrs. D. H. Wurster and daughter Nina Belle and Miss Nina Crowell are in Detroit today.

Dr. and Mrs. L. D. Zincke, of Cleveland, Ohio, were Chelsea visitors the first of the week.

Mrs. John Wade and daughter, of Battle Creek, were guests of Mrs. Mary Wade, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Miller, of Jackson, spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. James Runciman.

Mrs. Jabez Bacon spent several days of the past week with her daughters in Coldwater.

Mrs. George Speer, of Detroit, is spending sometime at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Speer.

Misses Margaret and Doris Foster, of Grass Lake, are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jabez Bacon.

Mrs. Samuel Schulz and children, of Coldwater, are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jabez Bacon.

Mrs. Willis Benton and daughter Hattie, of Dexter, are guests at the home of W. Benton and family.

Mrs. Wilbur Kempf, of Hillsdale, spent several days of last week with her mother, Mrs. F. D. Cumming.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dewey, of Detroit, were guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jabez Bacon, Sunday.

Miss Lillian Hawley returned to her work in Jackson Sunday after spending two weeks with her parents here.

Miss Eppie Breitenbach returned to Jackson Sunday after spending the past two weeks with her sister, Mrs. A. L. Steger.

Mrs. W. S. Marriott and son William are visiting Mrs. Marriott's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Albani, at Mt. Clemens.

Mrs. Edward Vogel and daughter Margaret, and Mrs. David Greenleaf and children were in Ann Arbor Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Pook and children and Dr. Paul Tappan, of Dayton, O., are guests of Rev. and Mrs. A. A. Schoen.

Mrs. Tommy McNamara and daughter Beryl, Misses Leona Belser and Ruth Irwin left Saturday for a trip up the lakes to Duluth.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Hagle and daughter Irene, of St. Joseph, Mo., are guests for the week-end at the home of F. K. McEldowney.

Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Campbell returned from their vacation trip in Michigan and Ohio on Wednesday and report a delightful time.

F. Hendry's mother, of Toronto, Ontario, and his brother, Albert Hendry and wife, of San Francisco, Cal., are visiting at his home this week.

Stuart Osborne, who has been visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Noyes, returned to his home in Omaha, Neb., the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Daley and family, of Cleveland spent several days of the past week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Hindcland and with other Chelsea friends.

Church Circles.

BAPTIST.
Rev. J. H. Callender of Ypsilanti will conduct the morning service. Sunday school and B. Y. P. U. at the usual hour.
7:15 p. m. Thursday prayer meeting.

ST. PAUL'S.
Rev. A. A. Schoen, Pastor.
J. T. Ishii, a Japanese missionary, will preach next Sunday morning. Subject, "Japan and Her Missionary Needs." Sunday school at 10:30 a. m.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL.
Rev. J. W. Campbell, Pastor.
10 a. m. Sunday sermon.
11:15 a. m. Bible study.
7 p. m. sermon.
7:30 p. m. Thursday, Dr. Ramsdell will conduct the fourth Quarterly Conference. All members of this body should be present.

CONGREGATIONAL.
Rev. Charles J. Dole, Pastor.
No services nor Sunday school in this church during the month of August.
Friends are requested to bear the 7th of September in mind as the day for reassembling after vacation. The long recess should find everyone ready for enthusiastic rally at its close.
The pastor will be at the family home in Castalia, Ohio, during August and will be glad to respond to any need for his services among the friends in Chelsea.

To Buy From List.

No longer will school district and township boards be able to fill the shelves of their libraries at random. Beginning with August 14, the boards are prohibited from using public money to purchase library books except from a list to be issued by the superintendent of public instruction and the state librarian which is being compiled now and will soon be ready for distribution. The list will be an extensive one made up of the best books for such libraries.
Many books are found in school and township libraries which are not only worthless but sometimes harmful and so the most valuable equipment a community possesses becomes a detriment. Educators today are a unit in declaring that a well selected library containing plenty of good story books for the children in the younger grades especially, is a most essential feature of a good school.

Card of Thanks.

Mrs. Arthur Haab and Mrs. Martha Weimann wish to thank their friends who came to their assistance after the accident at Cavanaugh Lake August 6, and especially Messrs. Newton and Smith.

The undersigned wishes to thank her friends and neighbors for their kindness and assistance during her recent sad bereavement.
MRS. ARTHUR HAAB.

Suffered Eczema Fifty Years—Now Well.

Seems a long time to endure the awful burning, itching, smarting, skin-disease known as "tetter" another name for eczema. Seems good to realize, also, that Dr. Hobson's Eczema Ointment has proven a perfect cure. Mrs. D. L. Kenney writes:—"I cannot sufficiently express my thanks to you for your Dr. Hobson's Eczema Ointment. It has cured my tetter, which has troubled me for over fifty years." All druggists, or by mail 50c. L. P. Vogel, H. H. Fenn, Co., L. T. Freeman Co. Advertisement.

BREVITIES

DEXTER—The common council of this place has passed an ordinance regulating the speed at which automobiles and other vehicles can be driven through the village.

GRASS LAKE—The surveyors began Thursday to survey the state improvement road between Grass Lake and Jackson. This will be a part of the trunk line between Chicago and Detroit.—News.

ANN ARBOR—Victor Brooks, 17, was painfully injured Thursday afternoon during the homecoming celebration at the fair grounds when a pole used in connection with the balloon ascension fell and struck him on the side of the head.

HOWELL—The Baptist society of this city has purchased the residence and property adjoining their church on the east for a residence for their pastor. The property is a fine one and was purchased of Amos Winegar.—Tidings.

DEXTER—Deputy Sheriff Fred Wyman arrested Frank J. Rogers of Detroit, for catching under sized bass on Base lake. He pleaded guilty before Justice M. S. Cook and paid \$10 and costs, in all \$14.50. The complaint was made by a deputy game warden.

JACKSON—Patrick Donovan, arrested by Deputy Sheriff Welch, was taken to Clinton Monday to answer to a complaint of stealing a valuable Scott collie dog belonging to W. H. Gadd. It is claimed Donovan stepped off a train at Clinton and picked up the dog from the depot platform.—Patriot.

HOWELL—Labor Day, September 1, is going to be one of the biggest days Howell has seen since the home coming and the Knights Templar are going to be busy every minute of the time from now until the big day is over getting everything in shape to properly entertain and amuse the many guests expected on that occasion.—Democrat.

JACKSON—Oscar, the 3 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard J. Lowden lies at the home of his parents in East Blackman in a critical condition as the result of being bitten by a rattlesnake Saturday night while visiting at the home of Anthony Thorpe, a neighbor of the family. The child went into the yard barefooted about 7:30 o'clock in the evening and stepped on the snake which buried its fangs in the top of his foot.

JACKSON—Six residences were entered and robbed here within two hours Sunday morning. The thief was evidently looking for money and did not carry away jewelry or other valuables. At one residence the burglar aroused the people and was followed by a man on a motorcycle. The police patrol joined the chase and arrested a burly negro, who gave the name of Adolph Booker, Schwaba, New Mexico. The prisoner declares his innocence.

WHITMORE LAKE—One of the worst storms that has been witnessed here for years passed over here last Friday night. Boats were blown from their moorings, boat houses unroofed and many of the cottages showed signs of leaving their foundations when the wind was at its worst. In the country near Whitmore Lake many fences were blown down, barns unroofed and hay and straw stacks blown over. Trees were uprooted and a great deal of damage done on various farms.

