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Lafayette Grange.

Lafayette Grange will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank McMillan Thursday, March 2.

The following is the program:

Opening Song.
Roll Call—Each member to respond with a short story or a joke.
Recitation.
Music.

Question—"What is the most profitable way for the farmer to dispose of the milk?"

Reading.
Each lady is requested to bring a new thought to the meeting.
Closing song.

Mrs. Mary Hawley.

Mrs. Mary Hawley was born in Quebec, Province of Quebec, August 1, 1863, and died at the U. of M. hospital Ann Arbor, Wednesday, February 23, 1916.

Sue was united in marriage with Thomas M. Hawley in August, 1880, and for the last thirty-four years they have been residents of Sharon and Sylvan. The remains were brought to the home of her sisters, Miss Elizabeth Monks and Mrs. Jennie Burch, on Garfield street, Wednesday evening.

She is survived by her husband, three sons, Wm. M., of Birmingham, George L., of Sharon, Fred T., of Ann Arbor, two daughters, Mrs. Elmer Klompp, of Ann Arbor, and Mrs. Lewis Dugman, of Belleville, three brothers and four sisters.

The funeral will be held at 12:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon in the M. E. church, Rev. G. H. Whitney officiating. Interment at Maple Grove cemetery, Sylvan Center.

Carl L. Easton.

Carl L. Easton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin J. Easton, of Lima, passed away Thursday, February 17, 1916, at 12 o'clock.

He was born September 5, 1890, and had spent the greater part of his short life in Lima. In addition to his early schooling he took a two-winter's course at the Michigan Agricultural College and two terms at a business college. Until four years ago he worked on the farm, but he was then suddenly attacked with an incurable disease, against which he made a hard fight. Only those who knew him best can appreciate the pluck with which he faced that stern master, pain.

In November, 1913, he went to the home of his aunt in Oregon, with the hope that a change of climate would restore him to health.

He joined the First Baptist church at Medford, Oregon in 1914, and upon his return home united by letter with the church at Lima Center. He was a member of Olive Lodge, No. 156, F. & A. M., and Olive Chapter, No. 108, O. E. S.

It was his constant endeavor to make himself helpful and to do his work in spite of physical weakness. From his life and memory arises the beautiful fragrance of service in sacrifice of self for others.

He leaves a father, mother and one brother, Roy Easton, and many relatives and friends to mourn his loss.

Funeral services were held Sunday morning at the home at 10:30 o'clock, conducted by Rev. John Kern, pastor of the church at Lima Center.

Interment was at the cemetery at Lima Center, the beautiful burial service of the Masonic order being used.

An Old Ticket.

Manchester Enterprise: In looking over some papers belonging to the late Dr. Conklin of Manchester, they came upon an election ticket that must have been printed during the civil war, or at least 52 years ago as it contains the name of Edward P. Allen and it is well known that he went out under the 28th in 1861. On this ticket were some men who struggled to make Sharon one of the best townships of the state. But we print the whole ticket, feeling that it will be of interest to many readers of The Enterprise.

REPUBLICAN TICKET.

For Supervisor, Cyrus Raymond.
For Township Clerk, Ananias Conklin.
For Justice of the Peace, James C. McGee.
For Township Treasurer, Daniel C. Fenn.
For Commissioner of Highways, James H. Fellows.
For School Inspectors, Edward P. Allen.
Samuel H. Rowe, (to fill vacancy.)
For Constables, Alfred C. Torry, Gilbert O. Allen, Daniel C. Fenn, Melvin D. Raymond.
For Overseer of Poor, William Bowers.
Ruel Ambrose.

MADE NOMINATIONS FOR VILLAGE OFFICERS

People's Party and the Independent Party Held Caucuses Last Week.

The People's Party held its caucus at the town hall last Thursday evening and nominated the following ticket:

President—H. S. Holmes.
Clerk—H. E. Cooper.
Treasurer—J. H. Boyd.
Trustees—J. Nelson Dancer, Adam Eppler, John Frymuth, H. R. Schoenhals.
Assessor—J. W. VanRiper.

The following were appointed the party committee: R. D. Walker, Jacob Hummel and M. A. Shaver.

The Independent Party held their caucus in the town hall Thursday evening and made the following nominations:

President—Conrad Lehman.
Clerk—Warren Daniels.
Treasurer—Otto Hinderer.
Trustees—John F. Maier, Edward Vogt, W. P. Schenk, George Hamp.
Assessor—H. H. Avery.
W. K. Guerin, J. S. Cummings and P. G. Schable were appointed to act as the party committee.

Mrs. Mary Leach.

Died, on Tuesday evening, February 22, 1916, at her home in Sylvan township, Mrs. Mary Goodyear Leach, aged 69 years, five months and three days.

Mary Goodyear was born in Brooklyn, N. Y., September 19, 1846, and was the daughter of Alonzo and Mary Branch Goodyear. She came to Michigan with her parents in 1849, and the family settled in Dexter township.

She was united in marriage with Thomas Leach January 1, 1868, and to this union four children were born, one son and three daughters, of whom two daughters are now living, Mrs. M. E. Moore, of Ontario, California, and Mrs. Fred Artz, of Sylvan. Besides the two daughters, Mrs. Leach is survived by her husband, one sister, Mrs. Sarah Smith, of Scio township, and four grandchildren.

Shortly after their marriage Mr. and Mrs. Leach purchased the farm northwest of Chelsea, where they resided for many years, selling the place about two years ago, and then purchasing the place just across the road from their old home.

Mrs. Leach was a member of Columbus Hill, L. O. T. M. M.

The funeral will be held at 1:30 o'clock Friday afternoon, in the Congregational church, Rev. C. J. Dole officiating. Interment at Oak Grove cemetery.

Princess Theatre.

SATURDAY.

"The Lost Secret," a two-reel drama featuring Paul Gilmore and Edith Reeves. A story dealing with present day conditions in an ammunition factory. This is a tense bit of realism, with its thrills logical and well placed. "Max Hits the High Spots," with Max Linder the universally famous comedian. This comedy in two reels is a masterpiece for real, live, spirited jollification.

The local views taken several months ago which created much comment and amusement when shown here will be again thrown on the screen. Over 150 views in all.

The Ford Weekly completes the program. Two hours of amusement for 10 cents.

MONDAY—FEATURE NIGHT.

World Film Corporation presents Janet Beecher in "Fine Feathers" by Eugene Walter. "The audience was stunned," said a well known critic when "Fine Feathers" played on Broadway. The power of the story—



the coming of temptation to the wife of the young engineer—his acceptance of inferior cement for the construction of the Pecos Dam to satisfy his wife's money demands—the bursting of the dam and the destruction of a city—make a photo drama that is even more gripping than the stage version.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 1.

Third episode of "The Romance of Elaine" entitled "The Vanishing Man."

The Helping Hand Circle of the M. E. church will meet with Mrs. E. B. Hammond next Tuesday afternoon.

School Notes.

The third grade now have a full enrollment for the first time since Christmas.

The eighth grade have completed their work in civics and will take up agriculture.

The kindergarten returned Tuesday afternoon and held a parade in honor of Washington's birthday.

The second graders have succeeded in having a half holiday for February. There were no tardy marks and an average attendance of 95.55.

Superintendent Walling is in Detroit this week attending a meeting of the department of superintendent's at the annual convention of the National Education Association.

Last Friday afternoon a debate was held in the seventh grade on the subject: Resolved, "That Washington did more for his country than Lincoln." The negative won. Judges, Jessie Clark, Marion Schmidt and Clara Holden.

The girls basket ball team of the Chelsea high school expect to play their first outside game Friday evening, February 25th, at Saline. The team has won every game so far this year and they are going to do their best to come out ahead this time. The boys' team will go to Ann Arbor the same evening to play the return game there.

The Chelsea high school played two fine games of basket ball with St. Mary's school last Thursday night. The curtain raiser was a matched game between the girls in which the high school team played their opponents to a standstill, winning easily by the score of 26 to 2. Clara Holden, at forward, starred for the visitors, scoring a total of 18 points, and the whole team displayed ability and speed which is sure to bring home the winning count.

The boys' game was called at 8:30. The first half was a lively scrap, first one team leading and then the other, ending with the Chelsea high tossers in the lead by the score of 9 to 14. The same margin was maintained during the next quarter, with the count 16 to 21 and St. Mary's coming stronger every minute. Both teams were now playing a fast game, and all the scoring came by long field shots from the middle of the floor. The final period started off with a zip. Eisenman, the St. Mary's center, chucked a trio of baskets in rapid succession, but the high school was not to be denied, and the final whistle found them still in the lead by the close score of 26 to 27.

One very interesting feature of the game was the pretty duel between the opposing centers. Freeman, a bulwark of strength for the high school, was able to run up a total of 17 points, while Eisenman grabbed off an even dozen counters for St. Mary's. The right forwards also starred, Eder scoring 14 points for St. Mary's and Wagner 10 for the high school. The line up was as follows:

ST. MARY'S	CHELSEA
Nordman	L. F. Kalmbach
Cap. Eder	R. F. Wagner
Eisenman	C. Cap. Freeman
Steele	L. G. Hirth
Raftrey	R. G. Schatz

Final score—St. Mary's 26, Chelsea high school 27.

Baskets from the field—Freeman 6, Eisenman, Wagner 5, Eder 3. Baskets from fouls—Eder 8 in 9, Eisenman 2 in 4, Freeman 5 in 12. Time of quarters, 10 minutes. Referee—Ottmar.

Circuit Court Jurors.

Thirty petit jurors were drawn last week in the county clerk's office who will be summoned to serve at the March term of the circuit court. The jury will report on March 7. The jurors were drawn by Geo. W. Beckwith, county clerk, Deputy Sheriff Lester Canfield and Justices John D. Thomas and W. G. Doty. The names and residences of the jurors follow:

Ann Arbor city—First ward, Gottlob Wild; second ward, E. K. Frueauff; third ward, Carl Eastling; fourth ward, G. F. Stark; fifth ward, George Hubbard; sixth ward, W. F. Bird; seventh ward, George E. Ferguson.
Ann Arbor town—Avery Downer.
Augusta—James Scarfoss.
Bridgewater—Lowell Peters.
Dexter—Daniel Parsons.
Freedom—Fred J. Lutz.
Lima—Henry Luick.
Lodi—Fred Kalmbach and Ernest Mayer.
Lyndon—Herbert Young.
Manchester—W. A. Kuesle.
Northfield—Edward Tanner.
Pittsfield—Gus Schenk.
Salem—Joseph King.
Saline—Clark Carter.
Scio—Thomas Snay.
Sharon—John Klose.
Superior—Thomas Geer.
Sylvan—James Guthrie.
Webster—William Steptoe.
York—J. Martin Schanz.
Ypsilanti city—First district, H. Gilmore; second district, Henry Stoup.
Ypsilanti town—Charles Seamons.

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Extra Fancy Pineapple, can.....19c
3 Pounds Good Prunes.....25c
Good Roasted Coffee, pound.....20c
Best Crackers, 3 1/2 pounds for.....25c
2 Cans Spinach, very fine, for.....25c
4 Packages Corn Flakes for.....25c
3 Cans Good Corn.....25c
3 Cans Peas for.....25c
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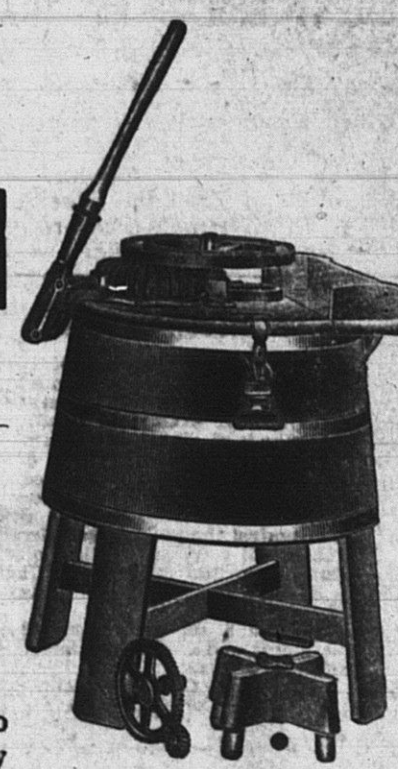
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RATE BOOST HELPED DO IT

The Cry for Increase of Rates in the Face of the Showing Made Has a Peculiar Sound.

Lansing—Michigan's steam railroads broke all records for operating revenues during the last three months of the year 1915, according to their official reports, on file with the state railroad commission. The increases shown by the roads, both individually and collectively startled the state officials.

With 13 roads yet to hear from, including, however, but two large ones—the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul and the Northwestern—the total operating revenues for the quarter amount to \$21,280,519. The years 1913 and 1914 were the biggest of preceding years, but the totals for them, counting in all of the roads, fall short of the records for 1915. In 1913 all the roads had operating revenues of \$18,344,632 while in 1914 the totals were \$17,054,979.

Comparing the totals for the last quarter with the corresponding quarter of the year before, the roads which have already sent in their reports, show an increase of \$4,225,539. The statisticians figure that when the revenue will run close to \$23,000,000, an increase over 1913, the biggest previous year of about \$5,000,000.

