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### Bank Officers Elected.

The stockholders of the Farmers & Merchants Bank held their annual meeting in the bank on Tuesday and the following were elected as the board of directors for the coming year: J. F. Waltrous, John Farrell, John Kalmbach, Peter Merkel, James H. Guthrie, Lewis Geyer, Christian Grau, O. C. Burkhardt, C. H. Kalmbach, H. L. Wood.

A meeting of the board of directors was held at the close of the election and the following officers were chosen: J. F. Waltrous, president; Peter Merkel, first vice president; Christian Grau, second vice president; P. G. Schaible, cashier; A. Fahrner, assistant cashier.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Kempf Commercial & Savings Bank was held in the bank on Tuesday and the following were elected as the board of directors: H. S. Holmes, C. H. Kempf, Edward Vogel, C. Klein, Otto D. Lunck, D. C. McLaren, J. R. Kempf, D. E. Beach, Geo. A. BeGole, secretary of the board.

The board of directors at their meeting elected the following officers for the coming year: H. S. Holmes, president; C. H. Kempf, vice president; Geo. A. BeGole, cashier; John L. Fletcher, assistant cashier.

### Dr. Walter W. Williams.

Walter Wallace Williams was born in Lima, September 14, 1847, and died at his home in Bay City, Saturday, January 9, 1915.

The deceased was a son of Gen. J. D. Williams a pioneer resident of Lima, and the family owned a large tract of land at Lima Center. David Luick owns the Williams homestead which he purchased of Dr. Williams. The deceased was united in marriage at the age of 25 with Miss Mary A. Whitaker of Lima, and in 1877 became a resident of Ann Arbor, and one year later they moved to Eaton Rapids where they made their home for 25 years. Dr. Williams was elected a member of the State Legislature from Eaton Rapids in 1887-1889, in 1898 Dr. and Mrs. Williams moved to Bay City where they have since made their home. He was a member of the Masonic order. He is survived by his wife. The funeral was held Sunday afternoon, Rev. T. S. Anderson, pastor of the Bay City Presbyterian church officiating. The remains were brought here Monday for interment at Oak Grove cemetery. Many of the residents of this place and Lima met at the Michigan Central passenger station and accompanied the remains to the cemetery.

### School Notes.

The semester examinations will be held next week, beginning Wednesday. The second semester opens Monday, February the fifth.

The Junta literary society held its regular meeting Tuesday afternoon. A miscellaneous program was given, followed by election of officers for the ensuing semester.

The Lincoln debating society of the high school held its first meeting Tuesday afternoon. The program consisted of short descriptions of world wonders by six of the freshmen and a debate on the subject "Resolved that the United States should increase its army and navy." The affirmative was defended by Allan Crawford and Leon Shutes; while George Merkel and Lloyd Hirth championed the negative. The decision was in favor of the affirmative.

A meeting was held in the high school building Wednesday evening for the purpose of organizing a teacher's club. The teachers of Chelsea and immediate vicinity are eligible to membership. Anyone not a teacher and who is interested in school work may become an honorary member. The aim of the club is to create a greater interest in the teaching profession and to bring about a better acquaintance among the teachers of the community. After the meeting light refreshments were served by Miss Depew, Mrs. Howlett and Miss Walz.

### Notes.

Mrs. Elizabeth Campbell, teacher of piano, voice and expression. Leave calls at Ye Needlecraft Shop. Best of references given.

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### FORTY YEARS AGO

#### Happenings in Chelsea Forty Years Ago This Week.

An entertainment for the benefit of the Congregational Sunday school was held in the church Friday evening.

There were 176 public school buildings in the county, of which two were built during the past year according to the report of county superintendent George S. Wheeler.

A donation for the benefit of Rev. J. W. Campbell was held at the home of L. D. Loomis, of Sylvan, on Friday afternoon and evening. The donation was given under the auspices of the M. E. church at Sylvan Center.

### ADJUSTED THE LOSSES

#### Insurance Companies Paying up the Fire Losses of Last Week.

The adjusters of the various insurance companies who held policies on the stock and buildings that were damaged by the Schenk fire on Tuesday of last week were here the first of this week and appraised the numerous loss.

The companies who held policies amounting to \$21,000 on the stock and fixtures of W. P. Schenk & Co. allowed the full amounts that the policies called for. The firm will stand a loss of between \$10,000 and \$12,000 over and above the amount of insurance they had on the stock and fixtures. The company is moving the stock from the burned store to the Belser store on west Middle street where they will make their headquarters while the Schenk building is being rebuilt. The loss on the building which is owned by W. P. Schenk has not been adjusted but will probably be settled sometime this week.

Satisfactory settlements have been made with H. H. Fenn Company, Belser Hardware Company and Miss Kathryn Hooker, whose stocks were damaged by smoke, and with Frank Staffan, who owns the building occupied by H. H. Fenn Company.

### Daniel W. Barry.

Daniel W. Barry died at his home in Northfield Sunday morning, January 10, 1915, after an illness of six months, following a severe fall which he had last July, when in Milan.

Mr. Barry was for many years drain commissioner of Washtenaw county and was a resident of Northfield all his life, dying on the same farm on which he was born, a tract of land purchased by his father from the government.

Besides his widow, three daughters and six sons survive him. The funeral was held from St. Patrick's church, Northfield, Wednesday morning, Rev. Fr. Fallon, Rev. M. P. Bourke of Ann Arbor, and Rev. Fr. Coyle of Plackney officiating at requiem mass.

### Opened New Theater.

The "Colonial" the latest photo-play house in Jackson was opened to the public Monday evening. The owners are Ulrickson & McLaren, and Wirt S. McLaren of this place is the manager. The Jackson papers in their mention of the new place of amusement announce that it is the finest photo play house in the city and the only one on the east side. The location is at 1420 east Main street and the building has been fitted up with all of the latest equipment for a modern motion picture theater. Eight hundred people attended the four shows Monday evening. A number of the Chelsea friends of Mr. McLaren were in attendance at the opening of the new place of amusement.

### McMahon's Riflemen's Shield.

Manchester Enterprise: Some of our readers will remember the so called bullet proof shields invented and patented by the late Patrick McMahon, of Sharon. He had one on exhibition and he went to Paris, France, to see Marshal McMahon to try to get him to adopt it for use in the French army, but failed to get an audience with the general and came home discouraged. We observe that foreign armies are now using a similar shield. The infantry stands behind the shield and fire through loop-holes and the shield being on wheels can be moved forward or backward by the men. If the old man was alive now he would probably sue for infringement on his patent.

Margaret F. Connell, Chiropractor, Boyd Hotel, Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, 7:30 to 11 a. m. Adv 5

### Pomona Grange Meeting.

The annual meeting of Pomona Grange was held in Ypsilanti Tuesday. Several from the Granges in this vicinity attended the meeting. Among the officers elected for the coming year were P. M. Broesamle, overseer; Miss Ricka Kalmbach, as one of the lady officers; C. D. Johnson and R. M. Hoppe were made members of the executive committee. The meeting was well attended and most of the members of the organization were present at the funeral of D. V. Harris, who was a member of Ypsilanti Grange.

### "Their Lordships."

Sunday evening at 8 o'clock, standard time the St. Mary's Amateur Orchestra assisted by the Amateur Musical Club will present the two act drama, "Their Lordships." This is a benefit play for the S. M. A. O. and the money realized will be used to pay for the instruments that have been added to the equipment of St. Mary's School of Music. The orchestra promises to please you in the presentation of this little play. One of the features of the evening will be the first appearance of the complete orchestra of thirteen pieces in the rendition of the Amateur Waltz by Leighton. Vocal selections between acts by Miss Margaret Burg, Louis A. Burg and little Miss Frances Hoffman. Don't miss it, or you'll regret it. You come and bring your friends along. Everybody invited. The following is the cast of characters:

Mrs. Augustus Smythe-Brown, a lady with social aspirations, Miss Margaret Shanahan.

Augustus Smythe-Brown, her unassuming husband, who is deaf, Edward Nordman.

Betty Smythe-Brown, Gertrude Eisenman.

Dorothy Smythe-Brown, Mary Hummel.

Will Smythe-Brown, Louis Burg.

James Smythe-Brown, Raymond Steele.

Ned Hill, Harvard friend of the boys, Herbert McKune.

Mrs. Montgomery, social dictator, Margaret Weick.

Olivia Montgomery, her daughter, with dramatic leanings, Norma Eisenman.

Lord Ransome young Englishman, friend of Smythe-Brown, Frank Nordman.

Maid, Magdalena Elsiele.

Butler, Oswald Eisenman.

Time of the play, the day of the Harvard-Yale football game.

If you want to see a snappy little play and have many a good laugh come. One hour and a half of real amusement. Tickets for sale by the school children.

### Busoni at Ann Arbor.

According to a cablegram received a few days ago by his New York managers, Ferruccio Busoni, the eminent Italian Pianist has recovered from his illness and was booked to sail from Genoa on the Rotterdam of the Hamburg-American line on Tuesday, January 5th. On his arrival he will immediately proceed to Boston where he will open his American tour on January 22 and 23 as soloist with the Boston Symphony Orchestra. A definite date for his Ann Arbor appearance is now being arranged and the University School of Music will undoubtedly be able to make a definite announcement within a few days. He will undoubtedly appear in Ann Arbor about the first of February. He was originally scheduled to appear in Ann Arbor in November and later the date was changed to a January date, but because of the out-break of the European war and Mr. Busoni's illness it was found necessary to re-arrange his entire American tour.

Busoni is one of the world's most distinguished pianists and while not an artist of the spectacular type, is recognized by competent critics the world over as one of the greatest exponents of pianistic art.

The School of Music is now arranging a substitute for the concert to have been given by Leo Slesak is an Austrian and he was obliged to give up his American tour on account of his military service.

### A Test for Liver Complaint—Mentally Unhappy—Physically Dull.

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MUNITH—Veri Kutt of Munith has been appointed turnkey of the Jackson county jail by Sheriff Davis.

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TAX COMMISSION MAKES ITS REPORT

FORTY-SIX COUNTIES OF STATE ARE ASSESSED AT 97.7 PER CENT OF VALUE.

GOOD PROGRESS IS SHOWN

Prediction is Made That By 1916 Entire State Will Be Assessed On Basis of Cash Value of Property.

Lansing, Mich.—In the 46 counties of the state where real and personal property is assessed practically at its cash value, the state tax commission in its biennial report, just filed with the governor, shows the assessments are 97.7 per cent of the estimated cash value.

Taking the figures of the two groups jointly, for the entire state, the ratio of the present assessments to the cash value is 83.2 per cent, as compared with 61.6 in 1911.

The board points to the progress made toward a cash basis in the last two years and predicts that by 1916 the entire state will have heeded the provision of the constitution that "hereafter all property shall be assessed at actual cash value."

Many of the recommendations for new tax laws and for amendments to laws now on the statute books were urged by Governor Ferris in his message to the legislature.

FLINT YOUNG MAN IS KILLED

Shot By Landlord in Presence of Mother and Brothers.

Flint—In the presence of his mother and three younger brothers, Stanley Vancowski was shot and instantly killed Saturday evening by Stanislaw Ferrett. The latter then fled.

The Vancowskis lived in a house owned by Ferrett, who roomed upstairs. Saturday night they became involved in a quarrel over the rent and Ferrett, drawing a revolver, fired four shots at Stanley. Two took effect, and the second entering his heart and causing instant death.

The dead boy was 18 years old, and Ferrett about 50.

Three New Michigan Crops.

East Lansing, Mich.—Three new crops which can be grown in Michigan with profit have been tested out at M. A. C. and found to be a success, so successful in fact, that samples of these crops have been included in the big grain show which opened at the college Tuesday as a feature of the fourth annual meeting of the Michigan Experiment association.

Hemp is one of the crops, broom corn another and a new alfalfa plant the third. The new alfalfa plant is distinctive in that it possesses budding roots which tend to increase the crop and make the yield heavier.

Veteran Publisher Is Dead.

Monroe, Mich.—D. R. Crampton, aged 70 years, editor and manager of the Monroe Democrat, is dead here from injuries received in a fall December 29.

Mr. Crampton was postmaster here during the second Cleveland administration, was for many years a prominent Mason, and served as secretary of the board of education.

He is survived by his widow and one son, F. F. Crampton, an attorney of Toledo.

MICHIGAN NEWS ITEMS

With the birth of twin sons to Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kreff, of Alpena, the number of children born to this couple now totals 20. Of this number 10 are living.

To equip its new shops with machinery necessary for the repair of freight and passenger cars, the Grand Trunk Railway Co. has asked bids for \$250,000 worth of machinery, which will be constructed and shipped to Port Huron at the earliest possible moment.

The supervisors of St. Clair county have appropriated \$1,000 for the employment of a county agriculturist for 1915. A similar sum was appropriated a year ago and the experiment proved a marked success, but considerable opposition developed in some townships to the expenditure of this sum of money and when the board met in a special session early last fall, the matter of another appropriation came up and was vetoed.

For violation of the hours-of-service act, United States District Judge Tuttle at Detroit Saturday fined the Michigan Central railroad \$1,200 and costs. Twelve different counts were brought against the railroad by District Attorney Webster.

Announcement was made at Battle Creek Saturday afternoon that the Kellogg Toasted Corn Flake Co. will appeal to the supreme court from the decision of the United States circuit court at Detroit that it cannot use the phrase "Toasted corn flakes" exclusively.

MICHIGAN NEWS BRIEFS

The board of supervisors of Macomb county has decided to submit local option at an election to be held in April.

Lawrence Kelly, 13, of Saginaw, fell on an icy sidewalk and died three hours later from concussion of the brain.

O. H. Hartwell, head of the public schools of Kalamazoo, has been appointed superintendent of schools at Muskegon and has accepted.

At a special election held at Almont, the voters of that village have granted a franchise to the Edison Electric Light company to do business here.

Pointing an "unloaded" shotgun at his 6-year-old sister, Fred Tennnes, a 9-year-old Escanaba lad pulled the trigger and the little girl's head was blown off.

After an illness of several weeks, Dr. Frank G. Austin, the oldest dentist in Kalamazoo, is dead at his home. Dr. Austin had for 30 years been in active practice.

John Crowley, 32, was instantly killed by a Northwestern train at the Sturgeon Mill crossing near Norway and with his sleigh was hurled 75 feet. The horses escaped injury.

Eleven of the 13 gas buoys in St. Clair river have either been pounded, to pieces in the ice jams and sunk or are ashore somewhere along the river. The buoys cost \$2,000 each.

The board of supervisors has decided to place the sheriff of Tuscola county on a salary basis of \$2,500 a year. A bill to this effect will be presented to the governor for his signature.

Samuel Oppenheimer, 72, proprietor of a chain of 17 large stores in Michigan, Ohio, Indiana and Illinois, with headquarters at Saginaw, died at his home at Saginaw Friday night of heart failure.

John Spidel and William Love, convicted in the circuit court at Ludington last week of robbing Fred Gulenski, in a local hotel, were each sentenced to serve from 10 years to life at Marquette prison.

The International Fanciers' association will hold its ninth annual exhibition in Port Huron, January 27 to February 1. Prize birds and fowl from not only all parts of this country, but from several foreign countries, are to be placed on exhibition this year.

The state game warden's department will ask the legislature to repeal that section of the law allowing rabbits to be killed and marketed. The reason is that a wholesale killing of rabbits is being indulged in and the department fears the animals will be exterminated.

A short course of military science at the M. A. C. for officers and men of the state militia is a new plan for strengthening of the nation's defense, which has been mapped out by Lieut. John B. De Lancy, of the college. The matter will be submitted to the state legislature and Adjt.-Gen. Roy C. Vandercrook.

Unemployed men with families of Kalamazoo will be given work in a brick yard the city expects to establish at once. City officials after investigation conditions have decided that some action is necessary at once to provide work for the unemployed, and the creation of the brick yard is the result.

An effort was made at the closing session of the board of supervisors of St. Clair county Saturday to have the proposition to bond the county for \$500,000 for good roads re-submitted to the voters at the April election, but the resolution was defeated. The bond issue was overwhelmingly defeated by the voters last April.