BRIGHTON—Judge Miner has issued an injunction from the circuit court of this county restraining certain Brighton merchants from selling their groceries and meats on the Island Lake Camp Grounds. Manager A. G. Brown of the Camp Association asked for the injunction on the ground that their coming there detracted from the trade which should rightfully come to him. While the merchants cannot go on the grounds the injunction has not had the effect that was expected.—Argus.

BLISSFIELD—The work of tearing down the great brick chimney at the Continental Sugar Co.'s plant which was wrecked by a bolt of lightning a few weeks ago will be completed this week when the work of rebuilding will be commenced. The present square base will be used as a foundation practically unharmed. The upper part, towering to a height of 165 feet will be constructed of interlocking brick manufactured expressly for such purposes. The chimney will be completed in time for the fall sugar making campaign. It will be equipped with lightning rods.—Advance.

BROOKLYN—County roads are making good progress in this corner of the county. Fourteen teams are now hauling gravel from the Blackmar pit to the Brooklyn mill, making five trips each day. The heavy wagons carrying one and one-fourth yards of gravel are damaging the Napoleon road somewhat, but most people are withholding criticism until results can be totaled. This does not include the automobile drivers, however and especially those who turn out to pass another rig on some of the loosely packed fills. Over at Napoleon a mild civil war has been in progress between road builders and residents, and even black eyes exchanged. A number of Main street residents objected to the cutting of eighteen inch side ditches along the road and there have been other points of irritation, which will all be happily ironed out in time. Grading scrapers are being taken from the Norvell strip to the west end of the Napoleon mile, and the Norvell gang started spreading gravel.—Exponent.

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A Few Special Bargains That Will Save You Money

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| All Women's Waists Reduced, some at..... | HALF PRICE | Clean up of 15c to 25c Gingham..... | 10c |
| Special lot of Val. Laces at..... | 5c | Children's 25c Muslin Drawers, embroidery trimmed, now..... | 19c |
| Choice of big lot Women's Hand Bags, were up to \$2.00, at..... | 99c | Children's 15c Muslin Drawers, now..... | 12c |
| Mennen's and Colgate's 25c Talcum Powder, all odors..... | 12c | All 12 1/2c Percales, 36 inches wide, now..... | 9 1/2c |
| 4-ounce 10c Bottle Best Peroxide..... | 5c | Babcock's Genuine Corylopsis 25c Talcum Powder, now..... | 15c |
| All Satin and Messaline Petticoats at..... | COST AND LESS | All \$1.50 Kabo Corsets, now..... | \$1.00 |
| Newest Crepe 25c Wash Goods, now..... | 15c | All \$2.00 Kabo Corsets, now..... | \$1.50 |
| All 25c Soisettes, now..... | 19c | All \$2.50 Kabo Corsets, now..... | \$1.95 |
| All 25c and 35c Tissues, now..... | 15c | All \$3.00 Nemo Corsets, now..... | \$2.60 |
| 50c Silk Mixtures, now..... | 19c | All \$3.50 Nemo Corsets, now..... | \$2.95 |
| All new 15c and 19c Lawns, now..... | 10c | All \$4.00 Nemo Corsets, now..... | \$3.35 |
| Women's Wash Dresses, for Street and House Wear, must be sold now. Priced at..... | 98c, \$1.39, \$1.98, \$2.50, \$2.98 | All Soiled Linen Napkins were \$2.00 to \$6.50 and all soiled Table Damask Patterns at less than wholesale. | |
| All Muslin Underwear at less than the cost of materials in the garments. Ask to see the Muslin Petticoats and Gowns. | | Good Prints..... | 4c |
| Big Reduction on Women's Knit Union Suits. | | Fine Apron Gingham..... | 6c |

Summer Footwear at Profitless Prices

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| Women's \$3.50 and \$3.00 Odd Pairs Pingree Shoes, Welt and Turn Shoes, mostly narrow widths. Sizes up to 6..... | 99c | All Women's \$4.00 Oxfords, now..... | \$3.35 |
| All Women's Pingree \$4.00 Patent and Dull Strapless Pumps, now..... | \$2.69 | All Women's \$3.50 Oxfords, now..... | \$2.98 |
| | | All Women's \$3.00 Oxfords, now..... | \$2.45 |
| | | All Women's White Nu Buck \$4.00 Shoes, now..... | \$3.35 |
| | | All Women's White Canvas \$3.50 Shoes, now..... | \$2.50 |

Groceries at August Clean-up Prices

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|--------------------------|-----|----------------------------|-----|---------------------------------|-----|
| 25c Roasted Coffee..... | 20c | Arm & Hammer Soda..... | 5c | 3 Cans Good Corn..... | 25c |
| 3 5c Sacks Salt..... | 10c | 2 packages Yeast Foam..... | 5c | 6 Bars Fels Naptha Soap..... | 25c |
| 3 5c Boxes Matches..... | 10c | Best 10c Rice..... | 8c | 3 Pounds Best Raisins..... | 25c |
| 3 13c Cans Tomatoes..... | 25c | Best Bulk Starch..... | 4c | 3 Double Sheets Tanglefoot..... | 5c |
| Good Salmon..... | 10c | 25c Coffee, now..... | 25c | Muzzy's Starch..... | 5c |

H. S. Holmes Mercantile Co.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE Farmers & Merchants Bank

At Chelsea, Michigan, at the close of business, August 9th, 1913, as called for by the Commissioner of the Banking Department:

RESOURCES.	
Loans and discounts, viz:—	
Commercial Department.....	\$ 60,005.94
Savings Department.....	25,350.00—\$ 85,355.94
Commercial Department.....	500.00
Bonds, mortgages and securities, viz:—	
Commercial Department.....	168,839.61
Savings Department.....	275.00
Premium account.....	6.78
Overdrafts.....	2,800.00
Banking house.....	1,544.67
Furniture and fixtures.....	
Items in transit.....	
Reserve.....	
Due from banks in reserve cities.....	\$9,877.22
Exchanges for clearing house.....	310.83
U. S. and National bank currency.....	1,575.00
Gold coin.....	355.00
Silver coin.....	497.50
Nickels and cents.....	385.63
Checks, and other cash items.....	\$15,006.33
Total.....	\$37,051.60—50,056.93
LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in.....	\$25,000.00
Surplus fund.....	11,000.00
Undivided profits, net.....	4,261.49
Dividends unpaid.....	27.00
Commercial deposits subject to check.....	\$ 27,263.23
Cashier's checks outstanding.....	540.00
Savings deposits (book accounts).....	180,452.01
Savings certificates of deposit.....	50,779.20—269,084.44
Total.....	\$306,282.98

State of Michigan, County of Washtenaw, ss.
I, F. G. Schaeble, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief and correctly represents the true state of the several matters therein contained, as shown by the books of the bank.
P. G. SCHAEBLE, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of August, 1913.
J. B. Cole, Notary Public.
My commission expires December 13, 1915.