While the increases given the railroads in freight rates in December of 1914 are said to be responsible for some of the gain in revenue, it is generally considered that the huge increases shown indicate merely a wonderful volume of business. The quarter includes the crop movements and the big shipments from the copper country and from the automobile industrial sections in the eastern part of the state.

The Michigan Central road shows the largest individual increase, having a gain of \$1,759,585 over its 1914 record. Of this increase \$1,213,823 was in freight revenue, and \$200,667 was in passenger receipts.

STUDENT KILLED BY TRAIN

Was Walking on Track With Two Other Students When Struck.

Ann Arbor—Elbert S. Bryant, of Saginaw, freshman literary student at the University of Michigan, was killed and his classmate, Howard Lumsden, of Verdun, Ill., was badly injured when they were struck by eastbound Michigan Central passenger train No. 2, as it unexpectedly swept around a curve at Foster's crossing.

The two boys, with Emory T. Jones, of Diverson, Ill., a third student, who was uninjured, were walking along the tracks. At Foster's crossing they heard the whistle of a train and saw a freight train approaching on the westbound track. They all stepped over to the eastbound track to let it pass just as the eastbound passenger train rounded the curve. Lumsden jumped between the tracks, but the passenger train struck Bryant squarely.

FARMER FALLS ON BUZZ SAW

Was Sawing Wood and Slipped; Saw Sliced Him in Two.

Alma—Charles Davidson, a young farmer living near here, was almost instantly killed when he fell on a buzz saw and was sliced in two. Davidson was sawing wood on a farm near here. Attempting to straighten a slab as it went to the saw he slipped and fell diagonally across the blade. His head and shoulders fell on one side and the rest of his trunk on the other.

MICHIGAN NEWS ITEMS

The nameboard of the schooner "Bridget," which was lost with all hands off St. Joseph, Lake Michigan, in 1835, has been presented to Lodge No. 8, Shipmasters' association, of Marine City, by William W. Smith, of Marine City. The nameboard, which is hand carved and elaborately designed, was picked up on the beach near St. Joseph in 1836 by a man named Porter, who gave it to Capt. R. N. McNiff, who in turn presented it to Mr. Smith a year later.

Michigan produced 77 per cent of all automobiles manufactured in the United States in 1914, according to figures made public by the census bureau of the department of commerce. In value, Michigan cars made up 65 per cent of the total.

Fire in the belfry, catching, it is supposed from a defective chimney flue, burned the whole interior of the eight-room brick graded school building in Northville. The insurance is \$6,000. Classes are being held in churches, the public library and similar places.

MICHIGAN NEWS BRIEFS

Holstein breeders of Shiawassee are planning to acquire more registered stock.

Jas. McDonald, 40, serving a burglary sentence from Flint, died in the state prison, Friday.

Henry Barkman, a Jonesville farmer, despondent over ill health, took his life by hanging Sunday.

Robert Wilson and his son, Earl, are under arrest, charged with bootlegging, at their home near Union City.

The state pardon board has paroled 29 prisoners, leaving 639 in the penitentiary, which is still overcrowded.

Four men convicted of the burglary of a store at Webberville some weeks ago, have been sentenced to from three to 15 years.

Dearborn voted Thursday to issue \$33,000 in bonds for the construction of a new high school, on the large site of the present school building.

Maj. John V. Frazier, of Port Huron, becomes senior surgeon of the state militia through the recent death of Maj. Ralph C. Apted, of Grand Rapids.

William J. Fairbairn, city manager of Big Rapids, has filed a voluntary petition in bankruptcy, which schedules his liabilities at \$2,562 and his assets at \$10.

W. H. Acker will pay the third 25 per cent dividend, through his trustee, Edward Kihlen, for the Richmond bank, February 28. About \$62,000 will be turned over.

While loading a wagon with grain, John Tuft, 28 years old of Monroe dropped dead. He was a Spanish war veteran and is survived by his widow and two children.

Boy Scout training enabled Stuart Fletcher and Howard Matzdorf, of Cadillac, to rescue Victor Sjorgren when he fell through the ice. All the boys are less than 15 years old.

After being in session at Ionia three days the state pardon board has adjourned. Twenty-nine prisoners were paroled. The prison is crowded to the corridors. The prison count is 639.

John Reing, 93 years old, oldest member of Star Oddfellow lodge, Saginaw, and said to be the oldest Oddfellow in Michigan, was honored at festivities at the local lodge hall.

After being twice married to the same man, Mrs. Lulu E. Glaspie, of Pontiac, has commenced proceedings for a divorce from Horace Glaspie, who is said to be in Great Falls, Mont.

Aldrich Bosker, of Kalamazoo convicted of discharging a member of the Michigan National Guard from his employ because he attended camp at Grayling, will appeal to the supreme court.

Daniel E. McClure, 62, for the last four years assistant secretary of the state board of health, died at his home in Lansing, following an illness of several months. Death was due to a complication of diseases.

A college romance was shattered when Florence Keefe, well known in Marshall, commenced suit for divorce from Howard Keefe. Keefe met his wife when she was a freshman and he a sophomore in Albion college.

Congressman Samuel W. Beakes of Ann Arbor, has appointed Alfred Mitchell of Monroe, Mich., to the additional cadetship at the United States Naval Academy allowed him under the new law which went into effect last week.

Mayor Betz's reply to quo warranto proceedings of Charles Hoyt, defeated candidate for mayor of Monroe, is that Hoyt cannot hold the office, because he is the local agent of the Lake Shore railroad, which draws money from the city treasurer for services.

Charles Pomeroy, 45, suffered the loss of an ear and a fractured arm and leg when he was drawn into the water of Muskegon lake Sunday by the gears of an ice hauling machine. He was under the water ten minutes, but the use of a pulmotor gives him an even chance to recover.

When an overheated furnace set fire to the home of John Vanderveelde, of Grand Rapids, three of his children and his mother, Mrs. Cornelius Vanderveelde, had a narrow escape. They were asleep upstairs when Mr. and Mrs. Vanderveelde discovered the fire and carried the aged woman and children through the smoke and flames to safety.

W. H. Brace, of Buffalo, president of the National Association of Dyers and Cleaners, told members of the Michigan State association of Cleaners and Dyers in convention at Detroit that information has been obtained which leads officials of the national association to conclude that oil interests are holding crude oil in storage to create higher gasoline prices.

Flowers will be part of this year's J hop, February 25, at which planned to save \$1,000 for 200 couples, was voted down. This year's hop will be much more elaborate than the "cotton ball" of 1915.

More than 96,000 pounds of fish are caught at St. Joseph annually, according to a report of the game warden's department. Five hundred miles of nets are stretched each season, and the 1915 catch was valued at \$50,000, with \$36,000 invested, and more than 100 men employed.

FRENCH BRING DOWN ZEPPELIN

RUSSIA'S FORCES PRACTICALLY CONTROL ENTIRE LAKE VAN REGION.

DRIVING TURKS SOUTHWARD

Berlin Declares British Hand Grenade Attack Repulsed—Also Attack Along Lens-Arras Road.

Paris—A Zeppelin airship was brought down by French guns in the vicinity of Brabant-le-Roi, in the Meuse district, according to an official announcement. The Zeppelin was flying from St. Menehould toward the south and was attacked by guns from Reims. Hit by an incendiary shell, the Zeppelin fell in flames in the vicinity of Brabant-le-Roi.

London—Russia's forces in Turkish Armenia are still driving the Turks toward the south, according to reports from Petrograd, and are now in possession of the entire Lake Van region. One unofficial report says the Turks have evacuated the important town of Beldis, southwest of Lake Van. Beldis is on the direct line of a force pushing from Lake Van toward Diyarbakir, about 100 miles away, 50 miles beyond which city runs the Bagdad railway, possession of which by the Russians would cut Turkish communications with Syria and render hazardous the position of the Turkish forces facing the British down the Tigris in Mesopotamia.

On the western fighting front the British are struggling with the Germans for small trench sections and the edges of mine craters in the sector from Arras north to the Yser canal in Belgium.

Berlin declares that a British hand grenade attack on the position on the canal recently taken by the Germans was repulsed as was also an attack along the Lens-Arras road. The official statement likewise records a backward push for the British south of Loos, where they had advanced to edge of a German mine crater.

LAKE SHIPYARDS ARE BUSY

Building Ships for Ocean as Well as Lake Service.

Washington—Great lakes shipyards are doing a land office business building ships for coastwise and foreign service, according to the report of the department of commerce.

The report shows merchant ships of 901,000 tons building at all United States yards and 142,000 tons are on the great lakes. The great lakes construction jumped from 39,000 in 1914. The Great Lakes Engineering Works, of Detroit, is building eight coastwise vessels of 2,500 tons each, all of which are for foreign owners. The total tonnage under construction by the Great Lakes company is 42,530. The American Shipbuilding Co., with yards at Detroit and Wyandotte, has ships of 63,000 tons under construction. A number of these are ocean-going freighters for Scandinavian companies.

DISCOVERS HUMAN BONES

Two Poles Are Being Held; Murder Took Place Last October.

Benton Harbor—Discovery of a bucketful of human bones in the cellar of the old Record farm home, and the signed confessions of Toefell Zdrovski and Alek Mitelsky that Tony Grinewitski, aged Pole, whose body was unearthed Saturday, had been murdered there last October, have convinced Berrien county authorities that the Rector place will prove to be a second "Gunness murder farm." Boys found the bones and doctors said they were those of a human skeleton.

ITEMS OF STATE INTEREST

Editor C. S. Langdon, of the M. A. C. Record, was instructed by the state board of agriculture to discontinue the use of reformed spelling in his publication.

Primary elections and caucuses in the Wayne county townships will be held nearly two weeks earlier than usual this year. This will be done to comply with the new absent voters' law, which fixes March 14 as the final date. It is customary in many townships to name the party tickets only a week before the annual election in April.

Found guilty for the second time of violating the local option law, Frank Wilson has been sentenced to two years in the Ionia reformatory.

Fred Kophaeman, of Reed City, rescued his wife and two children when their home burned at midnight with the mercury below zero. Although badly burned, Kophaeman made three trips into the burning house, each time carrying out a member of his family. Each time his clothing caught fire and he extinguished it by rolling in a snow-bank.

U. S. AMBASSADOR INJURED BY FALL



JAMES W. GERARD.

Berlin—American Ambassador Gerard's collarbone was broken in an accident. The ambassador was injured while skiing near Munich, and returned to Berlin at once. In addition to the broken bone his left leg was injured, though not seriously. He was taken to a hospital immediately upon his arrival and an X-ray examination made.

THE ARMY BILL AS OUTLINED

Gives Us a Total Peace Strength of 575,000 Men.

Washington—National preparedness legislation took a long step forward in congress, when the house military committee reached a practical agreement on the outline of the army bill it will unanimously present for passage.

Complete federalization of the National Guard will be substituted for the proposed continentals. The measure will grant virtually the entire program mapped out by former Secretary Garrison for the regular army and go even farther than he recommended in providing for reserve military supplies. A total peace strength of 575,000 men in the standing army and the guard combined will be provided for, with reserve systems to more than double the force in war.

The expense for the whole establishment this year is roughly estimated at \$174,000,000. The first year of the Garrison plan would have called for a total expenditure of \$181,000,000. The bill will authorize the increase of the regular army to a total peace strength of 147,000 by adding 10 regiments of infantry, four regiments of field artillery, 52 companies of coast artillery, 15 companies of engineers and four aero squadrons. This is the exact regular army program mapped out by former Secretary Garrison.

Under the tentative bill, the regular army would have an organization capable of being expanded to 275,000 men in war time, and a reserve provision will be included designed to produce annually 75,000 reservists, obligated to return to the colors under call. It will provide also for doubling the cadet corps at West Point and creation of 30 cadet companies to be attached to regular regiments to be trained for entry into an officers' reserve corps.

ITEMS OF INTEREST

Belleville—Emil Koehler, Jr., an American and former resident of this city, is under arrest in Toronto, suspected of being a German spy.

London—Anxiety verging on alarm is being caused in government circles by the situation in Ireland. Not only is Ireland apathetic toward the war, but evidences of a seditious anti-government campaign have been unearthed.

London—On the receipt of the news of the capture of Erzerum by the Russians, King George dispatched the following message to Emperor Nicholas: "My heartfelt congratulations upon the splendid achievement of your gallant troops in capturing Erzerum after such hard fighting, which I trust will have far-reaching effects."

A report received from Minneapolis states that William Hollis, former Port Huron resident and for years a Ford Trunk engineer, had been sentenced to the workhouse in that city as a vagrant. Hollis informed the court that for 15 years he had tramped the country, seeking his wife, who left him in Port Huron in 1901.

Washington—The proposal to amend the income tax law so as to include smaller incomes is virtually certain to be abandoned in favor of an increased rate on those already taxed it was declared by democrat house leader.

London—Financial circles are keenly interested in Premier Asquith's coming demand for a new appropriation of \$20,000,000 pounds (\$32,000,000) for war purposes, bringing the total British war expenditure up to \$2,082,000,000 pounds (\$3,140,000,000).

BROKEN AIR-HOSE COSTS NINE LIVES

REAR-END COLLISION LAID TO DISREGARD OF CAUTIONARY SIGNAL.

FIFTY PERSONS WERE HURT

Local Train Was Running Forty Miles An Hour When the Accident Happened.

