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### Memorial and Decoration Days.

Next Monday will be observed in Chelsea as Decoration Day by the members of R. P. Carpenter Post and the W. R. O. The exercises will be held at 1:30 o'clock in the afternoon in the town hall. Rev. G. H. Whitney will deliver the address and an excellent program has been prepared, of which several numbers will be by the pupils of the public and St. Mary's schools. At the close of the program in the hall a procession will be formed and march to the cemeteries where the graves of the departed soldiers and sailors will be decorated with floral tributes. The memorial exercises of the G. A. R. will be carried out at the soldiers and sailors monument.

The memorial sermon will be delivered at 7 o'clock next Sunday evening by Rev. C. J. Dole in the Congregational church.

This year marks the 50th anniversary of the close of the Civil War, and the Grand Army of the Republic and its associate orders will celebrate the occasion in almost every city and village in the United States with considerable pride and thankfulness for the fifty years of peace and comfort that has prevailed in this country. Every resident in this vicinity should turn out and help the veterans of the Civil War observe the day.

### Dedication of Soldiers' Monument.

The dedication and unveiling of the Washtenaw county soldiers' monument will take place at Ann Arbor Saturday, May 29th, at 2 o'clock, in the court house square. The following will be the program:

Patriotic Concert—Fischer's Orchestra.

Prayer—Rev. A. W. Stalker.

America—By the Children, accompanied by Fischer's Orchestra.

Reading of Lincoln's Gettysburg Address—W. K. Childs.

Music—Orchestra.

Unveiling Monument—Miss Lydia Baird.

Salute by Company I, Michigan National Guard.

Music—Orchestra.

Presentation of Monument to the County—Col. Henry S. Dean.

Acceptance of Monument on behalf of Supervisors—Supervisor Martin Ryan.

Music—Orchestra.

Address—Professor Edwin C. Goddard.

Music—Orchestra.

Remarks—Judge Claudius B. Grant.

Strengthening of Flowers at Base of Monument.

The Star Spangled Banner—Orchestra and Audience.

Benediction—Rev. A. W. Stalker.

### Will Close Their Store.

We, the undersigned, agree to close our places of business on Monday, May 31, at eleven thirty o'clock, for the remainder of the day. There will be no delivery on that day.

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### Secures a New Hall.

The Maccaabees at their meeting last Friday evening installed E. H. Chandler as finance keeper to succeed H. E. Cooper, who resigned.

At this meeting a resolution was adopted, in compliance with a suggestion of the Supreme Tent, to change the mode of collecting the per capita and Tent dues, which have been collected semi-annually and quarterly respectively in the past. Beginning July 1, 1915, the per capita and Tent dues will be collected monthly, at the rate of 30 cents added to each assessment, which will entirely do away with the semi-annual and quarterly collections.

The Tent and Hive have rented the hall in the Merkel Brothers building on south Main street, and will move from their present quarters in the Steinbach building about July 1. The new hall will give the societies more than double their present floor space.

### Notice.

Remember that Decoration Day is set apart by the nation for decorating the graves of the ex-soldiers of the war. All persons are requested to contribute flowers to decorate the graves of those who are lying in our cemetery here in Chelsea. Please bring flowers to the Post room Monday, May 31, where a committee will be present to receive them.

### Forty Years Ago

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

Eight saloons in Chelsea took out the state license.

Henry Depew died at his residence Sunday, May 23, 1875, aged 81 years.

Jim Hadler's hotel, vulgarly called the cooler, had one occupant circus day.

A party of six fishermen from Chelsea went to Island Lake Sunday, and not finding a boat shoved their wagon into the lake, and after all were in the wagon the blamed thing rolled off into fourteen feet of water.

#### Mrs. Cyrus Updike.

Mrs. Janet Riggs Updike died suddenly at her home on Dewey avenue, Tuesday morning, May 25, 1915, from a stroke of apoplexy.

Harold Conk, driver of the Merchants delivery route, arrived at the Updike home about 9 o'clock and as he entered the house to deliver some groceries he discovered Mrs. Updike lying in the doorway between the diningroom and kitchen in a lifeless condition. He called some of the neighbors to the home. Mr. Conk and Arthur Young called Drs. Palmer and Schmidt and notified the husband and daughter. Her sudden passing away came as a great shock to her family and friends.

When Mr. Updike went to his work in the morning his wife appeared to be in her usual health and she had completed her morning house work when she was stricken. Her death is supposed to have occurred about the time Mr. Conk arrived at the home and from all appearance she was evidently going from the diningroom to the kitchen.

Janet Riggs was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wales Riggs, and was born on the farm in Sylvan, at present owned by Lewis Hayes, January 15, 1847, and her entire life has been spent in this vicinity. She was united in marriage with Cyrus Updike on December 25, 1879. Mr. and Mrs. Updike resided on a farm in Sylvan for a number of years, and moved from it to Chelsea fourteen years ago last February. Mrs. Updike was a member of the Chelsea Congregational church.

She is survived by her husband, one daughter, Mrs. S. P. Foster of this place, one son, Earl, of Detroit, four grandchildren and one-half brother, C. W. Riggs, of Fayetteville, Kansas.

The funeral will be held at the family home at 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon, Rev. G. H. Whitney officiating. Interment at Oak Grove cemetery.

#### Wagers \$5,000 to \$50.

Edward Frensdorf of Hudson, a member of the board of control of the Jackson prison, has placed a certified check for \$5,000 up against \$50 to back up his contention that the prison is self-supporting. H. S. Holmes and Martin Wackenhut of this place being on the short end of the bet.

The wager followed an argument on a train between Jackson and Lansing. Mr. Frensdorf made the statement that the prison was self-supporting. He was disputed by both Holmes and Wackenhut, whereupon Mr. Frensdorf flashed his wallet with the declaration that he would bet \$1,000 to \$10 that he was right. Holmes produced \$40 on the spot and Wackenhut came across with another \$10, hoping to get a chunk of Mr. Frensdorf's roll. A Mr. Wooster of Ann Arbor holds the stakes and the wager will be decided when a visit is made by the parties interested to the auditor general's office.

#### Cavanaugh Lake Grange Meeting.

The next regular meeting of Cavanaugh Lake Grange will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ehler Notten on Tuesday evening, June 1st.

After the regular business meeting initiation will take place. All candidates for initiation in the third and fourth degrees are requested to be present.

Select reading, Adam Mensing. Recitation, Florence Kilmer. Closing song.

#### Health Promotes Happiness

Without health, genuine joy is impossible; without good digestion and regular bowel movement you cannot have health. Why neglect keeping bowels open and risk being sick and ailing? You don't have to. Take one small Dr. King's New Life Pill at night, in the morning you will have a full, free bowel movement and feel much better. Helps your appetite and digestion. Try one to-night. Adv.

### Broke into the High School Building.

Joseph J. Matzen, aged 29 years, was bound over to the October term of the Washtenaw county circuit court by Justice H. D. Witherell on Monday morning.

Matzen sometime Saturday night broke a light of glass out of a window in the southwest corner of the high school building and entered the basement. To gain access to the main floor of the building he broke out two panes of glass and cut the sash in the east door of the basement, making an opening 10x21, which he crawled through and went to the auditorium where he evidently spent the night and most of the day Sunday.

Miss Leona Belser, principal of the Chelsea high school, discovered the man in the auditorium about 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon laying on the rostrum apparently asleep. When Matzen became aware that Miss Belser was in the room, he bolted, going through the opening that he had made in the door leading to the basement and in the boys toilet room he raised a window and made his escape.

Miss Belser notified her brother, Paul, who had driven her to the school house in the Belser auto, of what had taken place. Paul came to Main street where he took Officer Evans in the machine and they went after the man, whom they captured at the gate on the Michigan Central which leads into Oak Grove cemetery. Matzen left the school house on the Harrison street side, and went east to Oak Grove cemetery.

Matzen did some damage to two of the teachers desks in the building, but other than some pocket knives, the man did not get any property.

When placed under arrest Matzen had a half pint bottle of whisky in his pocket. He was about the streets Saturday evening and his appearance would indicate that he had been at work on a farm, but so far as known he is a stranger here. A small sum of money was found on his person and the man laid his trouble to his indulgence in liquor. In was taken to the county jail at Ann Arbor by Officer Evans Monday forenoon. His offence may possibly land him in the state prison.

#### New Fish Laws.

The legislative session just closed passed a fish law that is of a rather rigid nature if enforced.

It provides that blue gills, sun fish, rock bass, white bass, calico bass, perch, wall-eyed pike and crappies shall be regulated by length as follows: Blue gills and sun fish, five inches; rock bass, white bass and calico bass, six inches; perch and crappies, five inches; wall-eyed pike, 10 inches. Only 25 of any of the different species can be taken in one day, and no fish taken from the inland waters can be sold or offered for sale. It prevents the possession of any kind of a net, except dip-nets for the purpose of taking fish and no person can have any net except dip-net, jack or artificial light of any kind, dynamite, giant powder or any explosive substance or combination of substances, within one-half mile of any inland lake or stream; and make it prima facie evidence of a violation of the law for any person to have any such contrivance for the purpose of taking fish within such limit.

#### Sixty-five Days at the Works.

Thomas Murphy, who had just been released from serving a ten-days sentence in the Jackson county jail, arrived in Chelsea Friday morning and proceeded to make a general nuisance of himself in various parts of the town for several hours. He was placed under arrest late in the afternoon by Marshal H. E. Cooper and taken before Justice H. D. Witherell on the charge of disorderly conduct. He was given a sentence of 65 days in the Detroit house of correction. Murphy had the appearance of being a drug fiend. He was taken to Detroit Saturday by Officer Cooper.

#### Graduation Expenses.

It is gratifying to note the action taken by many high school and college graduating classes relative to limiting the expense of graduation dresses and decorations. In a number of cases, not only has a limit been set on the cost but the young ladies will make their dresses as a part of their work in domestic art. There can no longer be the complaint that the young people of our poorer homes cannot graduate because of the expense. The schools are an institution for all classes and everything that they can do toward establishing a more democratic feeling, toward inculcating sound practical ideas of thrift, toward sending out into the world young people with good wholesome business ideas, is commendable.

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## ITALIAN FORCES ALREADY LARGE

Nearly Million First Line Troops  
in Position to Take  
the Field.

### ENORMOUS ARMY TO FOLLOW

General Zupelli, Minister of War, Has  
Been Making Preparations for  
Some Time—Capitulation of  
the Strength of King Vic-  
tor Emmanuel's Forces.

Rome.—While the general mobilization order will bring about 3,000,000 men to the colors within a month, it is known that Italy will start the war with about 760,000 first line troops. At the outbreak of the European war the Italian army consisted of 300,000 men; the classes with the colors being those of 1891, 1892 and 1893. After the war started two more classes, including about 320,000 men, joined the colors. Various other changes recently made under orders from General Zupelli, the minister of war, brought the strength up to 760,000 at present.

It is likely that the army will be under the direct command of General Canova, who led the Italian forces in the conquest of Tripoli, of Gen. Count Cadorna, the chief of the general staff. Italy's first move on land is likely to be against the Austrian frontier. Large numbers of her troops are mobilized in this territory, and the forces of Austria-Hungary are lined up on the other side of the boundary. The very mountainous character of the southern part of the Austrian Alps promises fighting of the most difficult nature. For several weeks past both armies have been engaged in fortifying each side of the dividing line.

Will Prolong the War.—So far there are no signs that the entrance of Italy into the war has produced the ardently hoped for psychological moment for bringing the war to an end.

The peace advocates expected that if Italy decided to remain neutral the allies would regard the prolongation of the contest futile; that if Italy joined

the allies, Germany would throw up the sponge. Now that Italy has cast its lot with the allies, Germany seems as far as ever from conceding eventual defeat.

"The action of Italy will only prolong the war and postpone German victory," said one of the most prominent officials of the German embassy at Washington. "Germany is fighting a war of defense, and will be successful in keeping her territory free of invaders, no matter how many enemies combine against it."

"The question of peace is only the question of Germany's enemies perceiving and realizing the futility of further wasting of men and money to attain their ends."

The Germans and Austrians are confident that Italy will cause them little trouble. They say that the Austrian fortifications and 300,000 men will be sufficient to check the Italian attempt to invade Austria. Austrian and German officials pronounce the fortifications on the Italian frontier impregnable.

American military experts are speculating upon the possibility that Germany will invade Switzerland in order to combat Italy more effectively. Switzerland unquestionably would consider such invasion a violation of neutrality analogous to the German invasion of Belgium in the effort to outflank the French.

The charge has been made that Austrian and German plans for the invasion of Switzerland were drawn up more than a year ago.

Inasmuch, however, as Switzerland has an army of 500,000 and a strategic position on the German frontier, it is regarded as unlikely that the kaiser will permit any disregard of Swiss neutrality.

### EIFFEL TOWER IS TARGET

Bomb Intended for Paris Landmark  
Falls in Seine—French Repel  
German Aeroplane.

Paris, May 24.—German aviators flew over Paris at dark in an aeroplane disguised as a French machine. Because of the disguise the French air scouts allowed it to pass the frontier, believing that it was one of their own aeroplanes. Flying high over the city, the German aviators dropped three bombs. One of the bombs fell in the Seine close to the Eiffel tower, another on outbuildings of the Bon Marche store and the third in Rue St. Charles. All three bombs were ineffective and virtually no damage was done. The German aeroplane was driven off.

## AUSTRIA STRIKES THE FIRST BLOW

ITALY'S FIRST DAY OF WAR SEES  
ATTACKS ON COAST CITIES  
BY ENEMY.

### LITTLE DAMAGE REPORTED

Several Small Battles Said to Be in  
Progress Along the Frontier  
Where Troops Are Mobilized.

London.—The beginning of several small battles along the Austro-Italian border, as reported by Vienna, and an Austrian naval and aerial raid on the Adriatic coast of Italy signalled the opening of hostilities Monday between Italy and Austria, following Italy's declaration of war.

An official dispatch from Vienna, the Austrian capital, Monday evening announces that fighting has begun along the Italian border and that a number of small battles are in progress. Italian cavalry, the dispatch adds, has appeared on the coast, near the frontier. Of this there has been no confirmation by the Italian war office.

The first blow was struck by Austria early Monday in the form of a naval and aerial attack upon the eastern coast of Italy along the Adriatic. An official statement by the Italian war office says that Austrian destroyers and torpedo boats fired on several points along the coast, simultaneously with an attack by aeroplanes. It is asserted that the attackers were driven off after a brief cannonade.

The attacks were made at Venice, Porto Corsini, Barletta, Ancona and Gela, showing that the raid extended over the greater part of the eastern coast. The only damage inflicted, so far as the Italian statement shows, was at Ancona, where an attempt by aviators to blow up the railroad caused some injury to property. Vienna, however, reports that the bombs thrown on the military buildings at Ancona and on the arsenal at Venice caused "visible damage" and fires.

The Italians, on their part, made an attack on Porto Buso, a small island at the head of the Adriatic, where the Austrians lost two killed and 47 prisoners. The guns of an Italian torpedo boat wrecked the town on the island and sank all the craft in the harbor.