A third local option fight will occur in Kalamazoo county in the spring if the wets are unable to stop it by legal action. The board of supervisors has decided to submit the issue, the committee in its report stating that the irregularities pointed out by the wet attorneys in the petitions are not sufficient cause to reject the petitions.

Mr. and Mrs. Solomon Brackett are dead at their home at Lemon. Two weeks ago Mr. Brackett was taken ill and his wife cared for him until she was forced to give up by sickness. Monday she died in his room and he saw her carried out, and a few hours later expired. The Bracketts had been married 60 years. They were each 80 years of age.

At the annual meeting of the City Hospital association at Pontiac Saturday afternoon the board of directors agreed to accept the city's offer to take over the institution. The property is valued at \$80,000. It was formerly supported by voluntary contributions, and aid of the women of the city, augmented by an annual grant of \$1,000 from the city.

Maurice Cole, of Paw Paw, won the oratorical contest, and as a result has the right to represent Alma college at the state oratorical contest in Alma March 5. His oration was entitled "The Newer Citizenship."

N. E. Pinney of Ann Arbor won first place in the university peace contest Friday night, and R. R. Fellers of Coleman, second. Pinney will represent the university in the inter-collegiate peace contests, participated in by Michigan, Albion, Hillsdale, Ypsilanti, Olivet and M. A. C., held at Ann Arbor March 29.

PONTIAC MAN IS FOUND MURDERED

KEEPER OF SMALL SHOP KILLED AND ROBBER OF HIS MONEY.

VICTIM'S HEAD BEATEN IN

Aged John Bryer Is Found By His Son After Having Been Dead for Several Days in His Shop.

Pontiac, Mich.—John Bryer, aged keeper of a second hand store on a side street in Pontiac, was found slain in his unpretentious place of business here Monday by a son, Rube. There were five wounds, probably made by some blunt instrument such as a hammer, in the back of Bryer's head. He was 68 years old.

Bryer had not been seen since Friday. The morning after, several boys playing beside the Grand Trunk railroad tracks, found an empty cash box. Bryer's name was on the inside. The box was turned over to officers and a deputy from the jail visited Bryer's place on Saturday to find out how the box happened to be on the railroad tracks. The door to the place was held fast with a padlock, and several subsequent visits to the place the same day failed to reveal that there was anyone about. No attempt was made to force the door, as Bryer was known to be somewhat irregular in his business habits. The officers presumed that he had perhaps closed his shop for a couple of days.

Monday Rube Bryer, a son of the slain man, called at his father's place, and found that he could easily force the lock, which was improperly closed. The dead body of his father was on the floor.

Bryer had lived in Pontiac for years and at one time was more prosperous than when he died. He separated from his wife several years ago and since then the family has been somewhat scattered. Besides Rube, there is a son, Edward. Of late years Bryer had conducted a small second-hand store and did an indifferent business in upholstering and odd jobs. He was usually surrounded by a number of cronies, among them some of the oldest men in the city, and was regarded as somewhat eccentric in his habits.

The only clues the officers have been able to turn up is the cash box and with this they are bending their efforts to trace the aged man's slayer. They have a theory that tramps killed him for the small amount of money he might have had on hand.

Students Leave Burning Building.

Grand Rapids—One thousand perfectly disciplined children safely marched out of St. Andrew's Roman Catholic school late Friday while the big institution blazed over their heads.

Most of them left their wraps in the burning building, but not one was injured, thanks to the order maintained when the fire signal was given. Every child was out in two minutes, the sisters of St. Dominic, who were in charge of the building, remaining behind until the last pupil was safe.

The building, which housed the Catholic central high school for boys, as well as the St. Andrew's parochial school, was badly damaged.

Census of Deaf Being Taken.

Flint—Under the direction of Luther L. Wright, superintendent of the Michigan School for the Deaf, a census of the deaf of the state is now being taken.

The figures are not yet complete, but Mr. Wright estimates that his average attendance will be increased by about 200 within the next two years. The school now has 320 students enrolled. When Mr. Wright took office a year ago it had about 270. From figures now on file it is said that the increase in attendance will far exceed the average yearly growth.

Fifty-Seven Ships in Parade.

Washington—Fifty-seven naval vessels will make up the fleet which will go to San Francisco by way of the Panama canal next March, according to an announcement made Saturday by Secretary Daniels.

There will be 21 battleships headed by the dreadnaught Wyoming, Admiral Fletcher's flagship, 23 torpedo-boat destroyers and 13 auxiliaries, including colliers and supply vessels.

NEWS TOLD IN BRIEF.

Governor Ferris has appointed these jury commissioners for Kent county: Ralph A. Mosier, William H. Kinsey and William H. Strahan, of Grand Rapids; Martin Cobb, of Bove township, and Melvin McPherson, of Vergeen township.

Mason county will vote on local option in April, the supervisors having approved the petitions and ordered the election. Mason is now "wet," prohibition having been defeated in 1910.

Frank G. Jones, recently released from Ionia prison on a temporary parole issued by Gov. Ferris, was given a regular parole Thursday night following a conference held with the governor, in which Jones readily agreed to the restrictions under which the parole was issued.

ENGLISH WOMAN SPEAKS AT GREAT PEACE MEETING



MRS. PETHIC LAWRENCE.

Washington—Mrs. Lawrence, noted English suffragist was the principal speaker at a great gathering of women in Washington Sunday held in the interest of universal peace.

While men and women sobbed and wept and hundreds struggled to get within earshot of the speakers, the huge mass meeting called on womanhood to end all war on a platform and preamble based on woman's right of motherhood to prevent violation of life.

ASK FOR LIMITED SUFFRAGE

Law Similar to Illinois Measure Sought By Michigan Women.

Lansing—Michigan suffragists are planning an active campaign before the present legislature in an effort to secure for women of this state the right to vote for candidates for offices created by the legislature.

The legislature may grant to women the right to vote for such offices as Illinois women now vote for, without submitting the matter to a referendum. The suffragists, having failed in two attempts to get full suffrage, now ask that they be allowed the step forward that has been granted in the neighboring state of Illinois.

Advices Farmers to Advertise.

East Lansing—"It pays the farmer to advertise."

This, at least, is one of the new maxims of progressive agriculture which is being preached to the 400 or so farmers who have enrolled at the college for the winter short course.

"Michigan apples," said O. K. White, of the college horticultural department, in a lecture to the farmers, "are the equal, if not the superior of any grown in the United States, yet they do not bring the price commanded by those grown in the west. The reason is simply that the Michigan orchardists have not yet awakened to the value of advertising and of putting up their fruit in the attractive manner which is characteristic of the shipments from the western orchard districts."

CLAIM FRENCH SHIP IS SUNK

Vienna Reports Officially That Courbet Is Victim of Submarine.

Berlin, via Wireless to Sayville.—Vienna reported officially to Berlin Monday that the French dreadnaught Courbet had been sunk, following an attack by Austrian submarine No. 12. The Austrian report says it has been ascertained that after the Courbet was hit by the Austrian submarine, the dreadnaught Jean Bart, sister ship of the Courbet, tried to tow her to port. The Jean Bart, while maneuvering, rammed the Courbet and she sank.

ITEMS OF STATE INTEREST

W. B. Mershon, of Saginaw, president of the Michigan Sportsman's association, has named Jan. 27-28 for the annual meeting, which will be held in Lansing.

The conviction of the Michigan Central railroad for blocking a crossing in Owosso longer than the five-minute limit set in a city ordinance has been affirmed by the supreme court.

Miss Hildegard Hagerman, of Ludington, senior "lit." is the first girl student at U. of M. to be appointed to the editorial board of the Gargoyle, the university humorous publication.

That wheat did not suffer during December is evidenced by the monthly crop report issued by the secretary of state Thursday, only 22 crop respondents saying any injury was suffered from any cause, while 321 correspondents report no injury. Live stock is reported in good condition.

After being out three and a half weeks, a jury at Ann Arbor late Wednesday night brought in a verdict for Frank Davidson for \$750 in a suit for \$25,000 damages against the D. J. & C. railway, controlled by the D. U. R., for injuries he claimed to have sustained in a collision near Jackson July 2.

Mrs. George Franklin, of near Sheldon, is dead as the result of an explosion of oil used to start a fire. She is survived by her husband.

The report to the legislature of Gov. Ferris as to pardons shows that during the last two years clemency was extended 128 prisoners. There were three pardons granted and 25 commutation sentences. One hundred prisoners were released or paroled and placed under the same rules and regulations used by the board of pardons except in a few cases where special restrictions were also added.

SUFFRAGE FAILS TO PASS HOUSE

VOTE OF 204 TO 174 DEFEATS AMENDMENT FOR SECOND TIME.

LEADERS ARE NOT DISMAYED

Mondell Resolution to Submit Question of Votes for Women to States Is Lost in Lower House.

Washington—The house of representatives Tuesday night by a vote of 204 against 174 for the proposal, refused to submit to the states an amendment to the federal constitution to enfranchise women.

The vote, the second in the history of congress on the woman suffrage issue, came at the close of a day of long prepared-for oratory during which the many speakers were listened to with frequent evidences of approval or disapproval by packed galleries. The question was before the house on the Mondell resolution to submit a constitutional amendment providing that the right of suffrage should not be abridged "on account of sex."

A two-thirds affirmative vote was necessary to pass the resolution, it was defeated by a majority of 30.

Party lines were not strictly drawn in the fight, though Democrat Leader Underwood, voicing the attitude of his party that suffrage is a state issue, strongly opposed the resolution, while Republican Leader Mann was one of the chief speakers of the suffragists.

Enthusiasm mingled with dejection when Speaker Clark announced the result, and into the corridors from opposite galleries filed the hundreds of suffragists, with their purple and fellow sashes and the red-rose bedecked anti-suffragists.

This was the second defeat for the suffrage cause in the national legislature within a year. March 19, last, an equal suffrage constitutional amendment, proposed by Senator Chamberlain, of Oregon, received a vote of 35 to 34 in the senate, securing a bare majority, but falling of the necessary two-thirds.

However, suffragist leaders are not dismayed. As they left the galleries, led by Dr. Anna Howard Shaw, Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt, and other champions of the cause, they declared that the fight was by no means over, and that the suffrage propaganda would be pressed forward and onward until every woman in America should have the right to cast a ballot.

CLAIM FRENCH SHIP IS SUNK

Vienna Reports Officially That Courbet Is Victim of Submarine.

Berlin, via Wireless to Sayville.—Vienna reported officially to Berlin Monday that the French dreadnaught Courbet had been sunk, following an attack by Austrian submarine No. 12. The Austrian report says it has been ascertained that after the Courbet was hit by the Austrian submarine, the dreadnaught Jean Bart, sister ship of the Courbet, tried to tow her to port. The Jean Bart, while maneuvering, rammed the Courbet and she sank.

The Jean Bart afterward docked at Malta.

The Vienna report states that the French officials have been concealing the news concerning the loss of the Courbet and have announced merely that the Jean Bart was injured. The fate of the Courbet's crew is not stated.

Wilson Against Literacy Test.

Washington—President Wilson Monday reiterated his opposition to the literacy test, in the immigration bill to a delegation of women from Chicago, headed by Jane Addams, who asked that he veto the measure. The president did not state definitely an intention to veto the bill, but the women said they were hopeful he would.

With Miss Addams were Miss Mary E. McDowell, and Miss Lydia Schmidt, Mrs. W. D. Lloyd, Mrs. Bertram Sippy, Mrs. M. H. Wylmarth and Miss Florence Hollbrook.

Mr. Wilson told the delegation he had long been of the opinion that a literacy test was not a proper method of determining qualifications of foreigners to enter the United States.

BRIEF NEWS OF THE WAR

Lima, Peru.—The government authorities have received information that two Japanese warships will soon arrive at Callao.

Brighton, Eng.—King George and Queen Mary, accompanied by a large escort, Saturday visited the hospitals here which have been set aside for the wounded of the Indian expeditionary forces. The king and queen talked at length with many of the wounded.

London, by mail to New York.—Great Britain has lost, since the war began, a total of 1,174 officers killed and 2,800 wounded. In addition there are 650 officers reported as missing. These are the figures contained in the officers' casualty list for the last 13 days given out Saturday.

MARKET QUOTATIONS

Live Stock, Grain and General Farm Produce.

Live Stock.

DETROIT—Cattle: Receipts, 883; market steady; best heavy cows, \$5 @8.50; best handy weight butchers steers, \$7@7.50; mixed steers and heifers, \$6.50@7; handy light butchers, \$6@6.75; light butchers, \$5.50@6; best cows, \$6@6.25; butcher cows, \$5.50@5.75; common cows, \$4.50@5; canners, \$3@4; best heavy bulls, \$6@6.50; bologna bulls, \$5.50@5.75; stock bulls, \$5@5.50.

Veal calves—Receipts, 289; market 50c higher; best, \$10@11; others, \$6.50@9.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 5,033; market steady; heavy lambs selling very slow at \$7.25@7.50; best lambs, \$4@8.10; fair lambs, 7.25@7.75; light to common lambs, \$6@7; fair to good sheep, \$4@4.50; culls and common, \$2.50@3.

Hogs—Receipts, 9,256; market steady; all grades, \$7.

EAST BUFFALO—Receipts of cattle.

4,000; market 25¢50c lower; prime steers, \$8.60@9; fair to good, \$8.15@8.35; plain, \$7.50@7.75; choice butcher steers, \$8.15@8.40; fair to good, \$7.50@7.75; best handy steers, \$8.15@8.35; common to good, \$7@8; yearlings, \$7.75@8.75; prime heifers, \$7.40@7.60; best butcher heifers, \$7@7.35; common to good, \$6@6.75; best fat cows, \$6.30@6.75; good butcher cows, \$5.50@6; medium to good, \$4.75@5.50; cullers, \$4.25@4.50; canners, \$3.75@4; best bulls, \$6.75@7; good butcher bulls, \$6@6.75; sausage bulls, \$5.50@6; light bulls, \$4.75@5.15.

Hogs: Receipts, 20,000; market steady; heavy, \$7@7.10; yorkers, \$7.15 @7.30; pigs, \$7.30@7.50.

Sheep: Receipts, 16,000; market active; top lambs, \$8.75@9; yearlings, \$6.50@7.50; wethers, \$6.30@6.50; ewes, \$5@6.

Calves: Receipts, 900; market slow; tops, \$12; fair to good, \$9.50@11; culls and common, \$6.50@9.50; grassers, \$4@5.50.

Grains, Etc.

DETROIT—Wheat: Cash No 2 red, \$1.33; May opened with a decline of 1c at \$1.27 1/2, advanced to \$1.33 1/2, declined to \$1.37 and advanced to \$1.37 1/2; July opened at \$1.27 1/2, gained 1c, declined to \$1.27 and advanced to \$1.27 1/2; No 1 white, \$1.30.

Corn—Cash No 3, 70 1/2c; No 5 mixed, 2 cars at 69c; No 3 yellow, 2 cars at 72c; 2 at 71 1/2c; No 4 yellow, 2 cars at 71c, closing at 70 1/2c; No 5 yellow, 2 cars at 70c.

Oats—Standard, 4 cars at 53 1/2c, 2 at 53c; No 3 white, 52 1/2c; No 4 white, 51 1/2c.

Beans—Immediate, prompt and January shipment, \$2.75; February, \$2.85; May, \$2.90.

Cloverseed—Prime spot, \$9.65; March, 500 bags at \$9.75, closing at \$9.70; sample red, 30 bags at \$9.25, 45 at \$9.20 at \$8.75, 25 at \$8.50, 15 at \$8; prime alsike, \$9.30; sample alsike, 18 bags at \$8.25.

Timothy—Prime spot, \$3.45. Hay—No 1 timothy, \$16@16.50; standard timothy, \$15@15.50; No 2 timothy, \$15@15.50; No 1 mixed, \$13 @13.50; No 2 mixed, \$10@12; No 1 clover, \$13@13.50; No 2 clover, \$10@12; rye straw, \$7.50@8; wheat and oat straw, \$7@7.50 per ton.