Milford, Conn.—Disregard of a cautionary signal was probably responsible for the rear-end collision on the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad in which nine persons lost their lives and fully 50 were injured, according to Charles C. Elwell, of the Connecticut "public utilities commission."

The state's investigation already is under way, but inasmuch as four railroad employees, the most important witnesses, were killed, it will be difficult to fix responsibility.

Two passengers, a man and a woman, were killed instantly when a local train running at 40 miles an hour crashed into the rear of the Greenfield express, which had been stalled because of a broken air-hose. Two other passengers died in hospitals.

The official theory of the accident is that the engineer of the local disregarded or failed to see the cautionary signal, and could not make his brakes hold when he came in sight of the danger signal.

One of the heroes of the wreck was George L. Tourtellette, flagman, sent back from the stalled train, who stood in the path of the approaching local, frantically waving his red flag until escape was impossible and he was killed under the engine wheels.

EMPLOY MILLION MEN IN NAVY

Navy Has 320,000 Officers and Men to 146,000 When War Broke Out.

London—The magnitude of the work going on in the navy is shown in a letter from the admiral to Sir Gilbert Parker, answering his inquiry in the house of commons on the number of people engaged in all branches of the navy and of naval work. The letter states that the navy proper had 146,000 officers and men when the war broke out, which number has increased to 320,000, with the authority granted for a further increase to 350,000 officers and men, besides 67,000 naval reserves. There are also 85,000 men engaged in work at royal dockyards and other naval establishments and several times that number on admiralty work under contract and sub-contract. An aggregate of more than 1,000,000 persons engaged in various branches of naval work is shown.

MAY COME TO GOV. FERRIS

Hearing on Requisition for Officials of Eastland Likely.

Lansing—Hearings in connection with the charges against the officials of the company operating the steamer Eastland which toppled over in Chicago harbor last July and more than 800 lives were lost, may be staged in Lansing.

Announcement made in Chicago that Illinois will insist on extraditing the Michigan defendants, President Geo. T. Arnold of Mackinac Island; Vice President William H. Hull of Benton Harbor, and General Manager R. W. Davis of Benton Harbor, is taken to mean that hearings before Gov. Ferris will be demanded.

At the time the indictments were returned Gov. Ferris said the requisitions should be honored and if the attorney-general approved the legality of the papers he would honor the requisitions.

TELEGRAPHIC FLASHES

San Francisco.—The Japanese cruisers Chitose and Tokiwa on board of which is said to be \$51,460,000 in gold specie for purchase of war supplies for Russia, have arrived at Victoria, B. C.

London—Even if England should end the war with a debt of 5,000,000,000 pounds (approximately \$25,000,000,000) the burden would not be crushing to Lord Inchcape, the English financier and statesman.

Berlin—The present is the era for discussion of the possibility of closer economic relations with Austria-Hungary after the war which in the extremist form takes the shape of a proposal for a customs union with the two empires.

Rome—In raids over the province of Brescia and toward Milan Austrian aeroplane killed four and wounded five.

New York.—The fact that Jean Cronas, the anarchist chief, who is accused of poisoning the soup at a dinner given by Roman Catholic clergy to Archbishop Mundelein in Chicago, is supposed to be in this city caused the police to take extraordinary precautions to safeguard guests attending a ball given by the Knights of Columbus.

MARKET QUOTATIONS

Live Stock.

DETROIT—Cattle: Receipts, 2,587. Best heavy steers, \$7.50@7.75; best heavy weight butcher steers, \$6.75@7; mixed steers and heifers, \$6.25@6.50; handy light butchers, \$5.50@5.75; light butchers, \$5@5.50; best cows, \$5.50@6; butcher cows, \$4.25@5.25; common cows, \$4.25@4.75; canners, \$3@4; best heavy bulls, \$5.75@6; bologna bulls, \$5.25@5.50; stock bulls, \$4.75@5; feeders, \$5@7; stockers, \$5@6.50; milkers and springers, \$4@8.

Calves—Receipts, 1,000. Prime grades, \$12 per hundred; good grades, \$10.50@11.50; common and heavy, \$7@9.50.

Sheep and Lamb—Receipts, 3,932. Best lambs, \$11; fair lambs, \$10@10.50; light to common lambs, \$8.50@9.75; yearlings, \$9.75@10; fair to good sheep, \$6@7.50; culls and common, \$5@5.75.

Hogs—Receipts, 10,486. Pigs, \$7.50@7.65; mixed grades, \$8.15@8.25.

EAST BUFFALO—Receipts of cattle, 150 cars; market slow and 10@15c lower; prime native steers, \$8.25@8.60; fair to good, \$7.75@8; plain to coarse, \$7.25@7.50; Canadian steers, 1,400 to 1,450 lbs, \$7.75@8; Canadian steers, 1,300 to 1,350 lbs, \$7.25@7.50; Canadian light butcher steers, \$7@7.25; yearlings, dry-fed, \$8.50@8.65; best heavy steers, \$7.25@7.50; good butcher heifers and steers, mixed, \$6.75@7; prime fat heifers, \$7@7.25; light common heifers, \$5@5.50; best fat cows, \$6.25@6.75; butcher cows \$4.50@5; cutters, \$2.75@4.25; canners, \$3.25@3.75; fancy bulls, \$6.50@7; butcher bulls, \$6.25@6.50; sausage bulls, \$5.25@5.75; light bulls, \$4.75@5; stockers, \$4.50@6.50; feeders, \$6.50@7; milkers and springers, \$6@8.50.

Hogs—Receipts, 100 cars; market 5@10c lower; heavy and yorkers, \$8.50@8.65; pigs, \$7.50@8.

Sheep—Receipts, 50 cars; market strong; top lambs, \$11.50@11.66; yearlings, \$10@10.25; wethers, \$1.50@1.9; ewes, \$8@8.50.

Calves—Receipts, 900; market steady; tops, \$12; fair to good, \$10@11; grassers, \$4@5.

Grains, Etc.

DETROIT—Wheat: Cash No 2 red, \$1.32; May opened with a gain of 1-2c at \$1.36 1-2, touched \$1.37 and declined to \$1.35 1-2; July opened at \$1.28, advanced to \$1.28 1-2 and declined to \$1.27; No 1 white, \$1.27.

Corn—Cash No. 3, 74c; No 3 yellow, 76c asked; No 4 yellow, 73@74c; No 5 yellow, 69@70c; No 6 yellow, 65@66c.

Oats—Standard, 51c; No 3 white, 50c; No 4 white, 48@48 1-2c.

Rye—Cash No 2, \$1.01.

Beans—Immediate, prompt and February shipment, \$3.62; March, \$3.65; Cloverseed—Prime spot, \$13.25; March, \$12.60; prime alsike, \$10.25.

Timothy—Prime spot, \$3.80.

Hay—No 1 timothy, \$18@18.50; standard timothy, \$17@17.50; light mixed, \$17@17.50; No 2 timothy, \$14.50@15.50; No 1 mixed, \$14@15; No 2 mixed, \$10@13; No 1 clover, \$10@13; rye straw, \$7.50@8; wheat and oat straw, \$5.50@7 per ton in car lots, Detroit.

Flour—In one-eight paper sacks, per 196 lbs, jobbing lots: First patent, \$7; second patent, \$6.70; straight, \$6.50; spring patent, \$7; rye flour, \$6 per bbl.

Feed—In 100-lb sacks, jobbing lots: Bran, \$25; standard middlings, \$25; fine middlings, \$30; coarse cornmeal, \$31; cracked corn, \$33; corn and oat chop, \$29 per ton.

General Markets.

Rabbits—\$2.50 per doz.

Mushrooms—40@45c per lb.

Celery—Shipped in, 25@30c per doz.

Dressed Hogs—Light, 10 1-2@11c; heavy, 9 1-2@10c per lb.

Maple Sugar—New, 15@16c per lb; syrup, \$1@1.10 per gal.

Dressed Calves—Best, 14@14 1-2c; ordinary, 13 1-2c per lb.

Sweet Potatoes—Jersey, kiln-dried, \$1.35@1.40 per crate and \$1.25 per hamper.

Lettuce—Hothouse, 13@14c per lb; head lettuce, Florida, \$2.50@2.75 per hamper.

Onions—No 1 yellow, \$2.65@2.75; No 2, \$1@1.50 per 100-lb sacks; Spanish, \$1.75 per box.

Honey—Choice to fancy, new white comb, 16@17c; amber, 10@11c; extracted, 9@10c per lb.

Dressed Poultry—Turkeys, 24@25c; geese, 17@18c; ducks, 19@20c; spring chickens, 18@19c; hens, 17@18c per lb.

Apples—Greens, \$2.50@3.50; Spy, \$3.50@4; Baldwins, \$3@3.50; Steele Reds, \$4@4.50 per bbl; western, \$1.75@2 per box.

Potatoes—Carlots on track, \$1@1.05 for white and \$1@1.05 for red per bu; russets, \$1.10 per bu.

Nuts—Spanish chestnuts, 10c per lb; shellbark hickory, \$1.50; large hickory, \$1.25 per bu; black walnuts, \$1.25 per bu.

THE KITCHEN CABINET

Why in the world do you want to carry things that annoy and harass and hurry? Stop them and drop them, a new day is here. Squeeze a laugh from it instead of a tear.

—Kaufman.

MEXICAN DISHES.

Some of these tasty dishes will appeal to the taste of the average diner.

Pepper Soup.—Take eight large chili peppers, remove the seeds and veins and put pulp through a colander, after cooking until tender. To this add a cupful of boiled rice, mashed smooth. Season highly with tabasco and salt. Beat one egg with a half cupful of cream and add it to a quart of milk, heated hot. Combine mixtures and let boil up once; pour over toasted squares of bread and serve immediately.

Tomato and Cheese Salad.—Take large, ripe tomatoes, peel and cut in half, lay on a bed of heart

NEWS and GOSSIP of WASHINGTON

Museum Exhibit Shows How Felt Hats Are Made

WASHINGTON.—All of us wear hats, and many of us what are known as felt hats, but how many know that they are made of fur or the difference between a soft felt and a stiff one? One of the latest exhibits in the division of textiles of the National museum shows clearly just how such hats are made—from the fur to the finished product—and includes many of the latest and most popular styles ready to wear, as well as special shapes manufactured for particular foreign markets. The exhibit is accompanied with photographs illustrating scenes in the factory of one of the largest and best-known American hat manufacturers. These enable the observer to connect the materials, apparatus and finished products shown, into a tangible story. In the manufacture of one of the most popular brands of American hats the fur of North American beaver, South American nutria, Saxony hare, and English and Scotch cone are used. When the pelts of these animals are received at the factory they are first washed with whale-oil soap, after which the long, coarse hairs are removed, since they would tend to make the felt too rough. The skins are then treated with nitrate of mercury, a process called "carroting," which gives the fur its "felting properties," making it knot together when hot water and pressure are applied. The skins are then brushed by a machine which removes all the dust and other foreign substances. Having been brushed the skin next goes to a cutting machine, where revolving shears strip away the fur, cutting it so close that it appears to have been shaved off.

When the fur has been properly seasoned, it is mixed in certain proportions to produce the desired texture and color. A certain amount of fur is then weighed out, according to the weight of the hat to be made, and blown upon a copper cone perforated with many thousand tiny holes, so that it looks like a sieve. The cone is about three feet in height, and as wide at the base. An exhaust fan operates inside and below the cone. The air passes through the openings, but the fine particles of fur stick and cover the whole surface. The cone holding the film of fur is inclosed in a snugly fitting jacket and lowered into a vat of boiling water. This develops the properties of the fur, the particles of which mat and lock together, forming a thin, delicate film of wet fur to be lifted from the cone. The cone of fur is a very delicate embryo hat, except as to size; in that it might be the hat for a giant. A bundle of about twelve of these "mats" is rolled in a wet condition until the fibers knit together slightly, giving the hats hardness and strength. Then they are put into a sizzling bath where they are shrunk in hot water, beaten, and manipulated until between ten and fourteen inches in diameter. Each hat is then pulled and packed with the aid of hot water until it takes the regular hat crown and brim.

The museum exhibit includes five cases, one containing the different raw and prepared materials, one the hats in the process of manufacture, one each the leather and silk trimmings, and the last containing many styles of finished hats for our own and for export trade.

Amusing Incident at a White House Reception

JOHN OLIVER LA GORCE, one of the editors of the National Geographic Magazine, is a most imposing-looking individual. At a recent White House reception he was one of a small party, including one Val Ridsdale, whose real name is Percival, and two ladies. It was a crowded reception and John Oliver panted for space to spread himself.

Over on the right was the little blue room with only a few persons in it, and John Oliver, little dreaming that it was a place to segregate a select few for special reasons, began moving toward the door accompanied by one of the ladies.

He was a grand sight! At the door of the blue room an army officer in great coils of dress uniform placed his arm across the open door and asked with frigid air:

"Have you entered here?" And then John Oliver La Gorce seemed to be translated to a great height, and looking down upon that young lieutenant he replied with scorn that he had not. He drew back a trifle, and with the tone of voice one would expect a Roman emperor to use when an Apollon way traffic cop stopped his chariot, said: "Certainly."

The army officer's arm dropped as if a lightning bolt had withered it, and he mumbled something. The La Gorce procession swept in.

And then came along Mr. Ridsdale, who saw his buddy John Oliver booming onward into the quiet of the blue room. He, too, approached the army officer, who had recovered his stony countenance in time to ask as in: "Have you entered here?"

