Let these few items suggest others needed to supply your wants, and also consider them as an invitation to share the economics that this Grocery Store offers in good things to eat.

THIS WEEK WE ARE SELLING:

Uncle Sam Maccaroni, 3 packages for	250
Solid Meat Oysters, pint	250
Light House Mince Meat, 3 packages for	250
Best Rolled Oats, 6 pounds for	250
Van Wert Corn, 3 cans for	
Sweet Peas, 3 cans for	250
Pure Maple Syrup, quart	450
New English Walnuts, pound	250
New Brazil Nuts, pound	200
New Filberts, pound	20

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Furnaces, Stoves and Ranges. The World's Best.

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Our stock is complete. Christmas pieces a specialty.

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A complete line of Shotguns and Rifles. Winchester Shells and Cartridges in all powders and loads.

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Axes, Saws, Wedges, Canthooks and Saw Sets: Everything for the woodman.

BELSER HARDWARE CO.

You can get the choicest cuts of FRESH and SALT MEATS here. Try our Home-made Sausage-it is fine. Try our pure Home-rendered Lard and you will use no other.

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of any one in Washtenaw County, and the prices are the lowest of anyone on goods of the same quality. If it is something good you want come to us. We always have it.

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Crockery, China, Silverware, Cut Glass, Copper and Nickel Plated Ware. We have them all.

Stoves and Furnaces

You all know we have. Holiday Goods are now on display

WE WILL ALWAYS TREAT YOU RIGHT.

SUCCESSFUL CORN CONTEST

Kempf Commercial & Savings Bank Award Three Cash Prizes.

The Kempf Commercial & Savings Bank closed the first corn contest ever held in Chelsea last Saturday. The contest attracted considerable interest among the young people of the rural districts. Thirty-five entries were made and all of the samples were excellent specimens and the exhibits were displayed on tables in the lobby of the banking office.

The judges were George W. Gage and Joseph L. Sibley, of Sylvan, and Walter H. Dancer, of this place. The awards were as follows:

First prize, Rudolph Heller, of Lima \$5.00; second, John G. Fischer, Dexter township, \$3.00; third, Mrs. Albert Koch, who resides on the Winslow farm in Lima, \$2.00.

for sale to the highest bidder and be as follows: the proceeds will be given to the school indistrict No. 3, Lima, of which the winner of the first prizv is a resident. As the samples of corn are unusually fine and would make choice seed it will undoubtedly bring a good price and the school will be able to Schoen. add a neat sum to the fund that is usually raised by entertainments for

school libraries and pictures. The officials of the bank are to be congratulated upon making this first orn contest so successful.

Cavanaugh Lake Grange Meeting.

The next regular meeting of Cavanaugh Lake Grange will be held at 1:30 o'clock on Tuesday afternoon, December 1, at the home of Wm. Locher. The following is the pro-

Song, by the Grange. Roll Call, Each member naming a founder or early worker in the grange Recitation, Ora Miller.

Select Reading, Martha Harvey. Why are the early years of child ife so very important? Paper by Mrs. Gieske. Talk by Mrs. Smith. Solo, Katherine Notten.

Question for discussion, What Legislation will benefit the man behind the plow most? Led by Mr. Quigly. Closing Song.

Held Annual Meetings

The annual meeting of the Washtenaw County Association of the order of Eastern Star was held in Ypsilanti on Monday afternoon and evening of this week. The following officers were chosen for the coming year: President-Mrs. Frank Joslyn, of

Ypsilanti. Vice President-John B. Cole, of Chelsea.

Seconda Vice President-Mrs. Mills, of Ann Arbor. Secretary and Treasurer--Mrs. Edith

Lowry, of Manchester. Chaplain-Mrs. M. S. Cook, of Dex-

Marshal-Mrs. S. Wallace, of Saline. Organist-Mrs. Bay, of Milan. The following officers and members of Olive Chapter, O. E. S., of Chelsea, were in attendance: Mesdames S. A. Mapes, Charles Martin, A. B./Clark, Thomas S. Hughes, John W. Schenk, Otto D. Luick, George T. English, J. D. Colton, E. R. Dancer, H. R. Schoenhals, W. B. Ewing and Mr. J. B. Cole. The next meeting of the associa-

The Farm Trade.

tion will be held at Manchester in

Reports from the central west and the southwest seem to indicate that the sluggishness that has lately marked movements of grain and other farm products is gradually being replaced by a livelier current. Farmers who have been holding wheat for prices undreamed of last summer are said to have stopped borrowing money on their prospects and begun to turn the grain into cash. Such wheat as is offered is meeting with ready, sale at prices generally considered satisfactory, and it is freely predicted that the corn crop, which according to government estimates, will be the largest since 1910, will bring another stream of cash into rural districts. In fact, its influence on the volume

It Really Does Relieve Rheumatism.

Everybody who is afflicted with rheumatism in any form should by all means keep a bottle of Sloan's Liniment on hand. The minute you feel pain or soreness in a joint or muscle, bathe it with Sloan's Liniment. Do not rub it. Sloan's penetrates almost immediately right to the seat of pain, relieving the hot, tender, swollen feeling and making the part easy and comfortable. Get a bottle of Sloan's Liniment for 25 cents of any druggist and have it in the house—against colds, sore and swollen joints, rheumatism, neuralgia, sciatica and like ailments. Your money back if not satisfied, but it does give almost instant relief. Adv.

The wholesale bunder any conditions. The wholesale price list is sent to each school board by the Superintendent of Public Instruction. Every retail dealer in schoolbooks should be provided with this price list and be governed by it. Retail dealers cannot charge more chial tubes fill with mucous. Your vitality is reduced. You need Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey. It southes your irritated air passages, loosens mucous and makes your system resist colds. Give the baby and children Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey. It's guaranted to help them. Only 25c. at your druggist. Adv.

FORTY YEARS AGO

Happenings in Chelsea · Forty Years Ago This Week.

Four inches of snow fell one day this week.

The first dance of the season was given Tuesday evening. Died, on November 22, 1874, Clarinda, wife of Dr. G. E. Wright.

Rev. Benjamin Franklin delivered the Thanksgiving sermon at the Congregational church.

Union Thanksgiving Service.

Organ postlude. Doxology.

Invocation and response. Responsive reading, Psalm, 118. Hymn, 124 "I thank Thee Lord." Scripture, Psalm, 92, Rev. A. A.

Prayer, Rev. Charles J. Dole. Hymn, 885, "Eternal Source of Every Joy."

Reading of Thanksgiving proclamation, Rev. A. W. Fuller.

Announcements. Offertory.

Red Cross.

Anthem. Sermon, Rev. G. H. Whitney.

Benediction, Rev. A. W. Fuller. be sent through the agency of the

Hymn, 888, "Earth Below is Teem-

Jackson, will give a concert in the attached to outside of parcels.

Sylvan theatre, Wednesday, December 1 ber 9. The program will consist of two parts. In part one Messrs. Schuman and Thorpe will sing several solos and duets; in part two the choral is now a junior in Albion College, resociety will sing the beautiful Christ- ceived notice Thursday, that he has nas cantata entitled, Divinity. The been nominated by Congres voices in Chelsea and will furnish the Point Military Academy. He took cellent entertainment.

for reservation of seats.

Tax Stops \$1 Deeds.

keep secret the price paid for real will enter the academy in June. His estate by writing in the deed. "The older brother, Robert C., graduated sum of \$1 and other valuable consid- from West Point in 1911, and is now a erations," for under the new national Lieutenant stationed in the Philipdeficiency tax law assessing land pine Islands. The pay of a cadet consequences transfers, a levy of \$1 is to be paid on while in the academy is \$750 per yeareach \$1,000 of the actual price, and a which is sufficient to pay the exstamp for that sum must be affixed to penses of a four years' course. the deed before it is recorded. The The young man is a son of Mr. and person giving the deed must not only Mrs. W. B. Gildart, who are well attach the stamp, but he must cancel know here and were formerly resiit by writing across it his initials and dents in this vicinity. the date, under a penalty of six months' imprisonment.

Princess Theatre.

Hazel Buckham, an extremely interesting and thrilling drama of western Midnight Supper." No matinee.

and a comedy. Songs by Paul Kuhl. country. "The Trey O' Hearts" every Mon-

day night is growing in interest. Don't miss any of it.

Communication.

of trade has already been felt. Other products are also coming along in business men of the town, in my dealings with them for the Old People's their books in Michigan at the lowest Home as well as for myself. During wholesale price at which they are Everybody who is afflicted with them honest and conocientious in their under any conditions. The wholesale

CHRISTMAS MAIL

Postoffice Department Gives a Little Advice that Should be Heeded.

The establishment of parcel post has given a wonderful impetus to the use of the mails as a means of distributing Christmas gifts, and in view of the increased weight limit, reduced postage rates and other extensions of the service during the past year, it is anticipated that the amount of mail during the approaching holiday season will exceed all previous records. In order that the Christmas mail may be handled promptly and satisfactorily, it is essential that the public cooperate with the postal service to the fullest possible extent. Postmasters are requested, therefore, to make Union Thanksgiving services will be special efforts to impress this fact held at the Congregational church on upon their patrons, and in this con-Thursday morning, November 26, at nection should emphasize the impor-The bank officials will offer the corn 10 o'clock. The order of service will tance of the careful observance by the public of the following simple conditions:

Prepay postage fully on all parcels. Address parcels fully and plainly. Place name and address of sender on all matter.

Pack articles carefully and wrap them securely, but do not seal them, as sealed parcels are subject to postage at the letter rate.

Mail parcels early; they may be marked "Do not open until Christmas."

Insure valuable parcels, fee five or ten cents.

Written inscriptions such as "Merry Christmas," "Happy New Year," With Best Wishes," and numbers, names or letters for purpose of description, are permissable additions An offering will be received at this to fourth-class (parcel post) mail. service for the Belgium sufferers, to Books may bear simply dedicatory inscriptions not of a personal nature. Other written additions subject parcels to letter postage. Communica-Chelsea Choral Society Entertainment. tions prepaid at first-class rate may The Chelsea Choral Society, re- be sent with parcels prepaid at fourthcently organized by Prof. Thorpe of class rate provided they are securely

Named as West Point Cadet.

Albion Leader: Charles R. Gildart, son of the editor of The Leader, who society enrolls about forty of the best M. C. Smith to a cadetship at West people of this community with an ex- the preliminary examination at Kalamazoo in October. A class of five The concert is being given under applicants for the position wrote the the auspices of the senior class. The examination and the examining board admission will be twenty-five and found Mr. Gildart stood highest in fifteen cents without extra charge the class. The examination, however, is not final, and he will have to go before a board of army surgeons for a physical examination; and it he is It will not be possible any more to found to be satisfactory to them he

Help Michigan Hog Raisers.

The modern method of solving agricultural problems by investigating For Thanksgiving day the manage- them, not only in the laboratory, but ment of the Princess has secured the also on the farm, has given such adtwo part Rex feature "A Law Unto mirable results that it is to be ap-Himself" with Bob Leonard and plied to the anti-hog-cholera crusade. Congress has approprieted a half million dollars to carry on the work life and the Italian quarter. Also and experiments will be made in all two comedies "Easy Money" and "A parts of the United States. The aim will be not only to exterminate the Saturday, a Nestor drama, "Children disease in the test sections, but also of Fate" in which a horse and rider to discover the most practical, effiplunge over a thirty foot precipices cient and economical methods for "A Stone in the Road" a Rex drama continuing the work throughout the

This investigation will fill a longfelt want in Michigan, as the hog death rate in this State from cholera is 62 per 1,000 head, and hog raisers are losing an average of 81,406 hogs, I am grateful for the privilege valued at \$970,000 from this disease

School Textbooks. Publishers of textbooks must sell

Thanksgiving Specials

We Are Selling:

18 pounds best Granulated Sugar for
1 pound good roasted Rio Coffee
1 package choice Seeded Raisins, new crop
10 pounds choice Sweet Potatoes for
3 quarts fancy Cape Cod Cranberries for
1 pound Calumet Baking Powder
Fuil Cream Cheese, pound
Fancy Cream Brick Cheese, pound
Leader Brand Pastry Flour, Made in Chelsea, 241 lb. sack for 65c
Choice ripe juicy Grape Fruit
Choice Valencia Oranges, dozen
New Mixed Nuts, pound18c
New California Walnuts, pound
Fresh crisp Golden Heart Celery, fine flavor, tender, pkg 10c
Ripe Hubbard Squash, crisp solid Cabbage, Yellow Turnips, fresh hot house Lettuce.
Heinz fancy Dill Pickels, all alike in size and quality, doz 15c
Also the femous II-in- Court 10 Dist

Also the famous Heinz Sweet and Sour Pickles. Oysters fresh from the ocean as fast as the Express Company

can carry them. These have the real oyster flavor. The price is 25c pint of solid oyster meat. Three Cans Corn, Peas, Beans or Tomatos for 25c. Fancy New Orleans Open Kettle Molasses, light in color, and

Coffee Trade is Brisk

full of sugar, gallon, 60c. (Try this)

And the market price is lower. We are selling Coffee at 15e, 19c, 25c, 30c and 33c per pound.

Not much said about higher prices here. It pays to trade at

FREEMAN'S

population to testion Thanksgiving Day

Will mean more than a legal holiday to American citizens this year. With the world gripped in the most appalling wars of history: with the people of nations all about us suffering starvation and hardships untold. We are thankful that we have peace, prosperity, comfort and freedom; a government in which we have all confidence to keep us at peace, as well as resources and a new banking system which will insure continued and growing prosperity for our country.

Many people, too, are thankful that they have a steadily growing savings account with this strong bank, which gives them peace of mind when thoughts of the uncertain future arise. Have you one?

Farmers & Merchants Bank

Shoes and Rubbers

We have a fine line of Work Shoes and Rubber for men. Farmers come and look them over.

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Is supplied with the best that the market affords, and our prices are the lowest. We do not quote cut prices to get rid of inferior goods. We will not be undersold.

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WE ARE HERE TO SERVE YOU.

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TWENTY-SIX LIVES MICHGAN NEWS BRIEFS IS TOLL OF STORM

STEAMER C. F. CURTIS AND TWO TOWS ARE LOST IN TER-RIBLE GALE.

ACT OF HEROISM IS IN VAIN

Story of Fruitless Effort of Steamer to Rescue

Barge.

Munising-The finding of eleven bodies on the beach and the wreckage of the barge Annie M. Peterson and the corpse of Captain J. G. Jenstory of the awful toll of Thursdays legal. night's gale.

The Curtis had the Peterson and the Selden E. Marvin as tows when Curtis made the Munising harbor only | 000,000. to find that somewhere out in the storm the Peterson had parted from the other two.

Captain Jennings at once turned back presumably to search for the Leterson, taking with him the Marvin. It was an act of unexcelled heroism, but the finding of the captain's body proves how disastrous it was. There with all on board are lost. This means that twenty-six lives are the human toll of Thursday's storm at polis, gets No. 1. the worst point on Lake Superior. It

TWO KILLED IN AUTO WRECK

Strikes Passenger Train.

and William Hatton, 25, married, were brought to Menominee for burial. killed and five others injured, when a motor car owned and driven by dent of Lansing, died of heart disease Emil Heinte, struck a Michigan Cen- in a camp near South Branch where tral passenger train at a grade cross, he and a son, Frank, were stopping ing here early Sunday morning.

found wandering on the streets sev- 1854. eral hours later unable to tell where

Isham Jones, 21, compound fractur right leg; David Lee, 23, both legs enter West Point. Mr. Gildart recentfractured below the knees; Herbert ly passed the civil service test at Eib. 24, head cut and bruised; Wil- Kalamazoo. liam McKellar, single, bruised on the

was going at high speed and struck early Saturday morning. Realizing her the passenger train broadside.