Flour—In one-eighth paper sacks, per 106 lbs, jobbing lots: Best patent, \$6.70; second patent, \$6.50; straight, \$5.85; spring patent, \$7; rye flour, \$6.10 per bbl.

Feed—In 100-lb sacks, jobbing lots: Bran, 26c; standard middlings, \$27; fine middlings, \$32; coarse cornmeal, \$30; cracked corn, \$34; corn and oat chop, \$27 per ton.

General Markets.

Apples—Baldwin, \$2.50@2.75; Greening, \$2.75@3; Spy, \$3@3.25; Steele Red, \$3.50; Ben Davis, \$1.50@2 per bbl; western apples, \$1.50@1.70 per box; No 2, 40¢50¢ per bu.

Rabbats—\$1.75 per doz. Cabbage—\$1.75 per bbl. Dressed Hogs—Light, 8 1-2@9c; heavy, 7@8c per lb.

Onions—\$1 per 100 lbs in bulk and \$1.25 per 100 lbs in sacks. Dressed Calves—Fancy, 12@12 1/2c; common, 9@10c per lb.

Tomatoes—Hothouse, 20@25c per lb; Florida, \$5.50 per crate and \$1 per basket. Honey—Choice to fancy new, white comb, 15@16c; amber, 10@11c; extracted, 8@9c per lb.

Dressed Poultry—Chickens, 14@15c; hens, 13@14c; ducks, 14@15c; geese, 12@14c; turkeys, 20@21c per lb.

Live Poultry—Spring chickens, 12 1-2@13c heavy hens, 12 1-2@13c; No 2 hens, 8c; old roosters, 9@10c; ducks, 13@14c; geese, 12@13c; turkeys, 17@18c per lb.

Cheese—Wholesale lots: Michigan flats, 14@14 1/2c; New York flats, 15 1-2@15 3/4c; brick, 14@14 1/2c; limburger, 14 1-2@15 1/2c; imported Swiss, 30@32c; domestic Swiss, 19@20c; long horns, 15 1/2@14c; daisies, 15@15 1/4c per lb.

Potatoes—Carlots, 35@38c per bu in bulk and 40c per bu in sacks; from store, 40@50c per bu.

Hides—No 1 cured, 18 1-2c; No 1 green, 16 1-2c; No 1 cured bulls, 13 1-2c; No 1 green bulls, 12c; No 1 cured veal kip, 15c; No 1 green veal kip, 17 1/2c; No 1 cured murrain, 15c; No 1 green murrain, 15c; No 1 cured calf, 20c; No 1 green calf, 20c; No 1 horsehide, \$5; No 2 horsehide, \$4; No 2 hides 1c and No 2 kip and calf 1 1/2c lower than the above; sheepskins, as to amount of wool, 50c@ \$1.25.

DAIRY



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(By W. MILTON KELLY.) Good farming consists of making a profit out of the farm and at the same time leaving it better at the end of each year than it was at the beginning.

One of the mistakes that we often make when we are measuring the success of a farmer is when

# The Trey O' Hearts

A Novelized Version of the Motion Picture Drama of the Same Name Produced by the Universal Film Co.

By LOUIS JOSEPH VANCE

Author of "The Fortune Hunter," "The Brass Boat," "The Black Dog," etc.

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## SYNOPSIS.

The Trey O' Hearts is the "death-sign" employed by Seneca Trine in the private war of vengeance which, through the agency of his daughter, Judith, a woman of violent passions like his own, he wages against Alan Law, son of the man (now dead) who was innocently responsible for the accident which made Trine a helpless cripple. Alan is in love with Rose, Judith's twin and double but in all other respects her precise opposite. Judith vows to compass Alan's death; but under dramatic circumstances he saves her life and so, unwillingly, wins her love. Thereafter Judith is by turns animated by the old hate, the new love, and jealousy of her sister. She earns her father's distrust and is left behind by him when he journeys West, taking Rose with him, in order to lure Alan away from New York. Alan pursues, Judith accompanying him against his wish, and succeeds in rescuing Rose from Trine's special train.

## CHAPTER XXXII.

### Light Engine.

Toward the close of that summer's day it was the whim of that arch-manager of theatricals whom men call Fate to stage an anticlimax in the midst of a vast and hilly expanse of desolate middle western country—a rude and rugged dike of earth which boasted no human tenancy within a circle of its far-flung horizon and was bisected, not neatly, rather irregularly, by the flowing double line of steel ribbons which marked the railroad's right of way over the old Santa Fe trail.

So much for the stage: the light effects were provided exclusively by the crimson and purple and gold of a portentous sunset; the properties employed were simply a special train and what is known as a light engine.

It was the engineer of the special who started the trouble. After bringing his monster to a full pause, he turned upon his passengers and—not without plausible excuse—violently indicted Mr. Alan Law for abuse of his and his fireman's trustfulness.

They had been engaged, both gentlemen asserted vigorously, for nothing more dangerous than a quick run across the prairies, in furtherance of the unspecified plans of Mr. Alan Law and his companion, Miss Judith Trine. After starting out, they had wickedly and maliciously been bribed by the said Law to put on speed and catch up with the special, in order that he might rescue from the latter a young woman, his bride-to-be and the sister of Miss Trine.

But—and here was the grievance—they hadn't bargained to be shot at with pistols. And precisely that outrage had been put upon them during and subsequent to the moment of rescue.

It was unhappy Mr. Barcus who precipitated the affair. This gentleman



One of His Arms Was Around Her Shoulder.

was suffering from a severe sprain to his sense of decent pride. In the service of Miss Rose Trine and her betrothed, Mr. Law, Barcus had blackened his face and hands to the hue of ebony and had garmented himself in the garb of a Pullman porter.

It was the fireman (to be just) who brought the row to a focus by a slighting reference to that "shiftless and misbegotten dingie."

He repeated quite promptly, Mr. Barcus jumped for his throat with a bellow of rage. The fireman slipped on the cab platform, trod on nothing, and went over backwards, taking Mr. Barcus with him to the ballast.

At almost the same moment Mr. Law, attempting to restrain the engineer from going to the assistance of his fellow-worker, ducked in under a vicious swing for his chin, grappled with his foe, tripped him up—and went with him to the ground on the opposite side of the locomotive from that occupied by Mr. Barcus and the fireman.

heavy man, but active and infuriated. He fought like a demon unchained. It was all very exciting. Mr. Law was even beginning to enjoy it when he heard a woman shriek. At the same instant revolvers began to pop.

Mr. Law released his foe almost as quickly as he was released. Both rose as one man, to find Judith Trine beside them, a little smile of excitement playing round her lips as she looked up the track and watched the special slow down to a stop—several persons on the back platform plying busy trigger-fingers all the while.

As these last threw open the platform gates and dropped to the ballast, still perforating the air with many bullets, Mr. Law, Miss Judith Trine, and that late belligerent, the engineer, turned simultaneously and sought the rear of the tender.

On the opposite side they found Rose Trine and Mr. Barcus standing uncertainly above the body of the fireman, who, it appeared, had stumped himself in falling and remained insensible.

The appearance of Law and Judith from behind the tender, closely pursued by the engineer, who was in turn closely pursued by gentlemen with revolvers, stirred Barcus and Rose to action. Alan passed him at a round pace, pausing only long enough to seize Rose and drag her with him toward the special.

## CHAPTER XXXIII.

### Pullman.

"Come inside," Law suggested, "and introduce me to the brakeman. I presume I've got to fix things up with him."

"If there's really any doubt in your mind as to that," Barcus said, rising, "I don't mind telling you you're right."

He paused as Alan entered the car before him and was greeted by a storm of vituperation that fairly blistered the panels of the Pullman. Mr. Seneca Trine, helpless in his invalid chair, thus celebrated his introduction to the young man whom he had never before seen whose life he had schemed to take these many years.

Alan made no effort to respond, but listened with his head critically to one side and an exasperating expression of deep interest informing his countenance until Mr. Trine was out of breath and vitriol; when the younger man bowed with the slightest shade of mockery in his manner and waved a tolerant hand to Barcus.

"He has, no doubt," Alan inquired, "his own private cell aboard this car?"

"Yes, suh!" Barcus agreed, aping well the manner of his apparent caste and color. "Ain't dat de troof?"

"Take him away, then," Alan requested wearily—"if you please."

"Yes, suh!" Barcus replied, with nimble alacrity seizing the back of the wheeled chair and swinging it round for a spin up the length of the car.

Before Trine had recovered enough to curse him properly, the door to his drawing room was closed and Barcus was ambling back down the aisle.

His grin of relish at this turning of the tables on the monomaniac proved, however, short-lived. It erased itself in a twinkling when Judith shouldered roughly past him, wearing a sullen and forbidding countenance, and flung herself into the drawing room with her father.

The cause of her temper was not far to seek: at the far end of the car Alan was bending solicitously over the chair in which Rose was resting. One of his arms was around her shoulder. Her face was lifted confidently to his.

Barcus mused morosely on his apprehension of trouble a-brew, shimmering over the waxing fire of that strange woman's jealousy. He didn't like the prospect at all. If only Alan and Rose hadn't been so desperately in love that they couldn't keep away from one another! If only Alan had been sensible enough to outwit the woman and leave her behind when he started in pursuit of the special! If only there had not been that light engine in pursuit—as Barcus firmly believed it must be—loaded to the guards with Trine's unscrupulous hirelings!

No telling when they might catch up!

The fear of this last catastrophe worked together with his fears of Judith to render that night a sleepless one for Barcus. He spent it in a chair whence he could watch both the door to the compartment Judith had chosen for her own (formerly Marrophet's quarters) and the endless ribbons of steel that swept beneath the tracks.

But nothing happened. He napped uneasily from time to time, waking with a start of fright, but always to find nothing amiss. Ever Judith stopped behind that closed door, and ever the track behind was innocent of the glare of a pursuing headlight.

Nor did anything outward mark the progress of the morning—unless, indeed, Judith's protracted sessions with her father behind the closed door of the drawing room were to be counted ominous.

Alan standing his watch on the observation platform, in company with Rose; and the train booming along through an uncouth wilderness of arid mountains, barren mesas, and sun-smitten flats given over to the desolate genius of sagebrush.

Whatever had been the tenor of the communication between father and daughter, Judith eventually emerged from the drawing room in an ominous temper. Barcus, coming drowsily away from his compartment at the same time, was jarred wide awake by sight of the foreboding countenance she wore; and after a moment of doubt followed her back to the lounge at the rear of the car.

He got there in time to see her at rigid standstill, staring steadfastly at the two figures so close together on the observation platform. But on his appearance Judith shook herself together, snatched up a magazine, and plunged wraithfully into an easy chair, burying her nose between the pages of the publication with every indication of deep interest in its text.

Mr. Barcus, however, had learned the lesson of bitter experience to the effect that the outward bearing of Miss Judith Trine was no sure index to her inward humor—unless, that is, it might be taken to indicate the direct contrary of its semblance; though even this was no reliable rule. Reminding himself of this, he therefore invented a morbid interest in another magazine—round the edge of which he kept a wary eye upon the young woman.

For all her exasperation, Judith contained herself longer than might have been expected. Her continued show of placidity, indeed, lulled Barcus into a dangerous feeling of security. Persuaded that she meant to behave, he gradually ceased to watch her as narrowly as at first, and lost himself in a morose reverie whose subject was the seemingly permanent mourning into which he had plunged his face and hands for the purposes of his masquerade—staining them a shade of ebony upon which soap and water and scrubbing had no effect whatever. And he had invented a most excruciating method of revenging himself upon the druggist who had taken advantage of his confidence and sold him the irredeemable dye—when he was roused by

"Will you be good if I let you out?" "Perfectly." "No more shenanigans?" "I promise."

"Word of honor?" "If my word of honor means anything to you—you have it."

"Well . . ." He said dubiously. In the same humor he turned and released the knob; promptly Judith opened it wide and swept out into the corridor, her mood now one of really fetching mockery.

"Thank you so much!" she laughed into his face of discomfiture; and dropping him an ironic curtsy, she turned forward and swung into the drawing room occupied by Trine.

"Wonder what she put that on for?" he speculated, with reference to the ankle-long Pullman wrapper which Judith had seen it to do during her period of captivity. "Heaven knows it's hot enough without wearing more clothing than decency demands."

But you never can tell about a woman . . . I bet a dollar I've made a blithering ass of myself—letting her loose at all!"

He took his doubts aft, communicating them to Alan and Rose.

And his long conference with Alan and Rose on the observation platform afforded Judith ample opportunity in which undetected to suborn the train crew to treachery.

Whether she did or not, this is what happened in the course of the next hour: the special was forced to take a siding to make way for the California Limited, east-bound; and when this had passed, the engine of the special coughed apologetically and pulled swiftly out, leaving the Pullman stalled on the siding.

From the rear of the tender the brakeman and fireman waved affecting farewells to the indignant faces of Alan and Barcus when they showed in the front doorway.

## CHAPTER XXXIV.

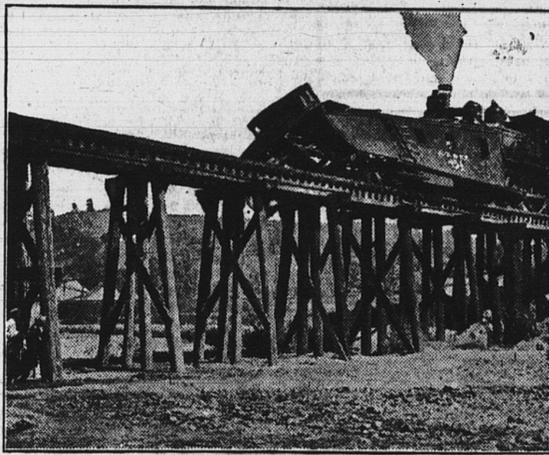
### Hand Car.

"Well!" Mr. Barcus broke a silence whose eloquence may not be translated in print—"can you beat it?"

"Not with this outfit," Alan admitted gloomily.

"But—damn it!—we've got to."

"Profanity—even yours, my friend—



Struck the Caboose With a Crash the sudden flight of a magazine across the car, missing his head by a bare two inches, and the bang of a chair overturned by Judith as she jumped up and flung herself furiously toward the door.

Just what had happened on the observation platform Barcus didn't know, but he could readily believe that the lovers had just indulged in some especially provoking and long-drawn-out caress.

He overhauled Judith none too soon. In another moment she would have had her sister by the throat—if her purpose had not been to throw Rose bodily overboard, as Barcus suspected. Happily, he was as quick on his feet as Judith on hers; and almost before he had grasped the situation, he had grasped her—had seized her arms and drawn them forcibly behind her back, at the same time swinging her round and endeavoring to propel her back through the doorway.

It was a man-size job. For the ensuing five minutes he had his hands full of violently resentful and superbly able-bodied young woman. Only with the greatest difficulty did he succeed in wrestling her up the aisle and to the door of her compartment, where an even more furious resistance for some additional minutes precluded the ultimate closing of the door upon the maddened Judith. Even then he might not draw a free breath; there was no way of locking that door from the outside; and he dared not leave go the handle, lest the girl again fly out and renew the battle.

Waving aside Alan's proffer of assistance, he acidly advised that gentleman to return to his post of duty and not let his infatuation blind him to what might at any moment loom up on the track behind them, Barcus stoutly held the door against the girl's attempt to pull it open and through another period when she occupied her usual of breaking a way out. A long pause followed. He heard no sounds from within. And wearing, he wondered what the devil she was up to. Then her voice penetrated the barrier, its accents calm and not unamiable:

"Mr. Barcus!"

"Hello!" he replied, startled. "What is it, Miss Judith?"

"Please let me out."

"Not much."

"Oh—please!"

"Struck by the fact that she hadn't lost her temper on hearing his refusal, he hesitated.

Somewhere far back along the line a locomotive hooted mournfully.

"It's got to!" Alan replied, helping Rose aboard. "If we can only get out of sight before they get here—"

"Don't worry," Barcus advised: "that's a freight whistle."