Ridsdale paused a moment and then made a gesture toward John Oliver. "I am one of his excellency's suite," he said.

And again the lieutenant withered and the arm came down.

Briton Finds Washington Most Beautiful City

DO YOU know that I believe Washington is the most beautiful city in the world, and a recent English visitor, evidently very much surprised at having to make the admission, came to a dead stop at the intersection of Massachusetts avenue and Sixteenth street. Behind him and in front of the five-mile stretch of linden trees lining this avenue made a seemingly endless pleached walk for as far as the eye could reach in both directions; the White House completed the lovely vista on the south, and at that twilight hour North Sixteenth street presented its best aspect of green and gracious affluence.

"It is very extraordinary," murmured the Briton, as though loth to concede this superiority in municipal beauty to an American city.

It not already so, Washington is rapidly becoming the fairest city in the world, and its well-laid design sets it easily in line for the premier position it will soon hold without question. The landscape gardening of a city has now come to be regarded as one of the most potent factors in its beautification.

To the late George Hay Brown, for fifty years landscape gardener of Washington, is largely due the splendid showing of trees which makes the city without question the best shaded in the world.

After Mr. Brown's death, five years ago, a civil service examination was held for the post of landscape architect. There were over seventy applicants examined. George Burnap, then professor of landscape design in Cornell university, won the position. He is an enthusiast in his profession and talks of the possibility of Washington's becoming the city beautiful of the world as a matter to be looked forward to with certainty.

"It is a more promising field for landscape architecture than any other city," he said. "Thanks to its early designers, its skeleton lines are right."

"Our main trouble is lack of means. The lack of a practical realization by those who govern expenditures that landscape gardening on a scale commensurate with the growth and importance of the capital of the United States, requires adequate financial support is a serious handicap to those who wish Washington to make rapid advancement as a modern and model city. We are, however, working slowly along the best line in landscape architecture and have accomplished some things that are gratifying."

GATHERED SMILES

LONG MEMORY.

"It's a waste of time to argue with a woman," said Mr. Twobble, fretfully.

"Perhaps so," replied Mr. Scadson. "You talk as if you had just had an experience of that kind."

"Yes, Mrs. Twobble and I started an argument over the telephone this morning, but I cut it short by ringing off. If I go home it will start again."

"Then, why go home?" "Oh, I can't stay away forever, you know, and even if I absented myself for six months, the moment I returned Mrs. Twobble would take the matter up just where we left off."

Wow!

Mrs. A.—So you told the delicatessen man that the worst he sent you was the worst worst you ever had. And what did he say?

Mrs. B.—He said he had no better worst just then, but was making some worst which wouldn't be any worse and ought to be better. After which he assured me that his worst was better worst than the best worst of his competitors.

A Conflict.

"What brought you here, my poor fellow?" a missionary asked a convict. "I married a new woman, sir," the prisoner groaned.

"Aha!" said the missionary, "and she was so domineering and extravagant that it drove you to desperate courses, eh?"

"No," replied the prisoner; "but the old woman turned up."—London Tit-Bits.

HAWI HAW!



First Briton—I say, it's deuced odd this being in society.

Second Briton—How so, old chap? First Briton—Why, to keep in it you must be continually going out, don't you know.

Paradoxical.

Quick speech itself to trouble links. Because so often you will find The man who says just what he thinks Is rather thoughtlessly inclined.

Her Idea of It.

"Now, Miss Fanny," said the Sunday school teacher to a sixteen-year-old pupil, "what are we to infer from the parable of the five wise and five foolish virgins?"

"That we should always be on the lookout for the approach of the bridegroom," answered Miss Fanny.

Very True.

She—They say the social whirl is very giddy. He—I guess that is why so many members of it are light-headed.

Weakest Link.

"Pop?" "Well, son?" "What is meant by the weakest link?"

"The weakest link I know, my son, is the hyphen used to denote nationality."—Youngstown Telegram.

Not a High Brow.

Bacon—It is said the giraffe is the only animal in nature that is entirely dumb, not being able to express itself by any sound whatever.

Egbert—It's just as well, for if it could speak it would talk over everybody's head.

He Was Wise.

Landlord—You see, this is a comfortable flat. De Flats—Yes, I know—Turkish bath in summer and refrigerator in winter.

Household Complaints.

The Sofa—The mistress sat on me today. The Carpet—Well, she simply floored me.

Child's New Weapon.

"Engaged to four girls at once!" exclaimed the horrified uncle. "How do you explain such shameless conduct?"

"I don't know," said the graceless nephew. "I guess Cupid must have shot me with a machine gun."—Ladies Home Journal.

Having a Good Time.

Chas.—We shall have to economize after we are married. Caro.—Then why not stay engaged for a few years longer?

THE FOOL.



"What is the most curiousest thing about a fool?"

"De way he'll holler and git mad if you don't let him show off his misfortune."

Wise and Otherwise.

The wise man his umbrella takes. When he starts out for a room; But others who take chances off Bring some other fellow's home.

"Speed."

Two small children were getting ready for bed and their mother was telling them that Santa Claus went from town to town, looking in windows for good little girls and boys.

Russell, age five, went to the window and pulled back the curtains. "Yes, I know he has been around tonight," he said, "for I can see the dust from his reindeers."

It was snowing.

Looking Ahead.

"That's a swaggar car of yours." "Thanks." "What model?"

"1920." "Aren't you rather previous?"

"Well, I'll tell you something confidentially. I had the date moved up, as I'll hardly be able to buy another car before 1920."

Novelty.

"Anything new in the show?" asked the local manager.

"Yes," answered the visiting agent. "The biggest supply of new songs, new faces, new jokes ever shown in captivity. Just to show you the trouble we've taken with this show, we've been collecting all that material for the last ten years."

New York Critic's Way.

"I want you to see my new play," said the author to the New York critic. "It has been spoken of very highly by people who have seen it. I want your expert judgment."

"All right," growled the N. Y. critic. "I'll drop in on it some night, but I warn you in advance that I'm not going to like it."

Won't Stay Down.

"Experience is a hard teacher," remarked the philosopher. "Quite true, but an optimist of my acquaintance has the matter well in hand, I think."

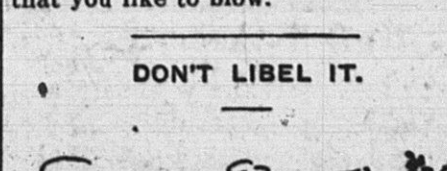
"How so?" "The harder he gets bumped, the higher he rebounds."

A Bragger.

He—Yes; your father and I almost came to blows.

She—He says your chief failing is that you like to blow.

DON'T LIBEL IT.



"Say, Hiram, this terbacker is all day."

"Not all. The paper it's wrapped in ain't hay."

A Hard One.

"Mike," said Plodding Pete, "what would you do if you had a million dollars?"

"I dunno," replied Meandering Mike. "I don't see why you should ask me any question like dat. Da fellers dats got de million can't answer it."

Anglo-Mania.

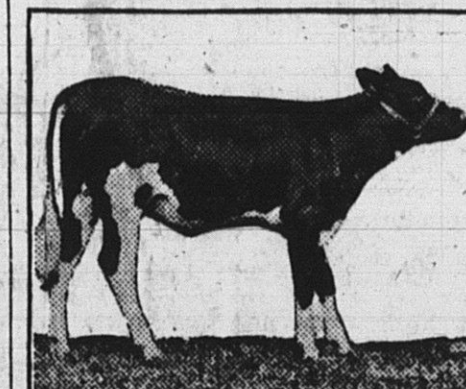
Jinks—They say that Cholly has gotten to be fearfully English. Blinks—Yes; he even refuses to eat Irish potatoes now.

DAIRY

MILKING THREE TIMES DAILY

Custom Among More Advanced Dairymen of Denmark—Practice Prevents Congestion of Udder.

What are our dairy cows for? Do we keep them as lawn ornaments, or as a source of milk supply? Shall the dairymen drive his cows from door to door, as dairy cows and goats are driven in some countries, milking as much and as often as his patronage demands as long as his supply holds out, or shall he use more improved methods? Shall he milk once a day, as was the practice some hundreds of years ago, and is yet the custom in some places, or shall he milk three times, as is the custom among the more advanced dairymen in Denmark? Shall the cow be given the opportunity to show her capacity by the removal of her milk product as often as seems necessary, or shall we dry her down to suit our convenience in milking?



Holstein-Friesian Heifer.

As our population and the cost of food products increases, milk as one of the most valuable of food products will also increase in price, and in the near future it will be as customary for dairymen to milk cows three times a day during the earlier portion of the lactation period as it is now to milk but twice. Indeed, owing to the wonderful milk-producing qualities of Holstein-Friesian cows, in order to avoid congestion of the udder it is the common practice among those having the better cows to milk three times daily for many weeks after freshening.

VALUE OF CREAM SEPARATOR

Expert of Missouri Agricultural College Says 25 Per Cent More Cream Secured From Milk.

"The farmer who uses a cream separator obtains as much milk from four cows as is obtained from five cows where cream is raised in a pan," says C. H. Eckles of the Missouri College of Agriculture. The separator method gets 25 per cent more cream from the milk and this will pay for a separator in a year in a dairy herd of ten or more cows. As the cream is separated while fresh and sweet, ripening can be controlled and butter of much better grade can be secured than if the cream is raised by gravity. The use of a separator lightens the work for the housewife. The machine is kept in a small room adjoining the barn and only the separator parts are brought from the house. These, instead of numerous pans and crocks, are returned to the kitchen for washing after the fresh skim milk has been fed to the calves and pigs.

COWS REQUIRE MUCH WATER

Practice of Watering Herd But Once Daily Is Not to Be Recommended—Three Times Is Better.

It is a mistake to be satisfied with watering the herd but once a day. If they can be induced to drink twice or three times a day, it should be done. Cows need much water.

It has been found that the average milch cow requires about 81 pounds of water a day while in milk (nearly ten gallons), and about 54 pounds while dry. Of this, the cow in milk takes rather more than two-thirds (say seven gallons) as drink, and the rest in her food, while the dry cow takes rather less than two-thirds as drink, and a little more than one-third in the food.

A well-made separator will last for years, in spite of the fact that it is put into service twice a day. The separator should run from four to six years without repairs, if reasonable care is used.

TO REMOVE WARTS ON TEATS

Rub Affected Parts Daily With Castor Oil or Goose Grease—Cut Off the Large Ones.

Warts on a cow's teats will disappear after a time if the affected parts are rubbed once or twice daily with best castor oil or fresh goose grease.

A large wart, having a narrow base, should be snipped off with scissors, and the bleeding stopped by applying powder or solution.

If it starts to grow again, cauterize the part with lunar caustic pencil.

Baked Sweet Potatoes With Cream.

Steam four large sweet potatoes for ten minutes; take out and peel, slice lengthwise half an inch thick; put into baking pan, spread each slice with butter, sprinkle powdered sugar over them, pinch of salt, pour over half a cupful of cream. Set in oven to heat through.

To prevent Cheese Hardening. The addition of a raw egg to the mixture of grated cheese and cream for cheese waters prevents the cheese from hardening when cold. My plan is slightly to butter crackers, or dip them in melted butter, place in pan and pour a spoonful or more of the cheese mixture upon each one. Sprinkle with paprika and place in heated oven after turning off the gas. They are delicious hot, and are good cold, and can easily be reheated.

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Cooking Hint.

To prevent citron, raisins or currants from sinking to the bottom of your cake have them well warmed before adding them to the batter.

FOR THOSE FOND OF HONEY

Missouri College of Agriculture Has Published Some Recipes That Will Be Found Useful.

Brown Bread.—One-half cupful of honey, one and a half cupfuls of sour milk or buttermilk, three-cupfuls of graham flour, one teaspoonful of soda. Nuts and raisins may be added if desired.

Soft Gingerbread.—Half a cupful of sugar, one cupful of extracted honey (or sorghum), half a cupful of butter, one teaspoonful each of cloves, ginger and cinnamon, two teaspoonfuls of soda dissolved in one cupful of boiling water, two and a half cupfuls of flour. Add two well-beaten eggs the last thing before baking.

Honey Muffins.—One pint of flour, two teaspoonfuls of baking powder, one-half teaspoonful of salt, sifted four times; yolks of two eggs beaten lightly, one and a fourth cupfuls of cream. Beat thoroughly, then fold in lightly in the beaten whites of two eggs and two tablespoonfuls of extracted honey. Bake in muffin pans and serve while hot.

Housekeeping Hints—That It Would Be Well to Preserve for Future Reference.

If the clock in a sick room annoys the person place a glass shade over it. Water potatoes have been boiled in is excellent for cleaning stains from silver knives and forks.

If washing greasy dishes, use a little ammonia in the water and you will save soap and your hands.

When washing cut glass add a little borax to the suds and rinse in clear water with few drops of bluing added, if you wish glass to sparkle like new.

Patent leather shoes are successfully cleaned by removing all dirt, then wiping them with a soft cloth dipped in milk, polish them with a dry cloth. The milk is valuable in preserving and softening the leather.

Apples pared, cored and set into a dish with sugar and water, to bake till tender, but not broken, are delicious served with custard poured over them.

Suns.