JURY FINDS HUHTA GUILTY of no avail.

First Case Resulting From Great Strike in Copper Country Ended.

Marquette-John Huhta, first of the four defendants in the so-called Painesdale murder cases, was found guilty of murder in the first degree Saturday evening after the jury had been out only 45 minutes.

This is the first conviction in the Western Federation of Miners' conspiracy cases arising out of the Michigan copper strike that began a year ago last July. Special Prosecutor Nichols, who, with Deputy Attorney General Carr, conducted the case, included the conspiracy count in the complaint against Huhta.

Accidentally Kills Own Child.

Bay City-William Morley, a farmer

living near Moore's Junction, about aine miles northeast of Standish, accidentally shot and killed his fouryear-old son on his return late Sunday afternoon from a hunting trip. On reaching home Morley started to unload his high-powered repeating rifle before entering the building. As he was doing so, one of the cartridges was discharged. The bullet went through one wall of the house entered the dining room, where it struck the floor, and, glanding upward, hit the child in one thigh and passed through the abdomen, puncturing the bowel and bladder and causing a wound from which he died.

The boy was sitting in a chair at the table and his mother was in the

MICHIGAN NEWS ITEMS

Fire starting at 7 o'clock Tuesday is \$125,000, fully insured.

So great has been the increase at the Port Huron immigration office, that sall, a farmer near Roscommon, shot one more inspector, William Alexand- his son, Ralph, inflicting a wound er, of Quebec, was added to the local which may necessitate the amputation force this week. For several months the Port Huron station has handled more aliens than the Detroit station.

The boiler house and compressor house of the Superior mine at Houghton burned and compels the closing, sons killed in the overturning of a of the mine for probably a month, Michigan avenue car at Gratiot street throwing 300 men out of work, a hard-last spring, were settled out of court ship as under war conditions the me lave been working on reduced time

Walter Angus, of Vanmere, was killed while walking on the South Shore railroad tracks. He leaves a widow and four children.

The safe in the laundry owned by Theodore Hammen at Port Huron was forcibly opened by thieves early Friday morning and \$300 in money

Leonard Derby fell through the trap door in his barn in Genesee ounty. Finding of Captain's Body Tells Thursday night, and was so badly injured that he died in a Flint hospital

> Clyde Chapel of Jackson has re seived a telegram from Nogales, Ariz., stating that his son, Floyd, had been killed by a shot fired from across the Mexican border.

The board of supervisors of Lapeer county in special session refused to nings of the steamer C. F. Curtis on appropriate \$40,000 for good roads as the rocks between Point Au Sable proposed upon receiving advice from and Grand Marias Saturday tell the the prosecutor that it would be il-

The state tax commission boosted property valuations in Kent county more than \$18,000,000, as the result of it was struck by the storm. After a its recent visit. The total assessed flerce struggle with the elements the valuation of the county is now \$211,-

The Michigan Sugar Co. will pay a flat rate of \$6 a ton to farmers for all sugar beets for the 1915 campaign according to announcement made by General Manager W. H. Wallace, of Saginaw, Monday.

The issuance of auto licenses for 1915 has already begun from the office is little doubt that all three boats of the secretary of state, and William H. Martz, of Detroit, a member of the legislative delegation from the metro

John Hedlund, aged 21 ,of Metropolihas been called the "graveyard of the tan, sustained a broken neck in the woods near Metropolitan. A falling tree struck him. He was brought to the Swedish hospital of Iron Mountain where he died in a short time.

Two months ago Daniel Deacon and Five Others Injured When Machine his 19-year-old son, Leland, left Menominee for Fargo, N. D., to work. Friday both were suffocated by gas while Saginaw.-Richard McLean, 28, digging a well. The bodies were

William Foster, 83, a pioneer resiwhile hunting deer. He had been a Heinte, dazed from his injuries, was resident of Lansing and vicinity since

Charles Gildart, son of Editor Gilhe had been. The others injured dart, of the Albion Leader, has been named by Congressman Smith as the

Mrs. W. Walter Smith, 40 years old. An eye-witness says the motor car ing a quantity of poison by mistake died Sunday night as the result of takmistake almost immediately, she summoned a doctor, but his efforts were

> A. B. Baughman, an eye-witness to the assassination of President Lincoln. banker and merchant of Charlotte, and considered the wealthiest citizen of that city, is dead. In politics he was a life-long Democrat, serving as mayor of Charlotte.

> O. E. Williams, of Susquehenna, Pa., has secured a cottage at Long Lake near Fenton and will spend the winter there, rebuilding and testing zeroplanes. He takes daily flights with a hydro-aeroplane and many people go to the lake to see them.

It was announced Monday that the Grand Trunk will locate its big car shops at Port Huron if the people of Port Huron will raise \$100,000. This means a great deal to the city, as the shops, when running at capacity, give employment to 1,000 men.

Gov. Ferris has received from the secretary of the navy a letter in which It is stated that Lieut. J. H. Brooks, United States navy, on duty at the navy recruiting station in Detroit, has been assigned to duty as inspector instructor of the naval militia in De-

A verdict of not guilty was directed in the circuit court at Jackson Thursday in the murder case of Robert Crumbley, the Michigan Central railroad detective, charged with the killing of an unidentified tramp in the Michigan Central yards at Jackson on May 23, last.

Notice has been given by the Soo board of education of a special election to be held Dec. 2 to vote on a proposition to raise \$150,000 by bonding the district for a new high school building. The city has in it's school fund sufficient money to pay all of it's outstanding indebtedness.

Frederick G. White, aged about 45, of Saginaw, was killed Thursday morning totally destroyed the Wm. A. when the grocery delivery auto truck Reddicks' wire hardware specialty fac- he was driving was struck and detory, throwing 50 persons out of em- molished by a Saginaw-bound limited ployment. The Main street section interurban car from Flint. White was was threatened. The estimated loss backing out of the farm yard of Albert Plum, one mile out of the city.

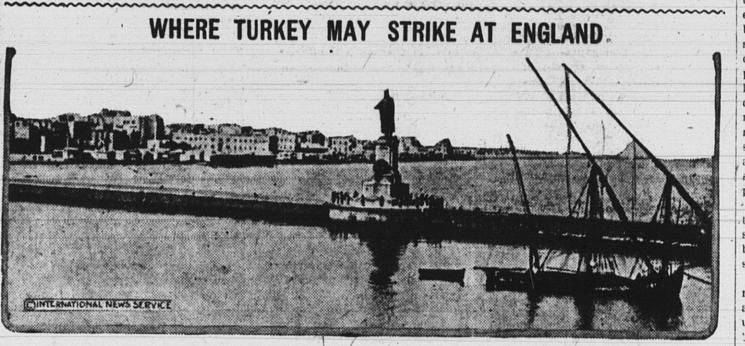
> Mistaking him for a deer, John Fearof his arm.

Damage suits aggregating \$125,000 which were started against the Saginaw-Bay City Street Railway Co. by the relatives of four of the five persons killed in the overturning of a Michigan avenue car at Gratiot street





John Wanamaker's mercy ship Thelma as she sailed from Philadelphia with her cargo of supplies for the sufferng Belgians, and at the right, the great merchant cheering the vessel on her way.



Entrance of the Suez canal at Port Said, Egypt, with statue of Ferdinand de Lesseps in the center.



This photograph, taken from a passing steamer, shows one of the English destroyers engaged in bombarding the Germans in the Belgian ports which they occupied until driven back from the sea by the British shells.

GETTING MILE OF PENNIES



Miss Mary Decker, daughter of Captain Decker of the U.S. S. Tennessee, whose launch was fired on by the Turks at Smyrna, is helping the women of Washington to collect a mile of pennies" for the relief of the

Gives Savings for Relief.

London.—A London servant girl who and \$25 on deposit in the post of savings bank wrote to the po and send half to the Prince of ellef fun and the rest to the Bel

FROM GULF TO GREAT LAKES



A train of harges and two tugs, laden with 600,000 feet of Louisiana red gum and oak, recently completed the record-breaking trip of 1,500 miles from New Orleans to Chicago via the Mississippi and the Chicago drainage canal. One of the barges is here seen in the 40-foot lift lock at Lockport, Ill.

LETTER FROM THE

COMMITTEE ON LAWS DELAYS MAKES PARTIAL REPORT TO GOVERNOR.

WOULD ABOLISH DEMURRERS

Warden Russell of Marquette Prison in Report Urges Purchase of More Land by State. for Farming Purposes.

[By GURD M. HAYES.]

Lansing-The law's delays and recommendations whereby such delays can be avoided are contained in the report made Thursday to Gov. Ferris by Alva M. Cummins, of Lansing; J. Clyde Watt, of Saranac, and Mark W. Stevens, of Flint, comprising the committee named by Gov. Ferris, under an act of the last legislature to appoint such a committee to revise and consolidate the laws of the state, many of which have been so long on the statute books that they have outgrown their usefulness.

The report, consisting of 581 pages in book form, is the result of several months' work by the three men, who have been untiring in their efforts to complete it before the 1915 session of the legislature.

Accompanying the report is the draft of a bill which will be presented to the legislature providing for the proposed changes, which consists of 81 chapters, containing 2,738 sections. The number of sections of the existing law which will be supplanted by this bill, if it is passed, is considerably larger, so that the work done by the commission covers approximately one-fifth of the statutory law of the state. The work of the commission is not complete in this report, which pertains solely to the revision and consolidation of the statutes relating to the organization on the necessity of enriching life and jurisdiction of the courts of the state, but will be followed by a report dealing with domestic relations. Dealing with the present delays of the law, the committee has this to say on the vital subject which has ship has received many inquiries rel been interesting the people of the ative to the collection of the federal state for the last two years:

"Under the existing practice, a decies. The department Friday handed murrer must be noticed for trial as down the following ruling, which is a calendar cause, and it is not un- of importance to the entire state. usual for a very simple legal question "The situation in Michigan o be made the means of from six that a company can not pass this tax months' to a year's delay in the lower as a separate item on to the assured court, by means of a demurrer or or to the agent. If the company seeks other dilatory -pleading; then the to have the assured pay the tax, it statutes give an appeal from an order will be in violation of act 285 of the overruling a demurrer in equity, ap- public acts of 1913, which prohibits plication to be made for a writ of the collection from the assured of any certiorari in law cases.

"We think that an application to the supreme court for leave to ap- for assuming the risk. If the compeal ought to be required in chancery cases, as is now required for the writ the agent, it will be in violation of of certiorari in law cases, to the end act 127 of the public acts of 1911, that, while in cases where meritorious prohibiting rebates on premiums of questions were presented, a review be- fire insurance policies. fore trial on the merits would be permitted, appeals for the mere purpose company can pass the tax on to the of delay would be made impossible.

"The supreme court of the United the premium itself, as written is the States has abolished demurrers, and policy, and it would have to be insubstituted therefor the proceeding cluded as a part of the premium, and we have proposed. It has also been not as a separate item. The comadopted in England, in New Jersey pany could do this, because we have and other jurisdictions, and has been no law regulating rates. The comrecommended in New York.

"We recommend the abolition of mium rate and a revenue tax charge notices of trial, and that all cases at also, nor can the matter be billed as issue on the tenth day before the two items to the assured. The entire first day of term be placed on the charge must appear as the premium. term calendar by the clerk without notice; that all cases which have been investigation as to whether in the on the calendar for four terms and past a federal court has ever ruled inactive during that period, be placed than an insurance company may pass under a separate heading, and, unless a similar federal tax on to an arcause is shown to the contrary on the sured. first day of term, that such causes be dismissed without a prejudice.

cases becoming at issue at a later day against the decision of the federal than the tenth day before the first court." day of the term may be placed on the calendar for trial at the pending term, after ten days' notice."

report filed Thursday with Gov. Ferris teachers' association, of which Supt for the bi-ennial period ending June Keeler is a member. 30, 1914, shows a loss to the state of Under the law passed at the last \$98,241. Jackson prison is on a pay- session of the legislature, physical ing basis, according to the last re- training is required in all schools in

poses is urged by Warden Russell, of tendent of public instruction may pre-Marquette, who calls attention to the scribe. The book just issued under fact that prison contracts are expire the direction of Supt. Keeler is of coning in 1916, which will throw 100 men siderable value to the teachers and out of employment, necessitating school board members as it gives the some means being devised to keep best ideas of the experts on child them at work. The farming theory of Warden Simpson, of Jackson, evidently is meeting with the approval training is evident," said Supt. Keeler. of the other wardens, judging from "There is a growing conviction among the per capita cost of maintenance of all who have given thought to the subthe various institutions, which places ject that the physical being in the Jackson below the other prisons.

During the bi-ennial period three has been an increase in the prison degree does the mental development population of 25, the number of inmates being 311 in 1912, and 336 in velopment and his physical condition 1914. This brings the prison popula. Pupils need training in babits in good tion to 24 hours. tion to 24 beyond the cell capacity, but little difficulty has been experienced in caring for the excess.

during the period for violation of their paroles, and four escaped in-mates (trusties) were returned. One hundred and two were returned. One hundred and two were paroled, 21 diss'earged et expiration of sentence.

and 12 transferred to Ionia. But three prisoners died during the period. The maintenance for the biennis period amounted to \$176,082 or \$88,041 a year. Of this amount, \$96,000 has been drawn from the state treasure and the balance derived from the earnings of the prison, which have

averaged \$38,920 a year. Twenty-three thousand three hundred and thiny. six dollars was paid the inmates for working during the two years. Much of the money earned was sent to the families of the prisoners dependent upon them for support.

"Out of the gross earnings of the prisoners, nearly 30 per cent has been paid the men for work done in excess of their tasks," says the warden in his report.

The warden also speaks of an improvement of the men toward prison management, and an increasing desire to co-operate with the prison govern-

In a proclamation issued Friday, Gov. Ferris urges the observance of Sunday, Nov. 29, as Tubercelosis day, The proclamation follows:

"We often speak of inalienable rights, among which are life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness.' La erty and happiness will follow if we put the emphasis on life. For can turies man has sought happiness and ignored the essentials of life, attributing to Providence physical suffering and death. Why not attribute phys. ical vigor and the joy of good health to Providence?