"Maybe you can distinguish the whistle of a freight from that of a passenger train—I don't say you can; but I'll take no chances on your judgment being good. Hop aboard here if you're coming with us!"

Slowly the hand car stirred on its grease-hungry and complaining axles; slowly it gathered momentum and surged noisily up the track as Alan and Barcus, on opposite sides of the handlebar, alternately rose and fell back; slowly it mounted the slight grade to the bend in the track, rounded it, lost sight of the stalled Pullman on the siding and began to move more swiftly on a moderate down grade.

Behind it the thunder of an approaching train grew momentarily in volume, lending color to the theory of Mr. Barcus that what they had heard had been the whistle of a freighter rather than of the light engine. But just as Alan was about to advocate leaving the tracks and taking the hand car with them, to clear the way for the train, its rumble began to diminish, grew less and beautifully less, and was stilled.

"What do you make of that?" Alan panted across the racking bar.

"The obvious," Barcus returned. "The freight has taken the siding to wait for some other through train to pass. We'll have to look sharp and be ready to jump."

The grade became a trace more steep; the car moved with less reluctance.

"Let go," Alan advised: "it'll coast down the balance of this incline—and we'd better save our strength."

But they had barely regained their breath and mopped the streaming sweat away from their eyes when a second whistle, of a different tone, startled both back to their task.

Catching the eye of Barcus Alan nodded despairingly.

"Afraid it's all up with us now," he groaned; "that sounded precisely like the whistle of the light engine."

"Sure it did!" Barcus agreed. "It wouldn't be us if we had any better luck. The saints be praised for this grade!"

For all its age and decrepitude the hand car made a very fair pace at the urge of the two who rose and sagged again without respite on either side the handlebar; and the grade was happily long, turning and twisting like a snake through the hills.

A little grace was granted them, moreover, through the circumstance (as they afterward discovered) that the light engine had stopped at the siding long enough to couple up Trine's Pullman—thus automatically ceasing to be a light engine, and becoming a special.

It was fully a quarter of an hour before the growing rumble of the latter warned the trio on the hand car, just as it gained the end of the grade and addressed itself to a level though tortuous stretch of track.

And at this point discovery of the switch of a spur line that shot off southward into the hills furnished Alan with his independent inspiration.

Stopping the hand car after it had jolted over the frogs, he jumped down, set the switch to shunt the pursuit off to the spur, and leaped back upon the car.

Hardly had they succeeded in working the hand car up round the shoulder of the next bend when the special took the switch without pause and the roar of its progress, shut off by an intervening mountain, was suddenly stilled to a murmur.

But even so, there was neither rest for the weary nor much excuse for self-congratulation; the rumble of the special was not altogether lost to hearing when the thunder of the freight replaced and drowned it out.

Of a sudden, releasing the handlebar, Alan stood up and signed to Barcus to imitate his example.

"Well—" this last panted, when he had obeyed.

"Jump off—leave the hand car where it is—they'll have to stop to clear it off the track."

"And then?"

"I'll buy a lift from them if it takes my last dollar in the world," Alan promised. "It's our only hope. We can't keep up this heart-breaking business forever—and it can't be long before Trine and Marrophet discover their mistake!"

## CHAPTER XXXV.

### Caboose.

For once, in a way, it fell out precisely as Mr. Law had planned and prayed.

Constrained to pull up in order to remove the obstruction from the track, the train crew of the freight choked down its collective wrath on being presented with a sum of money. In the hopes of further largesse it lent its common ear to Alan's well-worn tale, which had so frequently proved useful in similar emergencies, of an eloping couple pursued by an unreasonably vindictive parent; and had its hopes rewarded by the price Alan bargained to pay in exchange for exclusive use of the caboose as far as the next town.

So that it was not more than ten minutes before Rose was settled to rest in such comfort as the caboose afforded, while Alan and Barcus sat within its doorway and smoked.

Neither he nor any other aboard the freight suspected for an instant that in the box car next forward of the caboose a woman in man's clothing lay perdu, now and again chuckling implicitly to herself in anticipation of the time and the event she was biding

with such patience as she could muster.

The whistle of a locomotive overtaking the freight sounded the signal for her to take action on her cherished plan.

Rising, she glanced out of the open door. A curve in the track below the freight, laboring up a steep grade, enabled her to catch a glimpse of a headlight, followed by a string of lighted windows, indicating a single car: the special, beyond a doubt.

Without hesitation, since the train was not running at speed, she dropped out to the ballast, wheeled smartly about, caught the handbar at the end of the box car as it passed and swung herself up between it and the caboose.

A trifle later the freight gained the summit of the grade and began to run more smoothly.

Climbing to the top of the box car she peered keenly through the gloaming, which was not yet so dense that she might not discern two heads pro-



Judith Uncoupling the Caboose.

truding from the window of the special's engine, one on either side.

At a venture, she snatched off her coat and waved it wildly in the air.

An arm answered the signal from one window of the pursuing locomotive.

Marrophet, of course!

She turned and peered ahead. The freight was approaching a trestle that spanned a wide and shallow gully.

So much the better!

Dropping down again between the cars, she set herself to solve the problem of uncoupling the caboose.

In this she was successful just as the last car rolled out on the trestle.

Its own impetus carried the caboose to the middle of the trestle before it stopped.

As this happened, Alan and Barcus already warned of an emergency by the slowing down of the car, and for some time alive to the fact that the special was again in pursuit, leaped out upon the ties and helped Rose to alight.

Already the last of the freight was whisking off the trestle, its crew thus far unconscious of their loss.

And behind them the special was plunging forward at unabated speed.

There was no time to execute their plan of the first desperate instant—to run along the ties to safety on the solid earth: the distance was too great; they could not possibly make it.

With common impulse the two men glanced down to the bottom of the gully, then looked at each other with eyes informed by common inspiration.

Barcus announced in a breath: "Thirty feet—not more."

Alan replied: "Can you hold the weight of the two of us for half a minute?"

Barcus shrugged: "I can try. We might as well—even if I can't."

While speaking, he was lowering himself between the ties.

## COOKING TOUGH MEAT

NO BETTER WAY THAN BRAISING HAS BEEN DEVISED.

Especially Should Fowl That is Not as Tender as Could Be Wished Be Prepared in This Way—Some Kidney Dishes.

Braising is an excellent way of cooking rather tough meats, as the long, slow cooking softens the meat and yet all the nourishment is preserved in the gravy. A fowl that is tough should always be cooked in this way. Take a casserole just large enough to hold the fowl. Cover the bottom with slices of fat bacon, add thick slices of onion, carrots and turnips and put in the fowl. Cover the dish and let it cook on the top of the stove for 15 minutes. Then add a pint of hot water. Place in the oven. Let it simmer an hour or longer, according to the age and size of the fowl. Two hours will be needed for an old bird. Dish the bird. Put the vegetables around the dish and pour over it a gravy made from the stock.

Kidneys which may be bought for one, two or three cents apiece, never more, even in the city, make a cheap and delicious supper, luncheon or breakfast dish either grilled or stewed. To stew the kidneys scald, skin and cut them in halves, take out the small, hard piece and rub in seasoned flour. Heat a little dripping in small casserole, put in the kidneys and fry them brown. Take them out and keep warm on a plate. Chop a small onion, fry in the casserole until brown, add a little flour and brown. Add a teaspoonful of sharp sauce and one of tomato sauce or catchup. Pour in slowly as much water as required, stirring to keep smooth. Return the kidneys to the pan and simmer for about an hour. Skim off any scum and flavor with sherry. Kidneys that are left over from a supper dish are very good hashed and served on toast for breakfast. They should be rewarmed with a brown gravy.

Grilled kidneys may be grilled in their own fat, or they may be scalded, skinned and split and brushed with oil. They should be served on toast, either well seasoned or with a devil sauce.

Veal and ham pie, a very popular and inexpensive English dish, is made as follows:

One pound veal cutlet, four ounces bacon or ham, two hard-boiled eggs, pastry, seasoned flour and mushrooms.

Make a seasoned flour by mixing one tablespoonful of flour, one teaspoonful of salt, one-half teaspoonful of pepper; add a little grated rind of a lemon and a pinch of cayenne. Cut the meat into medium pieces, rub in the flour and put into a deep pie or baking dish. Peel the mushrooms and put them in the dish. Pour in enough water to three-quarters fill the dish and cover the top of the dish over with pie crust. Make a hole in the center of the pastry. Put it into the oven and bake for an hour.

Stuffed Candy.

Purchase a pound of fresh marshmallows and cut them in two with the scissors. Do not attempt to pull them apart, for this cannot be done with success, as they are too sticky; they should be cut horizontally, as they look better that way when stuffed. In some of these put pieces of preserved ginger, candied orange peel, walnuts or pecans. Cherries make delicious filling and pieces of fig are also good. After the filling is put on the bottom portion, press the top part over it and this will readily adhere.

Baked Spare Ribs.

Anyone that likes spare ribs will find this an improvement over boiling them. Put spare ribs in cold water and let cook for almost an hour. Into a baking dish put a layer of raw sliced onions. Lay the spare ribs on this and finish dish with another layer of onion and the top layer of potatoes. Add enough hot water to half fill dish and bake one hour, covered the first half hour. Serve with boiled cabbage.

What Do YOU Pay? Some men, thinking to economize, pay 5 cents for cigarettes. They might enjoy real quality, if they realized that 20 FATIMAS would cost them only 15 cents.

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**PERSONAL MENTION.**

Leigh Palmer was in Ypsilanti Saturday.  
Mrs. Satie Frey was in Jackson Saturday.  
Allison Kneec was a Detroit visitor Saturday.  
John Hummel, of Detroit, was home over Sunday.  
Mrs. Leigh Palmer was in Ann Arbor Friday.  
Miss Norma TurnBull was a Dexter visitor Sunday.  
Miss Ella Barber visited friends in Grass Lake Sunday.  
Jacob Hummel and L. J. Loew were in Detroit Saturday.  
S. P. Foster spent several days of this week in Detroit.  
Miss Ruth Wals is visiting relatives in Jackson this week.  
Mrs. Fred Belsler visited her parents in Ann Arbor Monday.  
Alva Steger, of Detroit, spent Sunday with relatives here.  
Roy Hicks, of Dexter, spent Monday with Willis Benton and family.  
Mrs. C. E. Brooks, of Marshall, is the guest of Mrs. S. P. Foster.  
Misses Freda and Elizabeth Wagner were Ann Arbor visitors Saturday.  
Miss Phyllis Raffrey, of Detroit, spent Sunday with her mother here.  
Miss Lydia Wellhoff was the guest of her sister in Ann Arbor Wednesday.  
Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Stipe, of Ann Arbor, were guests of friends here Sunday.  
Maurice Wood, of Ann Arbor, was a guest of Dr. and Mrs. J. T. Woods Sunday.  
Miss Josephine Miller spent the week-end with friends in Detroit and St. Clair.  
D. H. Fuller left Tuesday for Mt. Dora, Florida, where he will spend some time.  
Dr. Henry Wood, of Detroit, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Wood.  
Mrs. L. C. Stewart, of Ann Arbor, is a guest of her sister, Mrs. Mary Schumacher.  
Mrs. Fannie Crawford spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Moon in Detroit.  
Mr. and Mrs. Willis Benton and daughter were guests of Jackson relatives Sunday.  
Mrs. Thomas Daley and son, of Jackson, spent Monday with her mother, Mrs. Rose Zulke.  
Mrs. E. T. Howard and son, of Appleton, N. Y., were week-end guests of G. Heber and family.  
Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Runciman and daughter, of Ann Arbor, were guests of relatives here Sunday.  
Mrs. W. E. Canfield, of Detroit, was a week-end guest at the home of her mother, Mrs. R. P. Chase.  
Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Wals, of Jackson, were guests of his mother here several days of last week.

Misses Eppie and Veronica Breitenbach, of Jackson, were guests of their sister, Mrs. A. L. Steger, Sunday.

Mrs. F. D. Cummings left Friday for Hillsdale where she is a guest at the home of her daughter, Mrs. W. G. Kempf.

Mrs. Edith Sprague returned to her home in Chicago Tuesday after spending several days with Mr. and Mrs. James Beasley.

**Princess Theatre.**  
Saturday, January 16—"Circle 17" in two parts. A story of the secret working of the "Black Hand." A detective play with plot and counterplot unfolded and a charming love story pervading all.

"The Animated Weekly" giving the important current events from every city and country in the world in motion picture form. It is intended that the "weekly" shall be a feature of each Saturday program beginning with this week. A comedy completes the bill, making four reels in all.

Wednesday, January 20—"The European War in moving pictures with descriptive lecture by J. F. Walsh. The first motion pictures of the present war ever shown in Chelsea; from authentic and original negatives taken at great risk of life and expense on the bloody fields of France, Russia and Belgium.

**CORRESPONDENCE.**

**SYLVAN HAPPENINGS.**

Mrs. Simon Weber was in Ann Arbor Saturday.  
Mrs. Homer Boyd called on friends in Lima Center last Tuesday.  
Miss Mary Weber, of Ypsilanti, spent the week-end at her home.  
Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Schlecht, of Ann Arbor, are visiting Mrs. Mary Merker.

Born, Wednesday, January 13, 1915, to Mr. and Mrs. Lyman West, a daughter.  
Allen Salisbury, of Syracuse, N. Y., is spending a short time with his parents here.  
Darwin Boyd, who is stopping at the Boyd hotel for the winter, made some calls on friends last week.

Mrs. Dyer, of Jackson, spent several days of last week with her daughters Mrs. J. Knoll and Mrs. Harrison West.  
Henry Forner now of Ann Arbor, will work the farm of his father, Chris. Forner, for the coming season.

Miss Dea Killam, of Adrian, spent several days of the past week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Killam.  
Mr. and Mrs. G. T. English were in Ypsilanti Tuesday where they attended the funeral of D. V. Harris and the annual meeting of Pomona Grange.

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Whitaker gave a miscellaneous shower on Tuesday evening of last week in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Swainfurth of Jackson, who were married recently.  
Clifford Heydlauff, the young son of Mr. and Mrs. George Heydlauff, met with a severe accident last Saturday. The boy was coasting near the house and was thrown from his sled and his right leg was broken above the knee.

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**SUGAR LOAF LAKE.**

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Leo Guinan spent last week with friends in Fenton.  
C. J. Daly spent Wednesday in Jackson attending the Gleaner rally.  
The local sports are catching some fine pickerel in Sugar Loaf Lake this week.  
Born, Saturday, January 9, 1915, to Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Collins, a daughter.  
Charles Vicary was in this vicinity Tuesday contracting bean acreage for D. M. Ferry Co.  
Floyd Rowe spent Saturday and Sunday with his uncle Dillon Rowe and family of Grass Lake.  
Earl Leach and Jean Monroe returned Monday after a three weeks visit with relatives in Fenton and Stockbridge.

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**The Chelsea Market.**

The Chelsea buyers make the following quotations for farm products this morning:  
Wheat.....\$ 1.25  
Rye.....1.08  
Oats......46  
Corn, in ear......35  
Beans.....2.55  
Clover.....2.00  
Timothy seed, home grown.....3.00 to 7.00  
Hogs, live.....6.25  
Veal calves.....7.00 to 9.00  
Sheep.....3.00 to 4.00  
Lamb.....4.00 to 7.00  
Chickens......10 to .11  
Potatoes......25 to .35  
Butter.....20 to .28  
Eggs.....30

Margaret F. Connell, Chiropractor  
Boyd Hotel, Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, 7:30 to 11 a. m. Adv 8

**CHURCH CIRCLES.**

**SALEM GERMAN M. E. CHURCH,**  
NEAR FRANCISCO.  
Rev. G. C. Nothdurft, Pastor.  
Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.  
German worship at 10:30 a. m.  
Epworth League at 7:00 p. m.  
English worship at 7:30 p. m.