### Governor Vetoes Nank Bill.

Lansing—Governor Ferris early Friday vetoed the Nank primary bill which was the bone of contention between him and the legislature Thursday.

He was at his office at 7 o'clock, half an hour later had finished the veto message and it was ready for the public at 9 while the governor was at his hotel packing up for the week-end trip home.

Governor Ferris insists that the bill is a step backward, not forward, and that the legislature of 1915 is dead wrong if the legislature of 1913, which abolished the enrollment and the separate ballot, was right.

### Kalamazoo Paper Is Sold.

Kalamazoo.—The sale of the Kalamazoo Telegraph-Press to Senator William Alden Smith and Arthur H. Vandenberg, of Grand Rapids, and Lindsay S. McRae, of Detroit, is announced here.

The Telegraph-Press is Kalamazoo's only evening daily. It was founded in 1844 and is one of the oldest dailies in the state. It was formerly owned by E. N. Dingley, who sold several years ago to William Thomson, of Battle Creek.

### NEWS BRIEFS.

The Sours bill has been signed by the governor and will become a law August 18. After that time township boards will have authority to refuse any or all applications for liquor licenses.

Fire at Sheridan, which broke out about midnight, Friday, destroyed the Dolan hotel and livery barn nearby. In the barn were 14 horses, which also were burned. Mystery surrounds the fire in the fact that all the horses belonging to the fire department had been cut. Sheriff Rasmussen is investigating. The loss is estimated at \$5,000, with little insurance.

The state tax this year will be the largest in the history of the state, \$9,598,568.10, or an increase over last year of \$3,469,339.99, or 56 per cent. According to Auditor-General Fuller the 1915 state tax will be higher by \$1,009,000 than ever before in the history of the state until this year. 1913 marked the high record the state tax for that year being \$8,589,520.78.

The job of deepening the "Dead Branch," a branch of the Rifle river, from its mouth to its head will be let June 5. It will be the largest drain ever let in Arenac county, and hundreds of acres of land will be reclaimed.

Orin Burlingame, of Thompsonville, is dead and George Parker, of Kingsley, is seriously injured as the result of their being thrown from a buggy while breaking a colt. Burlingame, who was 16 years of age, was thrown head first against a pole and died almost instantly.

## ITALIAN WELL KNOWN IN AMERICA HEADS NAVY



DUKE D'ABUZZI.

Rome.—Italy having declared war on Austria, the brother of the king, the duke of D'Abuzzi, will lead the fleet, and Gen. Cadorna, chief of staff, will lead the army. The duke is well known to Americans because of his attempt to wed the daughter of a millionaire member of the United States senate. He didn't wed because the royal family would not think of permitting American blood to be mixed with royalty, and he did not make up his mind to defy his royal relatives.

## MRS. STEELE FOUND GUILTY

Jury Requires But One Ballot to Con-  
vict Muskegon Woman of Ter-  
rible Murder.

Muskegon—"Guilty of first degree murder."

The words of Henry Wolf, foreman of the jury, sounded as a death knell in the deserted circuit court room to the hopes of Mrs. Albert Steele, to whom the verdict means life imprisonment, for the strangling of her stepdaughter.

It took the jurors in the most sensational murder case ever tried in this court 17 minutes to agree. Sent to deliberate a half-hour before their supper was to have been served them, they took but one ballot. The crowd, which a few moments before had packed every available inch of space in the court room, had hurriedly left for supper.

Taken back to the jail, Mrs. Steele, slayer of her stepdaughter, Evalina Mary, collapsed. Dr. J. M. Cooper, county physician, was hastily summoned. Captain and Mrs. Philip Lawton, of the Salvation Army, were the only ones to comfort her.

A mob rapidly gathered, striving to get a glimpse of the convicted woman. Officers barred all visitors from the jail.

Prosecuting Attorney Harris E. Galph concluded the arguments shortly after 5 o'clock. He gave a stirring review of the testimony, with here and there a pointed remark regarding the claims of the accused being insane when the crime was committed.

On the question of whether or not Mrs. Steele realized what she was doing when she strangled her stepdaughter, prosecution and defense battled all day in arguments before the jury. "You must be convinced that she was sane when she committed the act; you must be convinced it was a premeditated act, that she was capable of conceiving a plan of murder and executing it to its fatal conclusion, before you can bring in a verdict of guilty on this charge." Atorney R. R. Gale, of the defense, declared.

The home-coming at Hillsdale June 18 promises to be a success. More acceptances of invitations have already been received than came altogether for the first reunion five years ago.

Bath, Me.—Torpedo boat destroyer Wadsworth, the first in the navy to be driven entirely through gearings, has been given a preliminary trial at sea by her builders, the Bath Iron works. According to those on board, she met every test satisfactorily.

Paris—Albert Moreau, a French aviator, has been killed by a fall of his aeroplane at Melun. Moreau was the inventor of a safety device to prevent the capsizing of aeroplanes. In 1913 he won the Bonnet prize with a self-righting aircraft, which he drove without touching the levers.

## PERE MARQUETTE IS ORDERED SOLD

JUDGE TUTTLE DECIDES THAT  
ROAD MUST BRING ABOUT  
FORTY MILLIONS.

### OCTOBER FIRST DATE SET.

Consolidated Mortgage Holders Fail  
to Offer Plan for Reorganization  
and Court Grants Motion  
For Sale.

Detroit.—U. S. Judge Tuttle, at a meeting of bondholders in federal court Monday, ordered the sale of the Pere Marquette railroad at an upset price of approximately \$40,000,000.

The court decided that enough should be realized from the sale to pay the debts of the court as guardian of the road since its failure.

These debts aggregate \$10,000,000. He also held that the claims of the underlying bondholders, approximately \$28,000,000, be met. Other bondholders will be cared for from the surplus.

The date of sale has been fixed as October 1, 1915.

Attorneys representing bondholders of the Pere Marquette gathered in federal court Monday morning to hear the plan of reorganization proposed by the consolidated mortgage holders, in an attempt to check the suit of underlying bondholders for the sale of the system at public auction.

When Hinton E. Spalding, attorney for the consolidated mortgage holders, failed to state any plan, Hal H. Smith, representing the underlying bondholders, moved that Judge Tuttle refuse them any more time, and set the sale of the road, subject to the underlying bonds and the court's debts, a total estimated at about \$36,000,000, for October 1.

### Preparing for State-Wide Fight.

Lansing.—A campaign to obtain 100,000 signers of a petition calling for a constitutional amendment for state-wide prohibition has been started by the Michigan Anti-saloon league. A petition to prohibit the sale and manufacture of liquor in the state is nearly ready to be referred to the secretary of state. To initiate the amendment only 44,048 signatures are necessary, but the league hopes to get at least 100,000. The petition would have prohibition take effect May 1, 1918. The petition will be filed next December.

### Walter Gaiser Is Acquitted.

Marshall.—After two hours' deliberation, the jury in the Walter Gaiser manslaughter case returned a verdict of not guilty Wednesday afternoon. Gaiser shot and killed his father-in-law, Foster Metcalf, in Battle Creek, Dec. 1 last, as he attempted to enter his house, after having telephoned that he was coming to kill the whole family.

The announcement of the verdict was greeted with applause by the spectators and Judge North rebuked them sharply.

### Searching for Will Witnesses.

Detroit.—Trustees of the Arnold homes for the aged and incurable in this city are making a state-wide search for Mrs. Catherine Wallace and her son, Harold E., whose names appear as witnesses on the will of Miss Frances Morris. The will bequeaths about twenty thousand dollars to the homes and was written on very thin paper and placed behind the setting of a locket. Dr. C. L. Arnold is offering a liberal reward for information concerning the witnesses.

### Disastrous Wreck in England.

Carlisle, Eng.—One of the most disastrous wrecks in the annals of British railroading occurred at 6 a. m. Saturday on the Caledonian railway at Gretna, near this city, when three trains came into collision.

No fewer than 75 persons were killed, and the final list may be considerably greater, for it is believed that many persons suffered fatal injuries. The total injured probably will reach 400, as the list of more or less seriously injured is very numerous.

### MICHIGAN NEWS ITEMS

Fred L. Keeler, superintendent of public instruction, has sent notice to all school boards to clean and repair schoolhouses during the summer vacation.

The safe in the grist mill at Concord was blown and the blacksmith shop of Fred Vedder robbed of \$25. The thieves stole a horse and buggy from the barn of Hodson Dorby and escaped.

The bill requiring every fraternal insurance organization to have a ritual will become a law 90 days after the final adjournment of the legislature, the governor having affixed his signature to the measure.

Treating her politely, though giving assurance that he would shoot her if she screamed, a daylight burglar quietly walked out the front door of Mrs. E. D. Tickner's home at Battle Creek Monday when Mrs. Tickner came home and disturbed him. The thief showed no excitement and even smiled as he left.

## MICHIGAN NEWS BRIEFS

The armory of Co. F, at Saginaw, was damaged \$500 by fire Monday night.

The Northwestern Michigan Rural Carriers' association will meet at Turner May 31.

The Lenox hotel, owned by Fred Springborn, was entered Sunday night by burglars, who secured \$30.

The bishops of the Episcopal province of the great lakes will hold their annual conference in Marquette June 23-25.

The proposal to issue \$50,000 in bonds for public improvements was carried by a vote of 138 to 29 at an election held at Munising Monday.

Mrs. Ellis G. Faunce, 65, injured by an Ann Arbor passenger train Thursday, died at Brainerd hospital, Alma, Friday morning. Her husband, 69, is in a serious condition.

John F. Smith, of Flint, was struck by a Grand Trunk flyer Monday night and instantly killed. He was working on the track at the time. He was 30 years old and a bricklayer.

Invitations to 500 alumni of M. A. C. were mailed out last week by the alumni association at the college for the reunion of graduates and former students here, June 21 and 22.

The body of Wenzl Drobny, 72 years old, was found in a clump of bushes about 15 miles east of West Branch Monday. He had been dead about 15 days, and foul play is suspected.

After two days' session the jury at L'Anse au Loup in the case of the people vs. Frank Jymirski, accused of the murder of Degina Dema, a Chipewewa Indian woman, March 16 last.

Preparations for the convention of the Order of Eagles, which is to be held in Port Huron June 14, 15, 16 and 17, have been completed. Over 6,000 Eagles are expected to be in attendance.

According to Cashier and Trustee A. F. Lindke, of the defunct Akers bank, of Richmond, which closed its doors April 5, a dividend of 25 per cent will be paid depositors about May 28.

The copper mines of the Lake Superior district have brought their production up to such a point that the owners say it is hardly possible to increase it another pound with the present milling room.

F. E. Miller has resigned from the superintendency of the Ludington public schools after serving seven years. He is to be succeeded by R. H. McIntosh, at present science teacher in the Lansing high school.

Judge John Bethune, aged 74, died Saturday at Paulina Stearns hospital. He was justice of the peace 16 consecutive years until 1914, and a resident of Ludington 47 years. He also served a term as sheriff.

Chas. Quick, arrested on a charge of manslaughter for the death of Michael Lennon, at Vanstenburg's road house, May 18, 1914, pleaded guilty in superior court, at Grand Rapids, and was released on six months' probation.

The Loud line north of 'Standish' new owned by the Detroit & Mackinac railroad, is being changed from narrow to standard gauge. It runs from Au Sable to Cummins, and millions of feet of hardwood, cedar, etc., are standing along its right of way.

The "pure food" law will extend to cattle food in Michigan August 15, when the experimental chemistry department of Michigan Agricultural college will start an investigation into the character of preparations sold to Michigan cattlemen for the fattening of live stock.

The plant of the Luther Milling Co. was completely destroyed by fire early Saturday morning, and as the plant furnished light for the village, kerosene lamps will furnish the only illumination for homes, stores and streets until it can be rebuilt. The loss is about \$15,000, covered by insurance.

Though defeated at the recent election, the "drys" of Alger county are keeping up their fight. They are endeavoring to prevent the issuance of saloon licenses in townships containing less than 500 population of which there are five in the county, asserting that the Warner-Cramton law so provides.

Herman Erdman, a farmer near Richmond, strangled his wife and 8-year-old stepdaughter to death with his own hands Sunday, and then, when he feared capture, cut his wrists and throat so that he died early Monday morning in a Port Huron hospital. He had been married but six months.

The safe in the Michigan Central depot at Lewiston was blown open by burglars and completely wrecked. No money was secured, an express package valued at \$5 being all that was taken. George F. Sack's blacksmith shop was broken open and drills and other tools taken with which to force entrance to the depot.

One rural route out of Albion, Battle Creek and Marshall postoffices has been ordered abandoned June 1. In each instance the services of the old carrier under civil service will be dispensed with.

Governor Ferris Wednesday issued his Memorial day proclamation, urging the observance of Sunday, May 30, as Memorial day and suggesting that as a part of the public exercises bells be tolled for five minutes at noon, that flags be placed at half-mast, and that comrades stand with uncovered heads during this period.

## SOLONS PASS NANK BILL OVER VETO

LEGISLATURE STRIKES AT THE  
GOVERNOR AND ADJOURNS  
FOR SESSION.

### ALL STICK TO PARTY LINES

Last Day of Forty-Eighth Session Is  
Marked By Final Blow at Demo-  
cratic Executive by Re-  
publicans.

Lansing.—In a last brief spasm of belligerency the 1915 Michigan legislature mobilized Tuesday, struck at the governor and the state Democratic organization by passing the Nank primary bill over the executive veto, lambasted him for his veto message and then adjourned for the session.

At 9 o'clock, the convening hour, only 58 house members answered roll call. Passage of a bill over the governor's veto requires 67 votes, so action was delayed a short time, during which incoming members swelled the total to 68. As each new arrival entered the chamber he was cheered. But even 68 members offered an opportunity for something to go wrong; the margin of safety was too close, and a recess was taken until 10:15 o'clock.

When the house was called to order again 76 members were in their seats and the ball was opened. Every man present was a Republican, and every man voted to override the veto.

In the senate, the bill received almost as cordial a reception, the vote there being 25 for passage and two against. Senators McPhillips and Groger, Democrats, cast the dissenting votes.

After the Nank bill had been put through, Representative Charles Flowers, of Detroit, sought to take from the table his bill to provide substitutes for circuit court stenographers in case of illness, which was vetoed last week by Governor Ferris. He was successful in his first move; but when the measure was put to a vote it fell eight votes short of the required 67. The vote stood 59 to 15.

A concurrent resolution designating the second Thursday in June as "Michigan road-bee day," was adopted in both branches.

Representative Palmer started a rumpus at the last moment by trying to read into the records a protest against the judiciary act, on the ground that the measure hadn't been read in the house before passage, whereas the house journal states the bill was read. The clash which followed his attempt resulted in a motion to table Palmer's resolution, which was adopted, as was a motion by Representative Rice to expunge from the records any reference to the Palmer attempt.

Shortly before final adjournment Speaker Charles W. Smith thanked the members for returning to the capitol.

### SALARY BOOST TO BE DENIED

Fellows Rules That Tax Commissioners Are Not Entitled to Increase.