"The ravages of the 'white plague are appalling. Hardly a family in Michigan, hardly a family in the Uni ted States, that has not suffered directly or indirectly from this plague, "Cleanliness in birth, cleanliness in person, cleanliness in the use of air, water, food, clothing, shelter, work, thought and purpose make for godli-

"Teach and train all of the people to think less of physical sins; teach and train all of the people to think more and know more of the laws of health. The industrial world is fast coming to appreciate the tremendous value of all sanitary agencies. The right of an industry to exist rests on the necessity of conserving life, rests physically, mentally and morally. Physical righteousness exalteth a na

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"The only method by which the assured would be by including it in pany could not, however, make a pre-

"The above ruling is subject to an

"If such is the case," says Commissioner Winship, "I do not believe "We further favor a provision that our anti-policy law would operate

Superintendent of Public Instruction Fred L. Keeler has published a book entitled "Physical Training in the City Schools," which was prepared by Marquette prison, according to the the executive committee of the state

cities of 10,000 population or over, Additional land for farming pur subject to such rules as the superin-

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Manufacturers have placed on the ost discriminating woman of fashon could ask for. One can be quite clothing. The tonic of the cold will enjoyed by the most delicate of they have a style of their own. women if they are protected from dis-

nore full-handed in the matter of deirable top-coats for the coldest weathadapted to cloths, and both to the puroses for which the garment is to and smartness.

The balmacan of tweed, shown in course, they are charming.

INCE it has become the custom for the picture, is a fine type. Nothing women to get out of doors day in | could be plainer or more shapely. The edges at the fronts and about the collar and cuffs make a trim, decorative finish. The collar is of the roll-over kind that may be turned up and fastened close about the neck.

Other cloths used for this style are chinchilla, corduroy, plush, cheviot, velours, plaids and checks, and the vanarket as smart and trim lines as the rious cravenetted coatings, besides a few fancy weaves. For driving and for the auto, when

inconscious of the cold when forti- the weather is nipping, these substaned against it with the right kind of tial, well-adjusted coats make their the following icing: Beat the white of wearers cozy. Like a tailored suit, Many of the new models have a

pronounced flare to the skirt, but the cream until a cupful of cream and onc No winter season has come to us heaviest cloths are cut on most man- and three questers cupfuls of confecnish lines.

Ruffled Handbage.

There are some new namiongs of used. The result is coats with silk with a little flounce of plaited plendid qualities-warmth, durability slik or crepe about the top; the like a diminutive overskirt. And so, of

Thanksgiving is thanks living.

For evils that never arrived.

THE THANKSGIVING DINNER.

Our affections, however laudable, in

this transitory world, should never

There is nothing little to the really

RECIPES.

one cupful of grated ginger snaps, one

cupful of flour, one teaspooliful of

baking powder, half a pound of

chopped walnuts, a quarter of a pound

of mixed candied fruit, a quarter of

a pound of citron, a quarter of a

pound of figs, one glass of current

jelly, one teaspoonful of cinnamon,

and the rind of one lemon. Beat the

whites of the eggs stiff, beat the yolks

and add the sugar. Slice the figs in

strips and put the other fruit and nuts

through a meat chopper, reserve one

cupful of the mixture for the filling.

Combine with the eggs and sugar, add

one cupful of flour sifted with a tea-

spoonful of baking powder, add the

ginger snap crumbs and fold in the

white of the eggs. Bake in two well

greased layer cake tips for 12 minutes.

When done spread the jelly over one

layer while warm, sprinkle thickly

with fruit reserved for this purpose,

put on the other layer and spread with

one egg slightly, add three quarters

of a cupful of sugar. Then alternately

add one teaspoonful of sugar and

tioners' sugar have been used. Final-

ly add a teaspoonful of lemon juice,

Some of your grie's you have cured.

And the sharpest you still have sur-

But what terments of pain you en-

cake moist.

This is the one day in the year when the good old-fashioned dishes of our grandmother's day have chief place

The turkey may be prepared and stuffed the day before, to save time, and the cranberry jelly made, as well as the mince and pumpkin pies, so that the meal, if but one pair of hands are to prepare it, may be as simple as possible as to preparation. The

cider jelly may be made and ready to be turned from its mold, the nuts cracked and mixed with the raisins, the candy made, for who would not prefer the home-made candy? This will leave the vegetables and salad to prepare, which may be done

while the turkey is roasting and after the table is set. The table decoration may be just what one can easily obtain. Fruit and leaves are considered more appropri-

ate than flowers, Chrysanthemums are the fall flower. if one desires to use them, and autumn URNING to intricately carved | A little investigation reveals that leaves as decoration for place cards cameos for inspiration, designers although waves and curls are to be are always appropriate. Small pump-

lave produced a few daring and some cameo coiffure there is no telling what boxes may be used with good effect. Cider Jelly .- Soften 21/2 tablespoonhay be relied upon to provide variety ered. The waves are not always set fuls of gelatin in a half cupful of cold n styles, and the modern artist to and precise nor the curls always water; pour over this one cupful of ake advantage of every idea which smooth. The psyche knot and the hair boiling hot cider, add a cupful of suto be found in these wonderful turned back from the face, with part of gar, a third of a cupful of lemon juice. the ear showing, is a familiar enough When the gelatin is dissolved add mold to harden. This may be served

The chestnut dressing for the turrere seized upon as soon as launched, dividual as well as the professional key is prepared from a quart of chest-nuts which have been blanched and ful of fresh-bread crumbs, two tablespoonfuls of butter, a teaspoonful of salt, chopped parsley, pepper and milk or stock to moisten.

nellie Maxwell.

To Prevent Mold on Books. During continued damp weather books often become musty and even

His Answer Was Correct. Papa (concealing something in his hand)-"Willie, can you tell me what WITH THANKSGIVING AND JOY



For when we gladly eat our daily bread, we bless The Hand that feeds us; And when we walk along life's way in cheerfulness, Our very heart-beats praise the Lord that leads us. -Henry Van Dyke, D. D.

Mrs. Twitter's Little Dissertation on Mother's Joy in Preparing the Great Dinner.

She Didn't Seem to Take a Very Er thusiastic View of the Matter, But There Was a Reason for Her Well-Expressed "Grouch."

on the other is about to be performed. The coming Thursday will witness our great epicurean festival, which might be technically termed the Roya

"I'm not 'specially keen to listening to any sentimental ravings about the day," said Mrs. Twitter, with her usual suspicious and refrigerated tone of

"It's put in the calendar to pester us, that's all. Autumn brings us every kind of a misery it can pick up and lug home, after which we are cordially invited to gather together and be thankful. Thanksgiving day, like matrimony, is a good joke. You pawn the family iewels to send the kid-child to an expensive school. Blow one. You cavern into the recesses of a dark clothes closet and disinter your furs. They are somewhat deader than they were ever dead before. In fact, they are not fur at all, ha, ha! They are merely skin what has been skun. Swat two. The first cold day blows in and the radiator of the motor car freezes up, sneezes once, and calmly expires. Slam three. Grand opera stars collect, but father can't. So you don't go to the opera. Grief four."

"We are certainly drifting far away from the sweet and gentle spirit of holidays," said Mrs. Bumpweather. "The good old days are dead."

"And why are they good?" asked Mrs. Twitter. "They are good because they are old and because they are dead. Can't you hear our great-grand-



connet, and your own interpretation won't you, honey?" of the Castle walk—even you, my love, Mrs. Twitter wriggled about in

But I shall belong to my own old er sang for his supper, but I'd rather times; I shall not be classed with my grandmother's old time. I shall keep ... And she said it without the slightest alive with the elixir of the present show of shame.

moment. Do you know, I think our Thanksgiving days are really much nicer than those old ones. I can't see anything particularly roaring jolly about exploring to church through three feet of snow and meeting a flap-

hatted gent carrying a wild turkey.

All the Thanksgiving pictures are like

"But," continued Mrs. Twitter, "do they ever tell about dear mother and what sort of a time she had? For weeks she made mince meat and stewed pumpkins, and during the summer she sweltered over the fire to make the jelly. Imagine the thankfulness in her heart when she saw whole days of hard work gobbled up at one ES, ma'am," said Mrs. Bump meal. How charming to have all the litweather, "the mince pie is the folk around the house? Yes, ma'am? loaded, and the deadly conflict But what about sweeping up the mud between peace and comfort on tracks afterwards and plucking raisin one side and pain and pepsin seeds of the best mair cloth furniture,



"Cold Cloths on Her Brow." and washing up the tons of dishes? Mother did not sit before the fireplace and tell stories. She was putting little cotton blankets on her burnt thumbs, for basting a turkey is perilous business, let me tell you. How jolly it was to crack nuts, too. But where was mother? Oh, she was busy somewhere. Yes, we recollect now. She was putting a cold cloth on her throbbing brow; she had to pull herself together so as to have strength enough

to serve a bit of supper afterward." "They didn't have the movies then to furnish them with recreation," said Mrs. Bumpweather, "or theaters or tango dances. Visiting and eating were about the best they could do, and, after all, that's more fun than anything else. Give me time to get up a good, old-fashioned dinner and I can have the biggest spread of my sweet, middle-aged life. Compare such a meal to anything you can get downtown, or at any country club! My child, there's nothing equal to it, and it is really a lark to cook it."

"Blithers!" remarked Mrs. Twitter. Mrs. Bumpweather said nothing, as she meant it. "Rlithers!" exclaimed Mrs. Twitter

Mrs. Bumpweather slipped her hand through Mrs. Titter's arm. "You're tired, little one," said she.

When the enthusiasm gets out of your system, it's a sure sign that some other less pleasant microbe has crept in. You can't afford to let yourself nothers scoffing about new ideas and slip away like that. You've got to keep all that? Don't you suppose they were holding on, and feeling keen about huroaring about the dear old times that man events, and being interested, even had passed? Up to date though you if you're mending a pair of your old are, my lamb, with your slit skirt and man's trousers or picking the roast rubber buttons; in your tango shoe beef bones for hash. You'll come and oles, your chin strap on your little e t your Thanksgiving dinner with me.

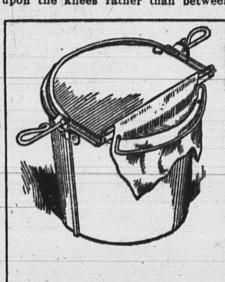
will some time belong to the good old naive, shy twist, supposedly to signify inexpressible joy.

"Even thus," agreed Mrs. Bump- "What for did I do all that growly weather, "even so. "Tis truth, I vow. talk?" asked she. "Little Tommy Tuck-

NEW SANITARY MILKING PAIL

Liquid is Strained by Passing Through Cloth Which Covers Opening-All Dirt Excluded.

A great deal of the dust and dirt which goes into the milk will be excluded therefrom by the use of the new sanitary milking pail recently invented. The principal feature of this design is that the bucket is always entirely covered and that the milk is strained before it reaches the interior of the pail. The pail has extensions on either side by which it is quite convenient to support it upon the knees rather than between



Milk Pail Entirely Covered.

them, thus lessening the labor and adding to the security of the contents of the bucket. The upper portion of the bucket is protected with a lid which almost covers the entire opening, leaving only a small aperture at the rim and in practice this aperture is covered by a piece of fine cloth with provision made for securing this in place. As the milk is drained from the cow it enters the bucket through this opening, passing first through the fabric. With reasonable care there is little possibility of foreign matter entering the milk pail supplied with this feature.

FEEDING CALVES DRY GRAIN

Digestive Tract is Small and Frequent Feeds of Modest Amounts During First Month Is Best.

In feeding skim milk calves the grain needed to supply the missing fat may be corn, barley, oats or a mixture. Occasionally a feeder has skim milk or alfalfa, or clover hay on hand, and to these he ad is linseed meal cottonseed meal or guten feed. These are all high in protein, and when any one of them is combined with skim milk and alfalfa-both high in protein-an unbalanced ration results and scours or other digestive troubles follow.

The digestive tract of a calf is small and frequent feeding of small amount during the first month is best. During the first month it is better to grind the grains fed. At the end of this period either oats or corn may be fed unground. Hard grains like kafir and milo give best results when ground. All grain should be fed dry in a trough. Mixing feeds with milk is not recommended, as calves chew their feed better when fed dry.

Alfalfa is nature's choicest gift to the dairy farmer.

Feed the silage after milking or an hour or two previous.

The development of the dairy heifer begins with her feeding when a calf.

A calf should be weaned from its mother within three days after its

The cow is the unit of the dairy industry. Upon her quality its success depends.

An abundance of alfalfa and bran insures a sufficient amount of protein and mineral matter.

One of the greatest arguments in favor of fall freshening is that it balances the work of the farm to a nicety.

All bulls should be treated as though they were ugly and vicious. Any other method of treating them is careless in the extreme.

Cream that is too ripe is not fit for butter-making. It should be churned as soon as it reaches the proper degree of acidity.

Corn cut at the dent stage of maturity has reached its maximum growth and silage made at this time has its maximum value.

Even under best of conditions calves are inclined to bark apple trees, and should not be turned loose in young orchards.

If milk contains large numbers of blood corpuscles or pus cells, it is an indication that the cow from which it was drawn is diseased.

A good cigarette must be made of pure tobacco and the most choice leaf. Such is Fatima—the most popular, mild Turkishblend cigarette, now smoked almost universally in this country! "Distinctively Individual."

Liggett & Myers Tabacco Co.



Pluck.

Lawson-Biones has been married for a year now, and he still looks happy. Dawson-Bjones always was a good

YOU NEVER TIRE OF CUTICURAL

The Soap to cleanse and purify, the Ointment to soothe and heal. These fragrant super-creamy emollients and prophylactics preserve, purify and beautify the skin. The daily use of the Soap for all toilet purposes and occasional use of the Ointment tend to prevent pimples, redness and roughness, dandruff and red, rough hands. Sample each free if you wish. Address postcard, Cuticura, Dept. X, Boston. Sold everywhere.-Adv.

The Easiest Way. Fifth Avenue Pedestrian-Which is the quickest way to the morgue, offi-

Traffic Cop-Just across the street

Halted in His Search. "They say your husband was out

looking for work." "Yes. I believe he's out looking at work. There are some men digging a hole down at the corner, and he doesn't seem ab'e o get any farther." Stray Stories,

The Tip.

"Study a child's character," said Henry Ford in Washington. "Note his proclivities. Then choose a trade or a profession for him accordingly. "I sent a little boy out the other day

with a quarter to make a small purchase for me. On his return he told me the article I desired was out of stock, and handed back my quarterin the form of two dimes and a nickel.

Our Early Chinese Trade. The rapid growth of our early trade with China is shown by the fact that the 37 vessels carrying in 1805 nearly five and three-quarters millions' worth of goods to Canton, represented a larger fraction of our total foreign commerce than our trade with the whole of China does today. The silver imported to balance American trade with China averaged more than two and a half millions annually in the 30 years down to 1827, and reached a maximum of seven and a half millions in 1818.-John Ford, in Youth's Companion.

Let Them Speak

For Themselves

You needn't take anybody's word for the superiority of Post Toasties-Get a package from your

Grocer, pour some of the crisp, sweet flakes into a dish, add cream or milk, and a sprinkle of sugar if you wish. Then be the judge of

Post **Toasties**

The Superior

Corn Flakes

-made from the hearts of the finest Indian Corn, skilfully cooked, seasoned, rolled and

Toasties are not ordinary "com flakes," so remember when you want Superior Corn Flakes to ask your grocer for

Post Toasties

Cameo Coiffure Is the Latest



ery beautiful hairdressings. Cameos

arved pictures. coiffures some of their most daring certain little touches and details in forts, and a few copies which fol- most of them, to make them worth in individual molds. owed the originals almost exactly, while as a subject of study for the ina career which may establish it as

Tight curls and smooth, even waves, nd much elaboration in arrangement, haracterize coiffures which follow the aggestions of the camec. Two of able capes and one may choose one's ere white no one would need to be fastening with a snap button at the old that she is wearing it a la cameo. back of the waist giving a very solis waved with the utmost precision, dierly effect. The toreador cape is he elegance of this arrangement. It an ornament and makes no pretense quaint and charming.

amiliar than that already described. It is with head on one side and tait evening frock. Most serviceable of all on the other?" Willie (triumphantly) is the red ridinghood cape, which is a recoster on a gathered into a turned over collar and the content of the conten

coiffures have studied them and counted on as always present in the kins to hold candies or any toy fruit oddity of arrangement may be discov-Much to the surprise of the artists arrangement in cameos. But there are two cupfuls of cider and pour into a

There are several kinds of fashionem are shown here, and if the hair favorite style. The officer's cape has the lovely lady shown at the left straight military lines, crossed bands than combed. There is no denying at the back of the collar. It is merely of affording warmth. The mantilla cape is of lace and is draped over the of curls at the back is a type less bare neck and arms at the back of the it is with head on one side and talk already described.