**CONGREGATIONAL.**  
Rev. Charles J. Dole, Pastor.  
Morning worship at ten o'clock with sermon by the pastor.  
Sunday school at eleven.  
Young People's meeting at 6:15 p. m. Subject, "Make Bold Beginnings."  
Evening service at seven o'clock.

**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.  
Evening service at 7 o'clock.

**BAPTIST.**  
Rev. A. W. Fuller, Pastor.  
10:00 a. m. preaching.  
11:15 Sunday school.  
7:00 p. m. Thursday prayer meeting.

**ST. JOHN'S, FRANCISCO.**  
Rev. A. A. Schoen, Pastor.  
Services at 1:45 a. m.  
Sunday school at 2:45 a. m.

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**WINTER SESSION.**  
Opens January 4th in all departments of THE DETROIT BUSINESS UNIVERSITY, 65-79 West Grand River Avenue, Detroit, Mich. Our catalogue explains our superiority in Equipment, Standing, Staff, Methods and Results. You are invited to write for it if interested in the kind of school work that brings best success. Address E. R. SHAW, President.

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When you first catch a cold (often indicated by a sneeze or cough), break it up at once. The idea that "it does not matter" often leads to serious complications. The remedy which immediately and easily penetrates the lining of the throat is the kind demanded. Dr. King's New Discovery soothes the irritation, loosens the phlegm. You feel better at once. "It seemed to reach the very spot of my cough" is one of many honest testimonials. 50c. at your druggist. Adv.

**REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE**  
**Kempf Commercial & Savings Bank**  
At Chelsea, Michigan, at the close of business December 31, 1914, as called for by the Commissioner of the Banking Department:

RESOURCES.	
Loans and discounts, viz:—	
Commercial Department.....	\$140,930 52
Savings Department.....	388,216 48
Bonds, mortgages and securities, viz:—	
Commercial Department.....	15,348 09
Savings Department.....	75,034 49
Premium Account.....	1,071 75
Overdrafts.....	2,965 00
Banking house.....	15,000 00
Furniture and fixtures.....	5,300 00
Other real estate.....	2,271 18
Due from other banks and bankers.....	770 00
Items in transit.....	
Reserve.....	
Commercial.....	
Savings.....	
Due from banks in reserve cities.....	\$20,585 89
Exchanges for clearing house.....	35,010 43
U. S. and National bank currency.....	905 13
Gold coin.....	5,344 00
Gold coin.....	4,355 00
Silver coin.....	3,095 00
Silver coin.....	17,823 50
Nickels and cents.....	2,598 25
Nickels and cents.....	30 45
Nickels and cents.....	99 10
Nickels and cents.....	51 74
Checks, and other cash items.....	\$32,545 47
Checks, and other cash items.....	\$60,195 02
Checks, and other cash items.....	99,740 99
Checks, and other cash items.....	509 05
Total.....	\$589,673 02

LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in.....	\$40,000 00
Surplus fund.....	45,000 00
Undivided profits, net.....	15,000 00
Dividends unpaid.....	2,400 00
Commercial deposits subject to check.....	75,034 49
Commercial certificates of deposit.....	46,715 03
Certified checks.....	11 83
Cashier's checks outstanding.....	
Due to banks and bankers.....	329,242 88
Savings deposits (book accounts).....	40,218 11
Savings certificates of deposit.....	494,623 63
Total.....	\$589,673 02

State of Michigan, County of Washtenaw, ss.  
I, Geo. A. BeGole, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief and correctly represents the true state of the several matters therein contained, as shown by the books of the bank.  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6th day of January, 1915.  
Geo. A. BeGole, Cashier.  
J. L. Fletcher, Notary Public.  
My commission expires January 12, 1915.

**CORRECT—Attest:**  
Edw. Vogel,  
D. C. McLAREN,  
H. S. HOLMES. } Directors.

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**Farmers & Merchants Bank**  
At Chelsea, Michigan, at the close of business, December 31st, 1914, as called for by the Commissioner of the Banking Department:

RESOURCES.	
Loans and discounts, viz:—	
Commercial Department.....	\$66,694 88
Savings Department.....	30,757 35
Bonds, mortgages and securities, viz:—	
Commercial Department.....	3,500 00
Savings Department.....	174,162 39
Premium account.....	320 00
Overdrafts.....	31 57
Banking house.....	2,800 00
Furniture and fixtures.....	1,544 67
Items in transit.....	1,225 00
Reserve.....	
Commercial.....	
Savings.....	
Due from banks in reserve cities.....	\$22,509 09
Exchanges for clearing house.....	328 14
U. S. and National bank currency.....	3,331 00
Gold coin.....	445 00
Gold coin.....	319 85
Silver coin.....	259 00
Nickels and cents.....	375 48
Nickels and cents.....	95 20
Checks, and other cash items.....	\$28,085 60
Checks, and other cash items.....	\$64,372 23
Checks, and other cash items.....	70,608 98
Checks, and other cash items.....	509 05
Total.....	\$344,635 02

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O. C. BURKHART,  
JOHN PARRELL. } Directors.

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Your choice of any Cloak in our stock, in Women's, Misses', Junior's or Children's Cloaks at just **HALF PRICE**  
They will not last long. No further comments are necessary.

All Warm Sweaters at 1-4 to 1-2 Off Regular Prices. All Muffs at HALF Price.  
Two Special Lots of Embroidery at 5c and 10c.

**Buy Cottons Now**  
36-inch Unbleached 7/8 Cotton, now.....5c  
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36-inch Unbleached 10/8 Cotton, now.....7c  
36-inch Bleached Lonsdale.....7c  
36-inch Bleached Fruit of the Loom.....7c  
2-yard wide 30c Bleached Cotton Sheeting.....22c  
2 1/2-yard wide 32c Bleached Cotton Sheeting.....24c  
2 1/2-yard wide 30c Unbleached Cotton Sheet-  
ing.....23c  
45-inch wide 18c Casings.....12c

**Blanket Sale**  
TO CONTINUE FOR THIS WEEK  
\$6.50 Pure Wool Plaid Blankets, 66 and 70 inches wide, now.....\$5.00  
\$2.00 "Woolnap" grey, tan or white Blankets, now.....\$1.49  
\$1.50 Heavy Fleece grey or tan Blankets, now.....\$1.19  
\$1.25 grey, tan or white Blankets, extra heavy, now.....98c

**H. S. Holmes Mercantile Co.**

**January Specials**  
During the Balance of January

We are offering the following items at very attractive prices, quality considered

**Arctics**  
One Special Lot Heavy Arctics, all sizes, per pair.....89c

**Shirts**  
Balance of about three dozen Shirts left from a big lot that we bought early, Special Price, each.....59c

**Overcoats**  
All Men's and Boys' Overcoats at.....1-3 OFF

**Mackinaws**  
We are selling the balance of our Mackinaws, splendid patterns, at.....\$5.75

**Gloves and Hosiery**  
One lot of Men's and Boys' Knit and Jersey Gloves.....19c  
Men's Hose in cotton and wool, regular 25c value, special lot at.....17c

**1-4 OFF**  
On all Men's and Boys' Sweaters.  
On all Men's Hats  
On all Men's 2-piece Wool Underwear  
On all Men's Corduroy Pants

**One Pair of Pants Free**  
During the rest of the month we will give with every suit ordered from the City Tailors, one extra pair of pants. This offer is good only during this month, and anyone wishing a suit should not let it pass by. The quality and price of these suits are just the same as at any other time and should not be misconstrued. Come in and look.

**WALWORTH & STRIETER**  
Freeman Block Chelsea, Michigan

**Chelsea Fruit Company**

CANDIES—Choice line of Brooks' Candies just received, in boxes and bulk. Prices right.  
FRUITS—Oranges at all prices from 15c per dozen up. Bananas at 10c per dozen and up.  
NUTS—Fresh roasted Peanuts warm from the roaster. Also

**LOCAL ITEMS.**

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Weiss entertained a number of their friends last Thursday evening.

The officers of the K. of P. for the coming year were installed last Monday evening.

Sheriff Lindenschmitt has appointed Clarence Jay of Saline, turnkey at the county jail.

The Modern Woodmen installed their officers for the coming year Tuesday evening.

Mrs. H. H. Avery is spending some time at Ypsilanti, where she is taking the mineral baths.

Henry Schwenk, of Sandusky, has accepted a position with the Michigan Portland Cement Co.

The Royal Entertainers were entertained at the home of Mrs. Edward Chandler last Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. E. H. Keyes is confined to the home of her daughter, Mrs. C. M. Stephens, with an attack of pneumonia.

Charles Vicary, of Waterloo, was in Chelsea Sunday with a fine span of horses which he purchased in Detroit last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Cummings entertained the High Five at their home, corner Park and East streets, Wednesday evening.

Detroit parties are negotiating for the purchase of the building at the peat plant. It is said that it will be used for manufacturing purposes.

John P. Foster, of Ann Arbor, is in Chelsea today where he is engaged in making an estimate of the damage to the Schenk building by the fire.

A number of the member of the Chelsea Checker Club were in Jackson last Friday evening where they met with one of the Jackson Checker Clubs.

Mr. and Mrs. James Dann celebrated the 15th anniversary of their marriage at their home last Sunday. There were forty guests present and dinner was served.

Chas. Steinbach has just been granted a patent for his gig or saddle tree and hook. The patent was granted on January 5 to himself and his son Henry A. Steinbach.

Roy Kalmbach, of Sylvan, was awarded the fourth prize for the younger class of boys and girls in the county corn contest which was held in Ann Arbor last Friday.

Galbraith Gorman was called to Ann Arbor Wednesday to assist F. J. Muehlig in his undertaking parlors for a few days. Mr. Muehlig is confined to his home by illness.

A number of men are working at little Portage Lake with a seine trying to free the lake of carp, bill and dog fish. A number from here were at the lake Saturday watching the fishermen at their work.

Mrs. Eugene Foster fell on the ice Thursday afternoon and sprained an ankle. Mrs. Foster was on her way home and the accident happened on the sidewalk near the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Rheinfrank.

The members of the senior and junior classes of the Chelsea high school gave Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ives a very pleasant surprise party last Friday evening. About thirty-five were present and an enjoyable evening was spent.

Lee Chandler, who has been employed as a clerk in Boyden Moyer's drug store at Charlotte for the past few years, has purchased a half interest in the business and the new firm will be known as Moyer & Chandler. Mr. Chandler is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Chandler of this place.

Paul Christmann, who worked at the tinners trade here about thirty years ago and married Emma Congdon of this place, died in Chicago last Saturday. He was buried in Chicago where his wife was buried about six years ago. He is survived by two children, Mrs. Harry Williams of Rochester, N. Y., and Gladie Christmann of Seattle, Washington.

The annual meeting of the Wash-tenaw Mutual Fire Insurance Co. was held in the court house at Ann Arbor on Wednesday, January 13. The following board of directors were elected: Ernest Twist, York; John Spafford, Sharon; Willis M. Fowler, Saline. Auditors, W. A. Freeman, M. A. Coe, J. W. Hall. At the meeting of the board of directors Willis M. Fowler was elected president and O. C. Burkhart secretary-treasurer. At this meeting it was voted to insure automobiles to the amount of \$500.

The republican state convention will be held in Grand Rapids on Friday, February 12.

Mrs. Charles Martin entertained a number of friends at her home last Friday evening.

Mrs. W. A. BeGole, of Ann Arbor, spent Friday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Cole.

The interior of the store occupied by Holmes & Walker is being given a fresh coat of paint.

Mrs. Thomas McQuillan entertained a number of lady friends at her home Tuesday afternoon.

B. Steinbach was quite badly injured by falling on the icy sidewalk near his residence last Sunday.

L. J. Loew, who has been spending several days here, returned to his home in Braddock, Penn., Tuesday.

Several of the members of the Crescent Sporting Club of this place are at Blind Lake this week where they are filling their ice house.

A number of the friends of Mr. and Mrs. John Lucht, of Lima, were entertained at their home on Wednesday evening. A fish supper was served.

Mrs. Hattie Trouten, who has conducted a restaurant here for the last two years, has closed the place and placed the fixtures in storage for the present.

The breach of promise suit started in the circuit court by Louisa E. Newman against Edward C. Joslyn, of Lyndon, was settled out of court by the attorneys last Thursday.

An amateur astronomer says: "February, 1915, will be a freak month for it will have no full moon. There is one on January 30 and the next is on March 1. This has occurred at only rare intervals since the calendar of Caesar was adopted."

The worst earthquake ever felt in Rome occurred at an early hour Wednesday morning. The shock lasted several seconds. According to the dispatches in the papers this morning it is estimated that 20,000 people were injured, 12,000 killed and a large amount of property destroyed.

John Weimester, jr., who has worked F. T. Hynes farm (the Conely place) for the past two years, expects to move this spring onto his father's farm near Long Lake, which, it is reported, he has purchased.—Brighton Argus. Mr. Weimester is well known in Chelsea and is a son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Stephens of this place.

There is an outbreak of small-pox in Ann Arbor. Two students from Calumet were taken down with the disease upon their return from their homes where they spent the holiday vacation. The two were taken sick last Friday evening and the U. of M. authorities and the city health officers have ordered a thorough vaccination of all persons who are liable to be attacked with the disease.

Hindelang & Fahrner opened their new place of business in the store formerly occupied by Mrs. Hattie Trouten as a restaurant on Wednesday. The young men have had considerable experience as salesmen of hardware and farm implements and are well and favorably known to most of the residents in this vicinity. The new firm will carry a stock of hardware and farm tools.

**Rural Life Conference.**  
The most vital institution in the open country is the school. It is not only the educational center for the community, but in many cases is the social and cultural center as well. The school, in many instances, decides whether or not the child becomes dissatisfied with country life; it gives the child those ideals which are to guide his future. Right now, many farmers are asking themselves and neighbors this question, "Is our school really doing its job?" In other words, the farmers of the future are going to demand higher and better things of this fundamental institution. In fact, they are already demanding more efficiency in the school.

This new movement has been recognized by the Michigan Agricultural College in its plan to hold a conference for rural leaders in connection with its summer session next July. Lectures, discussions, etc., will be given along practical lines for all interested in rural problems. A special bulletin gives detailed information and can be had upon application.

**A Test for Liver Complaint—Mentally Unhappy—Physically Dull.**

The liver, sluggish and inactive, first shows itself in a mental state—unhappy and critical. Never is there joy in living; as when the stomach and liver are doing their work. Keep your liver active and healthy by using Dr. King's New Life Pills; they empty the bowels freely, tone up your stomach, cure your constipation and purify the blood. 25c at druggist. Bucklen's Arnica Salve excellent for piles. Adv.

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**DANCER BROTHERS.**  
OPEN EVERY EVENING

**The European War In Moving Pictures**

With Descriptive Lecture by  
**J. F. WALSH**  
At The Princess Theatre, Wednesday, Jan. 20

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Can Supply You With the Choicest Cuts of  
**Fresh and Salt Meats**  
Try our pure Steam Kettle Rendered Lard and you will use no other. Phone us your order.  
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**A Personal Word With You**

We are all seeking SUCCESS. It comes in different guises. Sometimes it rewards our efforts by coming early—possibly in a blaze of glory. More often it is long delayed. But never is it won without ardent wooing. Always it comes in direct response to hard, intelligent work, and an earnest desire to win out.

The very first step is an alliance with a reliable bank. We have given many a "boost" to aspiring men and women. That is our business—helping people who manifest the right kind of ambition. Let us help you. One dollar starts an account.

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**NOTICE**

Until further notice the temporary offices of W. P. Schenk & Company will be located on the second floor of the Freeman Block, where all business pertaining to the firm will be transacted.