Lansing.—The recent plan of Thomas D. Kearney and George B. Horton, of the state tax commission, to have their salary boosted by resigning and accepting reappointment under an act of the 1913 legislature which raised the salaries of the commissioners from \$2,500 to \$3,500, received its first blow Monday when in an official opinion, by which the board of state auditors will be guided in payment of salaries, Attorney-General Fellows ruled that the two commissioners must stick to the old stipend of \$2,500 a year.

The opinion of Mr. Fellows is based on the constitution and an opinion of a former attorney-general, now supreme court justice, John Bird. Bird, while attorney-general, had the same proposition up with the banking commissioner.

### TELEGRAPHIC FLASHES

All the buildings except the residence on the farm of Judson Smith, a stock raiser south of Owosso, were destroyed by fire Monday afternoon, with 3,000 bushels of grain and a large quantity of hay. The loss is about \$10,000, with \$3,000 insurance.

Brig-Gen. Ambrose A. Stevens, 85 years old, who served as a colonel of the Third and Twenty-third Michigan infantry throughout the civil war, is dead at his home in Grand Rapids after a long illness. He was breveted major-general at the close of the war. At one time he was editor of the Grand Rapids Democrat.

Buffalo—Mrs. Cynthia Buffum Friday pleaded guilty to a charge of murder in the second degree in connection with the poisoning of her husband, William Buffum. Justice Pound at once sentenced her to Auburn prison for from 20 years to life.

Washington—Italians in the United States probably will not be called back to the colors unless the European war is to continue for another year. Italian officials here believe Italy has sufficient men in her home army to maintain a vigorous offensive against Austria.

## LAND AND NAVAL FORCES THAT ITALY INSTANTLY CAN PUT IN ACTION

ARMY.		
	Present Minimum.	Maximum.
Permanent army	515,000	734,401
Mobile militia	245,000	320,170
Territorial militia	340,000	2,275,631

Total 1,100,000 3,330,202  
Four armies have been organized, each of two to four army corps and one cavalry division. An army corps contains two regular divisions, or two and an extra mobile militia division; in the first case its strength is 25,000 men, with 104 guns and 18 machine guns; in the second case, 37,000 men, with 134 guns and 26 machine guns.

Strength of first line, 700,000.  
This consists of 14 army corps, with 26 Alpine battalions, 38 mobile militia companies in the second line, and 26 Alpine battalions in the third line. Behind the foregoing are 54 mountain batteries, six battalions carabinieri and 23 battalions customs guards, with militia formations behind them.

Analysis of the three lines:  
Battalions of infantry 824 Batteries of field guns 365  
Squadrons of cavalry 180 Batteries of fortress artillery 475  
The infantry is armed with the Mannlicher-Carcano 6.5 mm. magazine rifle, pattern '91.

The cavalry is armed with carbine of same caliber and pattern.  
One hundred field batteries had the 75 mm. rapid-fire Krupp, but most of them have been replaced by the Deport gun of same caliber, pattern 1911. Siege guns include 9, 12, 15 cm. guns and 15 and 21 cm. howitzers and the new 30 cm. howitzer recently successfully experimented with at Genoa. There is also a machine gun of a new pattern capable of discharging 1,400 shot a minute.

NAVY.		
	Each of these four ships is 556.1 feet long, has 28,000 tons displacement and carries eight 15-inch guns.	
Dreadnaughts—		
Giuseppe Mazzini		
Goffredo Mameli		
Morosi		
Dandolo		

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## LETTER FROM STATE CAPITOL

MEMBERS OF BOTH HOUSES RETURN TO KNOCK OUT GOVERNOR'S VETOES.

### VERY FEW SOLONS ABSENT

Republican Legislature Gets Busy to Set Aside Disapproval of Democratic Governor of Measures.

[By Gurd M. Hayes.]

Lansing—Ninety members of the house and thirty senators responded to Governor Ferris' call and returned to Lansing for the purpose of repairing the defect in the appropriation for the state highway department so the money for road construction will be available this year, and after remedying the error in the highway bill they proceeded to pass five bills over the veto of the chief executive, thereby establishing a precedent without parallel in the history of Michigan.

Some twenty-five years ago the legislature adopted the system of a legislative adjournment about three weeks before the final quelling time in order that the governor might have an opportunity to review the mass of bills passed during the closing hours. Since then it has been the custom for practically all of the lawmakers to desert the state house on the day of the business adjournment and less than a dozen generally returned for the final windup.

Therefore it has been possible for governors to veto bills passed during the latter part of the session and no attempt has been made heretofore to pass them on the date of the final adjournment.

This year, however, a new situation was presented. In order to show their loyalty to the state the members of the legislature were morally bound to return and rectify the mistake in the highway appropriation bill. They paid their own car fare this time as they had previously received their mileage. The entire upper peninsula delegation with the exception of Rep. Symonds of Menominee and Rep. Nelson of Gogebic was present.

By having a two-thirds majority present in each house and voting on strictly party lines the republican members could pass any bill over the veto of the democratic governor, and the only measure that smacked of partisan politics they proceeded to pass with great gusto.

The governor voiced his disapproval of Senator De Land's bill providing that the secretary of the senate and clerk of the house should devote all their time to these positions and should be compensated at the rate of \$2,500 per annum. The governor was of the opinion that this bill was designed to give good jobs to a couple of republicans and on the ground that it was an unnecessary proposition he declined to sign it. However, Senator James A. Murtha, of Detroit, the democratic leader in the senate, was one of the authors of the bill and he defended it Wednesday afternoon as a meritorious measure. He pointed out that the governor could take no offense if the legislature refused to agree with him on all propositions and he urged his colleagues to support the measure. Twenty-four of them rallied to the support of the bill, two more than the required number and it was hastily sent over to the house where it was passed by a vote of 79 to 10. Rep. Moore, the democratic leader, in the house branded it as a political measure and urged its defeat but the republican machine was in good working order and the bill was quickly placed on final passage.

Both Pierce and Alward are veterans in their respective positions and each has been prominently identified with the affairs of the republican party. Each has been secretary of the republican state central committee and Alward served several years in Washington as one of the assistant secretaries of the senate. For several sessions Pierce has been clerk of the house and Alward is a veteran in his position as secretary of the senate. It is claimed that the De Land bill will facilitate the work of the next session, as much of the work of preparation will be accomplished by the secretary and clerk before the arrival of the lawmakers.

Although Gov. Ferris vetoed Rep. Daigneau's bill exempting fresh fruit and vegetables from the provisions of the net weight law, Daigneau succeeded in mustering 81 votes in support of the bill and it was put through the house in whirlwind style. The senate approved it by a vote of 27 to 2 and it will become a law despite the objection raised by the governor that it conflicts with a recently enacted federal statute.

As the result of the action of the legislature in passing Senator Covert's bill over the executive veto, Oakland and Lapeer counties will be separate circuits. After this bill had passed the legislature it was vetoed by the governor on the ground that there would not be sufficient work for a circuit judge in each county. He said that under the provisions of the Foster bill providing for a presiding judge with power to send a judge from one district into another, the condition in the Oakland-Lapeer circuit, where it is claimed there is too

much work for one judge, would be remedied.

However, Senator Covert said that the entire bar of Oakland county had endorsed the proposition and Speaker Charles Smith of Lapeer made a strong appeal for it in the house. The senate overrode the governor's veto by a vote of 25 to 5 and the house passed the bill 86 to 1. Rep. Moore of Lenawee registering the only dissenting vote.

Rep. Ashley's bill taking the appointment of members of the Detroit board of health away from the governor and returning it to the mayor of Detroit, was vetoed by Gov. Ferris on the ground that the appointment of members of the Detroit health board should be removed from local political influence. Rep. Ashley said that the present law was a relic of the old nigger legislation, passed to prevent Hazen S. Pingree, as mayor of Detroit, from naming some of his friends on that board. He told how a delegation of anti-Pingree men from Detroit came to Lansing during a session of the legislature twenty years ago when the constitution permitted the passage of local acts and put the bill through in a few hours before the Pingree forces knew what was going on.

The argument made by Rep. Ashley in the house and Senators Ogg and Verrier in the senate was to the effect that the present law violated all the traditions of home rule. Evidently these arguments had their effect for the house put the bill through 86 to 1 and the senate approved it 26 to 3. Senator Murtha made a fight to prevent its passage through the senate but his republican friends refused to heed his arguments.

By a vote of 79 to 10 the house passed over the governor's veto, Rep. O'Brien's bill making repairs on an automobile by a garage owner a lien against the machine, and the senate concurred in the action of the house by a vote of 23 to 5. The governor refused to sign Rep. O'Brien's bill on the ground that it would place motorists at the mercy of unscrupulous garage owners.

Rep. Culver's bill providing for a school board of seven members in the city of Detroit passed the house 81 to 6 over the governor's veto, but it was tabled in the senate. Rep. Clark's bill making a technical amendment to the drain law was vetoed by the governor but the representative from the second Ingham district succeeded in getting it through the house again by a vote of 83 to 1. No action was taken on this measure by the senate.

After Rep. Robertson succeeded in getting the house to pass his bill over the governor's veto the senate refused to concur and as it received only three votes in the senate it is officially dead. This bill provided that permits for plumbing could be issued by the board of public works of a city instead of the local board of health.

The governor's memorial day proclamation reads as follows:

"Now I hear his whistle; now I hear his song; now I hear the music of his horse's hoofs. He has said his last good-bye to the old home. That was fifty-five years ago. All this comes to me through the magician called Memory. On Memorial Day I shall place flowers on his grave. Just a few of the 'boys in blue' I bring to recall the Civil War scenes. Only a few more years, at the longest, are theirs to live. I am sure that the boys and girls of this, the best nation on earth, have sufficient patriotic love to crave the privilege of decorating with a flower the person of every living member of the Grand Army of the Republic and every living Spanish War Veteran. Remember the dead, although they cannot acknowledge your flowers. In all the years to come the graves of our dead patriots can be decorated; but only for a few short years can we gladden the eye and shake the hand of the veteran. When we place flowers on every grave, when we speak graciously of the dead, we give most joy, most sympathy to those who remain to live in memory, the dead.

"On Memorial Day, we are sure that if the immortal Lincoln and the armies of the North and the armies of the South could with us assemble on one great camp ground, they would join in one great chorus for universal peace and good will.

"Therefore, I, Woodbridge N. Ferris, Governor of the State of Michigan, do hereby issue this my Proclamation, and heartily urge the observance of Sunday, May 30, 1915, as Memorial Day.

"As a part of the public exercises of Memorial Day, I suggest that bells be tolled from 12:00 o'clock noon until 12:05; that flags be placed at half mast, and that comrades stand with uncovered heads during this period."

The Michigan legislature passed the following resolution introduced by Rep. Emmons of Delta county:

Whereas, our President is, at the present time, confronted with questions of most serious import such as but few of our Presidents have been called upon to face;

## PEACE AND REUNION



### Taps: "Lights Out!" In Memoriam 1915

By FREDERICK K. HERES

Death  
No more a smile illumines the face,  
No more in their accustomed place  
Will they appear,  
Our comrades dear,  
Their mortal clay  
Will soon decay.  
Our friends are dead.

Death  
It cannot be—their frailty  
Has put on immortality  
And with the sun  
His ages run  
Oh blessed thought,  
By Jesus bought,  
They live.

They live  
In this present age  
Our prayers and hopes presage  
Their master's welcome voice  
Will bid them all rejoice,  
Proclaim the victory won  
And to them say "Well done,"  
Chon hero.

"Will last  
This nation grand will be  
From stain of slavery free,  
And to the watching world  
With flag of peace unfurled  
Will register the day  
That o'er these forms of clay  
The sounding bugle stirred,  
"Lights out" was heard,  
In "Caps."

Cis done!  
Chy servants, Lord, obey  
Chy call. While we on earth do pray  
"Chy will be done."  
And may the King, thy Son,  
Be near us when we say,  
As we lay the forms away  
That on these mounds of clay  
May friends sweet flowers spray  
On each Memorial Day.

### GERM OF IMMORTAL ADDRESS

Proof That Lincoln Long Had in Mind  
Right Idea of What the War Meant.

Hay referred to Browning's suggestion that the North should subjugate the South, exterminate the whites, set up a black republic, and protect the negroes "while they raised our cotton."

"Some of our Northerners seem bewildered and dazzled by the excitement of the hour," Lincoln replied. "Do little seem inclined to think that this war is to result in the entire abolition of slavery. Old Colonel Hamilton, a venerable and most respectable gentleman, impress upon me most earnestly the propriety of enlisting the slaves in our army." (I told him his daily mail was thickly interspersed with such suggestions.)

"For my own part," he said, "I consider the central idea pervading this struggle is the necessity that is upon us of proving that popular government is not an absurdity. We must settle this question now, whether in a free government the minority have the right to break up the government whenever they choose. If we fail, we will go far to prove the incapability of the people to govern themselves. There may be one consideration used in stay of such final judgment, but that is not for us to use in advance: That is that there exists in our case an instance of a vast and far-reaching disturbing element which the history of no other free nation will probably ever present. That, however, is not for us to say at present. Taking the government as we found it, we will see if the majority can preserve it."

This statement, spoken offhand to his secretary, reveals the foundation of Lincoln's judgment on the Civil war; there was at stake something more precious than the preservation of the Union, something more urgent than the abolition of slavery—and that was democracy. Two years and a half later, in his address at Gettysburg, he put into one imperishable sentence the thought of which this was the germ.—From the Diary of John Hay, edited by William Roscoe Thayer for Harper's Magazine

## IN HONOR OF DEAD

Practically Every Country Has  
Day Set Apart for Solemn  
Observances.

THE custom of strewing flowers on the graves of the soldiers originated in the South. Even before the Civil war was over the women in the South, where skies are warmer and temperaments more poetic than in the practical North, formed the habit of scattering flowers on the graves of the dead.

Days set apart for festivals in honor of the dead are found among all nations. The Chinese, Japanese, and even our druidical ancestors had or have such days.

The Romans commemorated a similar occasion and called it "Parentalia." With them it lasted eight days. But the Romans loved holidays. They finally accumulated so many in the course of the year that the law was forced to restrict the number.

Mass of Brilliant Colors.  
There is a strong contrast in the way this day is observed in different countries. In France the "Jour des Morts," Day of the Dead, as it is called, is a pathetic and beautiful occasion. For two or three weeks before the day arrives the shop windows are laden with wreaths of immortelles, some in their natural color and some dyed blue, pink, or purple. When the day arrives the people stream to the cemeteries.

Thousands of people, thousands of wreaths! The cemeteries are one mass of brilliant color, of moving throngs, for not even the remotest part of the potters' field is neglected. In Naples this day, celebrated there as All Saints' day, is regarded as a holiday, and the visit of the families to the churchyard becomes a pleasure party. Metal garlands are chiefly used, and though they are more durable, they do not possess the charm of real flowers.

In some of the villages in southern Italy the grotesqueness and realism of the observance is painful. Ravello, a mountain village overlooking the sea, and one of the most beautiful spots in the world, has a unique and revolting custom. A wax figure representing Death, dressed in the court costume of some previous century, with red stockings and pointed shoes, is brought into the church during the services. The beauty and peace of Ravello's wonderful surroundings do not find outward expression in their feeling toward their dead.