JULIA BOTTOMLEY.

Styles of Capes.

worn rakishly over one shoulder and moldy. This can be prevented by is rather short, rarely falling much placing a few drops of oil of lavender venly placed, and the chignon as below the waist line. The page cape and Canada balsam in the back corner hapely and smooth as it accordingly below the waist line. pely and smooth as if carved rath- is a gay little affair of silk attached of each bookshelf.

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PERSONAL MENTION.

John Fletcher spent Sunday in De-

Miss Rose Droste was in Jackson Sunday.

John Hummel was a Jackson visitor Sunday.

George Walworth spent Saturday in Ann Arbor.

E. E. Koebbe, of Ann Arbor, was home Sunday.

Kent Walworth was a Jackson visitor Sunday Edward Frymuth was a Jackson

visitor Sunday. L. T. Freeman was in Detroit Tuesday on business.

Miss Leona Belser was in Ann Arbor Saturday.

Miss Winifred Eder visited friends in Jackson Sunday.

Julius Strieter was in Detroit Sat-

urday on business. Claude Spiegelberg, of Detroit, was home over Sunday. Theodore Paul spent Sunday with

his sisters in Jackson. Fred Warblow spent Sunday with his parents in Wayne.

Charles Pixley, of Grass Lake, was a Chelsea visitor Friday.

Miss Genevieve Hummel was a Grass Lake visitor Friday.

Wm. Haussler, of Bridgewater, wa a Chelsea visitor Tuesday. Albert Lemm, of Jackson, was

Chelsea Monday evening. Miss Marjorie Hepburn spent Sun

day with friends in Jackson. Mrs. Charles Martin and Mrs. A. B

Clark were in Ypsilanti Monday. Norbert Foster, of Ann Arbor, was

the guest of relatives here Sunday. Mrs. Arthur Schulte and children visited relatives in Detroit Sunday.

Miss Phyllis Raftrey, of Detroit, spent Sunday with her mother here: Miss Laura Welhoff, of Ann Arbor,

spent Sunday with her parents here J. B. Cole was in Ypsilanti Monday. Miss Eleanor Dancer visited friends in Ann Arbor Saturday and Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. W. S. McLaren and

Sunday. Miss Anita Kelly, of Niagara Falls,

is spending today with Miss Agnes Mrs. George Wackenhut and daugh-

ter Lillie were Ann Arbor visitors Saturday.

Mrs. Joseph Kolb spent Saturday with her daughter, Mrs. Steele, in Ann Arbor.

Mrs. H. G. Spiegelberg and daughters returned to their home in Detioit Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis, of Ann Arbor. were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. W

Maroney Sunday Miss Loretta McCarthy, of Ann Arbor, was the guest of Miss Minola

Kalmbach Sunday. Mrs. Howard Ellis, of Grand Rapids, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and

Mrs. H. S. Holmes. children were guests of relatives in

Grass Lake Sunday. Mrs. Rose Zulke returned Friday from a two weeks visit with relatives

and friends in Detroit. Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Lehman and Miss Pauline Girbach visited rela- All members are requested to be

tives in Jackson Sunday. Mrs. C. A. Mapes and Miss Lucile Farrell, of Gregory, are guests of

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mapes. Miss Lenora Handcock, of Jackson, is a guest at the home of Mr. and

Mrs. Roy Evans this week. Mr. and Mrs. Louis Burg are guests today at the home of their daughter,

Mrs. H. H. Lyons, of Jackson. Mr. and Mrs. Scott Shell, of Detroit, were guests of his parents, Mr.

and Mrs. Daniel Shell, Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. James Geddes, Mrs. R. B. Waltrous and Miss Ella Sl attended the funeral of J. E. Hueston in Grass Lake Saturday.

CHURCH CIRCLES

Rev. A. A. Schoen, Pastor. Services at 1:45 a. m Sunday school at 2:45 a. m.

ST. PAUL'S. Rev. A. A. Schoen, Pastor. Services at 9:30 a. m. Sunday school at 10:30 a. m Young People's service 7 p. m.

BAPTIST. Rev. A. W. Fuller, Pastor. Morning service at 10 o'clock. Sunday school at 11:15 a. m. 700 p. m. Union service at the M. 7:00 p. m. Thursday prayer meeting.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL. Rev. G. H. Whitney, Pastor. Services at 10 a. m. Sunday school following preaching. Junior League at 3 p. m. Epworth League at 6 p. m. Union evening service at 7 o'clock. Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7 o'clock.

SALEM GERMAN M. E. CHURCH. NEAR FRANCISCO. Rev. G. C. Nothdurft, Pastor. Junior League Saturday 2 p. m. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. German worship at 10:30 a. m. Epworth League at 7:00 p. English worship at 7:30 p. m. Everyone is cordially invited to all

CONGREGATIONAL. Rev. Charles J. Dole, Pastor. Morning worship at ten o'clock. Sunday school at eleven o'clock. Young People's meeting at 9:15 p. m. Subject "Missionary Heroes and

these services.

Union evening service at seven o'clock. This will be the last of the union services for the season, and every one should make an effort to at-

Physician With "Trey O' Hearts."

It is an interesting fact, and one that is not generally known, that in view of the unusual dangers that attend the production "The Trey O Hearts" series now running at the Princess Theatre every Monday evening, the company is not allowed to leave the studio grounds at Hollywood for the purpose of staging scenes in the serial unless it is accom panied by one of the company physicians from the hospital at Universal City. With him goes an emergency kit complete enough for him to set up a temporary field hospital should the occasion arise. So far as Mrs. George Ewing and children can be ascertained, this is the first are spending sometime in Belleville. time on record where such a precaution has been deemed necessary. The wisdom of the unusual procedure. however, has been demonstrated a number of times, for scarcely an installment is completed that has not been attended by some accident of more or less seriousness, calling for daughter were Jackson visitors Sun- the immediate services of a physician. That none of them have been serious R. A. Sanborn, of New York, was a is, of course, partly due to the guest at the home of J. B. Cole Sun- character of the actors who are willing to run such risks. But it must be Mr. and Mrs. George Weeks, of De- admitted that luck seems to have troit, were guests of friends here played an important part in the happy termination of several of them.

Announcements.

A regular meeting of Olive Chapter, . E. S., will be held Wednesday evening, December 2.

Remember the chicken pie supper and fair at the Congregational church Wednesday, December 9.

The ladies of the M. E. church will hold a sale and supper in the church parlors Friday, December 4.

The next meeting of the Bay View Reading Club will be held at the home of Mrs. John R. Gates on Monday evening, November 30.

The Lady Maccabees will give a masquerade party (for ladies only) at Maccabee hall, on Tuesday evening, December 1. Every lady is to bring a friend. Scrub lunch.

The ladies of the Baptist church will consider it a favor, if the parties Mr. and Mrs. Herman Dancer and who took the chicken pies last week without settling for same, will kindly

eave the pans on the church steps. Tuesday evening, December 1st Chelsea Camp, No. 7338, M. W. A. will improved facilities for distribution. elect their officers for the coming vear followed by their annual supper.

Try This For Your Cough.

Thousands of people keep coughing because unable to get the right remedy. Coughs are caused by inflammation of throat and bronchial torbid all hunting, trapping or trestubes. What you need is to soothe passing on our farms. this inflammation. "Take Dr. King's John Walsh New Discovery, it penetrates the deli- Fred Artz cate mucous lining, raises the phlegm Mrs. F. P. Glazier Wm. Long Mrs. Mrs. Myrta Everett. and quickly relieves the congested Chas. Hashley membranes. Get a 50c bottle from C. D. Jenks your druggist. "Dr. Kings's New

MARKETING WORLD'S GREATEST PROBLEM

WE ARE LONG ON PRODUCTION, SHORT ON DISTRIBUTION.

roducts is today the world's greates roblem and the war, while it has brought its hardships, has clearly emphasized the importance of distribu tion as a factor in American agriculture and promises to give the farm, ers the co-operation of the government and the business men the solution of their marketing problem

This result will, in a measure, compensate us for our war losses, for the business interests and government have been in the main assisting almost exclusively on the production side of agriculture. While the depart ment of agriculture has been dumping tons of literature on the farmer telling him how to produce, the farmer has been dumping tons of products in the nation's garbage can for want of a

The World Will Never Starve. At no time since Adam and Eve were driven from the Garden of Eden have the inhabitants of this world suffered from lack of production, but some people have gone hungry from the day of creation to this good hour for the lack- of proper distribution. Slight variations in production have forced a change in diet and one locality has felt the pinch of want, while another surfeited, but the world as a whole has ever been a land of plenty.

We now have less than one-tenth of the tillable land of the earth's surface under cultivation, and we not only have this surplus area to draw on but it is safe to estimate that in case of dire necessity one-half the earth's population could at the present time knock their living out of the trees of the forest, gather it from wild vines and draw it from streams. No one should become alarmed; the world will never starve.

The consumer has always feared that the producer would not supply him and his fright has found expression on the statute books of our states and nations and the farmer has been urged to produce recklessly and without reference to a market, and regardless of the demands of the consumer.

Back to the Soll. The city people have been urging each other to move back to the farm, but very few of them have moved. habit of visiting the school house in tains 16,092,160,000 idle acres of tillable land where they can make a living by tickling the earth with a forked stick, but we do not need them so far as increasing production is concerned; we now have all the producers we can use. The city man has very erroneous ideas of agricultural conditions. The commonly accepted theory that we are short on production is all wrong. Our annual increase in production far exceeds that of our increase in population.

The World as a Farm.

Taking the world as one big farm, we find two billion acres of land in cultivation. Of this amount there is approximately 750,000,000 acres on the western and 1,260,000,000 acres on the eastern hemisphere, in cultivation. This estimate, of course, does not include grazing lands, forests, etc., where large quantities of meat are produced.

The world's annual crop approximates fifteen billion bushels of ce reals, thirteen billion pounds of fibre and sixty-five million tons of meat. The average annual world crop for the past five years, compared with the

previous five years, is as follows: Past Half Previous Half Decade. Crops- Decade. Corn (Bu.) 3,934,174,000 3,403,655,000 3,257,526,000 Wheat(Bu.) 3,522,769,000 Oats (Bu.) 4,120,017,000 3,508,315,000 17,541,200 Cotton (Bales) 19,863,800

The world shows an average increase in cereal production of 13 per cent during the past decade, compared with the previous five years, while the world's population shows an increase of only three per cent.

The gain in production far exceeds that of our increase in population, and it is safe to estimate that the farmer can easily increase production 25 per cent if a remunerative market can be found for the products. In textile fibres the world shows an increase during the past half decade in production of 15 per cent against a population increase of three per cent.

The people of this nation should address themselves to the subject of

Over-production and crop mortgage force the farmers into ruinous co petition with each other. The remedy lies in organization and in cooperation in marketing.

Notice to Hunters.

We, the undersigned freeholders

Louis Stapish Michael Dealy

Discovery quickly and completely stopped my cough writes J. R. Watts Chelsea fire department in the hall Floydale, Texas. Money back if not over H. F. Brooks' pool room Tuesday satisfied, but it nearly always helps.

CORRESPONDENCE.

LIMA TOWNSHIP NEWS.

Fred Staebler was in Ann Arbor Saturday.

Geo. Whittington was a recent Ann Mrs. John Steinbach and son Martin

vere in Ann Arbor Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bahnmiller and hildren spent Sunday in Chelsea.

Edgar and Carl Meyer, of Sharon, pent Sunday with Clarence Koeng-

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Easton spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs.

Mr. and Mrs. John Egler, of Dexter, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Smith. Miss Carrie Renz has been spending

few days in Lodi with her sister, Mrs. Wm. Lindeman. Charles Strieter, of Ann Arbor, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr.

and Mrs. Jacob Strieter. Mrs. Lena McLaughlin, of Chelsea, pent Wednesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Whittington.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Hinderer, of Chelsea, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Koengeter.

Miss Eva Koch, who has been spendng the past week at the home of her parents, returned to Ann Arbor Sun-

Miss Eda Koch, who has been spendng some time with relatives and friends in Jackson, returned home

Russell Wheelock and children are Thaksgiving guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Washington, of Ann Arbor.

Miss Amanda Gross left Friday for Detroit, where she will spend some time at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Spiegelberg.

Mr. and Mrs. Emanuel Sodt and Eva Koch, of Ann Arbor, Wm. Frey, of Scio, Gottlob Koch, of Detroit, Miss Mary Haab, of Chelsea, and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Loeffler and son, of Freedom, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Emanuel Eisenman.

For some time past young boys from Chelsea and vicinity have been in the We welcome our city cousins back to district No. 3, commonly called the Friday from a two week's visit at the Bowen school, entering the building, marking up the books, shooting the outbuildings full of holes and otherwise destroying the property of the district. As some of the boys are known to the officers, arrests are liable to be made unless the lawless acts are stopped at once. Stop it, boys, and save trouble for yourselves.

UNADILLA NEWS.

Chandler Lane was in Howell Mon-

Roy Palmer is moving on Frank May's farm. Frank May, of Jackson, is spending

this week here. Louis Lane is doing some building

for Stevenson Hadley. Mr. and Mrs. George Richmond were in Jackson Sunday.

L. Smith, of Pinckney, is decorating the Presbyterian church. A. C. Collins and family spent Sun- another farm.

day at the home of S. Hadley. Mrs. Mollie Smith is spending this week at the home of W. T. Barnum. The ladies of the Presbyterian

Friday evening. Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Watson and Mr and Mrs. C. I. Williams visited at the

home of Charles Hartsuff Sunday. Mrs. Willis Opdycke will entertain the Ladies' Aid Society of the Presbyterian church next Wednesday, December 2, for dinner.

SYLVAN HAPPENINGS.

Two auto loads from Chelsea attended the feather party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Grieb, on Monday evening of this week.

Report of the school in district No. 6 fractional Sylvan for the month ending November 20. Total enrollment 14; total attendance 265.75; average daily attendance 13.25; percent of attendance .94. Pupils not absent for the month: Lucille Liebeck, George Liebeck, Frances Rasine, Elery Larson. Neither absent nor tardy: Ray Mensing, Ida Oesterle. Helen L. Mohrlok, teacher.

Notice to Lima Taxpayers.

The undersigned will be at Lima

WILLIAM LUICK, Treasurer.