Respectfully,

**W. P. Schenk & Co.**

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You'll get more than your money's worth. We're moving our fall and winter stocks to make room for Spring Goods. We're selling merchandise for much less than its worth as a special inducement for you to buy. See us today, if you can, and get the money saving that's coming to you

**Men's Suits and Overcoats**

One Lot of Men's Colored Suits and Overcoats Were \$12.00, now.....	<b>\$8.00</b>	One Lot of Men's Colored Suits and Overcoat Were \$10.00, now.....	<b>\$7.50</b>
Were \$15.00, now.....	<b>\$10.00</b>	Were \$12.00, now.....	<b>\$9.00</b>
Were \$18.00, now.....	<b>\$12.00</b>	Were \$15.00, now.....	<b>\$11.25</b>

**Boys' Suits and Overcoats**

All Boys' Overcoats, sizes 3 to 15 years, now..... **ONE-THIRD OFF Regular Price**  
All Boys' Colored Knickerbocker Suits, now..... **ONE-FOURTH OFF Regular Price**

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- All Men's and Boys' Sweater Coats, 1-4 Off Regular Price.
- All Mackinaw Coats, 1-4 Off Regular Price.
- All Wool Underwear, union or two-piece, 1-4 Off Regular Price.
- All Fleece Lined Dress Gloves, 1-4 Off Regular Price.
- One Lot Men' Buckle Arctics, 79c pair.
- All Men's Odd Trousers, (alterations to be paid by customer) 1-4 Off Regular Price.
- All 85c and 90c Overalls, 75c pair.
- All 90c Jackets, 75c each.
- One Lot 50c Neckties, 35c each.
- All Men's and Boys' Hats, 1-4 Off Regular Price.
- All Men's and Boys' Caps, 1-4 Off Regular Price.

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at this up-to-date Meat Market. The most discriminating tastes can be gratified in the choicest of fresh and smoked meats. If you are not already a patron of this Market, give us a trial.

Oysters in pint and quart cans received fresh every week.

A fresh supply of fish every Friday morning.

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**Fred Klingler**

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**Probate Order**  
STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Wash-tenaw, ss. At a session of the Probate Court for said County of Washenaw, held at the Probate Office in the city of Ann Arbor, on the 21st day of December, in the year one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.  
Present, William H. Murray, Judge of Probate, in the matter of the estate of Christian Stamp, deceased.  
On reading and filing the duly verified petition of Christian Stamp praying that administration of said estate may be granted to Christian Stamp or some other suitable person, and that appraisers and commissioners be appointed.  
It is ordered, that the 15th day of January next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office be appointed for hearing said petition.  
And it is further ordered, that a copy of this order be published three consecutive weeks previous to said time of hearing, in the Chelsea Standard a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Washenaw.  
WILLIAM H. MURRAY, Judge of Probate  
(A true copy)  
KATHLEEN M. JONES, Register.

# WASHINGTON CITY SIDELIGHTS

## Model Houses Planned as Mrs. Wilson Memorial

WASHINGTON—Plans for the block of buildings to be erected in Washington as a memorial to Mrs. Woodrow Wilson, on which the country's foremost woman architects have been working, are in the hands of Mrs. Archibald Hopkins, president of the woman's department of the Civic federation.

A block of two-family brick houses will be built, consisting of two and four-room apartments with bath, the bedroom of good size, light and airy; the second room will be a combination kitchen and living room and all will face either the street or back yards; there will be no rooms built on courts. Each apartment will have a private entrance from the street into the yards, so there will be no public hall problem, and the idea of privacy and a real home will be inculcated.

In the rear of each house will be a yard where children may play under the mother's eye, safe from dangers of traffic and street accidents. Considerable space will be set aside for a community playground for the children.

In the center of the group of houses will be a building used as a place of gathering, constituting a neighborhood center where there may be dancing, entertainments and general meetings. A day nursery will be installed and a competent woman placed in charge of it. A community laundry will be installed in the center building, fitted up in model fashion; tubs, hot and cold water, steam dryers or good space for open-air drying will be provided. The laundry and the day nursery were points in which Mrs. Wilson was decidedly interested. The rents of the houses will range from \$7.50 to \$12 a month.

## "Don'ts" for Letter Writers in Navy Department

AN OFFICIAL list of "don'ts" for letter writers in the navy department, compiled by Samuel McGowan, paymaster-general, is the subject of much comment among naval officers here who have seen copies of the order.

Here are some of the "don'ts":

- "Don't write at all unless you have something to say; and having said it, stop."
- "Don't answer a letter just because somebody else wants you to. If you did, many a purposeless correspondence might go on indefinitely."
- "Don't give reasons or explanations unless they are called for."
- "Don't write anything in a perfunctory way; remember always that each letter or indorsement should bear the impress of the writer's dignity, courtesy and intelligence."
- "Don't hesitate to say 'no' if that is the proper answer; having said it, don't attempt to suggest an alternative aimed to circumvent your own 'no.'"
- "Don't discuss people; discuss things."
- "Don't get excited; quarrelsomeness; it would probably not be signed."
- "Don't use long words when it can be helped (and it generally can)."
- "Don't say 'shall,' 'must' or 'should' if you mean 'will,' 'verbal' when you mean 'with reference,' 'in accord' when you mean 'scarcely' or 'with the view of' when you mean 'with a view to.'"
- "Don't send a letter back unless the regulations require it. Originals are worth far more than copies for future reference."
- "Don't try to put a whole letter into the 'subject,' leaving nothing at all to say under it."
- "Don't write anything that has the least semblance of inflicting a punishment or of encroaching in any other way on the proper prerogatives of any other bureau or office. The legitimate function of this particular bureau is to supply the fleet and to account therefor; and any attempt at aggressive expansion must of necessity have the effect of crippling our work and, to that extent, weakening the navy—it being a fact beyond dispute that if we simply mind our own business there is plenty of it to take up all our time."



## Diplomats Now Call Washington Plymouth Rock

WASHINGTON has been nicknamed "Plymouth Rock" in diplomatic circles. Formerly it was considered one of the most desirable posts, especially for bachelors. Several bills passed by the present congress, however, have had the effect of almost putting the city in the class of one of the towns carefully managed by the Puritans a couple of centuries ago.

If strains of music percolate through the window of an apartment, a policeman immediately makes a note of the fact, with name and number. If such concerts take place often, the police are likely to make a personal investigation. Such investigations are sometimes followed by the arrival of patrol wagons, even in the most select sections of the city. Though diplomats are not liable to arrest for misdemeanors, they practice discretion in affairs that might be brought to the attention of their embassies.

Money will not buy liquor after one o'clock in the morning or on Sunday. Even the Metropolitan club, sometimes supposed to be in a class by itself, has been affected by the latest legislation.

Drinks are not "sold, dispensed, or given away" in the club on Sunday after one in the morning.

The real guests at hotels must go thirsty at the prohibited times. The law is so written that it is impossible for hotel managements to serve liquor legally on Sunday, even though it was paid for on the previous day.

That is why diplomats, accustomed to continental life, are calling this nation's capital "Plymouth Rock."



## Debutantes Are Leaving Off Their Long Gloves

THE debutantes this season are not wearing long white kid gloves to dances; in fact, they are hardly wearing them at all. There are many reasons given for this. Some say that Mme. Bakmeteff, wife of the Russian ambassador, seldom wears gloves, and if she does wear them to a party she removes them shortly after arriving. Mme. Dumba, wife of the ambassador of Austria-Hungary, also frequently is seen without gloves.

At a dinner-dance recently at the Army and Navy club a debutante of this season pulled off her gloves and remarked that if Mme. Bakmeteff could "get away with it," she could. Her lead was followed by everyone dancing in the place.

The two debutante daughters of Postmaster-General and Mrs. Bursleson never wear gloves to dances, and Genevieve Clark often appears without long white gloves.

Of course, the fashion of having long tulle sleeves in evening gowns has much to do with it, for a short glove looks awkward and a long one is unnecessary.

It has been said that since women are taking their knitting to the theaters and to dances and everywhere else, gloves are useless for them; then too the increased cost of imported gloves may play a small part in it.

At the hops at the Military academy and the Naval academy none of the dancers wear long kid gloves.



## Variety of Styles in Afternoon Gowns



THERE is a greater variety of styles and a greater latitude for the taste of the individual in afternoon gowns than in others. Something like uniformity is evidenced in costumes for the street; women confine their choice in dresses of this kind to one of a half-dozen (or even fewer) accepted styles. But in the afternoon gown they are inclined to run after strange gods. However, these are the gods of unpretentious and conservative styles, it seems, and a definite simplicity is an apparent governing idea in a great many of the new modes. But afternoon gowns are not to be measured by any rule, and there is no harm in repeating that the individual may follow her own sweet will in selecting the styles that please her best.

A radical departure from accepted styles was evident in the afternoon dress pictured here, when it first appeared. It was one of those produced by Kurzman, for the display of American designs, at New York. Among many lovely things it was admired and praised, but was so different in outline from prevailing modes that it became something of a sensation.

It is clearly set forth in the picture and so plain that it hardly needs description. It is made of corded silk, has a plain, flaring skirt and an equally plain bodice. The sleeves are very short, with turned-back cuffs of the material, and a fichu finishes the neck. There is no frill or fall of lace, no girle, no embroidery or other ornamentation. It is almost austere and is saved by its quaintness and picturesque attributes. Since the advent of this gown doubts as to the coming of the wide ruffled skirt have disappeared; it no longer looks unusual.

## Hairdress Without Waves or Curls



WITH the earliest hats for spring, or with some of them, there is no chance of coiffures which require any extra size in the crown or head-size. For the new ventures in millinery are even smaller than the small hats worn this winter. Many of them are merely a narrow band of satin or straw extending like a bandage about the head, supporting a scant crown of satin gathered in to the band at its upper edge. By way of trimming, exquisitely made flowers are sewed flat to the band. There are sailors and other shapes that fit as closely.

For such close-fitting headwear the problem is that of disposing of the average quantity of natural hair so that it will not interfere with the fit of the hat, and also to provide a few waves in the locks about the face to soften the severity of straight lines in the hat. The plain coiffure shown in the picture given here offers a solution that is attractive. It is becoming to most faces and easy to accomplish.

The hair is parted off about the face and combed forward, where it is to be coiled and pinned to keep it out of the way, while the back hair is dressed. If there is a sufficient quantity of this to braid into two soft full plaits it may be managed as shown in the picture. The plaits are pinned flat across the back of the head below the crown. If the hair is scanty it will look better twisted into light coils and pinned down.

The front hair is to be parted either in the middle or a little to one side and rolled back from the face. The ends are twisted and concealed under the back hair. With the toilet-comb that is pulled forward into loose waves and pinned with invisible pins into position. A liberal use of the hairpins will keep the coiffure neat looking, and as hair nets are hardly practical for this particular style, the pins are a necessity.

JULIA BOTTOMLEY.

## THE KITCHEN CABINET

Every day brings to our door something that is good and that will never come our way to do again. If we are blind and do not see it, and insist that our days are featureless, whose fault is that? Opportunity does its part, and we must do ours.

### TRY THESE.

When a change from an ordinary omelet is desired a most appetizing dish is prepared by beating up three or four eggs, adding two table-spoonfuls of cold water, seasonings of chopped pepper or parsley, or any of the herbs or a bit of garlic is an improvement. Give the eggs six or seven whisks and pour into a pinto granite dish that has been well buttered. Set this in the gas oven and turn on both burners after the dish has been put into the oven. As soon as the eggs have risen to the top of the dish, turn off one burner and then as soon as the eggs are set, turn off the other, leaving the eggs a few minutes longer. They must not remain over twenty minutes, and often fifteen minutes will be enough, depending upon the gas pressure.

The lower part of the dish will be tender and flaky, and the center creamy, neither like scrambled egg nor like omelet.

Use potato or turnip cups for a change instead of timbale molds or patty shells. Peel good sized potatoes or small turnips cut in halves and a slice of each end so they will stand well, hollow out the centers and cook the shells in boiling salted water. Use these for any creamed vegetable, fish or chicken, having all hot and covering them with a rich white sauce. A little filling goes further served this way and looks very attractive. Garnish with parsley or chopped chervil, or water cress.

Chop Suet With Fish.—Put a table-spoonful of butter in a deep frying pan and fry in it a pound of fresh pork and a cupful of diced celery and chopped onions. Cut the pork into bits, cover with a cupful of water and a can of mushrooms with the liquor from them. Cook slowly for an hour, then add a cupful of finely chopped peanuts and a cupful of flaked tuna, season highly and simmer for another hour. This is such an unusual combination that it will be enjoyed by those who are looking for a new gastronomic sensation.

### His Choice.

The man of great financial prominence had met with an accident. "We'll have to probe," said the doctor.

Just at that moment the man recovered consciousness and exclaimed: "If it's a surgical operation go ahead, but if it's another investigation, give me an anesthetic."

### Millions of particular women now use and recommend Red Cross Ball Blue. All grocers. Adv.

### Badly Matched.

Mrs. Yeast—This paper says the matching of colors has been brought down to an exact science by the invention of a machine for the purpose.

Mr. Yeast—You ought to get the people who run the store where you buy your hair to get one of those machines, dear.

### Serum Cure for Tetanus.

Doctor Doyen, the famous French surgeon, announces the discovery of a serum that will cure tetanus or lockjaw. The inventor is a physician in the Ardennes, and the secret of his success lies in keeping the patient with head downward at an angle of 45 degrees after injecting the serum into his loins. Doyen says he cures 80 per cent of his cases.

### Impressionistic.

Rankin—I understand our friend, Daubensplatter, won first prize at the cubist art exhibition.

Phyle—Yes, he won a thousand dollars.

"But I did not know he belonged to that school."

"He doesn't, but the committee got his picture upside down by mistake and the judges thought it was a masterpiece."—Youngtown Telegram.

### A Bull's-Eye.

E. Berry Wall said at a dinner in New York:

"Woman's dress nowadays is beautiful—beautiful but shocking. The slashed skirt, to be sure, has disappeared—but it has only disappeared to make room for the lace panel.

"A stupid greenhorn of a butler scored a bull's-eye unconsciously the other day.

"Is Mrs. Blanc in?" a late caller asked him.

"Yes, sir; she's in," said the butler, "but she ain't at home, sir. She's upstairs undressin' for a dinner dance."—Washington Star.

### Veal and Ham Pie.

Trim the veal and ham into small pieces and season with pepper and salt to taste. Chop finely a half cupful of mushrooms and some parsley, put them into a stew pan with one small onion chopped and a table-spoonful of butter. Fry lightly, then add a pint of stock and simmer five minutes. Put all together into a baking dish and cover with a crust. Bake and serve hot or cold.

### Bran Gems.

Take two cupfuls of bran, two cupfuls of graham flour sifted, one-half cupful of sugar, a tea-spoonful of salt, one tea-spoonful of soda and two cupfuls of sour milk. Bake in gem pans.

### Graham Bread.

Take two cupfuls each of graham and white flour, sift the latter with one tea-spoonful each of salt and soda. Add a cupful of molasses and enough sweet milk to make a batter, about a pint. Add one cupful of raisins and chopped walnuts, well floured. Bake in a slow oven.

To make ripe olives even more tasty and palatable, soak them over night in olive oil to which a small piece of clove or garlic has been added.

### Hellie Maxwell.

One Who Can Appreciate. "Why do you feed traps who come along? They never do any work for you."

"No," said the wife, "but it is quite a satisfaction to see a man eat a meal without finding fault with the cooking."

### Economical, Indeed.

"Is your wife so very economical, then?" "Oh, yes, very. Why, my wife can take an old worn-out \$10 hat, spend \$15 on it and make it look almost as good as new."—Puck.

## "CASCARETS" FOR SLUGGISH BOWELS

No sick headache, sour stomach, biliousness or constipation by morning.

Get a 10-cent box now. Turn the rascals out—the headache, biliousness, indigestion, the sick, sour stomach and foul gases—turn them out to-night and keep them out with Cascarets.

Millions of men and women take a Cascaret now and then and never know the misery caused by a lazy liver, clogged bowels or an upset stomach.

Don't put in another day of distress. Let Cascarets cleanse your stomach; remove the sour, fermenting food; take the excess bile from your liver and carry out all the constipated waste matter and poison in the bowels. Then you will feel great.

A Cascaret to-night straightens you out by morning. They work while you sleep. A 10-cent box from any drug store means a clear head, sweet stomach and clean, healthy liver and bowel action for months. Children love Cascarets because they never gripe or sicken. Adv.