One pint milk, one ounce yeast, one-half pound flour, one teaspoonful sugar; rub the flour through a sieve, cream the yeast and sugar together and add lukewarm milk; strain this mixture into the flour and beat well. Cover the basin with paper and set in warm place (on the fender) to rise for one hour. In another basin put 1½ pounds of flour, one-quarter pound butter, two ounces candied peel, two eggs, one-quarter pound sultanas or currants, one-quarter pound sugar.

When the sponge in the first basin has risen, beat in all the dry ingredients from the second basin with two eggs. Thoroughly mix and beat them for about five minutes. Set this sponge to rise again for about 1½ hours. Then shape the mixture into buns and bake on a greased tin for one-half hour. When cooked and while still hot brush them over with a little milk and sugar to glaze them.

Fine-Grained Cake.

Have mixing bowl warm and the chill taken off the milk. Use finest grade granulated sugar. Use measuring cup and follow directions carefully. One-third cupful butter, three-fourths cupful sugar, two eggs, one-half cupful milk, one and one-half cupfuls bread flour sifted before measuring; return to sifter and add two teaspoonfuls cream tartar and one of soda. One teaspoonful lemon extract. Soften butter, add sugar and stir just enough to blend, add well-beaten eggs, and beat until light colored. Stir in milk, then sift in prepared flour and beat at least five minutes to make fine grained. Add flavoring, bake in a slow oven.

Chocolate Rice Cream. Wash the rice (Carolina rice of good quality) and cook gently in milk with a piece of stick vanilla and some sugar until thoroughly swelled and tender. Remove the vanilla. When cool stir in enough cream to make the rice like a thickish, lumpy looking custard. Place in custard glasses and scatter powdered chocolate over. To four ounces of rice allow one and three-quarters pints of milk and four tablespoonfuls of sugar. Use a double milk saucepan and cook long and slowly.

To Prevent Cheese Hardening. The addition of a raw egg to the mixture of grated cheese and cream for cheese waters prevents the cheese from hardening when cold. My plan is slightly to butter crackers, or dip them in melted butter, place in pan and pour a spoonful or more of the cheese mixture upon each one. Sprinkle with paprika and place in heated oven after turning off the gas. They are delicious hot, and are good cold, and can easily be reheated.

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A laxative today saves a sick child tomorrow. Children simply will not take the time from play to empty their bowels, which become clogged up with waste, liver gets sluggish; stomach sour.

Look at the tongue, mother! If coated, or your child is listless, cross, feverish, breath bad, restless, doesn't eat heartily, full of cold or has sore throat or any other children's ailment, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," then don't worry, because it is perfectly harmless, and in a few hours all this constipation poison, sour bile and fermenting waste will gently move out of the bowels, and you have a well, playful child again. A thorough "inside cleansing" is oftentimes all that is necessary. It should be the first treatment given in any sickness.

Beware of counterfeit fig syrups. Ask at the store for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly printed on the bottle. Adv.

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FOR SALE—Quantity of corn in the ear. Inquire of Manfred Hoppe, route 4, Grass Lake. 30

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Commissioners' Notice.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw, ss. The undersigned having been appointed by the Probate Court for said county, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of John George Wagner, late of said county, deceased, hereby give notice that four months from date are allowed, by order of said Probate Court, for creditors to present their claims against the estate of said deceased, and that they will meet at the law office of John Kalmbach in the Village of Chelsea, in said county, on the 24th day of April and on the 24th day of June next, at ten o'clock a. m. of each of said days, to receive, examine and adjust said claims. Dated February 23rd, 1916.

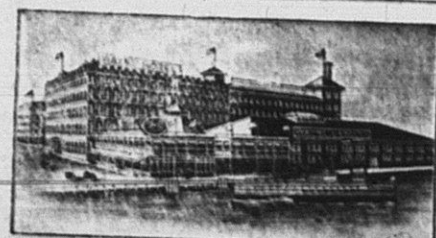
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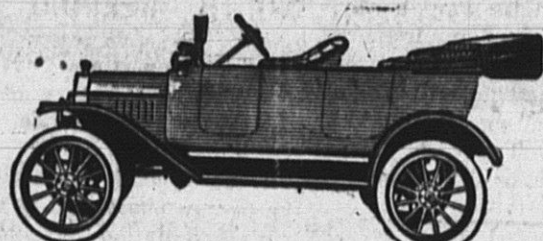
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PERSONAL MENTION.

Willis Benton spent Sunday in Dexter.

Glenn Barbour was an Ann Arbor visitor Monday.

Mrs. E. E. Winans spent the weekend in Detroit.

Postmaster Hummel was in Ann Arbor Saturday.

Richard Wheeler, of Albion, was in Chelsea Monday.

John Dunn, of Ann Arbor, spent Sunday in Chelsea.

D. H. Wurster made a business trip to Ann Arbor Friday.

Harry H. Lyons, of Jackson, was a Chelsea visitor Sunday.

Miss Lettie Kaercher was an Ann Arbor visitor Saturday.

C. E. Babcock, of Grass Lake, was a Chelsea visitor Monday.

Wm. H. Freer, of Jackson, was a Chelsea visitor Tuesday.

Wm. Breitenbach, of Fargo, N. D., is visiting relatives here.

Miss Jessie Saunders, of Ann Arbor, spent Tuesday in Chelsea.

Mrs. Henry Frey, of Francisco, was a Chelsea visitor Wednesday.

Michael Wackenhut, of Jackson, was a Chelsea visitor Saturday.

Edmund Robinson, of Grass Lake, was a Chelsea visitor Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Vogel spent several days of this week in Chicago.

Mrs. Thos. McNamara and daughter Beryl spent Sunday in Detroit.

Geo. Schallenmiller, of Bridgewater, was a Chelsea visitor Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Runciman, of Ann Arbor, spent Sunday in Chelsea.

Misses Bella Cameron and Grace Marquand were in Detroit Sunday.

Edward Weiss has been spending this week at Flint and Traverse City.

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

Dr. D. F. Roedel, of Detroit, spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Alice Roedel.

Frank Ives, of Stockbridge, spent Friday and Saturday with relatives in Chelsea.

Mrs. M. Brenner and Miss Ella Sillmer, of Ann Arbor, spent Sunday in Chelsea.

Mrs. Jas. Runciman returned to her home here Wednesday, after a visit in Detroit.

Miss Una Stieglmaier spent the weekend at the home of her parents in Jackson.

Mrs. Sarah Jaeger, of Detroit, is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy French.

Misses Donna Sullivan and Irene Eddy, of Ann Arbor were Chelsea visitors Tuesday.

Ralph Bellin, of Lansing, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Glory Dennis.

Carl Wagner, of Highland Park, spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. J. G. Wagner.

Mrs. J. P. Foster, of Ann Arbor, is spending the week with her daughter Mrs. Edward Weiss.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Otis, of Portage Lake, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Maroney.

George Taylor, of Detroit, spent Tuesday and Wednesday with his mother, Mrs. J. C. Taylor.

George Speer and daughter, Gretchen, of Detroit, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Speer.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Watkins and son, of Jackson, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Gilbert.

Miss Anna Eisele, of Detroit, spent the past week with her parents, Mrs. and Mr. Martin Eisele, sr.

J. Dunlay, of Hamilton, Ont., is at the home of Jas. McCarthy, and expects to locate here permanently.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Schenk and family, of Ann Arbor, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Schenk.

Miss Frieda Arndt, of Albion, was a weekend guest at the home of the Misses Milda and Esther Faust.

Mrs. Georgia Canfield, of Detroit, spent the weekend at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Canfield.

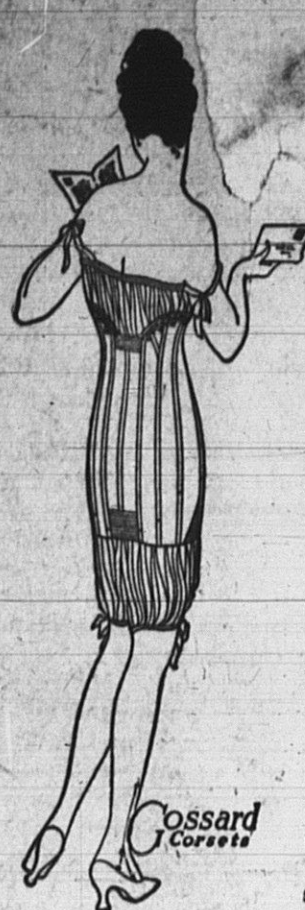
Mrs. H. G. Ives and daughter Florence are spending the balance of this week with Mrs. E. I. Taylor in Ann Arbor.

Miss Edith Shaw, of Detroit, spent Saturday in Chelsea. Miss Shaw was a former teacher in the Chelsea schools.

The Misses Doris and Margaret Foster, of Grass Lake, spent the weekend with their aunt, Mrs. C. Hummel.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Chandler, of Charlotte, spent several days of the past week with Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Chandler.

Mrs. Josephine Potts, who has been spending the past few weeks at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Nellie BeGole, returned to her home at Dowagiac Friday.

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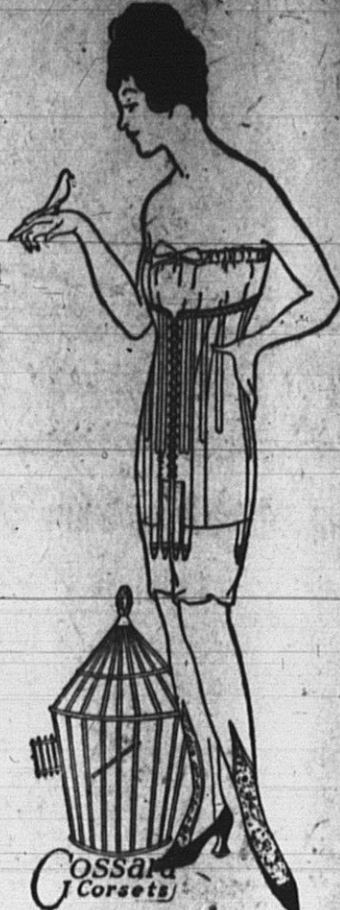
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Auction Sale.

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The Kempf Commercial & Savings Bank

LOCAL ITEMS.

J. Geo. Webster has been ill the past week.

Born, on Friday, February 18, 1916, to Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Beissel, a son.

The Hollier Eight is being exhibited at the auto show at Grand Rapids this week.

Dr. L. A. Maze, of Rochester, was in Chelsea Tuesday. He came after his household goods.

The Bay View Reading Circle will entertain the Research Club at Macabee hall next Monday evening.

John Walsh was called to Minneapolis, Minn., by the death of his son-in-law, John Devorak, Wednesday.

Manager Geddes of the Princess theatre has added a new player piano to his equipment. Holmes & Walker made the sale.

Jas. McCarter has moved from the McGuinness residence on Harrison street to the Musbach residence on East Summit street.

Miss Winifred Eder, who has accepted a position in the office of the Washtenaw Light Co., at Ann Arbor, spent Tuesday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Eder.

Chauncey Freeman spent several days of this week in Battle Creek, where he attended the convention of the Michigan Retail Grocers and General Merchants' Association.

Miss Lillian Wackenhut entertained a number of friends Saturday afternoon in honor of Miss Wilhelmina Kerrinnes, of Ypsilanti. Miss Kerrinnes was formerly a teacher in the Chelsea schools.

Miss Marie Wackenhut, who has been training for a nurse at Harper hospital, Detroit, has just recovered from an attack of scarlet fever, and returned home Monday accompanied by Mrs. M. J. Wackenhut.

The old fashioned dance given by the Maccabees in their hall Tuesday evening was one of the most successful social events of the season. The Maccabees contemplate putting on another dance of the same order in about three weeks.

The Washington correspondent of the Detroit Journal says that the name most frequently mentioned as the successor of District Attorney Clyde Webster of the eastern district of Michigan, is that of Martin Cavanaugh, of Ann Arbor.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Steinbach, were called to Flint Sunday by the illness of their daughter-in-law, Mrs. K. Otto Steinbach. At last reports Mrs. Steinbach and her mother, Mrs. Thomas Wortley, who has been ill for some time, are both considerably better.

P. M. Broesamle, Sylvan; William Burkhardt, Dexter; Frank Detling, Freedom; Mason Whipple, Lima, and James Howlett, Lyndon, were elected township presidents of the Washtenaw County Farmers' Institute Society at the meeting at Ann Arbor Wednesday.

The primary school money will be slightly less this year than last, according to an announcement made by Supt. of Public Instruction Fred L. Keeler. School districts will receive from the state about \$7.50 for each child of school age, instead of \$7.85 as last year, he said.

The village lockup has been the stopping place of a large number of the floating population of the country, cripples and pseudo-cripples, some of them a trifle inclined to be a little cross if they do get the reception anticipated. These fellows should be kept moving and not allowed to remain more than one night.

The postponed meeting to listen to W. M. Bryant, secretary of the Michigan State Good Roads Association will be held at the town hall, Tuesday evening, February 29th, at 7:30 o'clock. Mr. Bryant will give an address on the proposed paved way across the state from Detroit to Lake Michigan, and everyone interested is urged to be present.