Forecast of Coming Deaths.  
In Austria it is the faith of the peasantry that on All Souls' eve at midnight anyone visiting the cemetery will see a procession of the dead drawing after them those who are to die during the coming year.

A gloomy drama founded on this is acted every year in the People's theater in Vienna. The miller has a beautiful daughter, the daughter a lover; the miller opposes the marriage. After some years of waiting the desperate youth goes to the churchyard and sees the spectral train and, following it, the miller.

The drama might have closed here with marriage bells, but it would not be right to let the Austrian youth count on the death of a parent, however cruel, so the lover looks again at the spectral company and behind the miller he sees himself. In the course of the year the unfortunate girl loses both her father and her lover.

When one observes these customs it is easy to understand that among many people the belief still survives that the dead have some power over the living, which is often exerted in evil.

TELLING THE STORY  
In their country's wondrous story  
Learned they of the greater glory  
Yet to be;  
And this faith, all else transcending,  
Bore them onward to the ending—  
Victory.

Shall this faith find all fruition?  
Had these souls a holy mission  
To unfold?  
Are the people bravely keeping  
All their heritage, or sleeping  
As of old?

Appreciated and Honored.  
Among the many acts which the Grand Army of the Republic has committed in its half century of organization, none have been more purely inspired by patriotism and high sentiment than this annual testimonial to those who served their country in its time of need. The service of the men who saved the Union was a stern and hard one. It cost many thousands of lives, another myriad of losses of limbs, and years of severe and patriotic services. For the half-century since the war closed the country has annually testified its appreciation and honor for the sacrifices of patriotic men in that struggle.



Their Example Will Live.  
It was faith in the great things of life that inspired the soldiers of the nation in the Mexican and Civil wars, and the story of their heroism will be told when their last encampment is a thing of the long ago. And so, while the veterans disband and their associations cease to exist, the inspiration of their example will live and be among the most precious possessions of the nation. And a people which lives up to such examples need not fear for the perpetuity or solidity of American institutions.

Would Make for Perfect Accord.  
At no place or spot is the human heart more touched than when bending over a grave. If a spirit of good will and forgiveness is generated at a hallowed spot its influence is far-reaching. If animosities are recalled at the grave, the bitterness is apt to increase. A uniting all over the land on the one day in remembrance of the brave dead starts at the grave the holy work of perfect accord.

## THE OLD FLAG



Float ever, droop never, forever, old flag!  
Though the armed world assail you, what  
coward would lag  
To rise in defense of our beautiful flag?  
For our fathers have taught  
That our lives are as naught  
When compared with your safety, O glorious flag!  
—Walter G. Doty, in National Magazine.

## FOR NATIONAL DAY

Plea Is Made That Memorial Observance Be Made General Throughout Country.

FORTY-SEVEN years ago tender and patriotic hearts first consecrated one day to the tear and to the laurel. The grass on the graves of the blue and the gray had shown green but two seasons after the close of the great Civil war when the mournful duty of decking the last resting place of the departed brave formally began.

Since that time the beautiful memorial plan has expanded until now, on the day of the annual remembrance, hundreds of thousands of the living place flowers on the hallowed mounds of hundreds of thousands of dead.

But it is a melancholy fact that while the reverent custom has constantly spread in observance, sectionalism has attended the yearly remembrance, is the comment of Richard G. Conover. Not in the way of narrowness of observance, for both in the North and the South the graves of former enemies have not been forgotten in the local decoration. Blue and gray alike have received their equal quota of respect. It is in the deliberate setting apart of different memorial days that the traces of sectionalism remain. A country united for half a century has not yet fixed a day of common tribute to brave men who died for a principle.

Time Ripe to Unite on Day.  
With the coming of the northern Memorial day of 1915 there also comes from veterans and patriotic men and women a desire to unite in one great national holiday every year the task of honoring the Federal and Confederate fighting men who have joined the great majority.

That the time is ripe for the accomplishment of such a fitting project was evidenced at the half century reunion of the blue and gray on the battlefield of Gettysburg. There where they had frantically sought to shed each other's blood fifty years before the grizzled veterans, many on both sides clad in the same uniforms, embraced, drank from the same canteen and reposed at night, shoulder to shoulder, under the same tent.

Any differences there might have been remaining between the living Federals and Confederates were then and there forever banished. On the same day North and South met to pay tribute to valor. In the same way it is proposed now to have the blue and gray, all over the country, mourned annually on the same day.

THE GRAND ARMY.  
Hark to the stirring sound  
Of life and drum,  
As slowly up the flag-draped streets they  
come!  
Once more the day rolls round  
When, halting, weary, gray and glory-crowned,  
These men whose beards were singed by  
cannon flame,  
Who fought the bravest foemen known  
to fame  
Until the glad truce came,  
Pass in review before the land,  
Memories bitter-sweet and deep  
Thrill through the veteran's breast  
As, wind-caressed,  
The nation's banner waves  
Above the peaceful, flower-strewn graves  
Where comrades sleep.  
Soon they must all be tenting on one  
ground.  
Before they go  
"Across the river in the shade to rest,"  
"Tis well that we, their sons, should let  
our griefs know  
How honored in our hearts they are and  
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—John E. Dolben, in National Magazine.

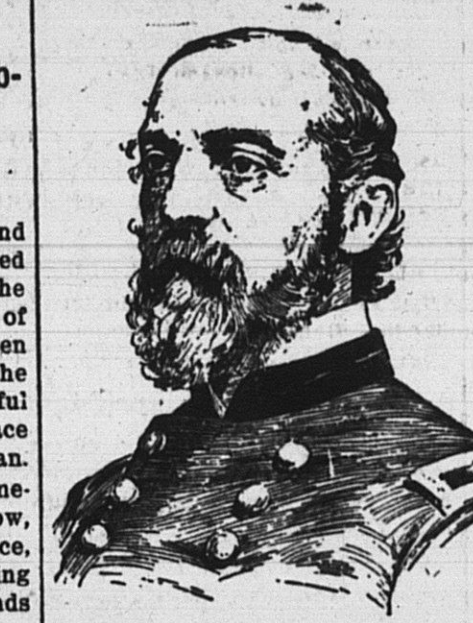
## GEN. MEADE'S RANK

Writer Thinks He Has Not Been  
Accorded His Proper Place  
by Historians.

By J. A. WATROUS.  
Lieutenant Colonel U. S. Army (Retired).  
HIS great achievements, towering military genius, steadfastness of purpose and his natural and acquired ability successfully to handle vast armies and win great battles, never losing a great battle, placed General Grant at the head of the long list of military heroes developed in the Civil war. He will hold that rank in history for all time.

But what of his lieutenants? It has come to be common in speaking of a few to give rank as follows: Sherman, Sheridan, Thomas and Meade. Other distinguished characters follow, but in this paper their names need not be recalled. Were one to say that Maj. Gen. George Gordon Meade should follow the name of Grant in enumerating important characters in the army one would endanger himself to a mob. But would that be so far out of the way?

The greatest single victory won during the war was achieved under the leadership of Meade. Grant won no single battle that would compare with Gettysburg in importance and its influence in settling the mighty contest. Vicksburg, in its influence, ranked next to Gettysburg. Even Grant conceded that the battle of Gettysburg was of vaster importance and had greater influence in the work of crushing the Confederates than that of Vicksburg. Sherman won no single victory equal to Gettysburg, yet he will always be recognized as one of the greatest generals of his age, and justly stands next to Grant. Sheridan's victories, even the greatest of them, bear no comparison to Gettysburg. Thomas' splendid conduct at



Maj. Gen. George G. Meade.

Chickamauga and his great victory at Nashville will always be regarded as proof of generalship of an exceedingly high type. Yet they were not such victories as Meade won at Gettysburg, under the most trying circumstances—circumstances as depressing almost as those under which Thomas won his greatest battle, that of Nashville.

No one would suggest that the roll be called in this way: Grant, Meade, Sherman, Sheridan and Thomas, or, as I think it should have been called from the start: Grant, Sherman, Meade, Thomas and Sheridan. I am only saying that which I hope will have some bearing in the future toward giving to Meade the high rank his superb services entitled him to—the credit that is his due.

Venerated and Exalted.  
Never before was there a Memorial day when so few veterans of the great war needed the proofs given of the underlying loyalty, gratitude and devotion of their countrymen. But never was there a Memorial day when so many Americans who never were soldiers had need of paying this tribute to the men who risked everything and often lost all that the nation might live in safety, power and glory and go on to wider service to the world, leading the march of mankind.

So the balance holds true. The ranks of the heroes are thinned by time, but the millions who reap where they sowed and rejoice in the fruits of their devotion and valor are a mightier host than ever. And in another sense there is an unending adjustment of changing conditions. There are fewer survivors of the heroic and terrible four years' struggle for the Union, but they are venerated and exalted as they never were when their ranks were full and their numbers made them a great power in the affairs of the nation.

### THE GRAND ARMY.

Hark to the stirring sound  
Of life and drum,  
As slowly up the flag-draped streets they  
come!  
Once more the day rolls round  
When, halting, weary, gray and glory-crowned,  
These men whose beards were singed by  
cannon flame,  
Who fought the bravest foemen known  
to fame  
Until the glad truce came,  
Pass in review before the land,  
Memories bitter-sweet and deep  
Thrill through the veteran's breast  
As, wind-caressed,  
The nation's banner waves  
Above the peaceful, flower-strewn graves  
Where comrades sleep.  
Soon they must all be tenting on one  
ground.  
Before they go  
"Across the river in the shade to rest,"  
"Tis well that we, their sons, should let  
our griefs know  
How honored in our hearts they are and  
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—John E. Dolben, in National Magazine.

In "Big Swamp," the region known as the Everglades in Florida, many sections of which are still practically unexplored today, is found the rare blue heron. The plumage of the blue heron commands high prices and are extremely difficult to secure. During the breeding and mating season the birds congregate at various points, and as the principal tall plumes interfere with their nesting, they cast them off, which gives the hunter his chance. In order to locate these carefully hidden breeding places he climbs a tree, and from the top watches the flight of the birds, using as a landmark a dead tree or some other object in the distance to guide him farther in his search through the intricate maze of waterways and tangled vegetation comprising the Everglades.

### Church Music.

Such is our nature, that even the best things, and most worthy of our esteem, do not always employ and detain our thoughts in proportion to their real value, unless they be set off and heightened by some outward circumstances, which are fitted to raise admiration and surprise in the breasts of those who hear or behold them. And this good effect is wrought in us by the power of sacred music. To it we, in good measure, owe the dignity and solemnity of our public worship. Church music, when decently ordered, may have as great uses in this army of supplicants as the sound of the trumpet has among the host of the mighty men. It equally rouses the courage, equally gives life, and vigor, and resolution, and unanimity to these holy assailants.—Francis Atterbury.

### Frugality.

Be sure to live within compass; borrow not, neither be beholden to any. Ruin not yourself by kindness to others, for that exceeds the due bounds of friendship, neither will a true friend expect it. Let your industry and your parsimony go no further than for a sufficiency for life, and to make a provision for your children if the Lord gives you any, and that in moderation. I charge you help the poor and needy. Let the Lord have a voluntary share of your income, for the good of the poor, both in our society and other; for we are all his creatures; remembering that he that giveth to the poor lendeth to the Lord.—William Penn.

### Ale Is Ancient Beverage.

Brewing early became an industry of large proportions in England, though the brewers' product was called ale, because the use of hops in the making of it had been introduced. Brewing was practiced extensively by the monks in England as far back as the twelfth century. The use of hops in brewing is said to have been learned by the English from the Scandinavians and that this ingredient had then become of wide use among the Germans, who called their malt liquor containing hops, beer.

### Proper View of Life.

How intolerable and incomprehensible life would be if we only saw the tapestry at the back, with all its tangled skeins and unintelligible colors. To anybody with any power of imagination it is a baffling enigma unless he clings to the belief that somehow all this tangle is the back of the tapestry, and the real pattern which explains it all is on the other side. The whole progress of the world depends upon people being willing to work for an end that they will never see.—Canon Masterman.

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That Were  
Painful  
Straight Bones  
That Give  
Pleasure  
When Walking

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## PERSONAL MENTION.

John Kelly was in Ann Arbor Sunday.

N. S. Potter was in Detroit Tuesday.

W. P. Schenk was in Detroit Monday.

Miss Mary Smith spent Tuesday in Dexter.

Charles Tichenor was in Ann Arbor Tuesday.

Herbert Icheldinger was in Detroit Monday.

Charles Stapish spent Sunday in Jackson.

Miss Clara Wellhoff was in Ann Arbor Sunday.

John and Archie Willis spent Sunday in Gregory.

Miss Cecelia Kolb visited relatives in Jackson Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Vogel were in Detroit Monday.

J. E. Weber and family spent Sunday at Hague Park.

Louis Burg spent Wednesday in Detroit on business.

Dr. and Mrs. Andros Gulde were in Manchester Sunday.

Wm. Haefer spent several days of last week in Detroit.

Wm. Freer, of Jackson, was a Chelsea visitor Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Wagner were in Bridgewater Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Dancer were in Ann Arbor Sunday.

Mrs. L. Ives, of Stockbridge, was a Chelsea visitor Friday.

Alva Steger, of Detroit, spent Sunday with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. John Faber and son spent Sunday in Adrian.

Russell Emmett, of Detroit, spent Sunday with friends here.

Mrs. Adam Eppler and children were in Dexter Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Davidson were Ypsilanti visitors Sunday.

Mrs. D. Burkhardt, of Howell, visited relatives here Monday.

Andrew Sawyer, of Ann Arbor, was a Chelsea visitor Tuesday.

Mrs. Michael Noon, of Jackson, was a Chelsea visitor Tuesday.

Mrs. George Walz is visiting relatives in Sparta this week.

C. E. Bowen and R. B. Waltrous were in Tecumseh Tuesday.

Dr. and Mrs. A. L. Steger and sons were in Clinton Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. David Icheldinger spent Sunday in Ann Arbor.

Miss Minola Kalmbach spent Sunday and Monday in Jackson.

Rollo Beckwith, of Jackson, spent Sunday with relatives here.

Miss Elizabeth Depew visited relatives in Ann Arbor Sunday.

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

Mr. and Mrs. John Schieferstein were Jackson visitors Sunday.

Miss Frances Hindelang visited relatives in Ann Arbor Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Palmer were in Detroit Monday and Tuesday.

Miss Isabelle Barthel is visiting relatives in Jackson this week.

Harold Pierce, of Detroit, spent Saturday with Chelsea friends.

Miss Mabel Martin, of Kalamazoo, is a guest of Miss Pearl Pratt.

Dr. Austin Howlett, of Ann Arbor, spent Tuesday with friends here.

Mrs. Mary Brenner, of Ann Arbor, spent Sunday with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wright spent Saturday with friends in Jackson.

George Burk, of Ann Arbor, spent Wednesday with H. D. Witherell.

Mr. and Mrs. Chauncey Freeman were Detroit visitors Wednesday.

Miss Nen Wilkinson is spending a few days with friends in Lansing.

Miss Maud Kleinfelter, of Jackson, spent Sunday with Chelsea friends.