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Mrs. Yeast—This paper says the matching of colors has been brought down to an exact science by the invention of a machine for the purpose.

### Serum Cure for Tetanus.

Doctor Doyen, the famous French surgeon, announces the discovery of a serum that will cure tetanus or lockjaw. The inventor is a physician in the Ardennes, and the secret of his success lies in keeping the patient with head downward at an angle of 45 degrees after injecting the serum into his loins. Doyen says he cures 80 per cent of his cases.

### Impressionistic.

Rankin—I understand our friend, Daubensplatter, won first prize at the cubist art exhibition.

Phyle—Yes, he won a thousand dollars.

"But I did not know he belonged to that school."

"He doesn't, but the committee got his picture upside down by mistake and the judges thought it was a masterpiece."—Youngtown Telegram.

### A Bull's-Eye.

E. Berry Wall said at a dinner in New York:

"Woman's dress nowadays is beautiful—beautiful but shocking. The slashed skirt, to be sure, has disappeared—but it has only disappeared to make room for the lace panel.

"A stupid greenhorn of a butler scored a bull's-eye unconsciously the other day.

"Is Mrs. Blanc in?" a late caller asked him.

"Yes, sir; she's in," said the butler, "but she ain't at home, sir. She's upstairs undressin' for a dinner dance."—Washington Star.

### Veal and Ham Pie.

Trim the veal and ham into small pieces and season with pepper and salt to taste. Chop finely a half cupful of mushrooms and some parsley, put them into a stew pan with one small onion chopped and a table-spoonful of butter. Fry lightly, then add a pint of stock and simmer five minutes. Put all together into a baking dish and cover with a crust. Bake and serve hot or cold.

### Bran Gems.

Take two cupfuls of bran, two cupfuls of graham flour sifted, one-half cupful of sugar, a tea-spoonful of salt, one tea-spoonful of soda and two cupfuls of sour milk. Bake in gem pans.

### Graham Bread.

Take two cupfuls each of graham and white flour, sift the latter with one tea-spoonful each of salt and soda. Add a cupful of molasses and enough sweet milk to make a batter, about a pint. Add one cupful of raisins and chopped walnuts, well floured. Bake in a slow oven.

To make ripe olives even more tasty and palatable, soak them over night in olive oil to which a small piece of clove or garlic has been added.

### Hellie Maxwell.

One Who Can Appreciate. "Why do you feed traps who come along? They never do any work for you."

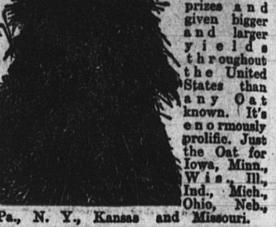
"No," said the wife, "but it is quite a satisfaction to see a man eat a meal without finding fault with the cooking."

### Economical, Indeed.

"Is your wife so very economical, then?" "Oh, yes, very. Why, my wife can take an old worn-out \$10 hat, spend \$15 on it and make it look almost as good as new."—Puck.

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### Accounting for the Jump.

Patrice—I see the sinews of the kangaroo are specially desirable for use in surgery, for sewing wounds and for binding broken bones together.

Patrice—That accounts for Joe jumping from one thing to another; I always thought he had some of the kangaroo in him.

### Suspicious.

"How about this fare?" demanded the stranger in New York.

"Fare's quite correct, sir," replied the taxi chauffeur. "I haven't overcharged you."

"I know you haven't, and why haven't you? What sort of a game are you up to now?"

### The Cause.

In a discussion of modern poets, W. B. Trites, the Philadelphia novelist, condemned Alfred Noyes.

"Noyes' peace poems!" he said.

"Oh, those peace poems!"

"He then added with a shudder: "It is now universally admitted that the irritation and suffering caused by Noyes' peace poems are responsible for the present world-wide war."

### Arduous Listening.

Grand opera in English has been found as hard to understand as it is in a foreign language.

"Still, I prefer to hear it sung in a foreign tongue."

"Why so?"

"It requires less exertion on my part. When I hear grand opera sung in English I am constantly leaning forward and trying to catch a word."

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Bacteria in Coal.

Mr. C. Potter has recently shown before the Royal society in London that in certain conditions of exposure to the air charcoal, coal, peat and other amorphous forms of carbon undergo a slow process of oxidation produced by bacteria.

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LETTER FROM THE STATE CAPITOL

EUGENICS COMMISSION PREPARES RECOMMENDATIONS FOR NEW LAWS.

WOULD RESTRICT MARRIAGES

Report Shows Careful Study of Insanity Conditions in State and of Causes of Degeneracy.

[By Gurd M. Haysa.]

Lansing—Although it is not likely that the forty-eighth legislature will be asked to pass an "eugenics bill" similar to the one proposed by Rep. Glassner two years ago, it is apparent that an effort will be made to restrict the marriage of those who are considered unfit to bear children.

At the last session of the legislature a bill was passed creating a commission to investigate the extent of feeble-mindedness, epilepsy, insanity and other conditions of mental defectiveness in Michigan, and the report of that commission, which will be filed in the near future and the statistics gathered by this commission are so startling that it is not improbable that the lawmakers will be moved to advocate some radical remedial legislation along these lines before the present session has completed its deliberations.

In determining the extent of feeble-mindedness and the factors relating to it, Dr. Albert M. Barrett of the University of Michigan and his assistants visited the Lapeer home, Industrial School for Boys, Industrial School for Girls, and county infirmaries. Dr. Harry W. Crane of Ann Arbor, was in charge of the field work and he was assisted by Miss Adele E. McKinzie, Miss Sara McKay, Miss Pauline Buck, and Dr. Charles Webber, recognized experts in this line of endeavor.

According to the findings of the commission there were 7703 inmates in the Michigan institutions caring for the insane on June 30, 1914. Since 1905 the state has appropriated for their maintenance in public institutions and for special purposes the sum of \$12,327,259.

In the report of the commission it is shown that there has been an increase of 43.7 per cent in the total admissions to the Michigan State Hospitals for the insane in the past 14 years, and that the annual admissions of new cases of insanity has increased 62.7 per cent between 1901 and 1914.

In general, males contribute a relatively larger proportion of insane individuals than do females," says Dr. Barrett. "There has in recent years been a relatively larger increase in the proportion of male admissions than females. Alcohol is the direct cause of insanity in 8.4 per cent of admissions to Michigan State Hospitals for the insane.

"Alcoholic insanity is 6.5 per cent as frequent in males as females. Alcoholic insanity is relatively frequent among females, this sex contributing 13.3 per cent of all cases of this disease, and 31.3 per cent of the insane are more than moderate in their use of alcoholic drinks.

"The number of feeble-minded is also increased by the unmarried feeble-minded woman of child bearing age, when she is not properly segregated. Over 30 per cent of the feeble-minded women in the county infirmaries have given birth to illegitimate children. Consequently, so long as the state does not provide for their effective and permanent segregation, they will go on giving the state feeble-minded children, which the state in turn will have to support.

"There were 137 women of child bearing age in the county infirmaries. Most of these women are effectively segregated, and many of them are only temporarily in the custody of the county. There were on June 30, 1913, fifty women of child-bearing age on the waiting list of the Lapeer Home and Training School. Until all these cases are permanently segregated, the state is menaced by them.

"Moreover there are continually being discharged from the Adrian Industrial Home for Girls, those of child bearing age, who are of defective mentality. Of the 286 girls in this institution who were examined by the investigators of this commission, 131 or

34 per cent were feeble-minded. These girls cannot be detained in this institution after they are twenty-one. They go forth potential mothers of feeble-minded children. How many more millions of dollars their offspring and the offspring of the remainder of the feeble-minded women who are not under permanent custodial care are going to cost the people of Michigan cannot be estimated. But if we do not want to pay millions tomorrow, we must pay thousands today in order that this class may be placed in institutions where they will not longer be able to reproduce after their own kind.

"The feeble-minded girl at the industrial home at Adrian also complicates the problem of the reformation and training of the normal delinquent girls in the institution. This same statement may be made concerning the feeble-minded boy at the Lansing Industrial School. One hundred and seventy-one, or 21 per cent of the 809 boys examined at the institution were feeble-minded. The feeble-minded delinquent cannot be reformed. Placed in a reformatory institution he simply clogs the machinery of the reformation. He should otherwise be taken care of."

In view of the fact that laws prohibiting the marriage of defectives are not enforced; that the sterilization act is infrequently used; that the expense of segregation may be decreased by its application to one sex; that feeble-minded women play a more definite and tangible part in the problem of defectiveness than does the feeble-minded man; that there are at least 137 feeble-minded women of child-bearing age in county infirmaries who are neither effectively nor permanently segregated; that there are at least 131 feeble-minded girls at the Adrian school who are neither subjects for the reformatory treatment nor desirable as mothers after their discharge; that the capacity of the Lapeer home is already overtaxed, the commission recommends that adequate state provision be made either in the establishment of special institution or by increasing the capacity of the Lapeer Home and Training School, for the custody of feeble-minded women of child bearing age.

The restriction of immigration, better control of patients discharged from these institutions and wider publicity of the dangers of venereal diseases are advocated by the commission. More stringent marriage laws to prevent the union of mentally incompetents are also advocated, and like the commission which framed the new domestic relations act, the eugenics commission would require that the names of all insane persons, mentally incompetents and those suffering from epileptic or venereal diseases be posted at the office of the state board of health and that marriage licenses be denied to this class.

In all probability legislation along these lines will be instituted soon, and while there is bound to be tremendous opposition to the proposed measures, it is believed that the report of the eugenics commission which is signed by Dr. Albert H. Barrett, Dr. John L. Burkhardt, Fred L. Keeler and M. T. Murray, will have a great bearing on the bill.

Some of the Senate Committees Named By Lieut. Gov. Dickinson. Agricultural college—Powell, Woodworth, Odell. Agriculture interests—Paul, Planch and Groger. Apportionment—Morford, Tripp, Straight, Scott, Williams. Banks and corporations—Wood, Morford, Barnes, Damon, Hofma. Cities and villages—Taylor, Fitzgibbon, Gansser. Claims and public accounts—Damon, Hanley, DeLand. College of Mines—Ogg, Powell, Corliss. Constitutional amendments—Foster, Taylor, Powell, Odell, Murtha. Counties and townships—Walter, Ogg, Roberts. Education and public schools—Covert, Straight, Damon. Elections—Corliss, Woodworth, Straight, Verdler, Powell. Executive business—Murtha, Barnes, McPhillips, Williams, Groger. Federal relations—Paul, Hanley, McPhillips. Finance and appropriations—Scott, Walter, Powell, DeLand, Covert. Fisheries—Wood, Kelley, Woodworth, Groger, Hilsendegen. Forestry and state lands—Hilsendegen, Roberts, Hofma, Gansser, Walter. Gaming interests—Odell, Hilsendegen, Smith, Williams, Tripp. Geological survey—Walter, Paul, McPhillips. Horticulture—Hofma, Odell, Morford. Immigration—Smith, Murtha, Damon. Industrial Home for Girls—Morford, Ogg, McPhillips. Industrial School for Boys—Tripp, Covert, Scott. Insurance—Fitzgibbons, Taylor, Walter, Foster, Paul. Iowa state hospital—Fitzgibbon, Corliss, Smith. Judiciary—Verdler, Wood, Murtha, Fitzgibbon, Foster. Kalamazoo state hospital—Roberts, Scott, Damon. Labor interests—Deland, Ogg, Roberts, Barnes, Gansser. Liquor traffic—Straight, Damon, Foster. Mechanical interests—Hanley, Gansser, DeLand. Michigan Employment Institution for the Blind—Groger, Wood, Hilsendegen. Michigan Farm Colony for Epileptics—Damon, Paul, Foster.

BEAUTY AND BELLE

By MARY EVANS GALBRAITH.

(Copyright, 1914, by W. G. Chapman.) "A mighty slick young fellow," was what most people said of Joel Quinby.

"A steady-going plodder," was the way Ned Travers was designated. Both were in love with Constance Farrar, beauty and belle. Naturally Joel attracted her with his brilliant, dashing ways. When Constance seriously reflected, however, her thoughts mostly favored Ned.

Both young men had a future to make, and both started in with the big wholesale house of Brown & Co. on an equal footing and with even chances.

Joel was in the buying, and Ned in the selling department. The house had a large clientele. With Ned the effort was to buy as cheaply as possible, with Joel to sell at the best profit he could get. The latter had the instincts of a natural trader and forged ahead rapidly. He began to sport loud clothes, diamonds, and assumed an independent, swaggering manner that did not win friends among his associates.

One day Ned had an insight into the character of Joel that affected him gravely. Joel invited him to visit his club. It was all new to Ned, who noticed that Joel made himself conspicuous. Some men were playing cards at a table, when Joel sauntered towards them.

"I say," he observed in his bold, obtrusive way, "speaking of cards, I've run across a queer thing. Friend of mine developed sort of occult power. Told me any time, any place, he would be able to tell what any selected card in the deck would be, even if he was ten miles away."

"What's the trick, Quinby?" questioned one of the men.

"No trick at all—straight clairvoyance," insisted Joel. "I've enough faith in it to bet \$100 to \$50 that you can select a card, show it only to the five of us here, then send a friend to



"I Doubt That."

the telephone, call up my friend and he'll name the card."

"I doubt that," spoke one of the playing quartet, "and I'll take your bet."

"Done!" The money was put up. One of the card players selected a card. It was the ten of spades. Silently he showed it to Joel and his companions. Then he lay it face down on the table.

"Hey, Jenks," he called to the club manager, "go to the phone, will you? Now then—what's your friend's address?" he asked of Joel.

"Central 2056. Ask for Mr. Randolph."

The club manager called up the number indicated. Ned interestedly keeping track of the incident, heard him say over the wire:

"This Mr. Randolph—yes? Mr. Quinby and some members of the club here have picked out a certain card. He has wagered that you can tell what it is."

Very promptly the person at the other end of the line must have answered for the club manager wrote down his reply on a piece of paper and took it over to Joel and his friends. It read:

"Ten of spades." There were exclamations of surprise, suspicious guesses, theories. No one, however, could tell how the thing was done. Blandly Joel pocketed his winnings. He chuckled audibly as he and Ned got out on the street.

"Easy money," he grinned, "when you know how to get it!" "I don't understand," remarked Ned.

"On the quiet, then, I have a friend at the other end of the telephone. We have a card of fifty-two names, corresponding to the cards in a deck. When I phoned him as 'Randolph,' he knew he was to guess the ten of spades. Brown would have been the four of hearts, 'Smith' the seven of clubs, and so on. See?"

Ned did see, and also the low grade of morals to which Joel had descended. However, many a time he started under the rapid advance Joel made in business. He was desig-

nated as shrewd, a live wire, and all that. Ned went slow—but sure. He could not afford to take Constance around in an automobile nor send her five-dollar-a-dozen roses. For all that she seemed to enjoy a drive in the old-fashioned phaeton, and the first wild daisies that Ned walked miles to discover.

One day Ned, passing through the stock room of the big wholesale store, was hailed by Joel.

"I say, Travers," called out the latter, "help me a trifle, will you? Just get up on that step ladder and throw down that row of boxes."

There was a great long table and this was soon piled man high with the boxes. As Ned got down from the ladder, his task accomplished, he was amazed to see Joel jump up on the table and fling himself into the midst of the heap. He pawed over the boxes, he rolled, he struck out with his fists, he jumped about the pile until it presented a great mass of wreckage.

"There!" he cried exultantly, "that will do."

"For what?" uttered the bewildered Ned.

"Why, there's nine hundred gross of imported Swiss dress trimmings in that heap of boxes. The season is past and they're dead stuff. I'm going to put them out as a damaged job lot, sell 'em off and get rid of the truck."

"Do you think that is wise?" interrogated Ned.

"Why not?" challenged Joel, bristling a trifle at a criticism on his judgment.