CORRECT—Attest:
J. F. WALZROUS, H. L. WOOD, O. C. BURKHART, Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE Kempf Commercial & Savings Bank

At Chelsea, Michigan, at the close of business August 9, 1913, as called for by the Commissioner of the Banking Department:

RESOURCES.	
Loans and discounts, viz:—	
Commercial Department.....	\$125,710.10
Savings Department.....	125,710.10—\$251,420.20
Commercial Department.....	\$7,343.48
Bonds, mortgages and securities, viz:—	
Commercial Department.....	343,988.35—381,331.83
Premium Account.....	1,171.75
Overdrafts.....	1,538.55
Banking house.....	15,000.00
Furniture and fixtures.....	5,000.00
Other real estate.....	1,268.85
Due from other banks and bankers.....	
Items in transit.....	
Reserve.....	
United States bonds.....	Commercial, \$ 2,500.00
Due from banks in reserve cities.....	\$ 3,314.55
Exchanges for clearing house.....	45,684.11
U. S. and National bank currency.....	797.39
Gold coin.....	5,472.00
Silver coin.....	2,477.50
Nickels and cents.....	3,153.45
Checks, and other cash items.....	36.81
Total.....	\$16,384.05—\$65,388.17
LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in.....	\$ 40,000.00
Surplus fund.....	30,000.00
Undivided profits, net.....	18,358.99
Dividends unpaid.....	54.00
Commercial certificates of deposit.....	64,188.28
Certified checks.....	45,684.11
Cashier's checks outstanding.....	9.88
State monies on deposit.....	190.14
Due to banks and bankers.....	5,000.00
Savings deposits (book accounts).....	351.52
Savings certificates of deposit.....	357,277.08
Total.....	\$2,186.29—\$24,536.25

State of Michigan, County of Washtenaw, ss.
I, Geo. A. BeGole, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief and correctly represents the true state of the several matters therein contained, as shown by the books of the bank.
Geo. A. BeGole, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of August, 1913.
J. L. Fischer, Notary Public.
My commission expires January 12, 1915.

CORRECT—Attest:
H. S. HOLMES, D. C. McLAUREN, C. H. KEMPF, Directors.

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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.

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Pure Steam Kettle Rendered Lard always on hand.

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Some Reasons

The institution that asks for your business should have some reasons why it is able to handle it.

Here's a few of ours: We try to be courteous to all our patrons. We aim to extend every facility consistent with modern banking. We have ample capital to extend loans. We have every possible safeguard for our depositors. If there is anything more you can ask, come right in and ask it and we will be glad to meet your requirements if possible.

The Kempf Commercial & Savings Bank

LOCAL ITEMS.

Louis Burg, jr., has accepted a position with the Chelsea Screw Co.

The L. O. T. M. M. will hold a recess meeting next Monday evening, August 18.

A. H. Schumacher has had a new roof put on and other extensive repairs made to his place of business.

A number of the residents of this place made an auto trip Wednesday to Detroit where they attended the races.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Gates are shipping their household goods to Ann Arbor where they will make their future home.

The members of the Methodist Old People's Home had a picnic outing at the island in Ann Arbor on Tuesday of this week.

The Miller Sisters will leave the last of the week for Cleveland where they will purchase their fall and winter stock of millinery.

Several of our local merchants have had fly catching traps placed in front of their stores and judging from appearance their efforts are successful.

County School Commissioner Esery is holding a teachers' examination in Ann Arbor today and tomorrow. Several from this vicinity are in attendance.

The flag pole that has done duty on the Farmers & Merchants bank building for several years was blown down Friday night. Fortunately no damage was done.

W. S. McLaren is enjoying his second crop of strawberries for this season. The berries are being gathered from what is known as the everbearing variety.

Harry Foster, who has been confined to his home for some time with an injured knee, is able to get to his place of business again. He gets about with the aid of crutches.

Some of the motorcycle riders about town seems to have a desire to burn up the air judging by their speed on the public thoroughfares. Better go a little slower for the safety of the public.

Mrs. Mary Depew, of Alpena, is having a bathroom fitted up in her house on the corner of Congdon and Summit street. The residence is occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Ford Axtell and family.

August J. Lambert, who has made his home for several years with C. Haefner, has been granted a certificate as a registered druggist. The young man is in the employ of Buzzel & Foster of Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Anderson, who have been residing in Ann Arbor for some time have had their household goods moved to Chelsea where they will make their home. Mrs. Anderson is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Kern, of Sylvan Center.

Ed. Shanahan and family are making arrangements to move into their home on Madison street. The residence was badly damaged by fire last spring. The carpenters and painters have just completed their work and the home presents a very pretty appearance.

Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Freeman and son Hollis left Sunday for Boston where Mr. Freeman will attend the annual meeting of the United Drug Co. of which Mr. Freeman is a stockholder. The party will make the trip in an automobile and will be away about three weeks.

A. J. Clark died at his home in Leoni Sunday evening, August 10, 1913, aged 48 years. Mr. Clark for a number of years served as supervisor of Grass Lake township and moved to Leoni about two years ago. He was a son-in-law of Mrs. John Killmer of this place. He is survived by his wife and two children. The funeral was held Wednesday.

Mrs. Thos. McQuillan and daughter Miss Loretta witnessed the drowning at Cavanaugh Lake last Wednesday. While the rescue party was at work Mrs. McQuillan lighted a gasoline stove and when the party reached shore she had hot water and heated blankets ready for the use of restoring the two ladies. Miss Loretta ran to the camp and gave the alarm.

Franklin, the three-year old son of Prof. and Mrs. F. J. Mellencamp, of Ann Arbor, had a narrow escape from death Tuesday when he became entangled in the cable spool being used by the workmen of the electric light plant. The men were working near the Mellencamp home and the boy became entangled in the wire. The boy is a grandson of Mrs. U. H. Townsend of this place.

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

Mr. and Mrs. James VanOrden have moved into the cottage of Geo. W. Beckwith on North street.

Keep off the sidewalks when riding on your bicycles or you may be called upon to have a session in the police court.

Ralph Freeman, who has been confined to his home for some weeks with an attack of rheumatism, is able to get about the streets.

Born, Saturday, August 9, 1913, to Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Conway, of Jackson, a daughter. Mr. Conway was a former resident of this place.

Owing to an outbreak of smallpox at Saline the baseball team from that place that was to have played a game here yesterday afternoon were unable to keep the date.

Born, Friday, August 8, 1913, to Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Moon, of Detroit, a daughter. Mr. and Mrs. Moon were former residents of this place and both are well known here.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Boyden and children, of Medina, Ohio, who have been spending the past two weeks with relatives and friends in this vicinity, returned to their home last Saturday.

Mrs. Chas. E. Paul has a night-blooming cereus that was in blossom the first of this week. Many of the residents of this place called at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul to view the plant.

S. P. Foster returned Monday from Grand Rapids where he has been attending the state convention of the Rural Letter Carrier Association. Mr. Foster was made one of the executive board for three years.

J. S. Allen, manager of the Chelsea telephone exchange has rented a residence of Emory Chipman on Madison street. Mrs. Allen is in Detroit this week superintending the removal of their household goods to this place.

The force of men at work ballasting tracks of the Michigan Central with crushed stone have completed their work to the east Guthrie crossing. The crew is working from the west and they expect to reach here in about a week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Hoppe of Crooked Lake have issued invitations announcing the approaching marriage of their daughter Miss Cora Elnore and Mr. E. Ray Shile of Detroit which will take place at their home at noon, Saturday, August 25, 1913.

Born, Wednesday, August 13, 1913, to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Nisbit a daughter. Mrs. Nisbit is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Glenn of North Lake and she has been at the home of her parents for some time. Mr. Nisbit came from their home in California a short time ago.

Oscar Rankin and Mrs. Nellie White, of Nicholson, Ky., and Mrs. W. W. Worden, of Columbus, Ohio, who spent the past ten days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Congdon, left for their respective homes Wednesday. Mrs. Howard Congdon accompanied them to Detroit, where she spent the day.