Mrs. John Schlee, of Ann Arbor, spent Monday with Chelsea friends.

John Beasley, of Detroit, spent Sunday with his brother James and wife.

Misses Margaret and Lena Miller were in Detroit on business Monday.

Mrs. Bernard Parker, of Lansing, spent Friday with friends in Chelsea.

Miss Phyllis Raffrey, of Detroit, spent Sunday with her mother here.

Mrs. George Miller and daughter Amelia were in Ann Arbor Tuesday.

Daniel Crapo, of Albion, called on his niece, Mrs. George Taft, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Eppler and Allen Crawford were in Concord Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Burkhardt were in Fowlerville several days of last week.

Miss Anna Walworth is spending this week with relatives in Eaton Rapids.

Miss Mildred Welch, of Dexter, was the guest of Mrs. Thos. McQuillan Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Walker and daughters were Tecumseh visitors Sunday.

Miss Peck, of Detroit, was a guest at the home of Mrs. J. J. Raffrey Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Runciman, of Ann Arbor, visited relatives here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Burkhardt, of Fowlerville, visited relatives here Monday.

Mrs. Bristol and daughter Dorothy, of Ann Arbor, were Chelsea visitors Saturday.

Miss Freda Wagner, of Detroit, called on her parents here Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Winifred Bacon, of Ypsilanti, spent Saturday and Sunday at her home here.

Mrs. Henry Notten and daughters, of Francisco, were Chelsea visitors Wednesday.

Wm. Zincke, of Cleveland, Ohio, spent Saturday with relatives and friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Weber, of Jackson, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. Alber Sunday.

Mrs. Nancy McArthur, of Jackson, was a guest of Dr. and Mrs. J. T. Woods Sunday.

Frank Hindelang, of Omaha, Neb., spent several days of last week with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Cadwell, of Detroit, were guests of Mrs. E. Cadwell Sunday and Monday.

Miss Hilda Appleton, of Detroit, is spending this week with Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Dunkle.

Mr. and Mrs. Baumgartner, of Ann Arbor, were guests at the home of Wm. Kress Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chuncy Stephens and daughter Blanche spent Sunday with relatives in Jackson.

Miss Cora Wilson, of Albion, is spending this week with Rev. and Mrs. G. H. Whitney.

Mrs. Angie West, of Great Falls, Montana, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. R. S. Armstrong.

Mr. and Mrs. George Starr, of Grass Lake, spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Gilbert.

Mr. and Mrs. Hammond Tuttle, of Chicago, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Dancer last week.

Miss Ethel Green, of Philadelphia, and Ed. O'Reilly, of Ann Arbor, were Chelsea visitors Sunday.

Misses Uma, Ruth and Vena Willett, of Plymouth, were guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Clark Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Millsap and children and Mrs. Edward Keusch were in Jackson Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wagner, of Ann Arbor, visited Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Sweetland Wednesday.

Miss Gale Marriott and Mrs. Jessie Jones, of Charlotte, were guests of Miss Nellie Hall, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Spiegelberg and Mr. and Mrs. George Spiegelberg were Dexter visitors Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Holzapfel and son Wm. of Ann Arbor, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Schneider Sunday.

Galbraith Gorman left Tuesday for Detroit and Pontiac where he will spend several days with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Witherell and son and Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Winans were Manchester visitors Sunday.

Miss Madeline Gregg, of Detroit, was the guest of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Gregg, Sunday.

Miss Agnes Brady, of Jackson, John, Misses Mabel and Mary Hummel and Mary Weber were in Howell Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. McLaren and Mr. and Mrs. W. S. McLaren and daughter were Jackson visitors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Rathbun, of Tecumseh, were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Geddes Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Branch, of Brooklyn, have been the guests of the latter's sister, Mrs. M. B. Millsap.

Mr. and Mrs. George Speer and daughter, of Detroit, were guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Speer, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris. Bauer and daughters, of Albion, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Guerin Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Rheinfrank, Mr. and Mrs. Roy French and son and Miss Beatrice Hunter visited relatives in Dexter Sunday.

Dr. Guy McNamara and Dr. Wm. Welch, of Detroit, were guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. McNamara, Sunday.

Miss Agnes Gorman, who is a student at the U. of M., spent Monday and Tuesday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Gorman.

Mrs. M. Lehman, Mrs. Charles Barth and daughters, Marion and Ina, and Abel Don Juan, of Ann Arbor, called on relatives here Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Watkins and son, of Battle Creek, and Mrs. C. A. Edwards, of Ann Arbor, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. Watkins Saturday and Sunday.

**Well Attended.**

The free moving picture shows given by the Chelsea business men on Wednesday evening of each week at the Princess theatre are fully appreciated by the residents of this vicinity. The two shows that have been given were attended by over 1,000 people each night. The management of the theatre showed a three reel film each evening, and they had to run the films through four times in order to accommodate those who had accepted the free tickets that are being given out by the business men. The management of the theatre are putting on excellent shows.

**Graduating Exercises.**

The eighth grade graduating exercises will be held in the Chelsea high school building at 2:30 o'clock on Tuesday afternoon, June 1. The address will be delivered by Prof. Webster H. Pearce. The exercises will be for the graduates attending the following schools: All the districts of Sylvan; districts 5, 6, 7, Dexter township; district 2, Freedom; districts 3, 4, 4 fr. 7, 8, 10 fr. Lima; 4 fr. Sharon; all the districts in Lyndon.

**Boy's Conference.**

The Fourth Annual Older Boy's conference of Washtenaw county will be held at Saline next Friday evening and Saturday, May 28-29. Any boy from Washtenaw county over fifteen years of age may enroll by paying the registration fee of fifty cents. The general theme of the conference is "Loyalty." Papers on the various phases of this subject will be given by boys from the different towns in the county. In addition to this C. A. Goodwin the high school secretary of the Detroit Y. M. C. A. will speak. Mr. Goodwin's subject will be "Meeting the Issue." Lewis C. Reinmann, tackle on the U. of M. football team will act as toastmaster at the banquet Friday evening and also lead the discussion at the Saturday morning session. The committee has been fortunate in securing Professor S. B. Laird of the Ypsilanti State Normal School to give the principal address at the Saturday morning session. In the afternoon there will be a track meet open to all delegates. A tennis match will also be played. The only expense that will have to be borne by the boys is the registration fee and the traveling expenses. The Saline people are preparing to show all who go a good time in addition to the good things that will be presented at the conference. Registrations should be sent at once to the Y. M. C. A. Ann Arbor.

**Saturday at the Princess.**

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Free show is given every Wednesday night, entirely free, and free tickets will be given away by the merchants at any time during the week. Adv.

**Announcements.**

The regular monthly meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held at the home of Mrs. Geo. A. Runciman at 2:30 o'clock Thursday afternoon, May 27. All are cordially invited to attend.

The Southern Circle of the M. E. church will meet at the home of Mrs. Philip Broesamle, on Wednesday afternoon, June 2.

A regular meeting of the W. R. C. will be held Friday afternoon, May 28, at 3 o'clock. Initiation. Scrub lunch. Bring dishes, also husbands.

Harmony Chapter of the Congregational church will meet at the home of Mrs. M. A. Lowry on Wednesday, June 2.

Every loyal member of the Loyal Circle of the M. E. church please take notice, there will be an important business meeting Tuesday afternoon, June 1st, at the home of Mrs. O. C. Burkhardt.

Clover Leaf Chapter of the Congregational church will meet with Mrs. O. J. Walworth next week Wednesday, June 2. All of the chapters and their friends are invited.

## CHURCH CIRCLES

**CONGREGATIONAL.**  
Rev. Charles J. Dole, Pastor.  
Morning worship with sermon by the pastor at 10 o'clock.  
Sunday school at 11:00 a. m.  
Young People's meeting at 6:15 p. m.  
Evening service at 7 o'clock. The pastor will preach the Memorial service to the G. A. R. and Relief Corps. Subject, "God's Plan for America as Seen in His Providence in Her History."

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

**BAPTIST.**  
10:00 a. m. preaching by Rufus Osborn, of Ann Arbor.  
11:15 a. m. Sunday school.  
7:00 p. m. Thursday prayer meeting.  
7:00 Sunday evening union meeting at the Congregational church.

**ST. PAUL'S.**  
Rev. A. A. Schoen, Pastor.  
English service at 10:30 a. m. central standard time. Subject, "America's Most Popular Sin."  
Sunday school at 11:30 a. m. Mission Sunday.  
Young People's service at 7 p. m.

**ST. JOHN'S, FRANCISCO.**  
Rev. A. A. Schoen, Pastor.  
English service at 8:45 a. m. central standard time.  
Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.

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

**Michigan Pioneer Society.**  
The forty-first annual meeting of the Michigan Pioneer and Historical Society will be held in the Senate chamber, Lansing, on Tuesday and Wednesday, June 2 and 3. Besides a number of interesting papers by Hon. Charles A. Weissart, Clarence M. Burton, Andrew J. Dougherty, Mrs. Lillian Drake Avery and others, there will be a conference on the "Methods of co-operation on the part of public libraries, patriotic societies, and local historical societies, with the Michigan Historical Commission in gathering and publishing materials relating to the history of the State."

**Sylvan Township Board of Reviews.**  
The Board of Review of Sylvan township will meet in the clerk's room, town hall, Chelsea, on Tuesday and Wednesday, June 8 and 9, and also on Monday and Tuesday, June 14 and 15, 1915, from 9 a. m. until 4 p. m., to review and adjust the assessment roll of said township.  
Dated, Chelsea, May 25, 1915.  
J. W. VANRIPER, Supervisor.

**Village Board of Review.**  
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## WEATHER FORECAST.

Weather forecast for the week beginning Wednesday, May 26, 1915, issued by the U. S. Weather Bureau, Washington, D. C. For the region of the Great Lakes: Thunder showers Wednesday will be followed by generally fair weather during the succeeding days of the week; somewhat warmer Wednesday except in the Lake Superior region, but moderate temperatures will rule.

## LOCAL ITEMS.

Lewis Eppler is having his residence on South street painted.

Wm. Fahrner is having his residence on the corner of South and Grant streets painted.

All of the county offices in the court house at Ann Arbor will be closed all day on Monday, May 31st.

Miss Grace Marquand, of Grass Lake, will teach English and history in the Chelsea high school the coming year.

The blacksmith shops of Hirth & Wheeler and Schumacher & Hamp will be closed all day on Monday of next week.

The Saline Observer is having a book and newspaper press installed and have moved the office to the ground floor.

The tag and pencil sale held here Saturday for the benefit of the children's home at St. Joseph, brought the society in \$80.84.

Arnold H. Kuhl of Sharon, and George Hinderer of Freedom, have each purchased five passenger Overland touring cars.

L. G. Palmer, Master of Olive Lodge, No. 156, F. & A. M., is in Bay City this week attending the sessions of the Grand Lodge.

The conference of the Michigan district of the Evangelical Synod will be held at Taylor Center, Wayne county, on June 2-6.

Born, Sunday, May 23, 1915, to Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Eisele, of Jackson, a daughter. Mr. Eisele is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Eisele, sr., of this place.

Workmen are engaged in moving the residence on Flanders street which A. W. Wilkinson sold to J. L. Klein to the latter's lot on Washington street.

Miss Cora Lewis, formerly of this place, who has been in the west and south for some time, has returned to Michigan and is now located in Grand Rapids.

Ed. Beissel was in Ann Arbor Saturday where he attended a meeting of the beekeepers. The state inspector of bees was present and delivered an address.

Mrs. Daniel Strieter, of Freedom, and son Julius, of Chelsea, were in Lansing Monday where they attended the funeral of Mrs. Margaret Beuerle, a sister of the late Daniel Strieter.

Mrs. A. R. Welch, of Pontiac, spent Monday with her father, J. L. Gilbert. She was on her way to Maquoketa, Iowa, where she will visit her daughter. Mrs. Welch was making the trip with an auto.

Paul Belser, George Turnbull, Verne Fordyce and Warren Daniels left today for Indianapolis where they will witness the auto race on Saturday. The party is making the trip in the Belser auto.

Miss Gladys Schenk, who has been teaching the school in what is known as the Sullivan district, near Ann Arbor, for the past year closed the school on Wednesday of this week with a picnic.

Joseph Kunjack died at the U. of M. hospital Ann Arbor, Saturday, May 22, 1915, aged 59 years. The funeral was held from his home in Grass Lake, Tuesday, May 25, Rev. A. A. Schoen officiating.

W. E. Snide has rented the residence of B. H. Glenn on Harrison street and will move his family here about the first of July. Mr. and Mrs. Glenn expect to move to Highland Park, where he is employed.

Mrs. A. B. Clark entertained a number of relatives and friends Saturday afternoon in honor of the birthday of her mother, Mrs. Lydia Bronson. Those from out of town were Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Bronson, of Pontiac, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Bronson, of Detroit, Mrs. R. F. Warner, of Northville, Mrs. F. G. Whitaker, of Salem.

Wm. Zinke, of Cleveland, is the guest of his parents here this week.

J. L. Sibley made a shipment of two carloads of potatoes to the Detroit market the first of this week.

Miss Elizabeth Depew is having a large porch built on the front of her residence on west Middle street.

Mrs. William Martin, who has been spending some time in Ann Arbor, returned to her home here Sunday.

Mrs. Charles Martin entertained a number of friends at a dinner at her home Sunday. The occasion was the anniversary of her birth.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wright have rented the John Messner residence on Jefferson street and will move there the last of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Musbach entertained a number of friends at their home on east Summit street Tuesday evening of this week.

At the recent meeting of the Board of Regents of the U. of M. they decided to make the course of law in the University a four year term.

Out of the review class in the Chelsea high school three girls received teachers' certificates, Olive Webb, Lettie Kaercher and Doris Schmidt.

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Mrs. A. L. Steger was given a surprise party by twelve of her lady friends at her home on Wednesday evening. The evening was spent in games and refreshments were served.

The Dancer Hardware Co. is having the office moved from the rear to the front of the salesroom where it was formerly located for many years. The change will save the members of the firm considerable work and time.

The May festival given by the pupils of the Chelsea high school was a successful event and highly entertaining. There was a large attendance and the entertainment added a comfortable sum to the victrola and clock fund.

Champ Clark invited nearly every person of note in the old U. S. to attend the wedding of his daughter except Bill Bryan. It must be that B. B. made some nasty little remark about Champ's last visit to Michigan.

The new fish law which was passed by the state legislature this year will go into effect August 23, 1915, according to a statement just issued by the state game warden. Until that date fishermen will be guided by the old law.

Rev. A. W. Fuller delivered his farewell sermon in the Chelsea Baptist church Sunday morning. Rev. Fuller has accepted the pastorate of the Stockbridge Baptist church and his household goods were moved there Tuesday.

Raymond E. Whitney, son of Rev. G. H. Whitney, who has been in the Philippines for two years, is expected to arrive in Chelsea this week. Mr. Whitney has been superintendent of a school near Manila numbering 1,100 pupils.

A correspondent who forgot to sign his name asks The Standard if it would be kind enough to tell when we are to have the new electric waiting room. The best word that we can give is that the D. U. R. has brought that desirable moment one hour nearer by adopting eastern standard time.