"Well," responded Ned, "of course you know all about the selling end of the business here, but at the buying end my point of view is different. I have noticed in our foreign correspondence that the head of the firm, who is in Germany, has written that there is a hint of war, in which case prices would go up and shipments become difficult. He has sent on a lot of invoices, showing extensive purchases, as if in anticipation of a dearth."

"Nonsense!" derided the self-cooled Joel. "You don't suppose little Switzerland is going to war, do you? Say, I never make a mistake. I'll rid the house of that junk heap and make a good profit on it!"

Which shrewd-selling Joel did. Then came the news of war and close on the heels of the announcement the head of the firm returned.

Two days later the amazing news went the rounds of the establishment that Joel had "resigned." Later Ned got wind of a storm.

It appeared that, knowing of the surplus Swiss stock on hand, the head of the firm had not ordered any new material. The war had closed all imports. There was little of that special brand of goods in the country and prices had advanced four hundred per cent. Joel had lost to the house possible profits of over ten thousand dollars.

Immediately upon the announcement of war, Ned had sat up nights preparing a clear schedule of the lines of merchandise that would be affected. He was called into the private office of his chief later, to receive the warmest commendation and a substantial raise in salary.

"Stability and usefulness versus plunging and trickery," was the remark the chief made in an allusion to the precocious Joel. On the strength of the raise Ned proposed to Constance.

"Yes," was her sweet answer, and "yes!" it would have been long ago, Ned learned, if he had only known that long since pretty Constance had seen through the sham and glitter of Joel Quinby's extravagant pretensions.

Diplomatic Honors.

Diplomatic agents are in three classes: First, ambassadors, legates, and nuncios; second, envoys and ministers; third, charges d'affaires. An ambassador is thus the highest diplomatic official sent from one country to another, and a minister is an agent of the next lowest rank. The ambassador represents not only the state from which he is sent, but the person of the sovereign, and is entitled to ask an audience at any time, to rank next the blood royal, and to be held exempt, with his household, from local jurisdiction. "Envoy extraordinary and minister plenipotentiary" is the full title of the diplomatic agent of the second class, who represents only the state, and not the person of the ruler. Charges d'affaires are lesser representatives, and must deal with the ministers of foreign affairs of the country to which they are sent. The embassy is the headquarters of the ambassador, the legation that of the minister.

Wild Animals in Captivity.

After they are captured, wild animals nearly all suffer from melancholia, and, strangely enough, the gorilla is more sensitive than most. One of these animals proved so sociable when caught that he played with the native boys. Directly he was shipped for Stallagen, however, he began to pine. Civilization frightened him. When he found that people stared at him, he would shut his eyes and cover his head with a blanket. He was turned loose with two natives in the woods where there was nobody to worry him, but he refused to eat and drink and became almost a skeleton.

Going to Extremes.

"I have just washed my head," said the society girl crossly. "Every time I wash my head it gives me a grudge!" "Then why don't you wash your feet?"

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BREVITIES

GREGORY—Farmers' Institute at Gregory Saturday, January 16. State speakers, Alfred Graham, Mrs. Serrey and Prof. Linton of the M. A. C. will be present.

SALINE—Mrs. Henry Schroen, who was so badly injured some time ago was taken to Ann Arbor where an X-ray was taken of her hip and it was found to be badly fractured.

ANN ARBOR—Not an arrest for drunkenness was made during the past year of 1914 of the students of Michigan University, an event not occurring before in the past fifty years.

TECUMSEH—The midwinter meeting of the Lenawee-Monroe Eastern Star association will be held at Blissfield, Tuesday, January 26, with sessions both afternoon and evening.—News.

BRIDGEWATER—Wm. Mauler has taken a contract to fill the ice houses in Clinton, and commenced cutting ice with his machine on the lake at the center Monday. He has hired farmers with teams, to haul the ice and many teams are coming and going from the lake.

ANN ARBOR—Recognizing that the maintenance of an office of a justice of the peace in the court house is so much of a necessity that it outweighs all other considerations, the board of supervisors turned down by the decisive vote of 18 to seven, a motion to turn the office occupied by Justice W. G. Doty and the Washtenaw Mutual Fire Insurance company, into a rest room.

HOWELL—Workmen have taken down the bell from the belfry of the old Presbyterian church and moved it to the new building where it will perform its function as of old in its new place of abode. This bell has called the members of that denomination to the house of prayer for over fifty years in the building which will soon give place to the new structure now being erected.—Tidings.

YPSILANTI—Mrs. Erving Beach No. 4, who was married to Beach on the day three weeks ago she first met him after a correspondence through a matrimonial paper advertisement, has sued for a divorce, alleging extreme cruelty and an attempt to get possession of her household goods. She was Mrs. Eunice Owens, of Muncie, Ind., and after the wedding returned to Muncie for her household goods, but did not bring them here. Beach alleges she waited until he had recorded a joint deed of his property before she brought the suit. He also met his third wife through a matrimonial advertisement and obtained a divorce in September within three months after the ceremony.

ANN ARBOR—Prosecuting Attorney Carl A. Lehman has received a communication from Attorney General Grant Fellows, informing him that the duties of a sheriff do not include the taking care of tramps, and that any fees he may receive for their keep from the poor commissioners, could not be construed to be fees in lieu of which he is receiving a salary from the county and therefore due to the county. This opinion by the attorney general disposes of the resolution introduced in the board of supervisors by Supervisor Edgar D. Holmes, who sought to have the moneys which Sheriff W. H. Stark, received from the poor commissioners for the lodging of tramps, turned into the county treasury.—Times News.

Card of Thanks. We wish to thank our friends and neighbors for the many acts of kindness and words of sympathy shown us in our late bereavement. JOHN MOHRLOK AND FAMILY.

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A FEW STRAY EPIGRAMS.

Age should be the long peaceful twilight after a hard day's work.

It's easier catching a moonbeam in a net than ideas from some people.

When the day is good, plan for the day that is not good.

The ape and the tiger must be trapped under foot if the divine in man has a chance to grow.

Life is a game and in it we are not automatons, but absolutely free players. But we may be playing against God and in such playing failure for us is inevitable. Life is also a battlefield on which men fight voluntarily, whether in the ranks or as captains of thousands; but for such fighting, if against God, defeat is certain.

We have enough clouds of sorrow here, let us fringe their dark edges with sunshine.

There is ever an urgency for those gifts which cheer, brighten and bless and which diffuse through society their soft radiance like the sweet hallowing influences of sunset.

A Michigan woman writes us last week, who has for many years made Oakland, California, her home, but still has an abiding faith and love for the grand old state of her birth. She writes complainingly and not without cause we think, that she finds no Michigan building on the Exposition grounds when she visited there recently. She greatly wonders at this for New Years day, 1915, she was present when Michigan grounds were dedicated. She says almost every state is represented and a wonderful amount of work done and any amount is yet to be done. Some of the buildings are immense. On making inquiry as to why Michigan was not represented learned that Michigan did not come down with the money. If so some one is to blame, and some one blundered and some have not heard the last complaint that is to go up for there are hundreds living in California that were formerly from Michigan, hundreds that will visit the Exposition from Michigan that will ensure and not look over the great mistake and mismanagement, of course it has certainly been mismanagement altogether. In the first place our Governor failed to put the project into the hands of a good efficient committee who had the push and "get there ability." "Michigan, My Michigan" one of the finest of the galaxy of states left out, shame! I say, shame!

Announcements.

There will be a regular meeting of the Maccabees on Friday evening of this week.

The Bay View Reading Circle will meet with Miss Jessie Everett on January 19. On account of the entertainment this meeting will be held Tuesday evening instead of Monday evening.

A special meeting of Olive Lodge, F. & A. M. will be held on Thursday evening, January 14.

Forget-me-not Chapter of the Congregational church will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Witherell, Tuesday, January 19.

The Young People's Society of St. Paul's church will hold their quarterly business meeting at the home of Miss Mary Koch Friday evening of this week. Scrub-lunch.

The Washtenaw County Association of the Lady Maccabees will be held in Dexter, Thursday, January 21. Every member should attend and help bring back the banner. Pot luck dinner. Take the 9:15 a. m. train.

The German Workingmen's Society will hold their annual business meeting next Monday evening at 7 o'clock, and saying that the same may be heard and allowed.

It is ordered, that the 30th day of January next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office in the city of Ann Arbor, on the 5th day of December, in the year one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

Present, William H. Murray, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Rachael Hannon, minor.

W. F. Bismenachneider, guardian of said estate, having filed in this court his final account, and praying that the same may be heard and allowed.

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12038 Probate Order STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw, ss. At a session of the probate court for said county of Washtenaw, held at the probate office in the city of Ann Arbor, on the 5th day of December, in the year one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

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Board of County Auditors. The Board of County Auditors met in regular session Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, January 4th, 5th and 6th, 1915, in the Auditors' room at the court house in the city of Ann Arbor, Michigan. Present—Auditors Joslyn, Finnell and Townsend. The following bills were allowed and warrants ordered drawn for same.

L. C. Smith & Bros., typewriter for Judge of Probate	47 85
Chas. S. Millen, blanks for jury room	10 50
Cavanaugh & Burke, services, Damm case	1 75
A. J. Stevens, services, examining insane, Page	5 00
R. S. Ellis, hauling ashes	6 00
Munson Supply Co., supplies, treasurer	3 50
R. S. Poik & Co., directors, Western Union Tel. Co., telegrams	1 87
Dr. A. G. Gilder, services, examining insane, Page	1 00
Dr. Louis Rominger, services, examining insane, Page	5 00
Dr. Jas. VanZwelenburg, services, examining insane, Page	5 00
Dr. Wm. Blair, services, examining insane, Quincey	5 00
Dr. D. Myer, services, examining insane, Jones	5 00
Dr. A. E. Hindsdale, services, examining insane, Jones	5 00
L. C. Smith & Bros., clerk's office	45 00
C. F. Myers, printing, Judge Kline	12 00
C. F. Myers, printing, School Commissioner	5 00
Enoch Dieterie, burial of Phoebe Taylor	55 00
S. P. Hill, report of burial of Phoebe Taylor	2 00
Dr. P. Loomis, examining insane, Baker	5 00
Geo. Wahr, supplies, court house	21 00
Dr. A. B. Barlow, services, examining insane, Jones	5 00
Frank Baker	5 00
Douglas Golden, serving citations	1 10
Dr. J. W. Palmer, ex. of body of M. Scriber	10 00
Detroit Legal News, supplies, Judge Richmond & Backus, supplies, Clerk	4 00
Times News, printing, election notices	27 80
Times News, printing, election notices	1 65
Times News, printing, canvassers notices	55 00
Douglas Golden, printing, election notices	2 55
Whites Studio, photos, jail	5 00
J. H. Schultz, election supplies	70 17
Star Shoe Co., shoes, court house	2 00
A. A. Water Co., water, court house	35 23
Jail	2 00
Bank Leary, printing, election notices	4 55
Dexter Leader, printing and report	6 00
Dr. W. Chalmers, printing, proceeding attorney	22 00
Times News, printing	14 95
Glyde Carr, printing, clerk	6 00
C. F. Meyers, printing, treasurer	3 50
Times News, printing, treasurer	42 70
Douglas Golden, serving citations	6 00
Arden	5 00
clock	5 00
Athens Press, supplies	3 00
Mich. State Tel. Co., service and toll	9 88
Mich. State Tel. Co., service and toll	6 36
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Mich. State Tel. Co., service and toll	16 42
Mich. State Tel. Co., service and toll	1 35
Louis Rominger, examining insane, Quick	5 00
Washtenaw Populace, printing, report Auditors and liquor license	37 65
Wm. Felska, hauling garbage from jail	4 00
Mayer, Scherer Co., supplies, court house	36 35

COUNTY OFFICERS

W. A. Clark, services	1 00
F. J. Kiehl, prisoner, D. H. O. C.	1 00
C. C. Dorr, services, Sup. of Poor, 1 year	158 00
W. A. Clark, services, Sup. of Poor, 1 year	15 00
C. K. Cobb, services, game warden	13 75
Mrs. Maria Peel, services and expenses	16 00
Evan Essary, expenses	6 40
William Walsh, two prisoners to D. H. O. C.	2 50
Dr. E. A. Clark, investigation death Barton	7 00
Dr. E. A. Clark, investigation death Weinkauff	5 30
Dr. E. A. Clark, investigation death Cunningham	6 00
W. G. Doty, justice of peace	141 75
John D. Thomas, justice of peace	60 00
Frank DeWitt, road commissioner	60 00
Samuel Schultz, road commissioner	72 00
Fred Jerry, deputy sheriff fees	12 85
Chas. Ely, deputy sheriff fees	5 50
Fred Wyman, deputy sheriff fees	12 00
Wm. C. Gardner, deputy sheriff fees	15 00
David S. Thomas, deputy sheriff fees	13 25
Pohlemus Taxi Co., livery for officers	33 75
W. H. C. taking prisoners to D. H. O. C.	4 55
E. H. Schneider, deputy sheriff fees	2 10
Chas. Cox, constable fees	12 00
M. B. Stadtmiller, justice fees	12 00
W. H. Stark, board of prisoners	644 20
W. G. Clark, officers fees	12 94
Geo. Enkermann, livery for officers	4 00
Leo Kennedy, deputy sheriff fees	48 00
A. A. Tarrick Co., livery for officers	6 00
H. B. Clark, livery and expenses S. of W.	110 84
Alce Schrepper, care of prisoners	8 00
L. M. Fisher, deputy sheriff fees	63 00
Wm. Gauntlett, deputy sheriff fees	12 00
J. E. McKune, deputy sheriff fees	58 31
Frank Leary, deputy sheriff fees	18 25
Wm. Gauntlett, deputy sheriff fees	4 00
H. D. Witherell, justice fees	18 00
F. Ross, deputy sheriff, expense	60 25
Joseph Gross, deputy sheriff fees	42 80
Elizabeth Bodmer, probate officer	5 00
W. E. Elder, probate officer	37 44
Frank Joslyn, auditor	16 80
Perry Townsend, auditor	16 30
James Finnell, auditor	15 50

CONTAGIOUS

Dr. Mel A. Gates, prof. services	70 00
Herbert W. Mumford, supplies	18 18
Miss A. B. Eichbaum, services, nurse Township of Washtenaw, paid	30 00
U. of M. Hospital, board and care of Cunningham and Sprick	80 50
Dr. J. A. Festina, services	8 00
Quarry Drug Co. and Supplies	8 00
Smith Bros., supplies	80 55
Chas. Morse Co., livery, 8:30	8 00
G. B. Dunlap, supplies	5 00
J. E. Moon & Co., supplies	11 50
Mathew Sinko, supplies	9 84
Schafarik & Kirz, supplies	33 15
E. R. Beal, supplies	40 00
Mrs. Bridge Cobble, services, nurse	40 00
Mrs. Hannah Upton, services, nurse	120 00
Dr. Geo. F. Clark, physician's services	45 00
Dr. Geo. F. Clark, physician's services	30 00
Dr. H. B. Britton, services, physician	21 00
Howard	45 00
Dr. G. F. Muehlberg, physician	81 00
Dr. Geo. F. Clark, services, physician	6 00

COUNTY BUILDING

John J. Sauer, supplies	19 98
W. H. L. Rohrer, supplies	22 50
Oswald Herz, supplies, court house	13 67
Oswald Herz, supplies, court house	1 00
Hutzel & Co., repair at court house and jail	62 73

FUEL AND LIGHT

Eastern Michigan Edison Co., light, court house and jail	73 20
Washtenaw Gas Co., light, court house and jail	44 10

RECAPITULATION

County Officers	\$ 785 00
Contagious	1312 00
County Building	727 80
Total	\$ 2824 80

On motion of Auditor Finnell and seconded by Auditor Joslyn, that the proceedings of the Board of County Auditors be published in the Ypsilanti Daily Press and the Chelsea Standard at 5 cents per folio. Papers to be sent to each Auditor.

W. L. TOWNSEND, Chairman.  
GEORGE W. BECKWITH, Clerk.

JACKSON—Matt Mitchell has been here for the larceny of some porous plasters from a drug store. Matt can surely testify to the drawing power of these plasters.