The construction crew of the Michigan State Telephone Co. commenced work on south Main street on Tuesday of this week. As stated in a recent issue of The Standard the managers of the telephone company have made an appropriation of \$3,000 which will be used in reconstructing their lines in Chelsea.

The Standard in a recent issue mention an auto vacation trip by a party consisting of twelve automobiles, one of which is driven by two ladies. The route covered 1500 miles through the United States and Canada. The tourists left their homes in Chicago on 4th of this month and passed through here today on their return trip.

Joseph, the three-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. John Wade, of Battle Creek, is very ill at one of the hospitals in Ann Arbor. He had an attack of pneumonia and the left lung filled so as to push his heart out of place. He was taken to Ann Arbor where an operation was performed one day last week and he is recovering as rapidly as could be expected. He is a grandson of Mrs. Mary Wade of this place.

A freight car which was standing on the side track in the Wm. Bacon-Holmes lumber yard was wrecked Tuesday night. What is known as the pick-up east bound on the Michigan Central was shunting cars on the siding and in backing in the long train of cars bumped into the car with force enough to tip it over on one side and break the bunting post off. The car was being loaded by Leach & Downer with wool and contained 58 sacks of wool which was not injured.

Bargains on Summer Merchandise

AS THE SEASON ADVANCES WE BECOME MORE ANXIOUS TO CLEAR THE SHELVES OF ALL SEASONABLE MERCHANDISE. WE WANT TO PUSH IT FAST NOW.

Straw Hats for the Men, Boys and Girls

at less than cost to manufacture. We have dressy little hats for girls suitable and nice enough to wear any where worth from 50 cents to \$1.00, closing out prices from 15 cents to 50 cents.

Greatest Summer Waist Values We Ever Offered

We place on sale nearly the entire stock in four assortments—25c, 50c, 75c and \$1.00. Remember here are waists retailing regularly at from \$1.00 to \$3.00.

Summer Oxfords for Men, Women and Children

will be closed out at from one-third to one-half less than actual value. We have them on tables, one lot at 50 cents, one lot at \$1.00, one lot at \$1.50, one lot at \$2.00. Ask to see them.

Men's Summer Suits at \$10

Light mixtures, light grade suits, in fact the best to be had in ready-to-wear, worth from \$15.00 and up. We are going to close them out during this sale at \$10.

Children's Rompers and Men's and Boys' Underwear

Children's Rompers, 25c | Boys' Union Underwear, 25c | Men's Union Underwear, 50c

Women's, Misses' and Children's Summer Dresses Cut from 25 to 50 per cent.



BEATS THEM ALL!

The most wonderful machine you ever saw for cleaning rugs and carpets. Cleans them cleaner than whipping. No dust. Easy to operate.

Here is Our Proposition

Take one of these machines to your home on free trial for two weeks; if not wanted, simply bring it back. If you wish to buy the price will be \$7.00, sold on easy payments and guaranteed by the manufacturer and ourselves to give good service. Don't buy a vacuum or suction cleaner—especially from a stranger—until you have tried this one.

W. P. Schenk & Company

The Clean-up Sale

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Men's and Boys' Suits STILL ON!

Men's Suits

Now is your chance for a big saving in price. Everything new and up-to-date.

Men's \$15.00 Suits, now **\$10.00**
Men's \$18.00 Suits, now **\$12.00**
Men's \$20.00 Suits, now **\$13.34**
Men's \$22.50 Suits, now **\$15.00**
(Blues Excepted)

Men's Odd Trousers

All Men's Odd Trousers must be sold to make room for new fall goods.

\$2.50 Trousers, now **\$1.88**
\$3.00 Trousers, now **\$2.25**
\$3.50 Trousers, now **\$2.63**
\$4.00 Trousers, now **\$3.00**



Boys' Knickerbocker Suits

Boys' Knickerbocker Suits in Norfolk and Double Breasted Styles. Your selection of many desirable patterns at these low prices:

All \$5.00 Suits, now **\$3.75**
All \$6.00 Suits, now **\$4.50**
All \$7.50 Suits, now **\$5.63**
(Blues Excepted)

Boys' Odd Knickerbocker Trousers

The 75c Kind, now **50c**
The \$1.00 Kind, now **75c**
The \$1.50 Kind, now **\$1.15**
(Blues Excepted)

H. S. Holmes Mercantile Co.

WANT COLUMN

RENTS, REAL ESTATE, FOUND LOST WANTED ETC.

FOR SALE—Carload of range horses, 2 to 6 years old, weight 1,000 to 1,400. On sale at stock yards Saturday afternoon. J. W. Heschel-schwerdt. 2

FOR SALE—A span of horses, either young or old; two sets single harness; set light double driving harness. Price right. R. M. Hoppe, phone 191 ring 30. 3

FOR SALE—Gray horse, 8 years old, weight about 1100, good driver, gentle, cheap. Inquire of H. W. Wirkner, route 3, Chelsea. 3

WANTED—Women for general house work; good wages; no washing. Mrs. Geo. E. Starr, Grass Lake. 2

WANTED—At once, operators at the Michigan State Telephone office, Chelsea. Apply at the office over Freeman's store south Main st. 52tf

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework in family of three. Good wages for right person. Address, box 72, Chelsea. 52tf

FURNISHED ROOMS for rent, centrally located. Inquire of Mrs. J. G. Hoover, South street.

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

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

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

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

Chelsea Greenhouses.

CUT FLOWERS
POTTED PLANTS
FUNERAL DESIGNS

Elvira Clark-Visel
Phone 180—241-1-s FLORIST

GOOD JOKES



TWO NEIGHBORS.

Two neighbors kept hens and quarreled because they scratched each other's potato rows up. One sold his hens unknown to the other, who made a large run and fastened his hens up, saying: "Now, the first hen I see in my garden I shall shoot."

Next day he saw a hen scratching as usual, so he got the gun and shot it, then threw it over his neighbor's rails, saying, "Take your hen!" The hen was picked up, taken in, and cooked.

The following days the same thing happened. Still the neighbor took them up and said nothing, till the seventh came over and hit him on the head. Then he picked it up and threw it back at his neighbor, saying: "Eat your old hens. We are tired of eating them, and prefer a little pheasant. I sold my hens over a month since!"—Tit-Bits.

Helping the Horses.

A man riding on the front platform of a downtown horse car in a city where horse cars still run noticed standing beside him a tired looking Irishman who held a heavy bundle on his shoulder.

"Why don't you set that bundle down on the platform?" asked the gentleman.

Not In VaIn.

Henry never knew stairs could be so frolicsome and alpine until that mid-night. He had reached the turning point of his perilous journey when his wife appeared, armed with the well-known candle and poker.

A THREAT.

Mr. Bug—Say, old man, quit that or I'll tell all the mosquitos in the neighborhood to come around and bite the stuffing out of you.

Getting Worse. The man who goes to pieces. Won't father many hits. Because time just increases. The fragmentary bits.

Thankful. Giles met an acquaintance on the street the other day, although he artfully tried to avoid him.

Strike Broken. Master of the House—See here, Mary Ann, where's my dinner?

Paradoxical Progress. "What's the best way to get forward?" "Get backing."

Matter of Taste. He—I never see your great friend, the baroness, with you now. Have you quarreled?

Rather Risky. Edith—How many times did you refuse Jack before you married him?

English Geography. A professor from Iowa went to England last summer, and was introduced to a professor from one of the English universities. He met the American and said:

"I met one of your colleagues last summer. We had another professor from Ohio to visit us."