The annual meeting of the Washtenaw County Pioneer and Historical Society will be held in the Ann Arbor high school auditorium on Wednesday, June 9. The meeting will be called to order at 10 o'clock in the forenoon. O. C. Burkhardt is chairman of the finance committee. Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Bowen and Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Waltrous are members of the reception committee. The price of the dinner tickets will be thirty-five cents which sum includes the annual dues.

The timely discovery of a small blaze in the roof on the west side of the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Penn, about 7 o'clock Wednesday evening, by Miss Pearl Pratt, teacher of the fourth and fifth grades of the Chelsea public schools, and Miss Mabel Martin averted what might have been a serious fire. George Turnbull and Henry Ahnemann climbed on the roof and with a stream of water from the lawn hose had the blaze under control when the fire department arrived in response to the alarm that had been turned in. The fire is supposed to have been started by a spark from the chimney. The roof was slightly damaged.

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## CHAPTER XVII—Continued.

For a moment the click of the balls on the other tables was the only sound. Craig broke the tableau by reaching for his glass of whisky, which he emptied. He tried to assume a nonchalant air, but his hand shook as he replaced the glass on the tabouret. It rolled off to the floor and tinkled into pieces.

"Nerves a bit rocky, eh?" Warrington laughed sardonically.

"You're screaming in the wrong jungle, Parrot, old top," said Mallow, who, as he did not believe in ghosts, was physically not morally afraid of anything. "Though, you have my word for it that I'd like to see you lose every cent of your oil fluke."

"Don't doubt it."

"But," Mallow went on, "if you're wanting a little argument that doesn't require pencils or voices, why, you're on. You don't object to my friend Craig coming along?"

"On the contrary, he'll make a good witness of what happens."

"The chit, boy!" Mallow paid the reckoning. "Now, then, come on. Three rickshaws!" he called.

The barren plot of ground back of the dock was deserted. Warrington jumped from his rickshaw and divested himself of his coat and flung his hat beside it. Gleefully as a boy Mallow did likewise. Warrington then bade the coolies to move back to the road.

"Rounds?" inquired Mallow.

"You filthy scoundrel, you know very well there won't be any rules to this game. Don't you think I know you?" Warrington rolled up his sleeves and was pleased to note the dull color of Mallow's face. He wanted to rouse the brute in the man, then he would have him at his mercy. "I swore four years ago that I'd make you pay for that night."

"You scum!" roared Mallow, "you'll never be a whole man when they carry you away from here."

"Wait and see."

On the way to the dock Warrington had mapped out his campaign. Fair play from either of these men was not to be entertained for a moment. One was a coward. They would not hesitate at any means to defeat him. And he knew what defeat would mean at their hands—disfigurement, probably.

"Will you take a shilling for your fifty quid?" jeered Craig. He was going to enjoy this, for he had not the least doubt as to the outcome. Mallow was without superior in a rough and tumble fight.

Warrington did not reply. He walked cautiously toward Mallow. This maneuver brought Craig within reach. It was not a fair blow, but Warrington delivered it without the least compunction. It struck Craig squarely on the jaw. Lightly as a cat Warrington jumped back. Craig's knees doubled under him and he toppled forward on his face.

"Now, Mallow, you and I alone, with no one to jump on my back when I'm looking elsewhere!"

Mallow, appreciating the trick, swore foully, and rushed. Warrington jabbed with his left and sidestepped. One thing he must do and that was to keep Mallow from getting into close quarters. The cobra grower was more than his match in the knowledge of those oriental devices that usually cripple a man for life. He must wear him down scientifically; he must depend upon his ring generalship. In his youth Warrington had been a skillful boxer. He could now back this skill with rugged health and a blow that had a hundred and eighty pounds behind it.

From ordinary rage Mallow fell into a frenzy; and frenzy never won a ring battle. Time after time he endeavored to grapple, but always that left gapped him. Warrington played for his face, and to each jab he added a taunt. "That for the little Singalese!" "Count that one for Wheedon's broken knees!" "And wouldn't San admire that? Remember her? The little Japanese girl whose thumbs you broke?" "Here's one for me!" It was not dignified, but Warrington stubbornly refused to look back upon this day either with shame or regret. Jab-jab, cut and slash! went the left. There was no more mercy in the mind back of it than might be found in the sleek felinies who stalked the jungles north. Doggedly Mallow fought on, hoping for his chance. He tried every trick he knew, but he could only get so near. The ring was as wide as the world; there were no corners to make grappling a possibility.

Some of his desperate blows got through. The bezel of his ring laid open Warrington's forehead. He was brave enough, but he began to realize that this was not the same man he had turned out into the night four years ago. And the pain and ignominy he had forced upon others was now being returned to him. Warrington would have prolonged the battle had he not seen Craig getting dizzily to his feet. It was time to end it. He feinted swiftly, Mallow, expecting a body blow, dropped his guard. War-

ington, as he struck, felt the bones in his hand crack. Mallow went over upon his back, fairly lifted off his feet. He was tough; an ordinary man would have died.

"I believe that squares accounts," said Warrington, speaking to Craig. "If you hear of me in America, in Europe, anywhere, keep away from the places where I'm likely to go. Tell him," with an indifferent jerk of his head toward the insensible Mallow, "tell him that I give him that fifty pounds with the greatest good pleasure. Sorry I can't wait."

He trotted back to his rickshaw, wiped the blood from his face, put on his hat and coat, and ordered the respectful coolie to hurry back to town. He never saw Mallow or Craig again. The battle itself became a hazy incident. In life affairs of this order generally have abrupt endings.

## CHAPTER XVIII.

Two Letters.

And all that day Elsa had been waiting patiently to hear sounds of Warrington in the next room. Never could she recall such long, weary hours. Time and again she changed a piece of ribbon, a bit of lace, and twice she changed her dress, all for the purpose of making the hours pass more quickly. Whenever Martha approached Elsa told her that she wanted nothing, that she was head-achy, and wanted to be left alone. Discreetly Martha vanished.

To prevent the possibility of mis-



He Remained Dumb.

ing him, Elsa had engaged the room boy to loiter about downstairs and to report to her the moment Warrington arrived. The boy came pattering up at a quarter to six.

"He come. He downside. I go, he come topside?"

"No. That will be all."

The following ten minutes tested her patience to the utmost. Presently she heard the banging of a trunk lid. He was there. What was she going to say to him? The trembling that struck at her knees was wholly a new sensation. Presently the tremor died away, but it left her weak. She stepped toward his door and knocked gently on the jamb.

She heard something click as it struck the floor. (It was Warrington's cutty, which he had carried for seven years, now in smithereens.) She saw a hand, raw knuckled and bleeding slightly, catch at the curtain and swing it back upon its rings.

"Miss Chetwood?" he said.

"Yes . . . Oh, you've been hurt!" she exclaimed, noting the gash upon his forehead. A strip of tissue paper (in lieu of court plaster) lay soaking upon that wound—a trick learned in the old days when razors grew dull overnight.

"Hurt? Oh, I ran against something when I wasn't looking," he explained lamely. Then he added eagerly: "I did not know that you were on this gallery. First time I've put up at a hotel in years." It did not serve.

"You have been fighting! Your hand!"

He looked at the hand dumbly. How keen her eyes were.

"Was it . . . Mallow? Did you . . . whip him?"

"I . . . did," imitating her tone and hesitance. It was the wisest thing he could have done, for it relaxed the nerves of both of them.

Elsa smiled, smiled and forgot the substance of all her rehearsals, forgot the letter of credit, warm with the heat of her heart. "I am a pagan," she confessed.

"And I am a barbarian. I ought to be horribly ashamed of myself."

"But you are not!"

For a moment their eyes drew. Hers were like dark whirlpools, and he felt himself drifting helplessly, irresistibly. He dropped his hands upon the railing and gripped; the illusion of

fighting a current was almost real to him. Every fiber in his body cried out against the struggle.

"No, not in the least," he said, looking toward the sunset. "Fighting is a raffish business, and I'm only a raff-raffer at best."

"Rather, aren't you Paul Ellison, brother, twin brother, of the man I said I was going home to marry?"

How far away her voice seemed! The throb in his forehead and the dull ache over his heart, where some of the sledge-hammer blows had gone home, he no longer felt.

"Don't deny it. It would be useless. Knowing your brother as I do, who could doubt it?"

He remained dumb.

"I couldn't understand, just simply couldn't. They never told me; in all the years I have known them, in all the years I have partly made their home my own, there was nothing. Not a trinket. Once I saw a camera picture. I know now why Arthur snatched it from my hand. It was you. You were bending over an engineer's tripod. Even now I should have doubted had I not recalled what you said one day on board, that you had built bridges. Arthur couldn't build anything stronger than an artist's easel. You are Paul Ellison."

"I am sorry you found out."

"Why?"

"Because I wanted to be no more than an incident in your life, just Parrot & Co."

"Parrot & Co.!"

It was like a caress; but he was too dull to sense it, and she was unconscious of the infection. The burning sunshine gave to his hair and beard the gleaming of ruddy gold. Her imagination, full of unsuspected poetry at this moment, clothed him in the metals of a viking. There were other whirlpools besides those in her eyes, but Elsa did not sense the drifting as he had done. It was insidious.

"An incident," she repeated.

"Could I be more?" with sudden fierceness. "Could I be any more in any woman's life? I take myself for what I am, but the world will always take me for what I have done. Yes, I am Paul Ellison, forgotten, I hope, by all those who knew me. Why did you seek me that night? Why did you come into my life to make bitterness become despair? The blackest kind of despair. Elsa Chetwood, Elsa!"

Well, the consul is right. I am a strong man. I can go out of your life, at least physically. I can say that I love you, and I can add to that good-bye!"

He wheeled abruptly and went quickly down the gallery, bareheaded, without any destination in his mind, with only one thought, to leave her before he lost the last shreds of his self-control.

It was then that Elsa knew her heart. She had spoken truly. She was a pagan—for, had he turned and held out his hands, she would have gone to him, gone with him, anywhere in the world, lawfully or unlawfully.

Elsa sang. When Martha came to help her dress for dinner she still sang. It was a wordless song, a melody that every human heart contains and which finds expression but once. Elsa loved.

Doubt, that arch-enemy of love and faith and hope, doubt had spread its dark pinions and flown away into yesterday. She felt the zest and exhilaration of a bird just given its freedom. Once she slipped from Martha's cunning hands and ran out upon the gallery.

"Elsa, your waist!"

Elsa laughed and held out her bare arms to the faded sky where, but a little while since, the sun had burned a pathway down the world. All in an hour, one small trifling space of time, this wonderful, magical thing had happened. He loved her. There had been hunger for her in his voice, in his blue eyes. Presently she was going to make him feel very sorry that he had not taken her in his arms, then and there.

"Elsa, what in mercy's name possesses you?"

"I am mad, Martha, mad as a March hare, whatever that is!" She loved.

"People will think so, if they happen to come along and see that waist. Please come instantly and let me finish hooking it. You act like you did when you were ten. You never would stand still."

"Yes, and I remember how you used to yank my pigtail. I haven't really forgiven you yet."

"I believe it's going home that's the matter with you. Well, I for one shall be glad to leave this horrid country. Chinamen everywhere, in your room, at your table, under your feet. And in the streets, Chinamen and Malays and Hindus, and I don't know what other outlandish races and tribes. Why, what's all this?" cried Martha, bending to the floor.

Elsa ran back to the room. She gave a little gasp when she saw what it was that Martha was holding out for her inspection. It was Warrington's letter of credit. She had totally forgotten its existence. Martha could not help seeing it. Elsa explained frankly what it was and how it had come into her possession. Martha was horrified.

"Elsa, they might have entered your room; and your jewels lying about everywhere! How could you be so careless?"

"But they didn't. I'll return this to Mr. Warrington in the morning; perhaps tonight, if I see him at dinner."

"He was in the next room, and we never knew it!" The final hook snapped in place. "Well, Wednesday our boat leaves," as if this put a period to all further discussion anent Mr. Parrot & Co. Nothing very serious could happen between that time and now.

"Wednesday night," Elsa began to sing again, but not so joyously. The petty things of every-day life were lifting their heads once more, and of necessity she must recognize them.

She sat at the consul general's table, informally. There was gay inconsequential chatter, an exchange of recollections and comparisons of cities and countries they had visited at separate times; but neither she nor he mentioned the chief subject of their thoughts. She refrained because of a strange yet natural shyness of a woman who has found herself; and he, because from his angle of vision it was best that Warrington should pass out of her life as suddenly and mysteriously as he had entered it. Had he spoken frankly he would have saved Elsa many a bitter heartache, many a weary day.

Warrington was absent, and so were his enemies. If there was any truth in reincarnation Elsa was confident that in the splendid days of Rome she had beaten her pink palms in applause of the gladiators. Pagan; she was all of that; for she knew that she could have looked upon Mallow's face with more than ordinary interest. Nevermore would her cheeks burn at the recollection of the man's look.

In her room, later, she wrote two letters. The one to Arthur covered several pages; the other consisted of a single line. She went down to the office, mailed Arthur's letter and left the note in Warrington's key box. It was not an intentionally cruel letter she had written to the man in America; but if she had striven toward that effect she could not have achieved it more successfully. She cried out against the way he had treated his brother, the false pride that had hidden all knowledge of him from her.



"I Am Going to My Room."

Where were the charity and mercy of which he had so often preached? Pages of burning reproaches which seared the soul of the man who read them. She did not confide the state of her heart. It was not necessary. The arraignment of the one and the defense of the other were sufficiently illuminating.

Soundly the happy sleep. She did not hear the removal of Warrington's luggage at midnight, for it was stealthily done. Neither did she hear the fretful mutter of the bird as his master disturbed his slumbers. Nothing warned her that he intended to spend the night on board; that, having paid his bill early in the evening, her note might have lain in the key box until the crack of doom, so far as he was likely to know of its existence. No angel of pity whispered to her. Awake! No dream magic people tell about drew for her the picture of the man she loved, pacing up and down the cramped deck of the packet boat, fighting a battle compared to which that of the afternoon was play. Elsa slept on, dreamless.

When she awoke in the morning she ran to the mirror—all this fresh beauty she was going to give to him, without condition, without reservation, absolutely. She dressed quickly, singing lowly. Fate makes us the happest when she is about to crush us.

Usually she had her breakfast served in the room, but this morning she was determined to go downstairs. She was excited; she brimmed with exuberance; she wanted Romance to begin at once.

"Good morning," she greeted the consul general, who was breakfasting alone.

"Well, you're an early bird!" he replied. By the way, our romantic Parrot & Co. have gone.

"Gone?" Elsa stared at him.

"Yes. Sailed for Saigon at dawn, and I am rather glad to see him go. I was afraid he might interest you too much. Good heavens, Elsa, what is the matter?"

"No, no! Don't touch me. I'm not the fainting kind. Did you know last night that he was going?"

"Yes."

"I shall never forgive you. Never, never! You knew and did not tell me. Do you know who Paul Ellison is? He is the brother of the man at home. You knew he was stealing away and did not tell me."

She could not have made the truth any plainer to him. He sat back in his chair, stunned, voiceless.

"I am going to my room," she said. "Do not follow. Please act as if nothing had happened."