Blanket Specials

32x76	Heavy Fleeced Blankets, white, gray or tan98c
34x80	Heavy Fleeced Blankets, very soft, white, gray or tan
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Ask to see these new Dull Finish Cloth Top Shoes, Specially priced at\$2.50

To "Hurry Up" Christmas Business

We are making some special inducements in Handkerchief values. See our center counter.

Grocery Specials Our 33c Coffee best at price 10 pound pail Corn Syrup......40c Arm & Hammer Soda......5c Bakers' Chocolate, pound......35c Try our 21c Coffee

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NORTH FRANCISCO.

Miss Clara Riemenschneider spent Saturday in Ann Arbor.

H. Harvey and family spent Sunday at the home of his brother and family, of Root's Station. Miss Mabel Notten returned home

Dancer, of Chelsea. Mrs. George Havens, of Hope, Mich., who has been spending some time at the home of her daughter, Mrs. John

Miller, returned to her home Tues-The friends and neighbors of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Riemenschneider met at their home last Thursday evening and gave them a surprise. They presented them with a rug as a re-

FREEDOM ITEMS.

membrance of the occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Feldkamp, who had their home destroyed by fire Tuesday night of last week, are preparing to move into the residence on the farm of Mr. Feldkamp. The residence is at present occupied by Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Knickerbocker, who are making arrangements to move to

Auction Sales.

Mrs. Eugene McIntee will sell at public sale on the premises of the late Eugene McIntee, situated two miles church cleared \$60 at their fair last northeast of Waterloo village, on Saturday, November 29, commencing at one o'clock p. m., 20 acres of Tree Tops. This is a good opportunity to get a year's wood at a reasonable price. E. W. Daniels, auctioneer.

Hadley Bros. and W. S. Baird will sell the personal property at public auction, on the premises known as the Pat. Lavey farm, 51 miles north of Dexter and 21 miles east of North Misses Alice and Nellie Savage Lake, on Tuesday, December 1, comspent Sunday with friends in Grass mencing at 11 o'clock, noon, consisting of 1 bay gelding 8 years old, weight 1400; 1 sorrel mare 14 years old, with foal, weight 1300; bay colt 4 years old in the spring; two brown colts 2 years old in the spring; gray colt 2 years old in the spring; Brown mare 8 years old in the spring; Black horse 13 years old, weight 1300; ten head of cattle; 82 ewes; 54 lambs; 4 brood sows; 20 shoats; line of farm! tools; quantity of hay, bean pods and cornstalks. E. W. Daniels, auctioneer; P. E. Noah, clerk,

M. C. Updike having sold his farm will sell at public auction the personal property on the premises, situated four miles south of Chelsea, on Thursday, December 10, commencing at 10 town hall, on December 4, 11 and 18; o'clock a. m., consisting of 12 good at The Kempf Commercial & Savings horses; 17 head of choice cattle; 22 Bank, Chelsea, December 26; Dexter Duroc Jersey hogs; poultry; farm tools; Savings Bank, January 2, to receive household goods; hav and grain. Hot household goods; bay and grain. Hot lunch at noon. E. W. Daniels, auc-

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Take notice of our line of Heavy Pants in Kerseys and Corduroys at \$1.50 and up. Some great values.

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You are almost ready for one of those warm lined Duck or Corduroy Coats. Here are the finest sheep lined Coats at \$5.00. \$5.50 and \$7.00. Warm lined Ducks at \$1.50 to \$2.50, and Corduroys at \$3.00 and \$4.00.

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We solicit your business.

The Kempf Commercial & Savings Bank

LOCAL ITEMS.

John Strahle and daughter Carrie have moved to their new home on south Main street.

Frank Zulke returned to his home here the first of the week from an extended stop in Detroit.

Miss Elsie Maroney entertained the Young Ladies' Sewing Club at her home on Railroad street Friday even-

The superintendent and two of the teachers of the Plymouth high school visited the Chelsea high school last

Mrs. Ralph Holmes and sons David and Robert, of Battle Creek, are the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Noyes.

The Detroit stock yards have been thoroughly disinfected and were opened to receive shipments of stock on Tuesday of this week.

Elmer Smith, Elmer Winans, Geo T. English and Howard Boyd were in tended a spraying demonstration.

Mrs. E. B. Hammond is at the private hospital of Dr. Reuben Peterson, an operation Wednesday afternoon.

Next Sunday will be observed as the Lady Maccabees. turberculosis day and the churches throughout the county have been requested to conduct appropriate serices on that day.

tional church served one hundred and Big Rapids. sixty meals at the supper which they gave in the church on Monday evening of this week.

A number of the friends of Mrs. Geo. J. Crowell and her daughter, Miss Nina, met at their home on Mc-Kinley street and gave them a surprise party Saturday evening.

Do your Christmas shopping early and secure your selections while the stocks of our merchants are full and fresh from the market. Only 29 days left to do your trading for Christmas.

Herbert Icheldinger, who has been os the L. T. Freeman Co. for the past on Saturday of this week. few months, has resingned and will take a course in the business college at Ypsilanti.

charge of the section at Francisco on cago from November 28 to December the Michigan Central, for the past 5, have received with regret the anfew months returned to his work on nouncement that the exposition has the east section from the Chelsea been declared off, owing to the apstation on Wednesday.

The boys of the high school have organized a debating clud which they have named the Lincoln De-

ing in the upper peninsula for the last three weeks, returned home Tuesday with two deer to his credit. He the party secured fourteen deer. Mr. ary 1, 1915. Parker expects to receive his deer the last of the week.

The Chelsea fire department elected the following officials at their meeting Thursday evening: President, Roy Evans; secretary, George Hamp; treasurer, Roy Harris; steward Charles Kaercher; captain No. 1, Roy Evans; captain No. 2, Wm. Oesterle; captain book and ladder, Milo Shaver; Howard Brooks is chief of the department.

The forty-fourth annual meeting of the Michigan State Horticultural Soeiety is to be held at Kalamazoo, December 1, 2 and 3. The officers of the society have been busy for months making plans for this meeting and it is expected to be the largest and most important meeting that the society other states and the program covers three full days with one evening ses sion and an annual banquet.

All of the arrangements for the Thanksgiving banquet to be given in St. Mary's hall, for the benefit of St. Mary's school this evening have been completed. The ladies of the Church of Our Lady of the Sacred Heart will have charge of the banquet and their skill as chefs is sufficient to fill all of the requirements for a first-class bill of tare. The Sisters of St. Dominic, who'have charge of the school, have prepared an excellent musical and iterary program. The Johnson Famtain the public. Hon. J. V. Sheehan, 3:00 p. m. Please place your orders of Ann Arbor, will be the principal early. speaker.

Rush Green is confined to his home by illness. He is reported as being in a serious condition.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. McLaren entertained a number of friends at their home last Friday evening.

Hollis Freeman is entertaining a number of boy friends at the Freeman cottage at Cavanaugh Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Ulrickson, of Jackson, are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. McLaren today.

Henry Steinbach, of Cleveland,

spent the first of the week with his

parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Steinbach.

The rural mail carriers from the Chelsea postoffice will not make their usual trips today, as it is a legal holi-

Miss Hughes left Wednesday evening for her home at Hillsdale where she will spend the remainder of the

Roy Hadley and Frank Hopkins received a new eight roll Advance corn husker and shredder last Thursday at

A private dancing party was held Ann Arbor Saturday where they at- in the K. of P. hall Wednesday evening. The music was furnished by Miller and Handcock of Jackson.

Mrs. James W. Speer and Mrs. Wm. of Ann Arbor, where she underwent Campbell were in Horton last Friday where they attended the meeting of the Jackson County Association of

August Lambert, who has been employed in the drug store of Steger & Spiegelberg, at Detroit, for the past few months, has resigned his position The young ladies of the Congrega- and will attend the Ferris institute at

> Rev. Father Louis P. Goldrick, who has served as pastor of St. Patrick's church of Northfield for the last twenty-five years, will celebrate the event next Sunday. A number of priests will be present and assist in conducting the services.

At a recent meeting of the Wash tenaw County Pomona Grange held in Ann Arbor a committee was appointed to assist with work of relief for the Belgiums. This committee will meet with Lafayette, Cavanaugh Lake and North Sylvan Granges at employed in the grocry department their joint meeting in Maccabee hall

Chelsea citizens who have been looking forward to attending the International Live Stock Exposition, Conrad Heselschwerdt, who has had which was to have been held in Chipearance of the dreaded foot and mouth disease in the east and middle

The board of county canvassers did bating Society. The officers are: not have to recount the entire vote President, Lloyd Kalmbach; vice of the county for sheriff. When they president, Evert Benton; secretary, adjourned on Thursday Mr. Linden-George Noeckel; treasurer, Hollis schmitt had a lead of 25 over Granger. Friday morning the attorney for Mr. Granger informed the board that his John B. Parker, who has been hunt-client was satisfied and withdrew the request for the recount of the remainder of the county. The board issued a certificate of election to Mr. was accompanied on the trip by seven Lindenschmitt as sheriff, and he will other hunters from Ann Arbor and take, possession of the office on Janu-

A Money Saver.

Rural patrons of the Standard have an opportunity of getting in on the biggest money saving newspaper bargain that has ever been pulled off in Michigan.

This is the time of the year when the days are short and the nights long. They give our friends plenty of time to read, to gather about the fireside in the evening and discuss those topics which are of mutual interest in every household. The Standard is enabled, through a

special arrangement with The Detroit Tribune, morning edition, to offer both papers to all the people on the rural free delivery routes at such a low price that no one can afford to overlook it. The offer will not last forever. In fact, it is limited to a pected from all parts of Michigan and short time only and we urge you to

By this arrangement we are enabled to offer both papers for the extremely low price of \$2 for one year.

Queen Esther Society. The Queen Esther Society have reorganized and the following officers

were elected: President-Mildred Daniels. Vice President-Jessie Clark. Secretary-Sylvia Runciman. Treasurer-Ethel Kalmbach.

Notice.

On and after next Monday the Merchants' Delivery will make deliveries ily, of Chicago, and a number of good as follows: East side at 8 a. m. and speakers will be present to enter- 1:30 p. m. West side at 10 a. m. and

GENERAL DELIVERY.

Women's Coats at \$10 New Arrivals

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SYNOPSIS.

The 3 of Hearts is the "death-sign" used by Seneca Trine in the private war of vengeance, through his daughter, Ju-dith, a woman of violent and criminal temper and questionable sanity, he wages Against Alan Law, whose father (now dead) Trine held responsible for the ac-cident which made him a helpless cripple. Rose, Judith's twin and double, learning of her sister's campaign against Alan leaves her home to aid him, whom sh Under dramatic circumstances Alan saves Judith's life and so wins her love; but failure to shake his constancy to Rose fixes Judith in her purpose.

CHAPTER IX.

Forewarned.

The thing was managed with an ingenuity that Alan termed devilish-it was indisputably Machiavellian.

The lovers had come down from the North in hot haste and the shadow of death Two days of steady traveling by canoe, by woods trail, by lake steamer forty eight hours of fatigue and strain eased by not one instant's relaxation from the high tension of vigilance upon which their very lives through this tedious afternoon on the lifted her into a taxicab. train from Moosehead-a trap of physical torment only made possible by Alan's luck in securing, through sheer tip." accident, two parlor-car reservations turned back at the last moment before leaving Kineo station.

No matter-the longest afternoon must have its evening.

As if in answer to this thought, the train slowed down with whistling brakes to the last hill-station, and as the trucks groaned and moved anew, a lout of a boy came galloping down

grams for Mista Lawr!' Alan had been expecting at every station a prepaid reply to his wire for reservations on the night express from

Portland to New York.

But why two envelopes superscribed "Mr. A. Law, Kineo train southbound, advised inquiries; then his luck, such Oakland Sta.?"

He tore one open, unfolded the indrew-part way only-a playing card. a trev of hearts

both envelopes together, tore them into a hundred fragments, and scattered them from the window. But



He Could Have Ground His Teeth in Exasperation

the flendish wind whisked one small scrap back-and only one!-into the lap of the woman he loved. Vainly he prayed that she might

be asleep. The silken lashes trembled on her cheeks and lifted slightly, disclosing the dark glimmer of questioning eyes. And as she clipped the scrap of cardboard between thumb and forefinger he bent forward and silently took it from her-one corner of the trey of hearts, but inevitably a corner bearing the figure "3" above a heart.

"The Pullman agent at Portland New York train in the next thirty-six through. Pay my bills, and we can be bound for Boston, raised and over up under the stern by its painter. hours," he said with lowered voice.

"Couldn't we possibly catch the New York boat tonight?"

we get in." She said, "Too bad," abstractedly, reclosed her eyes, and apparently lapsed anew into semi-somnolencebut without deceiving him who could well guess what poignant anxiety aboard."

gnawed at her heart. He could have ground his teeth in

the twentieth century, the apex of the but I'll be no party to a kidnaping highest form of civilization the world orhad ever known—and still a man ... "It's an elopement," Alan interrupthaunted with threats, harried with attempts at asmessination in a handred "You're on!" Parcus agreed prompt. conviction of escurity to realization of know what she did? Threw me over

with the cunning of a madwoman, the heart of a thug, the face of a charming child—the face of the woman that sat beside him, duplicating its every perfect feature so nearly that even he

> stinct, intuition, blind guesswork. . . He nodded heavy-hearted confirmation of a surmise slowly settling into conviction in his mind, that such cunning, such purpose and pertinacity could not possibly spring from a mind well balanced, that the woman, Judith Trine, sister to the Rose he loved so well, was as mad as that monomaniac, her father, who sat helpless in his cell of silence and shadows in New York, day after day, eating his heart out with impatience for the word that his vengeance had been consummated by the daughter whom he had inspired to execute it.

An hour late, in dusk of evening, the train lumbered into Portland station; and, heart in mouth, Alan helped Rose from the steps, shouldered a way depended - wore to a culmination for her through the crowd, and almost

> "Best hotel in town," he demanded. And be quick about it-for a double

He communicated his one desperate scheme to the girl en route, receiving her indorsement of it. So, having registered for her and seen her safely to the door of the best available room in the house within ready call of the public lobby and office, he washed up, gulped a hasty meal-which Rose had declined to share, pleading fatigueand hurried away into the night with the aisle, brandishing two yellow en. only the negro driver of a public back, velopes and blatting like a stray calf: picked up haphazard at some distance "Mista Lawr! Mista Lawr! Tel'. from the hotel, for his guide.

CHAPTER X.

Fortuity.

He wasted the better part of an hour in fruitless and perhaps illas it was, led him on suspicion down a poorly lighted wharf, at the ex

closure, and grunted disgust with its treme end of which he discovered a curt advice, opened the other and 'oneiy young man perched atop a pile caught his breath sharply as he with. hands in pockets, gaze turned to a ide whereon, now black night had tallen pallid wraiths of yachts swung Thrusting it back quickly, he clapped just visibly beneath uneasy riding-

"Pardon me," Alan ventured, "but perhaps you can help me out-

"You've come to the wrong shop, my friend." the young man interposed with morose civility; "I couldn't help anybody out of anything-the way I am now.

"I'm sorry," said Alan, "but I thought possibly you might know where I could find a seaworthy boat to charter."