HE HAD RIDDEN IN ONE.



Nilson—The Pullman Car Co. paid a dividend of 15 per cent. last year.

Above the Fashions. Though trains not any more are seen on women's skirts, please note, Night wears the "trailing garments" still.

Probably Shrank, Too. A young chap entered the water at Atlantic City in a 40-cent suit of blue flannel.

Resignation. "The court of appeals has decided in our favor," announced the younger lawyer.

Exchange of Courtesies. "This man who wants board on credit claims to be a foreign nobleman."

Needless Expense. "Father," asked the girl who was going to marry a poor man, "do you think I ought to take a course of household economics?"

Playing. "When a family seemed pinched in circumstances the first thing we asked was whether a woman's husband played the horse races."



A JOB. Mr. Landlord Bug—Well, how about the rent?

Slow Fellow. She was a most disdainful miss; He got a freezing look.

Slaves to Duty. "We have been appointed on the committee to investigate the alleged baseball trust," said Representative Wombat.

Surprising. "I have noticed one queer way in which nature works with opposites."

FOUR BEARS IN FEW MINUTES

Trapper Gets Family That Stole His Bread and Nails, and Has Skins to Prove It.

Two large black bears and two cubs were killed within sight of Dawson, by Bill Roman, after an exciting experience. Roman has a cabin on Dion Gulch, above the city three miles.

"I turned, little suspecting anything serious," says Roman, "when to my horror I saw a huge black bear standing a few feet away. I leaped to my feet and grabbed my .44 caliber Winchester, which is always near the door; I wasted no time and fired when the brute was ten feet away.

"Yah, I tell you, I was an excited Swede, but I proved to that fellow it is a bad day for bears when they tackle the sons of the north."

"The little fellows weighed 25 pounds each and made delicious steaks. I was up all that night skinning bears. I now have the skins in town, and they tell for themselves there was class to that family."

"Only a day or two previous I had been away from the cabin for a day and had left a sack of bread, which I had bought in Dawson, under the bed in the sack. Some bear came in, took the sack, bread and all, and ran away with it into the gulch."

"My wife's gone to the country—hooray! hooray!" The success of that song was due to its profound truth, its profound truth to marriage and to human nature.

"It is an undoubted fact that the first day or two of his family's departure for mountains or seaside, the most humdrum of men—the fattest, baldest, soberest of men—shout in their hearts, 'My wife's gone to the country—hooray! hooray!'"

"I was talking one August afternoon to a matron on a breezy Narragansett piazza.

"A certain millionaire, who owes his fortune to his thrift and economy, tells this story of a bookkeeper to illustrate the way in which those qualities work to the advantage of their possessor:

"I once made up my mind," said the bookkeeper, "that I would become the owner of a gold watch. I saved up the money for it in this way: When I felt like eating a 50-cent luncheon I ate a 25-cent one instead and put the other quarter aside for my watch fund.

"But you don't seem to have bought it," objected his friend.

"Surgery to Prevent Murder. Dr. Echols Ardman, criminologist, has come to the conclusion that the form of insanity that causes murder is a small bone pressing against part of the brain and that a small operation, removing the bone that is pressing and inserting a thin silver plate, will turn the murderer into a kind hearted person."

"The trouble, Dr. Ardman confesses, that is hardest to overcome is to find the man with criminal tendencies and perform the operation before and not after the crime. The murderer usually is harmless in appearance and seems normal before committing a crime, and there is no way to tell if he is suffering from this form of insanity."

Advertising Talks

HOW ADS FOR LARGE STORES ARE HANDLED

Constitutes an Important Element of Actual "News" and Preparation Requires Care.

That the advertisements in a newspaper constitute an important element of actual "news" and that the preparation of them requires a highly specialized sort of knowledge and training, are considerations which often fail to enter the consideration of the readers of the daily newspaper.

However, this is the case. Of the thousands of people who read the newspapers, a very large proportion are interested in the advertisements. The immense number of women who purchase the family clothing and household supplies, in particular, depend upon the advertisements, reading them with care and watching them as closely as the investor in stocks and bonds watches the financial news.

Indeed, the advertising columns are financial departments, in a very real sense of the word, to the domestic economist.

Of the work, the thought and the careful preparation that goes into the preparation of a clever advertisement, that it may attract the eye of the reader and hold his attention, few of its perusers take any cognizance. Still fewer realize what a truly all-round person the advertising manager must be.

Must Know Human Nature. For to fill the bill, he must know human nature, clothes and drygoods, from A to Z. He must keep abreast of the times and the fashions. He must be an expert judge of values, and he must be possessed of a peculiar extra "sense," that he may know and seize the psychological moment where in to spring a particular sale.

Special sales are of two kinds—the big periodical sales, which are planned for months in advance, and which come about as unfailingly and regularly as the seasons, and the quick special sales, of merchandise suddenly acquired.

The last sales are heralded by the buyer for that department, who tells the office of certain merchandise which he has unexpectedly bought. The buyer and the advertising man hold consultation, and when the goods arrive they visit the warehouse and look them over.

If, in the sober judgment of the advertising manager, they prove equal to the buyer's enthusiastic description of them, the advertising man decides to give them a place in his advertisement on a certain day. The proportionate size of this space is based upon the percentage of that department's sales.

Then the buyer, an assistant buyer, and a person at the head of the stock confer with the advertising manager and decide on the best way of putting the sale to the public. The advertising manager has the responsibility of seeing that proper provision is made for the display of the goods, the arrangement of the display tables, etc.

Much Thought Required. When it is remembered that a big store may well have special sales in a dozen different departments at one time and that each one is conducted as carefully as this, the amount of labor and thought required may be imagined.

The advertising manager is always two or three days ahead in his work. The copy must be sent to the newspapers on one day, is set up, a proof returned the next day, the proof is corrected and returned to the paper in time for publication that night.

After the advertisement appears in the paper copies are sent to the various men in the store who are interested. It is cut into sections and each department manager receives his own advertisement. One store makes a practice of requiring each manager and each sales person in a department to read the advertisement and sign it. Whatever the method, each salesperson is required to be familiar with the advertisement, that they may know exactly what is on sale. In case of big sales, a conference of managers and salespeople is held, and a talk given on the goods in order to create interest and enthusiasm.

The periodical sales are planned at least three months in advance, after conferences with the buyers and the heads of departments, and much the same method of procedure is followed, save that time is longer and the operations more extensive.

ADVERTISING MAXIMS.

Nothing endures like truth—especially in advertising. Advertising isn't effective as an occasional treat, but as part of a regular business diet.

It must be splendid to be a successful man; but much better still to be a great one, even in obscurity.

We have known persons who could write a good advertisement, and then revise it until there was nothing much left. A great many more things—some of them pleasanter ones—would come to them who wait, if they wouldn't stand still to wait.

One day's work will mean more knowledge hammered in, to stay, than could be acquired by the book-learning process in months.

What profiteth it a man to sell a lot of goods, and have his customers come around the next day and beat him up because they aren't satisfied?

There is, with some people, such a thing as dishonest honesty—present honesty practiced for the building of a smooth, broad pavement to future dishonesty.

If your advertising does not pay it should be made to pay. Right methods should take the place of wrong ones. To stop advertising will not reimburse past losses, and prevents the possibility of future profits.

Persons who read advertising because of its smartness or humor are SOMETIMES likely to think more of these qualities than of the goods advertised.