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Most of the cats in Liberia are of a bright red tint, and they are very conspicuous in the moonlight.

## The Bride and Her Maids



Both the wedding gown and the wedding veil, according to the mandates of the powers that be in making styles, may be either long or short, according to the fancy of the bride. The little, youthful maiden usually enjoys very much the glory of the long-trained wedding gown, but if she would be original, or independent, she has an opportunity now to be correctly garbed in the most youthful of short skirts.

For materials, chiffon, lace, voile and net, or satin, veiled with any one of the flimsiest materials, seem to make the strongest appeal to the brides of this particular June. Embroidery of silver and seed pearls appears on the most splendid of wedding gowns and lace, especially if it be old and precious and has adorned the brides of the family before, comes in for worshipful attention.

In the matter of the veil, few caplike arrangements on the head appear as compared with more simple adjustments. Orange blossoms or jasmine flowers make the wreath and some veils fall over the face, reaching just below the chin or to the waist line at the front. At the back the veil for the short dress may fall only to the knees.

The splendid wedding gown shown in the picture is made with the conventional long train, but is cut "V" shaped at the neck. The bodice is veiled with chiffon and the tulle veil falls from a wreath of orange blossoms over the figure to the end of the flower-trimmed train.

The bridesmaids' gowns are made of a thin material having graduated bands of satin around the full, straight skirts, the widest band forming the border at the bottom. The bodices of chiffon and satin are made with round Dutch necks and flounces, lengthened

at the back of the arm, extend from the short sleeves.

The maid of honor wears a girde of flowers instead of satin and her bodice is draped with lace. All wear wide-brimmed hats, bordered with drooping chiffon and trimmed with big roses at the front. All carry baskets with long handles, filled with clusters of small blossoms. The handles are adorned with wide ribbon tied in bows with long ends.

## Queues on the Hats.

Long, slim queues with bright beads on the one end and saucy little hats on the other make Fifth avenue in New York look like the road to Mandalay. There are cunning little hats shaped like pagodas which are trimmed with applied terra cotta cherries. One of these hats has an underbrim of black patent leather braid and the black silk tassel on top stands up straight. A black, tasseled ribbon streamer completes the hat. The "chin-chin" hat has a crown of shirred silk. The black milan rim covers both eyebrows and stops at nothing save the lashes. A queue of braided ribbon hangs at the back which has a tassel of jet beads at the end, reaching below the waist.

## Don't Forget the Apron.

In replenishing your wardrobe don't forget to have at least one gown which can boast of an apron. For instance, on an afternoon gown of green soft taffeta attach a pointed apron of the material, and at the proper places have two little pockets. Have a two-inch-wide belt at the top of the apron—this is to serve as the girde of the dress—and let it run off into space in the form of apron strings, which are to be tied in a pert bow.

## New Touches in Finishing Summer Blouses



A group of three of the latest summer blouses pictured in the illustration given here, shows some of the new finishing touches by which manufacturers accomplish variety in making these waists. They are of pongee and crepe-de-chine. Machine hemstitching and buttons are the features depended upon for decoration, and occasional little oddities in the cut of collar and cuffs or yoke and body give individuality to the design.

At the left a plain waist of pongee, also made in crepe, has seams set together with machine hemstitching. The long, plain sleeves are finished at the wrist with a hemstitched band instead of cuffs. Buttons are set on in groups and are often in red, green or black; the brightest of the green or red shades are used.

At the right a dainty waist of crepe-de-chine is embroidered at each side with a flower spray in the shoulder seams, an insertion of venetian lace is set in. Hemstitched plaits down the front elaborate the model further, and the sleeves are long. The high collar is finished with hemstitching also. Round pearl buttons finish this model, which is dressier in character than the others.

At the center a smart model is

shown having a plain round yoke. It is made of white crepe-de-chine and the body is set to the yoke with hemstitching in black silk thread. In keeping with this novel innovation the small, round buttons are of black jet. The odd collar and cuffs are cut with points; the collar having three that are hemstitched. Each point is finished with one of the jet buttons. They are wired to support them, and turned back when the waist is worn. Buttons decorate also the pointed cuffs. All stitching in this model is done in black silk.

JULIA BOTTOMLEY.

## Cheap Dust Caps.

There is no excuse for getting the hair dusty, for dust caps can be bought in pretty prints in pink or violet and white for 13 cents each.

These are really pretty caps, with an elastic to keep them snug at the back, and a standing of ruche-like frill about the face. They are useful not only for sweeping and dusting, but for cooking.

They keep any possible dust from the hair safely out of the way and they also keep the odors of cooking from entering the hair—where they would cling tenaciously.

## MACHINE TO TEACH MUSIC

After-School Practice Hours May Be Lightened as Result of New System.

As the result of a system of musical time-recording records for talking machines lately devised by Jules Louis-Elson of Far Rockaway, N. Y., the prospect of after-school practice hours on the piano stool may be lightened for juvenile music students.

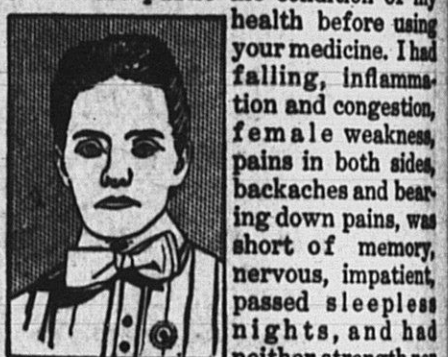
The principles contained in what the inventor terms his "scenario" may be interpreted on six double-disk talking machine records, or the same result may be obtained in a condensed form by combining all of the musical counting or time recording on one record only.

On one side of the record are examples cited by the instructor in oral text; on the other side is the oral count of beats, as, 1, 2; 1, 2, 3; 1, 2, 3, 4, etc. A concluding specimen of the oral instruction text is as follows: "For example, let us take the Presto form (the record plays 12 bars). Now, when you consult the printed music you will notice that the quarter, or C (as it is printed), is barred. This serves to indicate that one should count in two. The record now sings as a teacher does the previously played bars of the Presto, emphasizing the count: 1, 2; 1, 2. Thank you."

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## FINDS LESSON IN THE WAR

Dean Hodges Points Out Four Things Learned as Result of Great Struggle.

That there are four great lessons being taught by the present war in Europe was the declaration of Dean George Hodges of Cambridge Theological seminary, former rector of Calvary Episcopal church, Cambridge, in a sermon on "The War," from the pulpit he used to occupy in Calvary, recently.

"This war will teach that a nation is not exalted by material strength," said he. "To be exalted a nation must have, besides material strength, the true ideals of brotherhood. The second lesson that this war is teaching is that things so to the contrary will regret it. The third lesson is that people have been wrong in saying that men are invincibly selfish, for this war offers thousands and thousands of cases of men gladly giving up their lives. The fourth lesson is that the old belief that war is glorious is a false belief. War is far from glorious and we are realizing it today as never before. Because of the neglect of national Christianity we find this war existing today. Christianity is for nations as well as for individuals, and that will be the one great, comprehensive lesson this war will teach."

Coffins are being made of paper in France, cheapness and lightness being their advantage.

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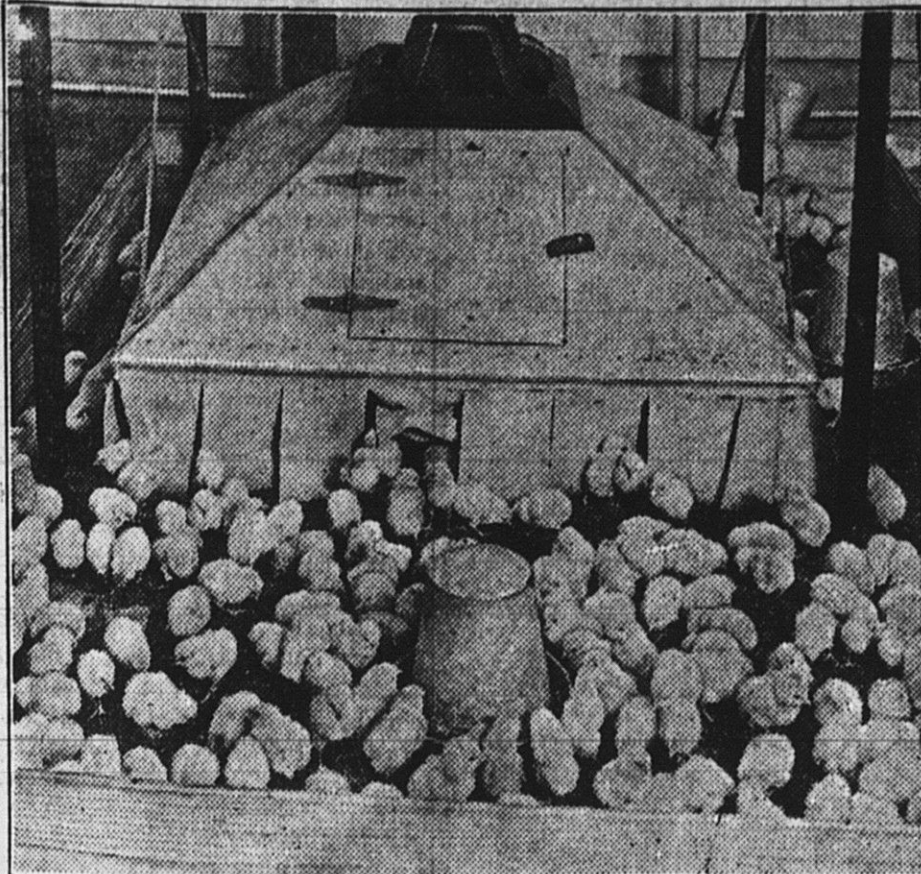
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## CONQUERING TROUBLES OF INCUBATORS



A Successful Incubator Hatch.

(By C. E. TOMPKINS.) There is just one rule in all instruction books that an incubator operator would do well to violate, and that is where he is told that when everything is adjusted and running perfectly to trust to the incubator.

Don't do it. Stay and watch, or drop in every spare minute to look around if you want good luck; for every make of incubator has some little peculiarity that tells in the operating, and it is only by close watching that the operator has a chance to learn how to bolster up the weak points, or get the most out of the strong ones.

The operator should not forget that an important part of this business is to run the machine smoothly according to the instructions, at least for the first few times.

If you wish to avoid trouble you should observe these three important rules of the instruction book.

Implicitly follow the directions for ventilation.

Place the thermometer where the manufacturers say.

Don't vary from instructions for temperature.

My last season's experience bears on the last two points. I was at this time running three different makes of machines, each at a different temperature, one at 102 another at 103 and still another at 104. All had good hatches.

The difference was mainly due to the location of the thermometers, and did not indicate an actual difference of the temperature of the eggs. I never trust one thermometer—usually have one to each tray of eggs.

The worst trouble I ever had with a machine was one of the kind that places the thermometer directly on the eggs. The difficulty arises when the eggs begin to hatch. They always knocked the thermometer over and from then on I was never certain whether the latter part of the hatch was being cooked or frozen.

## LIQUID MANURE IS GROWTH STIMULANT

Excellent for Growing Vines and Tomato Plants—Timely Work in the Garden.

(By MILLER PURVIS.) To raise big squashes, cover every other joint on the vine with a little hillock of earth, as the vine lengthens out. By joints we mean, of course, the point where a leaf starts out.

If these joints are covered, roots will start out and add to the capacity of the vine in seeking plant food from which to increase the size of the squashes it bears.

When melon and cucumber vines begin to grow, be careful not to disturb them when cultivating. Get the ground clean as early as possible, and then pull out such weeds as start close to the vines.

Liquid manure is a wonderful stimulant for growing vines and tomato plants. Fill an old cracker barrel with unfertilized horse manure, and set it on a platform high enough from the ground so a pall can be used to catch the liquid. Then pour water on until it begins to drip out of the bottom. Arrange the platform so the drippings will all run to one point. Use these drippings to water the hills, and watch the vines grow.

Work fertilizer or rotted manure around the cabbage plants every time they are cultivated. Cabbage is the real hog for feed, among vegetables. Don't hoe, or otherwise cultivate beans when the vines are wet. To do so often causes them to rust.

Gardener's Best Friend. The wheel hoe is the gardener's best friend; with it one man can do as much work in two hours as he can in six with the old-fashioned common hoe. It saves laborious stooping, makes the work easier and does it better.

These hoes have several attachments, such as drills, cultivators, and different sized hoes, making it suitable for crops of all kinds and sizes.

If a man is too lazy to attend to his own garden, his wife will find the use of the wheel hoe a great help.

My main source of anxiety was the regulator, which responded more readily to moist heat than to dry. The result was that the ventilator was thrown wide open, and it let out the moisture and heat that meant life to the hatching chicks, and in rushed the cold air that was sure to kill them speedily.

My greatest difficulty was that I was without a thermometer as well as a dependable regulator. I took the little chicks already hatched as a guide to the temperature in place of the thermometer they had displaced.

I used the ones that were well dried and resting quietly on the top of the trays well toward the back as a guide.

Chicks in the nursery drawer would not have answered my purpose as I might have waited until those below were too hot or cold, and the chicks just hatching would have died in the shell from one or the other extreme.

I watched the chicks that were quietly resting on the trays and when they commenced to pant badly and yell very loudly I turned my lamp flame a little lower. I needed no further evidence to tell me that my egg chamber was getting too hot.

When I saw that the chicks were long in drying off, and when they started their hover song, I knew that it was getting too cold and turned the lamp a little higher.

I had a most trying experience, but by "living" with my machine during the hatch I snatched a partial victory when failure had seemed to be almost certain.

The second time I operated that incubator I had another thermometer suspended where the chickens could not displace it, and by keeping a record of the variation between the two thermometers during the hatch I was able to get along nicely when the chicks commenced to hatch since my records were a safe guide as to the proper temperature at which to keep the upper thermometer.

## ALFALFA EXCELS AS A BUILDER OF SOILS

Adds Annually More Than Twice as Much Nitrogen to Land as Average Red Clover.

As a soil builder, it is estimated that an acre of alfalfa adds annually more than twice as much nitrogen to the land as the average acre of red clover. This phase of alfalfa growing will not be overlooked, nor its importance underestimated by those who realize the need of giving much greater attention to maintaining the fertility of soils.

Not only does this plant add greatly to the available nitrogen in the soils, but it adds also to the available mineral fertility, through its power to appropriate for its own growth, the large supply of phosphorus and potassium found in the subsoils, writes H. D. Hughes in Farmers Mail and Breeze. These elements are beyond the reach of the other farm crops in the rotation, but the long alfalfa roots gather them and later on much of this potassium and phosphorus become available to other crops through the manure made from feeding the alfalfa hay. Moreover, as these deep penetrating roots decay, they open channels which will be followed by the roots of subsequent crops which otherwise would never tap the lower regions of the subsoil. The great amount of organic matter left when the alfalfa is plowed leaves the soil in the very best physical condition for the following crops, thereby increasing their yields.

False Economy. It is surely false economy to use worn-out tools. An old, rickety, worn-out disk or cultivator should be discarded and a first-class implement used. Every farmer should strive to raise a maximum crop this year. He cannot do it with worn-out implements.