Elbert S. Bryant of Saginaw, a student at the U. of M., was killed Tuesday by a M. C. passenger train about two miles west of Ann Arbor. Bryant and two companions were walking in the track and stepped off the west-bound track to the east-bound track to avoid a freight train, and stepped in front of the passenger train which just rounded a curve. One of the boys managed to jump out of danger. One boy, Howard Lumsden, was struck and received a number of injuries, but Bryant was hit squarely and hurled from the track. J. S. Cummings and Burton Long, of Chelsea, were on the train and assisted in caring for the boys.

W. R. Reed is quite ill at his home on Orchard street.

William Moore has rented the Stocking residence on East Middle street.

Miss Ethel Burkhart entertained a number of friends at her home Saturday evening.

Charles Allen, who has been seriously ill for some time is reported as being no better.

Mr. and Mrs. Timothy Drislane have moved from Lima to the Boynton residence on Adams street.

Mrs. Ford Axtell suffered a fracture of the bones of her right leg, above the ankle, Monday afternoon.

Several Chelsea residents report that thieves have reduced their supply of stove wood almost to the vanishing point.

Theron Foster has been nursing a case of blood poisoning in his right hand, which started from a slight cut on his thumb.

J. S. Cummings made a trip to Highland Park and Pontiac Sunday and Monday, returning home with an Oakland six touring car.

Edwin B. Hard, of Burlington, Vt., has purchased the Grass Lake News of Frank J. Boyd, who has been its owner for several months.

Germaine Foster has the superintendency of Grey Tower during the absence of Mr. Boland, who will return about April 1st.—Grass Lake News.

D. W. Caswell, formerly with the Moler Products Co. here, has been in Chelsea the past week shipping the remaining machinery belonging to the company.

The last issue of the Bell Telephone News contained the pictures of the chief operators of the company and among them appears that of Miss Frances C. Steele, of Chelsea.

The twenty officers of Columbian Hive, L. O. T. M. M., of this place were in Ypsilanti Wednesday where they conducted the opening exercises of the order at the meeting of the Washtenaw County Association of the Lady Maccabees.

March 14th will be the last day on which caucuses can be held for nominating township officers to be elected at the spring election. This ruling was made last week by Attorney General Fellows on the request of the secretary of state. The date is figured on the basis of allowing 20 full days before the election.

The Woman's Home Missionary Society of the Methodist church are planning to send a barrel of fresh and canned fruits and vegetables to the Chelsea Home. Anyone wishing to contribute are requested to leave the things at D. A. Jolliffe and Son's store. It is the desire of the ladies to have the barrel ready to send in two weeks.—Plymouth Mail.

Clothing manufacturers of the United States are so short of dyestuffs that a nation-wide appeal is to be made to the public to recognize the fact that it must content itself with the simplest colors in apparel. This was announced Monday at the department of commerce, after a conference between the department officials and officers of the National Association of Clothiers.

O. E. S. to Present Local Talent.
The Order Eastern Star will give a party at Masonic hall, Wednesday evening, March 1st, to which all Masons and their families and members of the Eastern Star and their families are invited. The committee in charge promises an unusually novel and interesting program, having secured quite a company of local talent to give a comedy, which is really funny. The performance will begin promptly at 8 o'clock, and every one is asked to be there on time.

Announcements.

The Chatt'n Seau Club will meet with Miss Nina Belle Wurster, Thursday evening, March 2d.

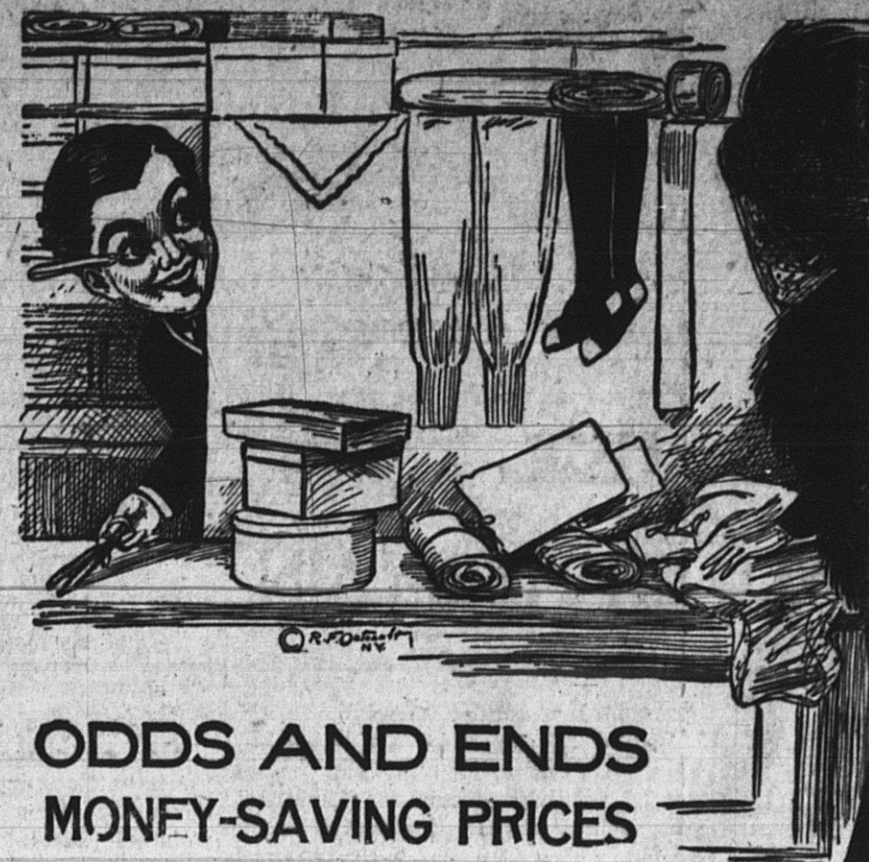
On account of the death of one of the members, the meeting of the North Sylvan Grange has been postponed until Friday, March 3d.

Harmony Chapter of the Congregational church will meet, with Mrs. Addie Martin, on Jackson street on Wednesday, March 1. Scrub lunch. All invited.

The free-seat offering of the M. E. church will be held in the church parlors on Wednesday evening, March 1st. A chicken pie supper will be served from 5 o'clock on.

There will be a special meeting of Olive Lodge, No. 156, F. & A. M., Friday evening, February 25th. Work in first degree. Also on Tuesday evening, February 29th there will be work the third degree.

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HOME

A NOVEL

GEORGE AGNEW CHAMBERLAIN

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SYNOPSIS.

Alan Wayne is sent away from Red Hill, his home, by his uncle, Y., as a moral failure. Clem runs after him in a tangle of short skirts to bid him good-by. Captain Wayne tells Alan of the falling of the Wayne. Clem drinks Alan's health on his birthday. Judge Healey defends Alan in his business with his employers. Alan and Alix meet at sea, homeward bound, and start a flirtation. At home, Nance Sterling asks Alan to go away from Alix. Alix is taken to task by Gerry, her husband, for her conduct with Alan and defies him. Gerry, as he thinks, sees Alix and Alan eloping, drops everything, and goes to Pernambuco. Alix leaves Alan on the train and goes home. Gerry leaves Pernambuco and goes to Pirahna. On a canoe trip he meets a native girl. The judge tells to Gerry. A baby is born to Alix. The native girl takes Gerry to her home, and shows him the ruined plantation she is mistress of. Gerry marries her. At Maple House, Collier meets her. He meets Alan. "Ten Per Cent Wayne"—building a bridge in Africa. Collier meets Alix and her baby and he gives her encouragement about Gerry. Alan comes back to town but does not go home. He makes several calls in the city. Gerry begins to improve. Margarita's plantation and builds an irrigating ditch.

Suppose you asked a man for a job you needed desperately—to keep from starving. Suppose that man gave you a frightful beating, out of pure cussedness and afterward gave you work. Would you watch your chance to get even, or would you save his life when opportunity offered?

CHAPTER XIV—Continued.

Gerry started opening the sluice gates, the lowest first. The water gurgled out into the main trench and from there was distributed. At first the thirsty soil swallowed it greedily but gradually the rills stretched farther and farther down into the valley. Under the blazing sun they looked like streams of molten silver and gold.

Margarita came running up to them from the house. Gerry put his arm around her and made her face the valley. Then he looked at the girl and smiled. She smiled back at him but trouble was still in her eyes.

Gerry left her to start on the work of fitting the ponderous sluice-gate of hewn logs that he had prepared for the mouth of the great ditch. It was a triumph of ingenuity. He never could have evolved it without the aid of a giant ironwood wormscrow taken from the wreck of a cotton press. The screw was so heavy that he and Bonifacio could hardly carry it.

At the end of three days the great gate was installed. He and Bonifacio tolled like sailors at a capstan. They drove the heavy barrier down into the sand with a last turn of the screw and shut out the river. Margarita came and saw and was pleased.

CHAPTER XV

Under the broad dome of a mango tree on the banks of an unnamed African river Alan Wayne had pitched his camp. The Selwyn tent and the projecting veranda fly were faded and stained. The bobolink mosquito curtains were creamed with age and service. Two camp chairs and a collapsible table, battered but strong, were placed before the tent. Over one of the chairs hung a towel. On the ground squatted a take-down bath tub, half filled with water. In the deep shadow of the tree the pale green rot-proof canvas of the tent, the fly, the chairs and bathtub, gleamed almost white.

On the farther side of the great trunk of the tree was the master's kitchen, three stones and a half-circle of forked sticks driven into the ground. On the sticks hung a few pots and pans, a saddle of buck, bits of fat and a disreputable-looking coffee-bag. Between the stones was a bed of coals. Before them crouched a red-fezzed Zanzibari.

From under a second tree, fifty yards away, came the dull, rhythmic pounding of wooden pestles in wooden mortars. The eye could just distinguish the glistening naked torsos of three blacks in motion. They were singing a barbarous chantey. At the pestles came down together with a thud. The blacks were pounding the kafir corn for the men's evening meal.

Down the river and almost out of sight a black, spidery construction reached out over the water—Alan's latest bridge. Men swarmed on it. Six o'clock and there came the trill of a whistle. Suddenly the bridge was cleared. A tangle of voices arose. There was a crackling of twigs, a shuffling of feet, here and there a high, excited cry, and then the men poured into camp. A din of talk, held in check for hours, arose. Glistening black bodies danced to jerky, fantastic steps. Songs, shouts and impatient cries to the cooks swelled the medley of sound. Through the camp stole the

acrid odor of toiling Africa.

Behind the men marched the foreman, McDougal; behind him came Alan. At sight of him the Zanzibari sprang into action. He poured a tin of hot water into the bath tub and laid out an old dannel suit. Beside the suit he placed clean underwear, fresh socks and, on the ground, a pair of slippers.

Alan stripped, bathed and dressed. The Zanzibari handed him a cup of hot tea. By the time the tea was drunk the table was freshly laid and Alan sat down to a steaming bowl of broth, and dinner.

After dinner McDougal joined him for a smoke. For a full half hour they sat wordless. Darkness fell and brought out the lights of their fitfully glowing pipes. From the men's camp came a subdued chatter. The men were feeding. As they finished they lit fires—a fire for every little group. The smell of the wood fires triumphed over every other odor.

McDougal had met Alan first in a bare room at an African seaport. The room was furnished with a chair and a table. At the table sat Alan, busy with final estimates and plans for supplies for his little army. The interview was short. McDougal had asked for a job and Alan had answered, "Get out." McDougal had repeated his request and the rest of the story he told the next morning before the resident magistrate in the chair and Alan in the dock.

"Aweel, your honor, it was this way: I went into Mr. Wayne's office and asked him for work and he said, 'Get out.' I asked him again and he said, 'I'll give you two to get out—One—Two,' and with that he cooms on to the table and flying through the air, I had just considered that it was best I should let him hit me first since that I might break him with justice when he struck me face with both fists, and his knee in the pit of me stummock. And that's all, your honor, sayin' the Kafir that I woke up to find waterin' me and a rose bush, turn-by-turn about."

"I suppose," said the magistrate, covering his twitching mouth with his hand, "that was the Kafir I signed a hospital pass for last night."

"It may well be," replied McDougal dreamily. "It may well be."

"Well, McDougal, I think this is a matter that can be settled out of court."

McDougal held up a vast hand in interruption. "Beggins your pardon, your honor, there'll be nae settling of this matter out of court between Mr. Wayne and myself. Aince is enough." Justice and the prisoner in the dock surrendered to laughter. McDougal stood grave and unperturbed.

"What I meant," said the magistrate when he recovered, "is that Mr. Wayne will probably give you a job and call it all square."

"That's it," said Alan. "I asked Mr. Wayne for work and if it's work he is giving me I'll nae be denying it is a fair answer," replied McDougal, and forthwith became Ten Percent Wayne's gang boss and understudy in the art of driving men with both fists and a knee.

McDougal knocked out his third pipe. "The devil of a country is this," he said; "in the seas of it a life-preserver holds you up handy for sharks and in the rivers does swimming save your life? Nae. It gives you a meal to the crows."

They had lost a black that day. He had slipped from the bridge into the water. He had started to swim to shore and then suddenly disappeared in a swirl.

Conversationally, McDougal limited himself to a sentence a day in which he summed up the one event that had struck him as worthy of notice. Having delivered himself of his observation for the night he lit his pipe once more and relapsed into silence.

McDougal's was a companionable silence. Alan could feel him sitting there in the dark, raw-boned and dour but ready at the word of command. It was after eight when Alan called for a light and drew from a worn letter case the correspondence that a runner from the coast had brought in that day. He glanced over official communications, blue prints and business letters and stuffed them back into the leather case. One fat letter, note-paper size, remained.