Show any man how to increase his business—how to make more money—and he's your friend forever.—J. B. Powell.

A true sportsman does not quit the field because he missed the first shot.

INDUCES PEOPLE TO BUY. What Barnum Meant, According to Merchant, When He Said People Liked to Be Swindled.

"The American people like to be swindled," quoted a well known merchant the other day. "I believe it was old P. T. Barnum who said something like that, although I guess those are not the exact words of the noted showman."

"The idea is exemplified, however, in our everyday life as is evidenced by the modern world of advertising. I want to draw a fine line distinction, however, and I believe that Mr. Barnum really meant the same thing. I don't mean that the people are swindled through advertising, but that they are induced by means of advertising to buy many things which otherwise they never would have thought of."

"In the same way I believe that Mr. Barnum did not mean that he swindled people in his show business; he thought he gave them value received, and I think he did, but when he said that he meant that if it wasn't for the way he advertised not half the people would come to see his show that did. And it is almost the same way with modern business houses. Did you ever stop to consider that a really successful house has something going on all the time? They have a June sale and a July sale and a white sale and a black sale and a summer sale and a winter sale and every other kind of sale for every day of every week of the entire year."

An Advertising Story. At a recent gathering of advertising men in New York this story was told: A man entered a store one bitter cold day and bought a woolen muffler. When he opened the muffler he found inside it the photograph of a beautiful girl, together with a note saying: "If you are single, please write to me."

Here's Walter Johnson

Washington "Nationals" (American League) one of the speediest pitchers of either of the big leagues—he

Drinks Coca-Cola

He's got the head, the arm, the ginger and the endurance. Coca-Cola didn't give him them; but he says it's the one best beverage for the athlete in training—

The Successful Thirst-Quencher For Ball Players—and YOU

Send for Free Booklet.

THE COCA-COLA COMPANY, Atlanta, Ga.

OTHERS ALSO IN HARD LUCK

Youthful Artist, However, Was in No Mood to Extend Sympathy to Fellow Unfortunate.

Two youthful artists having a studio in Philadelphia, wherein they not only work, but lodge as well, were obliged to make shift, not long ago, during a period of financial stress, with such meals as they could themselves prepare in the studio.

One morning as the younger of the two was "sketching in" the coffee he gave utterance to loud and bitter complaint. "This is a fine way for gentlemen to live!" he exclaimed.

"Oh, I don't know," was the airy comment of his friend. "Lots of people are far worse off. I was reading only this morning of a recluse who cooked his own breakfast for 19 years."

"He must have been awfully hungry when he finally got it done," rejoined the other, savagely.—Harpers Magazine.

Exact Statement. Some one has said that the man who laughs is the man who is secure in superior information, wisdom, wit or sophistry. The naïvete of the Sudan supplies plenty of food for this kind of laughter.

There is the story of a telegraph clerk in an out-lying district of the White Nile who, finding the desolation upon his nerves, telegraphed to headquarters: "Cannot stay here; am in danger of life; am surrounded by lions, elephants and wolves."

The hard-hearted operator at the other end wired back: "There are no wolves in the Suran."

He received a second wire: "Referring my wire 16th, cancel wolves."—Youth Companion.

Success demands sacrifice. Two men set out to achieve fame. One succeeded. The other lived.—Louis Horwitz

GOOD RESULT OF SUGGESTION

Chance Phrases and Ideas That Have Been Utilized and Found to Have Real Value.

Richard Mansfield told me that when he was a lad in London he often nearly starved. There was a certain bakeshop where he would go and feast upon the odors coming from the door. The boyhood notion gave him the idea of putting those lines in his play, "Beau Brummel," about "dining on the names of things"—a suggestion he used with powerful dramatic effect.

This idea of suggestion has done many a good deed. About ninety years ago a thirsty man walked up Wall street—I understand the habit of getting a thirst no longer prevails there, or maybe it is only the manner of allaying it—and pumped a tin cup full of water from his own well. "Not so good as I used to get from my father's well," or something to that effect he remarked to his wife. "A pretty idea for a song," said she, and so he sat down and in an hour wrote "The Old Oaken Bucket."—Philadelphia Ledger.

Too Candid an Agreement. "Lovers are prone to self-deprecation," said he tenderly, as they sat looking at the stars. "I do not understand what you see in me that you love so much."

"That's what everybody says," gurgled the ingenious maiden. Then the silence became so deep that you could hear the stars twinkling.

Rather Loud, Eh? Fred—I understand that Ethel's new dress is the last cry in harems. Almee—Yes; it's a regular scream!—Dartmouth Jack o' Lantern.

Judging from their actions, a man sometimes wonders if his friends are not enemies in disguise.

We Cook the Breakfast



Your Part is Easy

(The above shows one of many huge ovens in which Grape-Nuts food is given a second baking—from 12 to 16 hours.)

A delicious, wholesome food that is perfectly baked in the spotless kitchens of Postumville—ready to serve direct from the package—

Grape-Nuts

made from choice whole wheat and malted barley.

Medical investigation has found the outer coat of these grains to be rich in "phosphates" which go to make up body and nerve tissues.

In making Grape-Nuts the whole grains are used, including the outer coat of the wheat with its content of natural Phosphate of Potash—so essential for the well-balanced nourishment of muscle, brain and nerves.

Hosts of active, thinking people, who enjoy their Grape-Nuts and cream for breakfast every morning and keep well and happy, know

"There's a Reason"

Thousands visit the Grape-Nuts factories each year and watch the interesting processes. You are most welcome!

NEWS and GOSSIP of WASHINGTON



Uncle Sam Can Gauge Horsepower of Human Body



WASHINGTON.—If you want to know your exact horsepower and the amount of energy you can generate under any given condition, call on Professor Langworthy at the chemistry bureau, department of agriculture, and he can give you the answer. He can register your horsepower as easily as the engine manufacturer rates his engines.

To Professor Langworthy the human body is but a machine. He is the chief of division of nutritive investigations, and solves the problems of food values. Like any other engine, the human body has a maximum capacity of so many foot pounds of energy, and to generate this, a certain amount of fuel in the form of food is necessary. Doctor Langworthy makes it his business to find what food is adapted for the best results from the majority.

He described his unique department in his workshop, surrounded by an endless series of laboratory instruments, ovens, graduated scales and queer tubes and pipes where everything under the sun is concocted and cooked up, to see how many calories, how much nitrogen and how much energy it will give the human body when it's eaten.

In the laboratory is a respiration calorimeter, a chamber in which Uncle Sam's scientists put subjects to measure the energy which the subject gives off while he is engaged in different tasks and while fed different diets of food.

The calorimeter is a valuable instrument in many ways. It enables the government to recommend certain diets as being of the greatest use to men and women in different occupations, and it enables them to recommend a combination of foods that are cheap, but at the same time sustaining.

The apparatus itself is six and a half feet square and of the same height. There is a window in the side to permit light for reading or studying, a couch, to permit the subject to lie down; a pipe through which air enters, and another through which it is expelled. The expelled air is caught and its components analyzed, for part of the food you eat is expelled with every breath.

The heat given off by the subject's body is weighed and measured and then carried off through a brass pipe that has a current of cold water running through it. The heat-absorbing power of the pipe is enhanced by a series of copper disks that are soldered to it. The method is merely the reverse of that practiced in bringing heat into a room by the hot-water method. In one, the cold water carries it away; in the other the hot water brings it in. The exact amount of heat expelled from the subject's body is measured by the flow of cold water, one calorie of heat being necessary to raise one kilogram of water one degree centigrade.