The young man slipped emartly down from his perch. "If you don't look sharp," he said ominously, "you'll charter the Seaventure." He waved his hand toward a vessel moored alongside the wharf: "There she is, and a better boat you won't find anywhere-schooner-rigged, fifty feet over all, twenty-five horsepower, motor auxiliary, two staterooms-all ready for as long a coastwise cruise as you care to take. Come aboard."

He led briskly across the wharf. down a gangplank, then aft along the deck to a companion way, by which the two men gained a comfortable and roomy cabin, bright with fresh white enamel.

"Name, Barcus," the young man introduced himself cheerfully; "christened Thomas. Nativity, American. State of life, flat broke. That's the rub," he laughed, and shrugged, shamefaced. "I found myself hard up this spring with this boat on my hands, sunk every cent I had-and then some -fitting out on an oral charter with a moneyed blighter in New York, who was to have met me here a fortnight since. He didn't-and here I am, in pawn to the ship chandler, desperate enough for anything."

"How much do you owe?"

"Upwards of a hundred." "Say A advanced that amount-when can we sail?"

otic about this proceeding," he oboff inside an hour. That is-"

last week they got tired doing noth-

ing for nothing and left me flat." "Then that's settled." Alan said. "I know boate; I'll be your crew-and the induced Barcus to let his crew sleep better satisfied to have nobody else through the first afternoon watch. Six

your little game, anyway? I don't waked. To think that this was America, this mind playing the fool on the high seas.

be hunted from pillar to post, ed on inspiration. "We've simply got light that filled the cup of day with to get clear of Portland by m dnight "

why I believe you, but I do-and here's my hand!"

CHAPTER XI.

Blue Water.

one surprising thing happened that son-not two miles distant, and standgave him new heart-momentarily it ing squarely for the smaller vessel. elevator gate opened and Rose came turned to him a face he hardly recogout eagerly to meet him with an eager | nized-but still he didn't understand. air of hope that masked measurably The inevitable inference seemed a the signs of fatigue.

who loved the one could scarcely distinguish her from the other but by inyou drive up."

He acquainted her briefly with his fortune.

But she seemed unable to echo his cab, without misadventure, set them down at the wharf. Here, Alan had feared, was the cru-

cial point of danger-if the influence of the trey of hearts was to bring disaster upon them it would be here, in the hush and darkness of this deserted water front. And he bore himself most warily as he helped the girl from the car and to the gangplank of the Seaventure. But nothing happened; while Mr. Barcus was as good as his word. Alan had barely set foot on deck, following the girl, when the gangplank came aboard with a clatter, and the Seaventure swung away from the wharf.

Until the distance was too great for fully on deck. At length, satisfied that all was well,

he returned to the cabin. "All right," he nodded; "we're clear

of that lot, apparently; nobody but the three of us aboard. Now you'd best turn in. This is evidently to be your stateroom, this one to port, and you'll have a long night's sleep to make up He drew nearer, dropping his voice

tenderly. And of a sudden, with a little low cry, the girl came into his arms and clung pasionately to him. "But you?" she murmured. "You need rest as much as I! What about

you?" "Oh, no I don't" he contended. "Be-

heart. If this shift to the sea might of a stiff if not heavy sea. A third be thought a desperate venture, he showed him, to his smazement, the with such ease that morning and now, But when he re-entered the hotel by rights, well down the northern hori-

seemed almost as if his luck had Bewildered, he darted to the girl's turned. For, as he paused by the desk side, with a shout, demanding to of the cashler to demand his bill, the know what was the matter. She thing unthinkable; his brain faltered "I worried so I couldn't rest," she when asked to credit it. Only when told him guardedly as he drew her he saw her tearing frantically at the aside; "so I arose and got ready, and painter, striving to cast it off and with watched from the window till I saw it the dory towing a hundred feet or so astern, and when another wondering glance had discovered the head and shoulders of Mr. Barcus rising over the stern of the dory as he strove onfidence or even to overcome the to lift himself out of the water—only heaviness of her spirits when their then did Alan begin to appreciate what had happened.

Even so, it was with the feeling that all the world and himself as well had gone stark, raving mad, that he seized the girl and, despite her struggles, tore her away from the rail before she had succeeded in unknotting the painter. "Rose!" he cried stupidly. "Rose! What's the matter with you? Don't

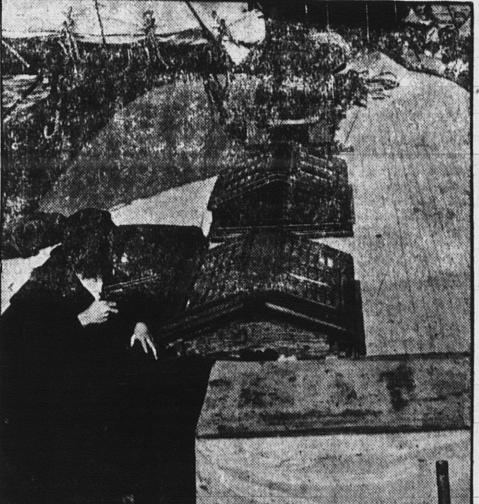
you see what you're doing?" Defiance inflamed her countenance and accents. "Can't you ever say anything but 'Rose! Rose! Rose!' - Is there no other name that means any. thing to you? Can't you understand how intolerable it is to me? I love you no less than she-better than she ever dreamed of loving you-because even a flying leap Alan lingered watch. I hate you, too! What is love that is no more than love? Can't you un-

> derstand?" "Judith!" he cried in a voice of stupefaction. "But-Good Lord!-how did you get aboard? Where's Rose?' "Where you'll not find her easily again," the woman angrily retorted. "Trust me for that!"

"What do you mean?" Illumination for what you've gone through-dear- came, in a blinding flash. "Do you mean it was you-you whom I brought aboard last night?" "Who else?"

"You waylaid her there in the hotel, substituted yourself for her, deceived me into thinking you-!"

"Of course," she said simply. not? When I saw her sleeping therethe mirror of myself, completely at sides I'll have plenty of time to rest my mercy-what else should I think



She Whips Out a Gun as Big as a Cannon.

and I stand watch and watch, of I loved? I knew you'd never know the course. There's nothing for you to difference—at least I was fool enough do but be completely at your ease. for the moment to believe I could

But-you must let me go.' reefed to a snoring sou'west wind- sible that was!" the fixed white eye of Portland head light fast falling astern.

CHAPTER XII.

Down the Cape.

At four o'clock, or shortly after, Alan was awakened by boot-heelshauled a graceful but businesslike fish-He checked with an exclamation of erman (from Gloucester, Barcus dismay, chapfallen. "I may have some opined when called to stand his trick He shook a glum head. "No-I trouble scaring up a crew at short at eight) and saw it a mile or two impertmence," he suggested acidly, looked that up first. It leaves before notice. I had two men engaged, but astern when-still aching with fatigue as soon as able to articulate coher--he was free to return to his berth for another four-hour rest.

This time misguided consideration bells were ringing when, in drowsy ap-The eyes of Mr. Barcus clouded. prehension that something had gone "See here, my headlong friend, what's suddenly and radically wrong, Alan

He was on deck again almost before eyes, emerging abruptly from the halflight of the cabin to a dazzle of sun- I'm afraid." rarefled gold, even as he possed from flat!" Mr. Barcus snapped "D'you forms—and that by a clip of a girl ly his race clearing. God only knows immediate and extraordinary peril.

up once we're fairly at sea. Barcus | of than to take her place with the man stand being loved by you in her name! By midnight the Seaventure was It was only today, when I'd had time The drain-cocks of both fuel tanks spinning swiftly south-southeast, close to think, that I realized how impos-

athwartships and a simultaneous cry around in the bilge!" from over the stern roused Alan from his consternation to fresh appreciation of the emergency. With scant consideration he hustled the woman to the companionway and below, slammed its doors and closed her in with the slid-The young man reflected briefly, pounding imperatively overhead, and ing hatch-all in a breath-then 'There's something so engagingly idi- went on deck again, to stand both dog- sprang to the taffrail, just in time to watches—saw the sun lift up smiling lend a helping hand sorely wanted by taining life-history, my poor young against the Seaventure's side rang out served wistfully. "I've got the strang- over a world of tumbled blue water, Mr. Barcus in his efforts to climb friend. But I tell you candidly, as across the waters, and with a husky "The Pullman agent at Portland served wistruly. I ve got the strang wires no reservations available on any est kind of a hunch it's going to go crossed the wake of a Cunard liner in aboard, after he had pulled the dory man to man, I don't believe one word roar the launch blew up, spewing sky-He came over the rail in a towering

temper. "I hope you'll pardon the apparent ently-"but may I inquire if that bloody-minded vixen is your blushing bride-to-be?"

Alan shook a helpless head. The thing defied reasonable explanation; He made a feeble stagger at it without much satisfaction either to himself or to the outraged Barcus. "No-it's all a damnable mistake!

She's her sister-1 mean, the right "You may well be afraid, you poor

had come up into the wind, and now she had fired twice—in the air—a sig-Anxiety ate like an acid at Alan's was yawing off wildly into the trough nal to that blessed fisherman astern there—at least, they answered with two toots of a power whistle and was a weathered salt-water man and Gloucester fisherman — overhauled changed course to run up to us. Look call, I presume. Sociable lot. What how she's gained already!" you overboard?"

"Happen nothing!" Barcus snapped, getting to his feet, "She did it apurpose-flew at me like a wildcat,



Lingered Watchfully on Deck.

and before I knew what was up-I slammed backwards over the

"I can't tell you how sorry I am, Alan responded gravely. "There's hind it on a long painter. more to tell-but one thing to be done

suspiciously.

nounced firmly. "Make that fisher to violet, to a translucent green, to man a present of the woman in the blackness. Far up the coast two case. You don't mind parting with white eyes, peering over the horizon, the dory in a good cause—if I payafor stared steadfastly through the dark.

"Take it for Lothing," Barcus were, grumbled. "Cheap at the price!" He took Alan's place, watching him

with a sardonic eye as he drew the tender in under the leeward quarter, again audible and growing louder with made it fast, and reopened the companionway.

out other invitation, in a sullen rage at some distance a dark shadow be that only heightened her wonderful neath the dim, spluttering glimmer of loveliness Alan noted that her first light, that moved swiftly and steadily ok vas for him, of untempered ma- toward the Scaventure. lignity. "Friends of yours, I infer?" Alan purvied.

nautred civilly. Judith pedded

"Then it would save us some trouble -yourself included-if you'll be good the landward side of the vessel enough to step into the dory without a "Quick-kick off your shoes-get set struggle."

herself overside into the dory. Immediately Alan cast off, and as with a sigh of relief, brought the Sea-

venture once more back upon her course. For some few minutes there was ailence between the two men, while the himself with a stay. "Ready?" he tender dropped swiftly astern, the asked. "Look sharp!"

woman plying a brisk pair of oars. Then, suddenly elevating his nose, the two had dived as one, entering the Barcus sniffed audibly. "Here," he water with a single splash, and comsaid sharply, "relieve me for a minute, will you? I want to go forward and have a look at that motor."

When Barcus reappeared it was with a grave face. "The devil and the deep She," he observed obscurely, coming aft, "from all their works, good Lord deliver us!" "What's the trouble now?"

"Nothing much-only your playful little friend has been up to another of her light-hearted tricks. . . . If you should happen to want a smoke or anything to eat when you go below, just find a mirror and kiss yourself good-by before striking the match. have been opened, and there are upwards of a hundred and fifty gallons A sudden slap of the mainsail boom of highly explosive gasoline closhing

CHAPTER XIII.

No Quarter. "Yes, yes," said Mr. Barcus indulgently, breaking a long silence. "Very interesting. Very interesting, indeed. I've seldom listened to a more enterof it. It's all d-n foolishness!"

tulated, and waved an indignant hand, tremendous pall of phosphorescence, a compassing their plight.

reasonable enough," he said, "they lowed a crackling noise, a sound as won my credulity—and I'm a native of of the labored breathing of a giant; Missouri. But this last chapter is im- and bright flames, orange, crimson, possible. And that's flat. It couldn't violet and gold. licked out all over the happen—and has. And there, in a schooner, from stem to stern, from manner of speaking, we are!" The wind had gone down with the

sun, leaving the Seaventure becalmed -her motor long since inert for want not so long-before her decks blew of fuel-in shoal water a mile or so up and the flames swept roaring to he rubbed the sleepiness from his girl's sister—and her precise double— off the desolate and barren coast that the sky. tooled me not quite right in the head. Barcus, out of his abounding knowledge of those waters, named Nauset

Still another mile further of shore the so-called Gloucester fisherman burned to the water's edge. board! Fact! Came on deck a while rode, without motion, wajers as sailt

His first glance discovered the wheel ago, sweet as peaches—and all of a and glassy. Through the gloaming deserted, the woman with back to him sudden whips out a gun as big as a with the aid of glasses, figures might standing at the taffrail. Barcus—no- cannon, points it at my head and or- be seen moving about her decks; and where to be seen. The second con- ders me to luff into the wind. Before as it grew still more dark she lowered firmed his surmise that the Seaventure I could make sure I wasn't dreaming, a small boat that theretofore had swung in davits. A little later a faint humming noise drifted across the tide.

"Power tender," the owner of the Seaventure interpreted. "Coming to I can't make out is why they seem to "But how did she happen to throw think it necessary to tow our dory back. Uneasy conscience, maybewhat?"

He lowered the binoculars and glanced inquiringly at his employer, who grunted his disgust, and said no

"Don't take it so hard, old top," Bar cus advised with a change of note from irony to sympathy. Then he rose and dived down the companionway, presently to reappear with a megaphone and a double-barreled shotgun. "No cutting-out parties in this outfit," he explained, grinning amiably.

your infatuated female friend-once aboard the lugger and the man is mine!" Stationing himself at the seaward rail, where his figure would show to sharp silhouette against the glowing sunset sky, he brandished the shotgun at arm's length above his head,

"None of that old stuff, revised to suit

megaphone: "Keep off! Keep off! This means you! Come within gunshot and I'll blow your fool heads off!"

and bellowed stertorously through the

Putting aside the megaphone, he sat down again. "Not that I'd dare fire this blunderbuss," he confided, "with this reek of gasoline; but just for moral effect. Phew-w! I'd give a dollar for a breath of clean air; I've inhaled so much gas in the last few hours I'm dry-cleaned down to my silly old toes!"

For thirty minutes nothing happened, other than that the sound of the fisherman's launch was stilled. It rested moveless in the waters, two figures mysteriously busy in the cockpit, the Seaventure's dory trailing be-

Gradually these details became blurred, and were blotted out by the "And that?" Mr. Barcus inquired closing shadows. The afterglow in the west grew cool and faint. The "To get rid of the lady," Alan an- crimson waters darkened, to mauve, "Chatham lights," Barcus said they

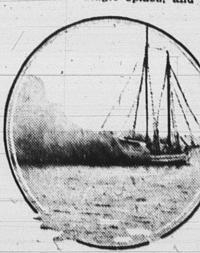
Abruptly he dropped the glasses and jumped up. "Hear that!" he cried.

Now the humming of the motor was every instant; and Alan, getting to his feet in turn, intected with the excite ment of Barcus, could just make ou

"What the devf!!" he demanded.