Discourages Weeds. If you have dirt paths in the garden, cover them with sifted gravel. This discourages weeds and makes the paths dry quickly after a shower.

## DAIRY TALK

### BREEDING OF DAIRY CATTLE

Community Plan Has Many Advantages—Stimulates Friendly Rivalry Among Dairymen.

(By JAMES PHILAN of New York in Kimball's Dairyman.)

Where two or more men start to breed the same kind of dairy cattle in the same neighborhood, I feel sure that if they are men that can get together, they will find it to their advantage to do so. In the case of small herds the cost of a good bull may seem quite an item. If two or



Fine Herd of Dairy Cows.

more men buy a bull together, they may be able to get a better bull than either would own individually and still have money to buy females.

There are other advantages, one of which is that the more daughters a bull may have the better he may be judged as a sire. In the case of men who are doing official test work this has considerable advertising value.

Another advantage is that when different neighbors watch the growth of their neighbors' calves and young stock they will try not to let the other fellow's stock get the start of theirs. This will result in better growth and better developed cattle.

To show that I practice what I preach I will say I have only one cow in my herd that was sired by a bull owned exclusively by myself. At present I have a breeding interest in three different bulls that I have used in the last year. This would seem to indicate that I intend to co-operate with my neighbors.

I believe that the greatest advantage of community breeding will result from friendly rivalry in the growing and development of the stock, and then from good team work in the selling of the same.

### USE FOR A HAND SEPARATOR

Less Work Necessary in Handling Milk With Device Than Without—Machine Saves Waste.

A hand separator saves all waste of butterfat. What is the use of feeding cows good corn, hay and other stuff that costs money and then allowing the product to go to waste?

Less work is necessary to handle milk with the separator than without, because there are fewer utensils to be used and the skim milk may be fed to the pigs and calves and chickens at once, and does not have to be handled again.

Forty or fifty dollars will buy a good separator, big enough for a herd of four or five cows, and it will save its cost the first year. If properly cared for, a separator is good for ten years. The cream from a separator will bring more money because it is uniform in richness, and is sweeter because, as it is separated while the milk is warm and fresh, it does not absorb odors as it would if left standing around.

The separator saves hauling milk to the creamery and then hauling the skim milk back to the farm. Then skim milk hauled any considerable distance becomes cold and sometimes dirty and tainted and not fit to feed. If a farmer has ten or more cows he will require a larger separator—one that will handle say 150 pounds of milk in about fifteen minutes, and he then should have a small gasoline engine to do the work. It is quicker and cheaper than hand power.

### CAP PROTECTS MILK BOTTLE

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In order to keep milk bottles, while in use, free from dirt and flies, a sanitary milk bottle cap has been placed on the market. This is arranged so



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### JUDGE CANARIES AT CONCERT

Hundreds Trill, Quaver and Roll in Auditorium in New York for Prizes.

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The birds were brought into the auditorium from a darkened room, and as soon as they saw the light they burst into song. The critics listened intently, observing each trill and quaver, and presumably in their reports will tell those in good voice, whether they sang artistically or not and what the chances are of this or that yellow bird making good if he studies hard and remembers what the critics say about him.

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## BREVITIES

HOWELL—The citizens of this place will hold an old fashioned celebration on Saturday, July 3.

BROOKLYN—Hon. H. R. Rankin, of Ypsilanti will deliver the memorial day address here on Saturday, May 29.

GRASS LAKE—Dr. C. B. Wilcox, editor of the Grass Lake News, will deliver the Decoration day address in that village on Monday, May 31.

GRASS LAKE—While taking the shells from a 22-caliber gun Saturday L. Rohrer accidentally was shot through his foot. He is getting along nicely.

WAYNE—Village Marshal Goudey of Wayne is getting after autolists who speed through that town at a rate of speed slightly in excess of 40 miles an hour. A number of arrests have been made.

YPSILANTI—A large gang of men is building fences between here and Belleville on farms belonging to the Eastern Michigan Edison company for the purpose of enabling the company to stock the farms with over 500 head of cattle.

PINCKNEY—Fifty years ago Louise Dunning became the wife of Jas. M. Marble and in commemoration of that event, a golden wedding was celebrated Tuesday, May 18, at their home near Anderson. About 75 guests were in attendance.—Dispatch.

BROOKLYN—William Haschle of Jackson made application to the Brooklyn council for the privilege of conducting a saloon in that village, which application was promptly turned down. This is the only application received by the city fathers.

BLISSFIELD—The discovery recently of an extreme case of tuberculosis among cattle in this neighborhood, points out the necessity of some steps to prevent the spread of the disease and to insure the users of milk against contamination.—Advocate.

PLYMOUTH—Work on the big gas holder at the new plant of the Plymouth and Northville Gas Co., is progressing nicely. The holder is constructed of steel and is fifty feet in diameter and twenty-six feet high. It has a capacity of 40,000 cubic feet.—Mail.

YPSILANTI—County Drain Commissioner Deake met with John Fiegel, Oscar Pester and Frank White of the Pittsfield town board Thursday and decided to build an addition to the county drain, beginning at the north line of Pittsfield township, thence one-half mile south where it connects with the drain on the Hutzel farm.

BRIGHTON—Frank M. Lansing of this place, as a third party, has in his possession a certified check for \$1,800 which will be turned over to the Brighton Presbyterian church in the event that no appeal is made from Judge Eugene A. Stowe's decision that Miss Lettie Benjamin was, at the time of making her last will, incompetent to make such a document.—Argus.

DEXTER—The following teachers have been engaged by the Board of Education for the school year 1915 and 1916: D. C. Bowen, Hillsdale, Superintendent; Mrs. Lillie Robinson, Principal; Miss Ruth Jede, German and Latin; Miss Florence Dewey, English and history; Miss Amy Deland, 7th and 8th grades; Miss Verna Easton; 5th and 6th grades; Miss Louisa Rieder, 3rd and 4th grades; Miss Lillie Langdon, 1st and 2nd grades.—Leader.

JACKSON—Plaintiff in the damage suit of Howard Marsh vs. Detroit United Railway company submitted to a non-suit Monday, with leave to ask to have the order of non-suit later set aside. Question is raised as to whether suit was brought against the right company. The suit grew out of a wreck on the interurban line between Jackson and Detroit, and the company owning the road at that time is said to have been the Detroit, Jackson & Chicago Railway company.

JACKSON—The population of the county jail may make it necessary to take over part of the sheriff's residence for quarters. Tramps and bums are over-running the city since they know they cannot be sentenced to the Detroit work house. There were twenty-four arraigned before Judge Dahlem Monday morning, that being the number arrested by the police and sheriff's department Saturday night and Sunday. Regular bunks in the cell block of the jail are at a premium! So thick are the prisoners confined there some of them have to sleep on the floor. There are between eighty and ninety being boarded there at the expense of the county.—Patriot.

Ah! The Invigorating Whiff of the Pine Forest!

How it clears the throat and head of its mucous ailments. It is this spirit of Newness and Vigor from the health-giving Pine Forests brought back by Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey. Antiseptic and healing. Buy a bottle to-day. All druggists, 25c. Adv.

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## A FEW STRAY EPIGRAMS.

BY E. M. S. P.

We learn the best things in life by experience, by loving and by suffering.

It is not easy for anyone to give up ideas and beliefs in which he has lived the greater part of his life, and make himself at home in conceptions entirely different from the old ones.

Opinion is the product of our reading, thinking and hearing. It all depends on what we have heard, read or thought, consequently our opinions are subject to change, for if we read widely and live deeply our opinions must of necessity grow in health and be subject to variations.

"Be a good big brother." Remember the big brother has a great influence in moulding the character of his younger brothers and sisters in making their lives strong and good, well rounded and beautiful. Set a right example; if you have high ideals they surely will be copied by the brothers and sisters younger.

A man in Oakland county of whom the writer has some knowledge, has recently visited South America and in an interview gives some account of the impressions received in regard to that climate and country. On the Pacific coast it rarely ever rained and consequently was fearfully dry and unproductive. Said the efforts of the United States in getting trade with South America was rather an uncertain proposition, being handicapped in not being able to speak Portuguese and Spanish. In fact it was not a white man's country, owing to the intensive heat and dry atmosphere. Only the man who tanned could live in that country any length of time. A man who freckles, the freckles hardened and become cancerous. When a white man's face burned it was almost sure death if he remained in the country.

## Hagenbeck-Wallace Circus.

Half a hundred clowns from mirthland's fertile field have been assembled this season by the management of the Hagenbeck-Wallace circus which comes to Ann Arbor, Wednesday, June 2, for performances at 2 and 8 p. m. and a two mile long street parade at 10 o'clock in the morning.

One of the most interesting of these clowns is Arthur Borella, known the world over as the "Here's Me" clown. This is Borella's trade mark and for twenty years it has been his slogan and by word.

Beneath Borella's make up of vermilion and white there is a sober face that on a downtown street corner one would pick for a banker or business man. He dresses neatly and there is an air of polish and bearing in his manners which stands in vivid contrast to the foolishly, funny fellow who cavorts about in the big arena tent working the flap-sticks and making fire crackers do their full duty.

Arthur Borella is the highest paid clown in the world. His salary is \$600 per week and all expenses.

Lima Township Board of Review.  
The Board of Review of Lima township will meet at the residence of Fred C. Haist, Lima, on Tuesday and Wednesday, June 8 and 9, and also on Monday and Tuesday June 14 and 15, 1915, from 9 a. m. until 4 p. m., to review and adjust the assessment roll of said township.

Dated, Lima, May 25, 1915.  
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## CORRESPONDENCE.

### LIMA TOWNSHIP NEWS.

Ed. Weiss has had his residence and barn painted.

Oscar and Alfred Lindauer spent Sunday in Chelsea.

Bert Gray spent the week-end with friends at Grass Lake.

Geo. E. Haist is having a bathroom installed in his residence.

Rudolph Widmayer, of Lodi, spent Sunday with Lewis Egeler.

Miss Marion Remnant was the guest of Gladys Whittington Sunday.

Fred Koch spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Smith.

Mrs. Edward Schneider, of Scio, spent Thursday with her daughter, Mrs. George Egeler.

Mrs. Nellie Klein and daughter Lora and Miss Mata Klein were Ann Arbor visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Egeler and two children spent Sunday in Chelsea with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Mayer.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Mains and little son, of Detroit, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Easton.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Easton and Mr. and Mrs. T. Mains spent Sunday afternoon in Dexter with Miss Mains.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Strieter were in Lansing Monday where they attended the funeral of Mr. Strieter's sister.

Mrs. Wm. Foor, of Chelsea, and Mr. and Mrs. B. Kuhl, of Sharon, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Strieter.

Miss Eva Baries, of Detroit, Misses Amanda and Carrie Baries, of Chelsea, visited at the home of their parents Sunday.

Mr. Abbott and Austin Gray, of Windsor, Ontario, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gray several days of the past week.

Report of the school in district No. 8. Those not tardy nor absent for the month ending May 21 are: Esther and Arthur Koengeter, Alton Trinkle, Arthur, Norman and Lawrence Wacker, Erwin and Lorine Haist, Dorothea Schanz, Helen and Roy Koch, Irene Kuhn, Emma and Edna Grieb, Amanda Lambarth. Those perfect in spelling for the month are: Esther Koengeter and Alton Trinkle. Those not absent for the entire year are: Alton Trinkle, Erwin Haist, Roy Koch, Dorothea Schanz, Emma Grieb. Promoted from second to third grade: Elsie Koengeter, Irene Kuhn, Roy Koch, Norman Wacker. Promoted from third to fourth grade: Helen Koch, Amanda Lambarth, Emma Grieb, Dorothea Schanz. Promoted from fourth to fifth grade: Erwin Haist, Henry Kuhn, Arthur Barth. Promoted from sixth to seventh: Arthur Wacker, Arthur Koengeter. Promoted from seventh to eighth grade: Alton Trinkle, Esther Koengeter. Louise B. Niles, teacher.

### FRANCISCO VILLAGE.

Walter Kalmbach, of Detroit, spent Sunday at home.

Wm. Long, of Chelsea, was a Francisco visitor Tuesday.

Sunday, Stuart Daft and wife entertained their sister, Mrs. Etta Snarey, of Jackson.

Mrs. Rena Notten-Hauer, of Woodland, is spending some time with her parents and other relatives.

Mrs. Geo. Bohne, jr. and children, of west Francisco, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bohne, sr.

Miss Nettie Bohne and Miss Mabel Kalmbach were Sunday-guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kalmbach, of Sylvan.

Mrs. Emmett Dancer and children, of Chelsea, were week-end guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Notten.

Herman Kalmbach and wife, of Dearborn, and Wm. Kalmbach and family, of South Lyons, spent Sunday with Mrs. Emma Kalmbach.

Mrs. Nora Notten returned Monday from Detroit where she spent a few days with her sister, Mrs. Mattie O'Donnell, whose health remains very poor.

Miss Velma Richards closed a successful year's school Friday, the children and parents enjoying a picnic dinner. Games and sports were indulged in, which gave much amusement. Prizes were won by a number of contestants.

### LYNDON CENTER.

Edward Haynes spent Tuesday in Chelsea on business.

Chas. Haggerty has carpenters at work building an addition, 20x34, to the barn on his farm.

Mrs. John Daly and daughters, Robert Flues and Francis Lusty, of Jackson, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lusty Sunday.

For results try Standard "Wants."

### DEXTER TOWNSHIP.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris. Koch and family, of Lima, Emanuel Stierle and Miss Amanda Horning, of Lodi, were Sunday callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Goetz.

W. H. Eisenbeiser and John Atkin have carpenters at work finishing several rooms in the residence on the farm that they purchased of Stevenson Brothers at North Lake. A number of the rooms were left unfinished when the house was built, and the walnut lumber that is being used for finishing this part of the house has been saved for over twenty-five years. The residence is by far the largest one in the township.

### WATERLOO DOINGS.

Memorial services will be held at the U. B. church at 10:30 Sunday morning, June 6. Dr. Ford, of the state Normal college at Ypsilanti, will deliver the address. The program will consist of drills, recitations, songs, music by the Waterloo Cornet Band and exercises at Mt. Hope cemetery.

### SYLVAN HAPPENINGS.

Mrs. J. F. Sager has sold five acres of land on section 22 Sylvan to J. A. Goetz.

W. Smalley has had a fine monument erected on his lot in Maple Grove cemetery at Sylvan Center.

### Honey a Valuable Crop.

In one year the beehive sent to market a crop worth nearly as much as the barley crop; six million dollars greater than the rye crop, add nearly nine million dollars greater than the rice crop. All of the rice and buckwheat grown on an aggregated area of 2,124 square miles could not reach to the value of the honey by \$151,259.

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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 24th day of April, in the year one

thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

In the matter of the estate of Frederick

Nichaus deceased.

Catherine Nichaus, administrator of said es-

tate, having filed in this court her final account,

and praying that she may be heard and

allowed.

It is ordered, that the 24th day of May

next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said

probate office be appointed for hearing said

## Commissioners' Notice.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Wash-

tenaw, ss. The undersigned having been ap-