Mingling His Politics With Virgil and Horace

ACCORDING to Arthur Krock, that bright luminary of a favorite Blue Grass paper, who loves to mingle his politics with the classic honey of Virgil and Horace, Representative McDermott of the stock yards district in Chicago is lacking in his appreciation of the beauties of the dead languages. Arthur, with a clear one and one-half yards long, in a voice which would have soothed the raging brine, told this yarn in the press gallery.

"Robert Gordon, who is now sergeant-at-arms of the house," said Arthur, "studied Latin twenty years ago, when he was a schoolboy, and evidently he clings to a knowledge of it. Two members of the house got into a wordy row a few days ago. They reached the point where they began to roar at one another. Mr. Gordon, sergeant-at-arms, sat nervously fingering the mace surmounted by the intoxicated eagle which is the symbol of his authority.

"If I had my way," he said to the stock yards statesman, "I'd pitch them out volens volens."



"You'd do what?" said McDermott, whose native tongue is that of McCarey's Indians, near Sixty-third and Halstead streets, Chicago.

"Mr. McDermott sought out a friend: 'That sergeant-at-arms is a Dago, he complained.

"The Chicago man explained the situation. The friend, unable to reconcile Mr. McDermott's memory of what Gordon had said with any language he had ever studied, asked Mr. Gordon about it. Then the friend went to McDermott and explained:

"He said he would throw them out volens volens, which is Arabic for head over heels."

"Jawbreakers" Cause Much Laughter in Senate



WHEN Henry M. Rose, assistant secretary of the senate, arrived at his office the other day he wore a harassed, hunted look. His mood was not lifted when Senator Gallinger entered with a hearty "Good morning" and an apparently radiant smile. Mr. Rose gritted his teeth and showed symptoms of apoplexy. This was the reason:

Secretary Rose, acting as reading clerk, was struggling through the first pages of the tariff bill the day before when Senator Gallinger arose.

"We have now reached paragraph

24," said the senator gravely. "While the secretary had been doing very well I hope he will read this clearly and distinctly."

"Coal tar products known as anilidine oil and salts and various other articles," began Mr. Rose, blandly and halted.

"I protest," said Senator Gallinger. "He is not reading the complete paragraph."

Mr. Rose appealed to Vice-President Marshall, but the latter was obdurate. Pitching his voice so it reached for out side the senate chamber and with an agonized expression on his face, Mr. Rose called off the various items.

"Toluidine, xylydin, cumidin, bini trotojuol," he chanted. "Binitrobenzol benzidin, tolidin, dianisidin, naphy lamu, diphenylamin, benzaldehyde benzyl chloride, nitrobenzol and nitro toluol, naphytlaminisulfocids—"

At this point the gravity of the senate gave way and members joined the galleries in a burst of laughter.

Old "Mammy" Is Entertained by Secretary McAdoo

FOLK who know William Gibbs McAdoo, secretary of the treasury, as an austere, dignified person would have been surprised the other afternoon to see him standing in the big reception room of his office in an intimate conversation on childhood episodes with an old colored mammy. After it was over the secretary frankly confessed he just had enjoyed the most pleasurable visit he'd had since he entered the cabinet.

The old mammy was Julia Gibson, mother of seventeen children and who still lives in the McAdoo home town. She came to the treasury department to call on the secretary, and not only was she received, but she was entertained for more than an hour while a crush of business and visitors, as well as treasury officials, waited.

Incidentally the secretary is treasurer of what he believes to be an invalid



able memento of Aunt Julia's visit. She left with him an old-fashioned brown daguerreotype of his mother and father that Aunt Julia and her mother had preserved for perhaps half a century. It was to present this gift that Aunt Julia called. Her mother was the "mammy" of the secretary during his babyhood and childhood.

Aunt Julia departed with a picture of the building photographed and a message from the secretary of the joy his visit caused.

ERADICATION OF INJURIOUS PESTS IN ORCHARD IS OF MUCH IMPORTANCE

Fall Webworm Is Most Conspicuous Insect During Months of August and September—Trees Should Be Carefully Examined at Least Once a Week and Nests Destroyed—Look for Borers.

(By CLARENCE M. WEED.)

The Fall Webworm is the most conspicuous orchard insect in August and September. These insects hatch about midsummer and begin feeding on the green surface of the leaves. As they move about they spin a filmy silken web under which they always remain. As they grow they extend the web, carrying it over all the leaves they attack, so that the whole branch will be webbed up by a single colony before the caterpillars mature.

There is generally, however, some one part of the branch where the insects retire between meals and during periods of molting. Here the web becomes thicker and when in autumn the leaves fall, taking with them most of the gauzy web this shelter tent generally remains on the leafless branches.

The webworm shelter is very different from that made by the common Tent Caterpillar in spring. There are probably various reasons for this. In the first place the webworms are born during the hottest season of the year so they do not need to huddle together in a narrow room to keep warm as the Tent Caterpillars do in early spring. In the second place it seems probable that a caterpillar that eats only the green surface of the leaves as webworms do must take a longer time getting its meals than does a caterpillar that devours the whole leaf, so the period of exposure to natural enemies during eating would be greater in the case of the webworm. And in the third place, the webworms are developing at a period when parasites and predaceous insects are most abundant. The overhead web must save the lives of many webworms that otherwise would be destroyed by their enemies.

But if the web protects the worms from these insect foes it makes them easy to see by the orchardist, so that the only excuse for leaving the pests to defoliate the tree is dire neglect.

July by a good-sized brown moth. The caterpillars feed in colonies, taking the leaves clean as they go. They reach full size in about six weeks and then burrow into the soil a few inches and change to the pupa state.

The Red-humped Apple Caterpillar is often more abundant than the yellow-necked form. It is easy known by its reddish appearance and the hump back of the head. It feeds in colonies also, giving the branch a bare appearance that is very noticeable.

Whenever a colony of either of these pests is found it should of course be destroyed. Cut the twig off and burn or crush the caterpillars.

During these weeks of late summer the large white-striped beetles or round-headed apple tree borer are busy laying their eggs. If you see a beetle looking like the drawing herewith, with nearly cylindrical body and long feelers, kill it, for it is capable of much mischief. To prevent egg-laying, clear away all weedy growth from around the base of apple trees so as leave the bark freely exposed to sunshine.



Beetle: Round-headed Apple Tree Borer.

Other boring insects are also busy now laying eggs for grubs that will work havoc with fruit trees. The peach tree borer moth is one of the worst of these. This is a small day flying moth that lays its eggs about the base of the trees. The eggs soon hatch into grubs that bore into root and bark and often kill the tree. It is a good plan to wrap paper around the base of the trunks and then cover the paper with tanglefoot. This has a tendency to prevent the moths from laying eggs. Another way is to place a lot of refuse tobacco stems around the base of the tree. Still another is to mound up the tree with loose soil to a height of six or eight inches, so if any eggs are laid the grubs will be easier to dig out.

All of these methods are to be supplemented in fall by careful examination and digging out of any borers found.

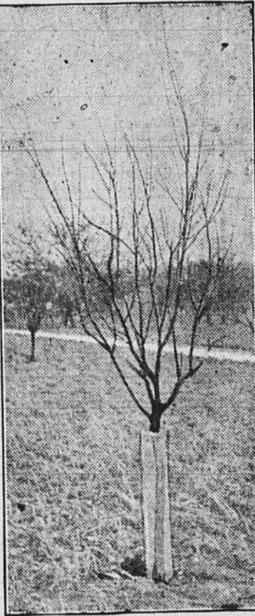
OATS RECOGNIZED AS ANIMAL FOOD

Plant, Like Wheat, Seems First to Have Been Domesticated in Europe or Asia Minor.