"McDougal," said Alan, "dash up to the camp—tell 'em it's nine o'clock."

McDougal arose and picking up a big stick strode over towards the men. The stick was so big that he had never had to use it. At the mere sight of it the men desisted from clamor, dance and horse-play.

Alan drew the fat letter from its envelope and for the second time read,

Dear Alan: As you see, this is from New York. We came down yesterday. All summer I have been watching for my second self because I'm just about grown up now—outside, I mean—inside is different somehow—and three days before we left

I really caught her looking at me while I was sitting on the old stone bench down by the pond. I jumped up and ran after her all the way down Long Lane and up the Low Road to where the red cow broke her leg that time and there I lost her. I didn't find her again and had to come away without her and now I feel so queer—sort of half-y, just like you.

Somehow I can't blame her. She didn't want to leave the Hill in the gorgeous month so she just stayed behind. Do you remember—

This is the gorgeous month when leafy fires mount to the gods in myriad summer pyres. . . . A few hours ago when I was doing my mile on the avenue I almost got run down and Mam'selle gave me an awful scolding for being so absent-minded. It was a true word. I was just that—absent-minded—because my mind was off chasing that other half. And then I came back and there I was on the avenue with people staring at me more than they ever have before. I suppose it was because I was full of breath with chasing in my mind. Good-by, Alan.

Alan sat in the circle of light from the hanging lamp and stared into the darkness. From the river came the sound of sucking mud, then a heavy tread. A monster hippo blundered through the bushes in search of food. On the other side of the tree trunk the Zanzibari was snoring. The fires were burning out at the men's camp. Once more the odor of their bodies hung in the air.

Alan arose and dragged his chair to the outer edge of the mango tree. He sat down and with hands locked and elbows on knees gave himself up to memory. He forgot the sounds and smells of Africa, the black-green of overhanging leaves, the black shadows of the swirling river, the black-bronze of the men about him. For an hour he tore himself away from the black world to wander over the beloved hills in New England where summer dies in a burst of light.

Red Hill, crowned with mountain ash, called to his spirit as a torch in the night to a lost wanderer. The thirty months that had passed since last he saw its budding promise were



Gave Himself Up to Memory.

swept away. He imagined those very budding leaves at the end of their course, the pale amber of the elms, the deep note of the steadfast fir, the flaunting fire of the brave maples.

Maple House arose before him, its lawn carpeted with dry leaves. From the leaves floated an incense, dusty, pungent. The cool shadows of the great, rambling house beckoned to him. Here is peace, here is rest, they seemed to cry. The memory of home gripped him, held him and soothed him. His head nodded and he slept only to awake with a start, for he had dreamed that he had lost the way back forever.

CHAPTER XVI

Gerry turned to his work of tilling the soil. He cut the best of the cane and Bonifacio planted the joints at a slant with knowing hand. He sorted the bolls of cotton. The women studied the fiber and when it was long, silky and tough they picked out the seeds with care and hoarded them, for their time was not yet. One duty urged another. The days passed rapidly.

One morning Gerry looked up from his labor to find a mounted figure just behind him. An elderly man of florid face sat a restive stallion of Arab strain. The stranger's note was opulent. From his Panama hat, thin and light as paper, to his silver spurs and the silver-mounted harness of his horse, wealth marked him. He was dressed in white linen and his flaring, glossy riding-boots of embroidered Russian leather stood out from the white clothes and the whiter sheep's fleece that served as saddle cloth, with telling effect. In his hands was a silver-mounted rawhide quirt. His face was grave; his eyes blue and kind.

As Gerry looked at him he spoke, "I'm Lieber from up the river." Gerry started at the familiar English and frowned. At the frown the stranger's eyes shifted. "I didn't come down here to bother you," he went on hastily. One of my men told me about the green grass and I couldn't keep away. I've got cattle and horses

up my way and they're dying—starving. I came down to make a deal. I've picked out a hundred and twenty head with blood in 'em—horses and cattle. If you'll take 'em and feed 'em through to the rains I'll give you ten out of the hundred. Some are too far gone to save, I'm afraid."

Gerry looked at his tiny plantations which showed up meekly in the great expanse of waste pasture. "I'm sorry," he said, "but I'm afraid I can't. You see, I can't afford to fence."

Lieber looked around and nodded: "That's all right," he said. "I've got a lot of old wire that's no use to me and a lot of loafers to tear it down and put it up. I'll fence as much pasture as you say and throw in the fencing on the deal."

"That's mighty fair," said Gerry. "I'll take you." He dropped his hoe. "Won't you come down, to the house and have a bite to eat?" He turned and Lieber started to follow. "By the way," said Gerry over his shoulder, "you're not a German, are you?"

Lieber stopped his horse. His eyes wavered. "No," he said shortly, "I'm not. I'm an American. After all, I don't think I ought to waste any time. Hours tell with starving stock. I'll just get back in a hurry, if you don't mind. My men and the wire will be here just that much sooner."

Gerry frowned again but this time at himself. He felt that he had stepped on another man's corns while defending his own. "All right, Mr. Lieber," he said. "The sooner the better. I'll do all I can to help."

The next morning the men came accompanied by ox carts loaded with fencing, posts and all. Lieber was with them. He sat his horse through the hot hours and drove his men steadily. Gerry threw himself into the work as foreman. The fence grew with amazing rapidity. From the bridge they carried it in a straight line past the house to the river. It cut off a vast triangle whose two other sides were held by the ditch and the river. By night the work was almost done. Gerry was tired and happy, but he sighed. How many weeks of toil would not he and Bonifacio have had to put in to accomplish that fence!

Lieber stayed the night with them and Gerry studied and imitated the older man's impersonality. Lieber kept his eyes on his plate or in the vague distance while the women attended them and as soon as the business of eating was over he retired to the room that had been allotted to him.

He was up early in the morning and away to meet the coming herd. First came the horses, neighing and quickening their weak trot at the smell of grass. Far away and like a distorted echo sounded the loving of the slower cattle. The little herd of Fazenda Flores caught the moaning cry and lifted lazy heads. One or two loved back.

The horses were rounded up at the bridge to await the cattle. They stretched their necks toward the calling grass and moved restlessly about with quick turns of eager heads and low impatient whinnies. Lieber sat his stable-fed stallion stolidly, but his eyes grew moist as he looked over the bony lot of horses. "They must wait for the cattle," he said to Gerry. "A fair start and no favor. Gad, if you could have seen them three months ago!"

The cattle came up in a rapid shambling that carried them slowly for they were staggering in short, quick steps. Their heads hung almost to the ground. They had no shame. They moaned pitifully—continually.

Gerry opened the wire gap. The horses gave an anticipatory whinny and then dashed through. They forgot their weakness. They galloped down the slope, spurning beneath their feet the food they had longed for. They did not stop till they reached the rich bottoms. Lieber smiled affectionately. "There's spirit for you," he said.

The cattle followed but the men had to beat the first through away from the gap. They had stopped to eat and had blocked the way. At last they were all in and the gap closed. One or two stood with straddled feet and continued to low, their lips just brushing the lush grass. "Poor beasts," said Lieber, the smile gone from his face, "they are too weak to eat."

He and Gerry went back to the house for breakfast. The herders sat and smoked. They had had coffee; it would see them through half the day. Before Lieber left the horses were herded once more and with much trouble driven out upon the desert. Lieber turned to Gerry. "Don't let them back in until tomorrow, please," he said. "If you do, they'll founder."

"What about the cattle?" asked Gerry. "The cattle are all right. They haven't enough spirit left to kill themselves eating. They'll begin lying down pretty soon. Good-by, and remember, you'll get a warm welcome up at Lieber's whenever you feel like riding over."

"Thanks," said Gerry. "Good-by."

He watched Lieber ride away with a feeling of changes impending. Fazenda Flores, his isolated refuge, was beginning to link itself to a world. Man, like a vine, has tendrils. To climb he must reach them out and cling.

The reward of those long months of preparation was at hand. Once every spade thrust had seemed but the precursor to barren effort. Now every stroke of the hoe seemed to bring forth a fresh green leaf. Life fell into an entrancing monotone. It became an endless chain that forged its own links and lengthened out into an endless perspective. Days passed. The arrival of Lieber's foreman to see how the stock was progressing was an event. He brought with him an old saddle and bridle—a gift from Lieber

to Gerry. "He says," the foreman remarked with a leer, on making the presentation, "you can ride anything you can catch."

Gerry felt the foreman needed putting in place. He went into the house and reappeared carrying something in his hat. He climbed the fence and looked. The horses raised their heads and looked. Some were lazy after watering but the others trotted over toward him. They stopped a few yards off and scrutinized him as though to divine his intentions. Then they approached cautiously, with tense legs, ready to whirl and bolt. A greedy colt refused to play the game of fear to a



"I'm Lieber, From Up the River."

finish. He strode forward and was rewarded with a large lump of sugar. The sugar was coarse and black, first cousin to virgin molasses, but it was redolent. The horses crowded around Gerry. They pawed at him. He had to beat them back. They made a bold assault on the empty but odorous hat. Gerry laughed and cleared the fence to get away from them. "I think your master must be mistaken," he said with a smile to the foreman. "Some of these colts can never have been backed."

The foreman looked his admiration. He began to take Gerry seriously; it was man to man now. He pointed out the horses that were broken to saddle and named their gaits and mettle. Then his shrewd eyes looked around for further details to add to his report to his master. He noted that a few, a very few, of the cattle were still lying down when they should have been on their feet and eating. These were herded into a corner of their own and old Bonifacio was tending them. Beside each was a pile of fresh cut grass. As they ate they nosed it away, but Bonifacio pushed it back.

The foreman's eyes caught on two new-born calves. They had been taken from their weak mothers and were in a rough pen by themselves. The foreman did not have to count the stock to see that none was missing. He was cattle bred. A gap in the herd or the bunch of horses would have down at the seventh sense of the stockman the moment he laid eyes on the field. Instead there were these two calves. "Master," he said to Gerry, "you have made up your mind not to lose a head. You would save even these little ones, born before their time?"

Gerry nodded gravely. He had worked hard to save all. He winced at the mere thought of death at Fazenda Flores even down to these least weaklings. He himself had fed them patiently from a warm bottle. In trouble and valuable time they had cost him an acre of cotton. But an acre of cotton was a small price to pay for life.

A grip of the hand and the foreman was off in a cloud of dust. At the bridge he pulled his horse down to the shambling fox trot that spares bait and man but eats steadily into a long journey. A bearer of good tidings rides slowly.

Gerry turned to his work but a cry from the house arrested him. He dropped his field tools and ran to the house. Dona Maria glanced at him, clamed and hustled him out of the room—out of the house. The door slammed behind him. He heard the great bar door. He was locked out.

Gerry paced angrily up and down the veranda. Calm came back to him. He saw that he had been a fool. He had stopped and sat down on the steps of the veranda. Here, before he had made his benches, she had often sat beside him, caressed him, sung to him. How could he be so stupid. How little he had done for her. He remembered that as she had worked in the baby clothes she had said she wished she had some blue ribbon. They had all laughed at her, but she had nodded her girl's head gravely and said, "Yes, I wish I had some blue ribbon—a little roll of blue ribbon." What a baste he had been to laugh!

When a man gets into trouble because of a woman, he is in real trouble. How will Gerry rid himself of this entanglement with little Margarita? What would any upright man do? Read the next installment.

Conscientious Burglar. A burglar at Wichita returned a package of cigarettes he had stolen from a home there with the statement that his conscience would not permit him to smoke cigarettes. Those Wichita burglars always were a conscientious lot.—Kansas City Star.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

THY NEIGHBOR

By IZOLA FORRESTER.

Perhaps the fault which led Elizabeth into the most perplexing situations was her habit of jumping at conclusions.

So now, as she was mounting the stairs to her studio suite and heard a decided moaning behind the doors of No. 9, she went straight up the hallway and tapped on the door.

"Please, please go away," came a smothered, tearful sort of voice from within. Whereupon Elizabeth felt capable and protecting, and she spread her wings at once in brooding fashion over the unknown neighbor in evident distress.

But Elizabeth was gently, firmly insistent, and finally the door opened. On the couch, face down in its pillows, was her girl neighbor. Beside her on the table lay many parcels, and standing by the door which he had just opened was a young man, gloomy and thoroughly resentful of the intrusion.

"Why, I'm sorry—I thought you were alone," faltered Elizabeth.

"No, I'm with her," returned the young man grimly. "But she does not approve of men. She has lived alone in this infernal little dumping ground of art—and starved."

Elizabeth looked at him fixedly, as she would have at any strange new specimen. The young man went on to Elizabeth:

"I knew there was something wrong, and I came up to see how she was getting along. I found out she hadn't eaten in two days. And she refused to let me take her out and feed her up or lend her any money. So I went out and bought up things and brought them back, and now she's insulted."

"It was brutal of you," the girl sat up, and pushed back her hair. Really, she was awfully pretty at short range. She fairly glared at the young man. "Did I ever give you the least reason even to imagine you could buy me groceries?"

"Well, that's all right, too," returned the young man. "But what I want to know is this—where do I stand?"