"You uttered a mouthful when you said 'devil'!" Earcus commented grasping his arm and hurrying him to Without a word, Judith stepped to all right!" he panted, hastily divestfor a mile-long swim! Devil's work, the rail and, as Barcus luffed, swung ing himself of shoes and outer garments. "I couldn't made out what they were up to till I saw them lash the little boat sheered off, Barcus, the wheel, light the fuse, start the motor, and take to the dory. They've made on grand little torpedo boat out

of that tender-" He sprang upon the rail, steadying



Flames Licked Out All Over the Schooner.

ing to the surface a good ten yards from the Seaventure. For the next several seconds they were swimming frantically, and not until three hundred feet or more separated them from the schooner did either dare pause for breath or a backward glance.

Then the impact of the launch wards a widespread fan of flame. Over His voice took on a plaintive ac the Seaventure, as this flamed and cent. "Particularly this!" he expos- died, pale fire seemed to hover like a weird and ghastly glare that suddenly "The rest of your adventures are descended to the decks. There foldeck to topmasts.

It seemed several minutes that she burned in this wise-it was probably

By the time Alan and Bareus, swim ming ateadily, had gained a shoal which permitted them footing to waist-deep waters, the Seaventure had

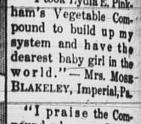
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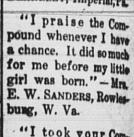


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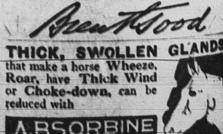
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BALANCE KEPT BY NATURE

Increase of the Human Race Seems to Be Regulated by Wars and Other Devastations.

Every year, according to scientists who attempt to keep the general rec. Carthage, general." rds, at least 80.000.000 human beings are born on this earth and 60,000,000 or 70,000,000 die. This indicates a daily birth rate of about 220,000 and a death rate of 180,000. The daily increase in population therefore is about 40,000. The total population of the globe is estimated at 1,800,000,000. The ravages of war do little to impede the increase. Far more effective have been the upheavals of nature. The Franco-Prussian war killed about 130,000 in seven months. The death roll of the Russo-Japanese reached about 200,000. A single earthquake (1737, in India) has been estimated to

have caused 300,000 deaths. The fatalities of the Messina earthquake in 1908 cannot have been far short of 100,000. A tidal wave in 1896 drowned 27,000 persons in Japan, causing a greater loss of life than the whole war with China in 1894. The earthquake in Japan in 1703 is said to have diled 200,000 people. The Lisbon earthquake in 1755 destroyed 50,000 human lives, while 40,000 were lost in the same year in earthquake in Per-

Conscience. Maid (knocking in the morning)-

Madame, I've forgotten whether you wanted to be waked at seven or eight. "What time is it now?" "Eight."-Lustige Blatter.

First Military Censor.

Hannibal was in a bad temper, relates the Cleveland Plain-Dealer. "Who is that little fellow over there with the stylus and tablet?" he asked his first aid.

Canadian Government Agent.

"That's a war correspondent from

"He's counting the elephants and the Balearic slingers."

"What's he doing that for?" "He's doing it because he's a war

correspondent." The great Carthagenian emitted a deep growl.

"Hamil," he said, "I'm going to hold you strictly responsible for this man's copy. If he writes at all let him belittle everything. Let him say I have ten elephants where I have 50. Let him write that I have three legions where I have ten. Let him call me a wooden-headed blunderer. Then let him lose his copy where our Roman friends will find it. It's up to you, Hamil. If the fellow gets balky tie him to our biggest fighting elephant's trunk, when the next batch of Roman senators comes up against us, and let him get all the war he wants at short range, Hamil."

And the first military censorship was established.

Opportune. The Optimist (who has just been struck by a passing motor car)-

"Glory be! If this isn't a piece o' luck! Sure, 'tis the docther himself that's in ut."-Punch.

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Significance Seen in New Move by German Authorities.

Believed to Cover Active Preparations for Invasion-Fighting in Poland Seems to Have Been Without Result-Naval Engagement Fought in the Black Sea.

By Hugh Martin.

(War Correspondent of the London Daily News, in the Chicago Tribune.) Rotterdam, Nov. 22.-Curious and significant news has been received to the effect that the inhabitants of Saint Nicholas, a town with a population of nearly forty thousand, and an important railway junction southwest of Antwerp, have been ordered by the German authorities to leave immediately. They have been offered vacant houses at Antwerp, which must be occupied by tomorrow.

This peremptory removal of the entire population from one town to another is unexampled even in the present Belgian campaign. A great movement of troops is indicated by the suspension for today and tomorrow of train service over a wide area east of Brussels.

It is stated that this is only the first section of a great scheme for holding and fortifying the coast, which was to have been continued to Calais, and is regarded rather as preparation of a base for an attack on England than merely as a precautionary measure to cover a possible German retreat.

That operations of the utmost importance are going forward seems certain. I hear from what appears to be a trustworthy source that six submarines, some complete and others in process of being placed together, are in dock at the canal head.

Every villa is fortified, and the coast between Zeebrugge and Knocke has been cleared of the inhabitants. But instead of being allowed to move toward the Dutch frontier the people are sent to an island in the neighborhood of Bruges. That city has been almost entirely vacated by the military, and only a small garrison of marines and bluelackets is left.

FIGHTING HAS NO RESULT

German and Russian Armies Locked in Bitter Struggle in Prussian Poland.

Petrograd, Nov. 23.-The German column between the Warthe and Vistula rivers, according to today's official reports from Russian Poland, comprises six army corps and presents a front 55 miles in extent. The two rivers prevent flanking by either side, hence the fighting consists of straight frontal attacks, in which the losses of both armies are heavy, but neither side so far has been able to gain marked advantage.

The Germans, military observers contend, cannot advance farther in this region, since the Russian concentration, which was delayed by bad roads and by lack of railroads, now is complete.

Russian Official Statement. The following official report from general headquarters was issued to-

"The fighting between the Vistula and the Warthe continues with great persistence. We have obtained some

partial successes. "The fights on the front of Czenstochowa-Cracow have resulted in no essential changes. We have taken 2,000 prisoners and some machine guns.

"In Galicia the Austrians have evacuated Novy-Sandes under the pressure of our troops."

Austrians Claim Successes. Vienna, Nov. 23.-The following official communication was issued here today:

"We and our ally continue our attacks successfully in Russian Poland. Several counter-attacks by the enemy have been repulsed. So far the Austro-Hungarian troops have captured 15,000 prisoners.

"An important battle is proceeding west of Domajac and in the Carpa-

FIGHT IN THE BLACK SEA

Russians Report Victory in Naval En gagement, Claiming Cruiser Goeben le injured.

Petrograd, Nov. 21.-The following official statement was given out today by the Russian ministry of marine, regarding the naval battle in the Black sea between the Russian and Turkish

Russ Claim Goeben is Afire. The following official statement was given out at Petrograd by the tween the Russian and Turkish fleets:

"On November 18 a division of the Black sea fleet, returning to Sebasto pol from its cruise near the coast of Anotolia, sighted 25 miles from the sued tonight show eight officers killed. Chersonese light, a Turkish detach 44 wounded and six missing. In the ment, consisting of the Goeben and the Breslau. The Russian fleet immediately drew up in battle order, seven British and ten native officers bringing the enemy to starboard and opened fire at a distance of 40 cable lengths. The first salvo of 12-inch ing.

tafry struck the Goeben and caused an explosion amidship, setting the guns from the flagship Admiral Evs

"Following the Evstafry, the other Russian ships opened fire, the Russian guns giving an excellent account of themselves.

Series of Explosions Seen.

"A series of explosions were seen in the hull of the Goeben, which opened fire slowly. The enemy seemed not to have expected to meet us. The Germans fired salvos of their heavy MOVE IS AGAINST ENGLAND? guns, directing them exclusively at the flagship. The encounter continued for 14 minutes, after which the Goeben withdrew and disappeared in the fog. taking advantage of her speed.

"The Breslau took no part in the fight, holding herself on the horizon. The Evstafry suffered only insignificant damage. The Russian losses were a lieutenant and 19 sailors killed and five sailors slightly wounded."

Kaiser's Troops Halted. Paris, Nov. 23.-The war office issued this official communique:

"During the day the violent bombardment of Ypres destroyed the market places and the city hall. "There was heavy cannonading at Soissons, and also at Vailly."

With swiftness and might Germany dealt in a new quarter a blow designed to smash the battle line of the allied armies in France. Five times the German hosts charged in masses against the French line in the Eparges of the Woevre district, but five times the galling fire of the French field guns, raking their ranks frontally and in an enfilading manner, swept them backward. And all these tremendous charges and deadly repulses were accomplished within two hours. When the persistent Germans finally desist-

This, however, was not the only stroke of the Germans along the battle front. At Ornes, near Verdun, they renewed a bombardment of the French line, but the French silenced two of their batteries and then charged the German trenches and captured what are known as the Heights of Ornes.

ed, the French settled down to the

task of holding their line in its original

Audacious Sunk by Torpedoes. New York, Nov. 23 .- The British superdreadnaught Audacious was sunk by a torpedo discharged from a German submarine. This news was received at Washington from an authoritative source in Berlin and the details given fit closely with the reports that came from eyewitnesses who saw the disaster from the steamship Olympic. The Audacious was hit twice, and the second torpedo caused its magazines to explode. This story refutes the suggestion that the battleship was blown up by its own crew "to prevent as was stated after the disaster.

Warned U. S. Ship of Mines. Washington, Nov. 23.-Turkey has voluntarily explained to the United States government through Ambassador Morgenthau that the shots fired toward the launch of the American cruiser Tennessee were intended merely as the customary warning that the port of Smyrna was mined and closed to navigation. Ambassador Morgenthau reported that two members of the Ottoman cabinet, the ministers of interior and war, had fully

Freezing in War's Zone. Paris, Nov. 23 .- Freezing weather has set in throughout the length of the battle zone in France and Belgium, the temperature varying between twentyfive and twenty-eight degrees above zero Fahrenheit. Snow is falling in northern France and in the Vosges

explained the occurrence to him.

mountains, and also at Marseilles. Canada Will Arm 91,000. Ottawa, Ont., Nov. 23.-Canada will increase immediately to 91,000 the number of men under arms, Premier

Borden announced. Paris is Civilized Again. Paris, Nov. 24.—The government has issued a decree permitting theaters and music hells to reopen, but they must close at 11 p. m. Restaurants

respectively, as at present. Prince Adalbert Well Again. Amsterdam, via Paris, Nov. 24.-It was announced in Berlin on Saturday that Prince Adalbert, the kaiser's sailor son, has almost recovered from his recent illness and is about to return to his ship.

and cafes must close at 10 and 8 p. m.,

Million Lose Their Homes. Bordeaux, Nov. 24.-The number of refugees from the ten departments composing the theaters of war in France was estimated on Saturday by an official commission of investigation at 1,000,000.

Canada Will Arm 91,000. Ottawa, Ont., Nov. 24.-Canada will increase immediately to 91,000 the number of men under arms, Premier Borden announced.

Liner Ekbatana Sunk. London, Nov. 20 .- News has been Russian ministry of marine, regarding received here that the Hamburg-Amer the naval battle in the Black sea be- ican liner Ekbatana has been sunk in the Persian gulf. New British Loss List.

London, Nov. 20.-Casualty lists is

SUBMARINE OF KAISER IS SUNK

British Destroyer Rescues All But One of Crew of Boat

FIGHTING IS RENEWED IN WESTERN THEATRE OF WAR

Germans in Violent Attacks On Ypres and Soissons Bring Up Big Guns in Attempt to Break Lines.

London-The secretary of the admiralty announces that the German submarine boat U18, which was reported off the north coast of Scotland Monday morning, was rammed by a British patrolling vessel and foundered.

The submarine boat U18 of the German navy was built in 1912. She had a cruising radius of 2,000 and a speed of 14 knots above water and 8 knots submerged.

The patrolling ship rammed the submarine at 12:30 o'clock Monday afternoon. The U18 was not seen again until 1:20, when she appeared on the surface flying a white flag. Shortly afer this she foundered just as the British destroyer Garry came alongside. The destroyer rescued three officers and 23 of the submarine's crew, only one being drowned.

The names of the German officers captured are Capt.-Lieut. von Henning, Engineer-Lieut. Sprenger, and Lieut. Neuerberg.

Fighting Resumed in West.

London-Violent fighting has been resumed in the western theatre of war, with the Germans making desperate efforts to break through the Allies' front at Ypres, Belgium, and at Soissons, Rheims and in the Argonne region in France.

Official and press reports received here indicate that the Germans have begun a new general assault that is rapidly increasing in scope.

The Paris official statement of Monday tells of violent fighting Sunday and the statement of Monday night says the conflict was kept up with cannonading at Soissons and Rheims and desperate attacks in the Argonne

Germans Moving Big Guns. Newspaper correspondents in Holland report that the Germans are moving many big guns through Belgium to the front and that hundreds of engineers have been sent into the flooded region to devise means for. clearing that part of the country of

Eighty thousand fresh troops are said to have passed through one point in Belgium since Saturday, moving towards the Yser river.

The renewed activity on the part of the Germans is considered as a prejude to another monster effort to crush the Allies at some one point and make a dash to the French coast at Calais. Just where the main attack will be made is known, of course, only to the German general staff.

It is believed here, however, that the invaders will make another effort to break through the allied front near Ypres or on the Yser canal, and at the same time try to force the line of French fortresses in the Argonne reg-

The Germans are now violently bombarding Ypres, Soissons and Rheims, while making attacks in force in the Argonne. The French declare the assaults in the last-named region have been repulsed while the Germans in direct contradiction say that thay have been gaining ground stead-

Germans Checked in Poland. The battle which is being fought in the region between the Vistula and Warthe rivers in Poland appears to have turned in favor of the Russians. In fact, a special dispatch from Petrograd to Paris says that the Russian army already has won a decisive victory. While this may be an exaggeration, both the Russian and the German official reports suggest that General von Hindenburg's second

thrust at Warsaw has been checked. Grand Duke Nicholas, commanderin-chief of the Russian forces, for two days in succession has recorded partial successes in this great battle and Monday the German general staff reported that the arrival of Russian reinforcements had postponed a de-

Both sides have expressed the greatest confidence in the outcome of this battle. Grand Duke Nicholas and General von Hindenburg heretofore have been so successful in their strategy that their adherents look upon them as almost unbeatable.

BRIEF NEWS OF WAR

Ottawa, Ont.-Action has been taken by the government to stop the entry into Canada of pro-German newspapers published in New York. Three papers so far are on the prohibited list. By order in council, it has been made a criminal offense to circulate these papers in Canada or to have them in one's possession.

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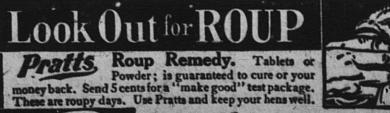
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BREVITIES

DEXTER-Much Delhi property is being picked up by Detroit parties, the last house to change hands being the residence owned by Mrs. Schneider's heirs.-Leader.

HOWELL-The burglars who entered the jewelry store of Harry Gartrell and the barber shop of La-Rue & Cook on the night of November 10, are now in the county jail .-Democrat.

ANN ARBOR-It was announced department of the University of Michigan will give a short course in highway engineering for the benefit of township, county and state highway engineers and officials The course will be free, one week in There were approximately a million length and will consist of lectures and demonstrations.