The oat plant, like wheat, seems first to have been domesticated in Europe or Asia Minor. The Greeks knew it and evidence is not lacking that it was plentiful in the south of Italy during the time of Roman Empire. It has been found in the Swiss lake dwellings of the Bronze Age. It seems that the Hebrews and Egyptians did not cultivate the oat plant but that its ancient domestication was largely confined to the country north of Italy and Greece.

This plant has not been found in a wild state and indications point to its origin from a single prehistoric form, a native of eastern temperate Europe and of Tartary.

Oats have always been recognized as a feed for domesticated animals, and in times of scarcity as good food for man. While the crop is still largely grown for horse feed, its use as human food has largely increased in recent years.

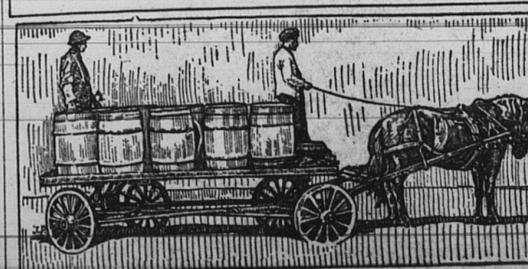


Young Fruit Trees Protected.

By looking over the trees once a week one can easily find the nests. Each should be cut off, taking the branch when necessary and burned. Do not try to burn out the nests on the tree with a torch. It hurts the bark and a large majority of the worms fall unharmed to the ground, and crawl up again and continue feeding.

Several other caterpillars live in colonies on apple trees late in summer without making a conspicuous web. The large striped-called Yellow-necked Apple Caterpillars are common. These hatch from eggs laid during June or

HANDY LOW WAGON FOR USE IN ORCHARDS



No orchard man should be without a low-down wagon. It makes the handling of boxes, barrels, fertilizers, etc., so much easier, says the Orange Judd Farmer. A ton load can be drawn by one horse in the average orchard, if wide tires are provided. Pictured is the type of wagon which has given great satisfaction wherever used and it is becoming more popular every year. One great advantage in this type is the fact that it can be turned around very short. This is due to the movable double X arrangement, which is under the bolster, between the front and back axles. Another fine thing is to provide bolsters, springs; these latter can be used on an ordinary wagon, transforming it to a spring wagon.

He Guessed He Knew.

One of the keepers at the bird-house in Bronx park has a nature story to tell. There came to the park a public school teacher and a class of children. They stood by the great open-air cage. One of the birds was a goose.

"Now, children," the teacher asked, "what is the male of the goose called?"

After a full half-minute, a boy of Scotch ancestry ventured to answer: "I think I know, teacher; he's a mongoose."—New York Evening Post.

ITCHING TERRIBLE ON LIMB

R. F. D. No. 3, Clarkfield, Minn.—"My trouble was of long standing. It started with some small red and yellow spots about the size of a pin head on my leg and every morning there was a dry scale on top covering the affected part and when those scales were falling off the itching was more than I could stand at times. The first year I did not mind it so much as it was only itching very badly at times, but the second year it advanced all around my leg and the itching was terrible. I had to be very careful to have my clothing around the affected part very loose. At night time I often happened to scratch the sore in my sleep. Then I had to stand up, get out of bed and walk the floor till the spell was over.

"I bought lots of salves and tried many different kinds of medicine but without any success. I got a cake of Cuticura Soap and a fifty-cent box of Cuticura Ointment and when I had used them I was nearly over the itching. But I kept on with the Cuticura Soap for six weeks and the cure was complete." (Signed) S. O. Gorden, Nov. 20, 1912.

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"Don't you think the tenor sings with a great deal of feeling?"

"Yes. He seems to be feeling for something he can't reach."

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Of Course, the Composer.

An Englishman who had been for a tour round the world was much annoyed with a report of his return which appeared in a local paper. This report ended:

"His numerous friends are surprised that he is unchanged!"

He did not know that the offender was the composer, who, in setting up the report had omitted a letter "c," thus substituting the word "unchanged" for "unchanged," which the reporter had written.

New Name for Bungalow.

A carpenter contractor had been figuring on a small house for a prosperous European-American workman in an outlying district. "Come up to my office," he said to the prospective patron, "and we will look over some plans in a book I have." The young man came to the office and spent some time looking over the plans with the contractor, who finally inquired: "Have you thought anything about the kind of a place you wish to build? What do you think of a nice cottage?"

"I do know," replied the young man, "but I think maybe we lika have nice bungahole."—Youngstown Telegram.

Could Afford It Now.

"Why have you cut that lady who has just passed? Yesterday you were most cordial towards her."

"That is my dressmaker, and I paid her bill this morning."

Some spinsters advance step by step until they become stepmothers.

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Summer Clothes.

Mildred Lawson, a pretty American dancing girl, made her debut in London last month, and the English critics, while admiring her dances, complained a good deal about the scantiness of her costumes. Miss Lawson sent some of these English criticisms to a New York agent the other day, and in a letter accompanying them she said: "You'll notice that they kick a lot about my dresses. But what's the use, say I—what's the use of making such a fuss about nothing, or almost nothing?"

Knew What to Expect.

Husband (at 11 p. m.)—Well, good night, you fellows. I am going home to a vegetarian supper.

"What do you mean by that?" asked one of the company.

"Well, my wife said that if I was not at home by 10 o'clock she would give me beans."—Stray Stories.

Not So Slow.

"What is your brother's walk in life?"

"He hasn't any."

"He hasn't?"

"No; he's a chauffeur."

Parcel Post.

"Is a bulldog mailable?"

"Yes; but not in this mail. Cats and pigs go in this mail."

A woman is unpopular with her neighbors if she never does anything that they can gossip about.

His Views.

"Do you eat the same kind of grub you feed the summer boarders?"

"I do," answered Farmer Whiffletree.

"A farmer's life is a hard one, ain't it?" responded the city man.

Changes Her Mind.

"I used to think Gus Simpson was a nice young man, but I just hate him now."

"Why, what has he done?"

"He treated me shamefully."

"In what way?"

"Why, the other evening at a party I said to him: 'Let's play the old game of "Questions." If I say "Yes" or "No" to your questions, I owe you a box of gloves; and if you say "Yes" or "No," you'll give me a box.'

"Then what?"

"Well, after the party he took me home, and all the way there he talked as sweetly as could be about love, and that man should not live alone and all that, and when we got to the front gate he said, 'Fannie, will you marry me?' I, of course, answered, 'Yes,' in a suppressed voice."

"And what did he do then?" inquired her listener, eagerly.

"He just chuckled and said, 'You've lost, Fannie. I take No. 9s. Then laughed with all his might—that's what he did.'

No wonder she hated him!

Always a Kick.

"Had a guest once," remarked the landlord of a summer hotel, "who was satisfied with the meals, the rooms, the rates, the scenery and the temperature."

"Then he had no complaint to make?"

"Yes, he had. The sunsets were not up to his expectations."

Its Proper Place.

"Where did you get that flame-colored rig?"

"I got it at a fire sale."

Some girls are anxious to get married but are not so anxious to stay married.

"Hey, Skinnay, Come on over!"

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