"On your own feet, just I intend to stand on mine," came back his answer swiftly. "You told me you would never allow a wife of yours to peddle pictures around magazine offices—"

"Neither would I," came back the decided answer. "Why should you? I have plenty for us both, more than plenty. You may paint and exhibit if you like. You don't have to peddle."

"I prefer independence in matrimony. So long as I have a special art—"

"But you haven't. I appeal to this lady, your neighbor. Look at her pictures!" he pointed around the studio. "Look at them. Seventeen thousand other girls all over the civilized world could paint just as well as she can. That may be exaggerated—slightly—but it is partly true. She is not a genius. Is she?"

Elizabeth felt delightedly inclined to laugh and agree with him. The paintings and sketches around the studio were lacking in everything that went for success. And the girl was so pretty and so fearfully sure of herself.

"Can't you compromise?" she asked eagerly. "That is, if you care for him at all."

"Oh, I care for him," retorted the girl scornfully. "That's why he knows he can come here and worry me. I'm engaged to be married to him. I can't escape him."

"Why not break the engagement?" she looked at the young man thoughtfully. He stood with both hands in his pockets, hopeful, but aggressive.

"She's tried that," he answered briefly. "I won't let her. I am absolutely certain that she loves me and will be happy with me ultimately. But, meantime, I refuse to let her starve."

Then I'll tell you a way out. Marry her. Let her keep up her work here. Don't interfere with her. Fix up some attractive home elsewhere if you like, or take a hotel suite. And gradually win her."

Elizabeth paused, fairly glowing over her plan. Romance had not come to her. She was rather plain and too clever, but it was delightful to help others. "I'll go upstairs and start making tea, and I want you both to come up in fifteen minutes. Then you can let me know. But don't haggle and worry each other. Either settle it one way or the other. Compromise if you can."

She went out softly, ran upstairs and started making tea. And in just fifteen minutes they came up, her neighbor and the masterful young man, and both looked oddly contented.

"We're going to try it," he said. "I'm going to let her paint pictures of me. In fact, I've promised to live down here for a while, not here exactly, but in this quarter, you know. She likes to call it the quarter. We've both given up points."

"I shall still peddle a little," said the girl. She bent over the tea table and helped arrange the cups and saucers. "You've been so sweet and neighborly, Miss Dunbar."

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O. B. Osborn, Pastor.
Church service at 10 o'clock.
Our Sunday school meets at 11.
Meeting for prayer Thursday eve.
Everybody invited to join with us.
Vesper service at 4 o'clock in the Baptist church. Mr. Finkley, of Ann Arbor, will be the speaker.

CONGREGATIONAL.

Rev. Charles J. Dole, Pastor.
Morning worship at 10 o'clock with sermon by the pastor.
Sunday school at 11 o'clock a. m., with classes for all.
Union vesper service 4 o'clock p. m., in the Baptist church. Mr. Frinkle, of Ann Arbor, will be the speaker.
Everybody is invited to all these meetings.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL.

Rev. G. H. Whitney, Pastor.
Preaching at 10 a. m.
Bible school at 11:15 a. m.
Junior League at 3 p. m.
Epworth League at 6 p. m.
Evening services at 8 o'clock.
Thursday prayer meeting 7 p. m.
A cordial invitation to all.

ST. PAUL'S.

Rev. A. A. Schoon, Pastor.
German preaching service, Sunday at 9:30 a. m.
Sunday school at 10:30 a. m.

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Rev. A. A. Schoon, Pastor.
German preaching services Sunday at 1:45 p. m.
Sunday school at 2:45 p. m.

SALEM GERMAN M. E. CHURCH.

Rev. G. C. Nollhardt, Pastor.
Girl's choir practice Saturday 2 p. m.
Sunday school Sunday 9:30 a. m.
German worship 10:30 a. m.
Epworth League 7:00 p. m.
English worship 7:30 p. m.
Everybody most cordially invited.

Council Proceedings.

[OFFICIAL.]

COUNCIL ROOMS.
Chelsea, February 21, 1916.
Council met in regular session. Meeting called to order by President Bacon. Roll call by the clerk.
Present—Trustees Lehman, Schaible, Palmer, Hirth. Absent—Cole, Light-hall.
Minutes of the previous meeting were read.
Moved by Schaible, supported by Hirth, that the minutes be approved as read.
Yeas—Lehman, Schaible, Palmer, Hirth. Nays—None. Carried.
The following bills were read by the clerk:

GENERAL FUND.

Frank Staffan estate.....\$ 50.00
H. F. Brooks, Bacon-Holmes fire 14.00
H. F. Brooks, flushing street..... 5.00
Schumacher & Hamp..... 2.25
H. D. Edwards & Co., fire hose 800.00
American-LaFrance Fire Eng. Company..... 4.45
American Express Co..... .36
Chelsea Tribune, printing..... 4.00
H. E. Cooper, 14 mo. salary..... 82.50

STREET FUND.

Hirth & Wheeler, repair work.....\$ 7.45
G. Bockers, 7 weeks..... 70.00
Gil Martin, 24 hours..... 4.80
William Wolf, 61 hours..... 2.93
John Liebeck, 2 hours..... 1.00
Frank Eder, gravel..... 7.95

ELECTRIC LIGHT AND WATER FUND.

Electric Light and Water Works Commission.....\$1400.00
Moved by Lehman, supported by Palmer, that the bills be allowed as read and that orders be drawn for the amounts.
Yeas—Lehman, Schaible, Palmer, Hirth. Nays—None. Carried.
A communication from C. W. Light-hall was read as follows:

February 16, 1916.

The Hon. President,

Village of Chelsea.

Dear Sir:

I herewith hand you my resignation as a member of the council of the Village of Chelsea, same to take effect immediately.

I am tendering my resignation at this particular time so that you will have opportunity to place a candidate to fill the vacancy at the coming election.

Very truly yours,

C. W. LINTHALL.

Moved by Schaible, supported by Lehman, that the resignation of Mr. Lint-hall be accepted as read.

Yeas—Lehman, Schaible, Palmer, Hirth. Nays—None. Carried.

The communication of Roy Evans relative to an increase in salary was referred to the Electric Light and Water Works Commission.

Moved by Hirth, supported by Lehman, that the public garages be granted permission to place their gasoline service pumps next to and inside the curb line in front of their places of business, subject to the provisions of the state law. Carried.

Moved and supported that we adjourn. Carried.

GEORGE M. SEITZ, Clerk.

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CORRESPONDENCE.

NORTH FRANCISCO.

Oscar Kalmbach, of Detroit, spent Sunday at home.

Fred Peterson, Jr., was a Jackson visitor Saturday.

Geo. Harvey moved on Perry Palmer's farm Monday.

Mrs. Fred Peterson spent a few days last week in Detroit.

Stuart Daft and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Miller.

Leigh Beeman, of Waterloo, was a guest of Truman Lehman Sunday.

Clara Sager is helping Mrs. M. Schenk with her housework this week.

Emory Lehmann started to work for H. L. Probert near Jackson Tuesday.

Ellsworth Hoppe and wife, of Chelsea, spent Sunday with G. Weber and wife.

Bert McKennie and wife, of Stockholm, spent Sunday with Mrs. R. Kruse.

F. W. Notten and wife are expected home from their trip in the west this week.

Fred Peterson, Sr., spent a few days in Jackson the past week, the guest of relatives.

Leonard Loveland attended the school officers' meeting at Ann Arbor last Thursday.

Mrs. Mary Havens is spending a few days at the home of her brother, Henry Notten.

Rev. G. C. Nollhardt attended the Preachers' Institute in Jackson Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Loveland and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Notten.

Charles Mount and wife moved to Mr. Pierce's farm, where they will stay the coming season.

Last week the ice houses in this vicinity were filled, most of the ice being taken from Notten Lake.

Mrs. Philip Fauser and daughter, spent a couple of days with the formers, parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Moore.

Herbert Harvey drew a load of household goods Saturday for his brother who is moving on the Perry Palmer farm.

Several of the married people from the neighborhood spent an enjoyable evening with Mr. and Mrs. Louis Lambert Friday.

Mrs. H. Main received a box of fine fruit from her daughter, Mrs. A. S. Mitchell, who is spending the winter in St. Petersburg, Fla.

Many of the members of both Waterloo and Francisco A. O. O. G. attended the meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Youngs.

Mr. and Mrs. John Walz, Mr. and Mrs. P. Schweinfurth and Mr. and Mrs. H. Musbach were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Harvey Sunday.

Mrs. Ehler Musbach and daughter, Mrs. M. Horning and two children, Mrs. Lewis Wild and Anson Croman, of Munith, spent last Wednesday with H. J. Lehmann and wife.

LIMA TOWNSHIP NEWS.

George Zahn was a Dexter visitor last week.

George Lindaver and son Oscar spent Tuesday in Dexter.

Mr. and Mrs. Orrin Eaton have moved to the Clayton Ward farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Heller and children spent Sunday in Dexter.

Mrs. Ed. Schneider, of Scio, spent Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. Geo. Egler.

Mrs. John Egler and son Edgar visited Mr. and Mrs. S. Smith last week.

The auction sale of Brenner Bros. on Tuesday of last week amounted to about \$3,000.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Sweetland, of Lodi, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Rentz.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Seitz moved from the Lewis Yager, Sr., farm to the Keyes place the last of the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Moore, of Lansing, spent a few days of last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Smith.

Cyril Mains, of Williamston, spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. S. Smith, and attended the funeral of Carl Easton.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Toney, who have occupied the Keyes farm for the past year, moved their household goods to Ann Arbor the last of the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Brenner, who have occupied the W. McLaren farm for the past two years, will move next week to the farm which they recently purchased of Geo. Klumpp, on the territorial road just west of Francisco.

WATERLOO DOINGS.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Vicary spent the first of the week in Detroit.

Miss Alta Leach spent one day of last week with her parents near Francisco.

Mrs. Carrie Schiller, daughter Ida, and son Oscar, of Chelsea, spent Sunday with Mrs. Fred and Albert Moeckel.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Durkee and Mr. and Mrs. Victor F. Moeckel spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jackson Armstrong and family in Jackson.

NORTH LAKE NOTES.

W. S. Baird was an Ann Arbor visitor Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Briggs spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bollinger.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Pratt, of Dexter, spent Sunday at the home of her brother, Geo. Webb.

George Bowersox, of Parma, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. VanHorn for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Clifton, of Pinckney, spent Sunday and Monday with Mrs. James Harker and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred A. Glenn, of Highland Park, were entertained at the home of Mrs. Frank Burkhardt Sunday.

Mrs. John Dunbar and Mrs. Wm. Dunbar, of Pinckney, visited the former's sister, Mrs. Mary Gilbert, Saturday.

The Ladies' Aid Society will give a chicken pie dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Noah on Friday, February 25.

Chester Scouten returned home Saturday after a week's visit with his daughter, at Niagara Falls. Mrs. Scouten will remain for a few days.

LIMA AND SCIO.

Mrs. John Bauer is quite ill with the grip.

John Heller recently purchased a work horse of Will Cushing.

Mr. and Mrs. Vern Smith are the parents of a son, born February 8th.

Gottlieb Herzog has purchased the Richard Smith farm consisting of 104 acres.

William Fletcher, of Ypsilanti, was a week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Jay Gridley.

Miss Ollie Curtiss returned home Saturday from a visit with her sister, Mrs. Sherman, of Howell.

Fred Egeler has rented the Lewis Yager farm and expects to take possession about March 1st.

Several residents of this vicinity attended the Brenner Bros. auction on Tuesday of last week.

Gottlieb Bollinger has resumed his duties on the section after an illness of several weeks with rheumatism.

John and Eugene Heller are moving to the Warner farm west of Dexter village, which was formerly occupied by Milton Booth.

SUGAR LOAF LAKE.

Miss Nina Beeman is visiting relatives in Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. T. Bott spent Sunday in Jackson.

Leo Guinan has no school this week on account of sickness.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Rowe spent Friday at the home of John Lee.

Mrs. L. L. Gorton and Mrs. Wm. Barber spent Monday with Mrs. E. E. Rowe.

S. L. Leach and son William spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Rowe.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Beeman and daughter Mae spent Sunday at the home of Charles Vicary.

John Dykenmaster is moving from Dr. G. W. Palmer's farm in Lyndon to the G. A. Koeltz farm in the same township.

SYLVAN HAPPENINGS.

Mrs. L. C. and H. W. Hayes spent Tuesday in Jackson.

Oscar Widmayer filled his ice house Monday and Tuesday.

H. W. Hayes attended the school officers meeting at Ann Arbor Thursday.

Miss Esther Widmayer spent several last week visiting Vera Gauss, of north Grass Lake.

Mrs. C. F. Frey and children, of Manchester, visited relatives in this vicinity last week.

Mrs. Peter Danison died suddenly at her home Saturday, February 19, 1916, aged 48 years. The funeral was held from the M. E. church at Grass Lake, Wednesday morning.

Andrew Bailey, who has been working on the farm of John Heselach for the past year, expects to commence work for A. Icheldinger, of Webster, about March 1st.

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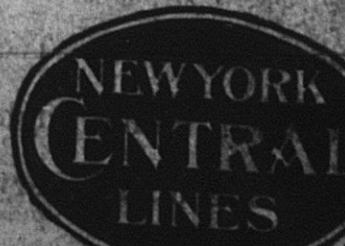
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