BRIGHTON-Temperance, advocates in Oakland county are about to circulate petitions in an effort to get the local option question again submitted to the electors at next April's election. Oakland has been "wet" for the past four years. Previous to that it was "dry" for two years. Genesee will vote on the question again next spring. Genesee is in the "dry" column now .- Argus.

JACKSON-Robbers had a rich haul at the C. J. McGuinness branch clothing store at 521 east Main street, according to information which the police are believed to be suppressing. very properly so, for suggesting medi-The robbery was discovered Sunday ation between the engineers and railnight. Whether the store was entered early Sunday morning or early Sunday night is not known. It is understood goods worth up into the hundreds of dollars were taken .-

truck is the latest use that we have heard of for that popular machine. C. P. S. Price of Birmingham had some cattle here that he had purchased, and because of the quarantine rules now in force in the state, he the baby to sleep. Is anyone mediatcouldn't ship them by rail or drive ing over their problems, and to whom them across the country. Not to be shall they threaten a strike? outdone, he hired a large auto truck in Pontiac and loaded the cattle onto to those who toll at the forge and bethe truck, covered them with a heavy canvas and had them taken to Birmingham on the truck.-Tidings.

ANN ARBOR-Suit for \$41,000 was entered in the circuit court Saturday industrial warfare as they are the morning against the Detroit United | burden-bearers in the war between na-Railways and the Detroit, Jackson tions, and those who arbitrate and and Chicago railway company by Harry Schwesinger, sr. of Detroit, administrator of the estate of Henry Schwesinger, jr., who died as the result of injuries he suffered in a street car accident at Curtis switch, between Ypsilanti' and Wayne, on November 8, 1913. This was the same accident in which Bennett French lost his life. The suit of his widow against the railroad company was settled out of court last week.

JACKSON-The tallest flag staff in the city is being made by convicts in the Michigan State prison here, and when completed will proudly support 'Old Glory" inside the prison walls. It will be of steel piping, the base to be anchored to a solid concrete foundation. And the flag will be of corresponding magnitude, and this too is being made by convicts in the tailoring shop. It will be raised each morning and lowered when the evening bells ring. Its graceful folds will be seen, under normal conditions for many miles. The action is being taken under the State law which very properly requires all State institutions to display the flag of our country.

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OVER A MILLION AND A HALF WOMEN WORK AS FARM HANDS IN THE UNITED STATES.

By Peter Radford Lecturer National Farmers' Union.

Our government never faced so tremendous a problem as that now lying dormant at the doors of congress and the legislatures, and which, when aroused, will shake this nation from Monday that the civil engineering center to circumference, and make civilization hide its face in shame. That problem is-women in the field.

The last federal census reports show we now have 1.514.000 women working in the field, most of them south of the Mason and Dixon line. negro slaves working in the fields when liberated by the emancipation proclamation. We have freed our slaves and our women have taken their places in bondage. We have broken the shackles off the negroes and welded them upon our daughters.

The Chain-Gang of Civilization. A million women in bondage in the southern fields form the chain-gang of civilization - the industrial tragedy of the age. There is no overseer quite so cruel as that of unrestrained greed, no whip that stings like the lash of suborned destiny, and no auctioneer's block quite so revolting as that of organized avarice.

The president of the United States was recently lauded by the press, and road managers in adjusting their schedule of time and pay. The engineers threatened to strike if their wages were not increased from approximately ten to eleven dollars per day and service reduced from ten to eight hours and a similar readjust-HOWELL-Moving cattle by auto ment of the overtime schedule. Our women are working in the field, many of them barefooted, for less than 50 cents per day, and their schedule is the rising sun and the evening star, and after the day's work is over they milk the cows, slop the hogs and rock

> Congress has listened approvingly hind the counter, and many of our statesmen have smiled at the threats and have fanned the flame of unrest among industrial laborers. But women are as surely the final victims of mediate the differences between capital and labor should not forget that when the expenses of any industry are unnecessarily increased, society foots the bill by drafting a new consignment of women from the home to the field. Pinch no Crumb From Women's Crust of Bread.

No financial award can be made without someone footing the bill, and we commend to those who accept the responsibility of the distribution of industrial justice, the still small voice of the woman in the field as she pleads for mercy, and we beg that they pinch no crumb from her crust of bread or put another patch upon her ragged garments.

We beg that they listen to the scream of horror from the eagle on every American dollar that is wrung from the brow of tolling women and hear the Goddess of Justice hiss at a verdict that increases the want of woman to satisfy the greed of man.

The women behind the counter and in the factory cry aloud for sympathy and the press thunders out in their defense and the pulpit pleads for mercy, but how about the woman in the field? Will not these powerful exponents of human rights turn their talent, energies and influence to her relief? Will the Goddess of Liberty enthroned at Washington hold the calloused hand and soothe the feverish brow of her sex who sows and reaps the nation's harvest or will she permit the male of the species to shove women-weak and weary-from the bread-line of industry to the back alleys of poverty?

Women and Children First, The census enumerators tell us that of the 1,514,000 women who work in the fields as farm hands 409,000 are sixteen years of age and under. What is the final destiny of a nation whose future mothers spend their girlhood days behind the plow, pitching hay and hauling manure, and what is to become of womanly culture and refinement that grace the home, charm society and enthuse man to leap to glory in noble achievements if our daughters are raised in the society of the ox and

the companionship of the plow? In that strata between the ages of sixteen and forty-five are 950,000 women working as farm hands and many of them with suckling babes tug-

and guide the plow. What is to be come of that nation where poverty breaks the crowns of the queens of the home: despair hurls a mother's love from its throne and hunger drives innocent children from the schoolroom

to the hoe? The census bureau shows that 155, 000 of these women are forty-five years of age and over. There is no more pitiful sight in civilization than these saintly mothers of Israel stooped with age, drudging in the field from sun until sun and at night dre their dingy pillows with the tears of far short of the demand at despair as their aching hearts take ity is surely satisfactory. it all to God in prayer. Civilizat

give them a crown, and their only triend is he who broke bread with beggars and said: "Come unto me all ye that are weary and heavy laden and

Oh, America! The land of the free and the home of the brave, the world's custodian of chivalry, the champion of human rights and the defender of the oppressed-shall we permit our maidens fair to be torn from the hearthstone by the ruthless hand of destiny and chained to the plow? Shall we permit our faithful wives, whom we covenanted with God to cherish and protect, to be hurled from the home to the harvest field, and our mothers dear to be driven from the old arm chair to the cotton patch?

In rescuing our citizens from the forces of civilization, can we not apply to our fair Dixieland the rule of the sea-"women and children first?"

There must be a readjustment of the wage scale of industry so that the women can be taken from the field or given a reasonable wage for her services. Perhaps the issue has never been fairly raised, but the Farmers' Union, with a membership of ten million, puts its organized forces squarely behind the issue and we now enter upon the docket of civilization the case of "The Woman in the Field" and demand an immediate trial.

RAILROADS APPEAL TO PRESIDENT

The Common Carriers Ask for Re lief - President Wilson Directs Attention of Public to

Their Needs. The committee of railroad executives, headed by Mr. Frank Trumbull, representing thirty-five of the leading railroad systems of the nation, recently presented to President Wilson a memorandum briefly reviewing the difficulties now confronting the railroads of the country and asking for the cooperation of the governmental authorities and the public in supporting railroad credits and recognizing an emergency which requires that the railroads be given additional revenues.

The memorandum recites that the European war has resulted in general depression of business on the American continent and in the dislocation of credits at home and abroad. With revenues decreasing and interest rates increasing the transportation systems of the country face a most serious crisis and the memorandum is a strong presentation of the candle burning at both ends and the perils that must ultimately attend such a conflagration when the flames meet is apparent to all. In their general discussion the railroad representatives say in part: "By reason of legislation and regulation by the federal government and the forty-eight state acting independently of each other, as well as through the action of a strong public opinion, railroad expenses in recent years have vastly increased. No criticism is here made of the general theory of governmental regulation, but on the other hand, no ingenuity can relieve the carriers of expenses created thereby."

President Wilson, in transmitting the memorandum of the railroad presidents to the public, characterizes it as "a lucid statement of plain truth." The president recognizing the emergency as extraordinary, continuing, said in part:

"You ask me to call the attention of the country to the imperative need that railway credits be sustained and the railroads helped in every possible way, whether by private co-operative effort or by the action, wherever feasible of governmental agencies, and I am glad to do so because I think the need very real."

The conference was certainly a fortunate one for the nation and the president is to be congratulated for opening the gate to a new world of effort in which everyone may co-oper-

There are many important problems in our complex civilization that will yield to co-operation which will not lend themselves to arbitrary rulings of commissions and financing railroads is one of them. The man with the money is a factor that cannot be eliminated from any business transaction and the public is an interested party that should always be consulted and happily the president has invited all to participate in the solution of our railroad problems.

Blighted Chestnuts.

An exhaustive examination by experts from the office of drugs and poisonous plant investigations, United States department of agriculture, into the many reports of poisoning by chestnuts from trees afflicted with the blight proves conclusively that there is no ground to suspect such chestnuts. In all the reported cases the disease was due to something else but chestnuts or to inordinate eating of perfectly healthy nuts. Raw chestnuts this age we have too many Josephs are indigestible, and it is well known who dream and not enough Pharaohe that many people have an idiosyncrasy who build. against them.

Get Salt by Sun Evaporation. In the Philippine islands salt is extracted from sea water by crude proc esses. The greater part is obtained by sun evaporation; a small proportion by artificial heat. The Chinese have introduced slightly improved methods. About forty million pounds of crude salt are produced annually. In the mountain provinces a small quantity of poor grade salt is produced by evaporating the water from carbonated springs, but the supply falls far short of the demand and the qual-

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Industry.

Lecturer National Farmers' Union.

the European war than any other agcontinent. The shells of the belliger ents have bursted over his throne king!"

king; milady has decreed that the family wardrobe shall contain only cotton goods; the press has plead with the public to "buy a bale"; bankers have been formulating holding plans; congress and legislative bodies have deliberated over relief measures; statesmen and writers have grown eloquent expounding the inalienable rights of "His Majesty" and presenting schemes for preserving the financial integrity of the stricken staple, but the sword of Eu-

rope has proved mightier than the pen of America in fixing value upon this product of the sunny south. Prices have been bayoneted, values riddled and markets decimated by the battling hosts of the eastern hemisphere until the American farmer has suffered a war loss of \$400,000,000, and a bale of cotton brave enough to enter a European port must pay a ransom of

war is over. Hope of the Future Lies in Co-operation.

The Farmers' Union, through the columns of the press, wants to thank the American people for the friendship, sympathy and assistance given the cotton farmers in the hour of distress and to direct attention to cooperative methods necessary to permanently assist the marketing of all farm products.

The present emergency presents as grave a situation as ever confronted the American farmer and from the viewpoint of the producer, would seem to justify extraordinary relief measures, even to the point of bending the constitution and straining business rules in order to lift a portion of the burden off the backs of the farmer, for unless something is done to check the invasion of the war forces upon the cotton fields, the pathway of the European pestilence on this continent will be strewn with mortgaged homes and famine and poverty will stalk over the southland, filling the highways of industry with refugees and the bank-

All calamities teach us lessons and the present crisis serves to illuminate the frailties of our marketing methods and the weakness of our credit system, and out of the financial anguish and travail of the cotton farmer will come a volume of discussion and a mass of suggestions and finally a solution of this, the biggest problem RENTS, REAL ESTATE, FOURID in the economic life of America, if, indeed, we have not already laid the foundation for at least temporary re-More Pharaohs Needed in Agriculture.

Farm products have no credit and

perhaps can never have on a permanent and satisfactory basis unless w build warehouses, cold storage plants, elevators, etc., for without storage and credit facilities, the south is compelled to dump its crop on the market at harvest time. The Farmers' Unions in the cotton producing states have for the past ten years persistently advocated the construction of storage facilities. We have built during this period 2,000 warehouses with a capacity of approximately 4,000,000 bales and looking backward the results would seem encouraging, but looking forward, we are able to house less than one-third of the crop and warehouses without a credit system lose 90 per cent of their usefulness. The problem is a gigantic one-too great for the farmer to solve unaided. He must have the assistance of the banker, the merchant and the government. In production we have reached the world's history, but our marketing methods are most primitive. In the dawn of history we find agriculture plowing with a forked stick but with a system of warehouses under governmental supervision that made the Egyptians the marvel of civilization. for who has not admired the vision of Joseph and applauded the wisdom of Pharach for storing the surplus until demanded by the consumer, but in

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WAR. Nation Rings With Cries of Stricker

By Peter Radford

King Cotton has suffered more from ricultural product on the American frightening his subjects and shattering his markets, and, panic-stricken, the nation cries out "God save the

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a gas company, but a man in Honolulu has managed it. He had a penny in-the-slot meter, but, though the company was aware that he used a great quantity of gas, the machine was always empty when the collector called. When the company, for its own protection, offered to pay the rogue for his secret, he produced an ice disk of the required size, inserted stitution decided to open a branch in Greenland, where ice doesn't melt quite so fast.—Sydney Bulletin.

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Dated this 18th day of July, A. D. 1914.

WM. E. Eldbert, Deputy Sheriff, Edward B. Benscoe, Attorney, Business address, Ann Arbor, Mich.

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Dated this 5th day of September, A. D. 1914.

WM. E. ELDERT, Deputy Sheriff.

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Attorneys,

Business address, Ann Arbor, Mich. TAKE NOTICE, that the sale of the above described premises was and is adjourned from the fifth day of November, A. D. 1914, to the fifth day of January, A. D. 1915, at ten o'clock in the

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Chancery Notice

STATE OF MICHIGAN, in the Circuit Court for the County of Washtenaw, in Chancer-Mathew Aber vs, Kathrine Aber. Suit pending in the Circuit Court for the County of Washtenaw, in Chancery, at City of Ann Arbor, on the 5th day of November, A. D. 1914.

WANTED—About 200 bushels of good corn in the ear. Charles Martin, Chelsea.

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WOST—Sweater Vest between Ch. 18

A. D. 1914.

In this cause it appearing from affident and the defendant Kathrine Aberisms a resident of this state, but resides Loopid in the Empire of Germany, on hoton of John Kalmbach, complainant's solicitor, it is ordered that the said defendant Kathrine herein, within five months from the dated this order, and in case of her appearance this order, and in case of her appearance. LOST Sweater Vest, between Chelsea and residence of Samuel Boyce in Lyndon. Finder please return to Paul Bacon. Reward.

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OR SALE—Family driving mare, weight 1050. Inquire of Arthur Widmayer on the premises known as the Thomas Fletcher farm, Lima. Price \$110.00.

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JOHN KALMBACH, Complainant's Solicitor. Probate Order STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Wash tenaw, as. At a session of the prolate court for said county of Washtenaw, held at the probate office in the city of Ann Arbor, on the probate office in the city of Ann Arbor, on the probate office in the city of Ann Arbor, on the probate office in the washer, in the year ost thousand nine hundred and fourteen. Present, William H, Murray, Judge of Mary In the matter of the estate of Newberry, deceased.

der be published three successive The Chas to said time of hearing, in The Chas to said time of hearing, in the Chaster three successive Three successive Three successive Three chaster standard, a newspaper printed and n said county of Washtenaw. WILLIAM H. MURRAY, Judge of Pro-

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