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### KILLED BY TRAIN ON MICHIGAN CENTRAL

Henry Simpson, Aged 67 Years, Was Struck by Train Saturday.

Henry Simpson, aged 67 years, was instantly killed Saturday morning by being struck by the locomotive on train No. 5, which is due at 8:55 o'clock. He was engaged in picking up coal along the tracks and was just east of the East street crossing.

The trainmen carried the remains to the Michigan Central station and were taken from there to the undertaking rooms of S. A. Mapes, where they are still held, no one having claimed them.

Mr. Simpson has been in Chelsea several months, making his home of Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Ellis, and came here from Chelsea.

Justice Avery empanelled the following coroner's jury: Howard S. Holmes, Andrew Sawyer, Roy Harris, Clayton Heschelwerdt, John H. Alter and E. Wisely, and the inquest will be held at the office of the Justice this evening.

### Altar Society Officers.

At a meeting of the Altar Society of the Church of Our Lady of the Sacred Heart held last Sunday the following officers were chosen for the year:

President—Mrs. John Farrell.  
First Vice President—Mrs. George Eder.

Second Vice President—Mrs. Thos. Staphis.

Secretary—Miss Nellie Savage.  
Treasurer—Miss Mary J. Miller.

An entertainment and soliciting committee will be appointed later. The Society has more than one hundred members, and is in a prosperous condition.

### Charles E. Paul.

Charles E. Paul died at his home on East Summit street, at 1 o'clock Saturday morning, February 28, 1916.

He was born in Ann Arbor, May 28, 1869, and in 1875 his parents, William and Magdalena Stein Paul, moved to Lima, and since that time he resided in this immediate vicinity. He was united in marriage with Miss Anna Luick, of Lima, on October 31, 1894, and they have made their home in Chelsea for the past fourteen years.

He was a member of the MacCabees, Modern Woodmen and Order of Moose.

For several years he has been engaged in the implement business. He has been in failing health for the last three years, and his last illness was of about two weeks' duration.

He is survived by his widow, one son, Herbert, five brothers, Henry, of Whitmore Lake, Michael, of Dexter, Chris, of Ann Arbor, Ernest and Robert, of Lansing, by two sisters, Mrs. Mary Braun, of Ann Arbor, and Mrs. Kate Niehaus, of Lima, and by one half-sister, Mrs. Fred Bahnmiller, of Lima.

The funeral was held at 1:30 o'clock Monday afternoon from the home, Rev. A. A. Schoen officiating. Interment at Oak Grove cemetery.

### "The Wild Rose."

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Bobbie, the buttons, Anna Riedel.

Maids, debutantes, chorus.

### Notice to Sylvan Taxpayers.

I will be at the Kemp Commercial & Savings Bank every Wednesday and Saturday, and Saturday evenings until March 4th, being the last day on which taxes can be paid.

THEO. H. BAHMILLER,  
Township Treasurer.

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### Cavanaugh Lake Grange Meeting.

The next regular meeting of Cavanaugh Lake Grange will be held on Tuesday afternoon, March 7th, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Miller. The following program will be given: Song.

Roll call, current events.

Select reading, Martha Harvey.

Question, Has the woman of today more to do than the woman of one hundred years ago? Led by Mrs. Gieske.

Recitation, Georg Zeeb.

Anti-Preparedness, led by C. Riemenschneider and John Miller.

Dialogue.

Closing song.

### Mrs. Henry Bertke.

Mrs. Henry Bertke died at the hospital at Ann Arbor, Sunday, February 27, 1916, aged 58 years, seven months and five days.

Mrs. Bertke was born in Stockbridge, July 22, 1857, and was the daughter of George and Sarah Carter. She was united in marriage November 21, 1894, at Grass Lake, with Henry Bertke, and they have made their home in Sylvan for the past few years. To this union four children were born, Earl, Glenn, Madeline and Clark, all of whom, with the husband, survive her.

The funeral was held Wednesday morning from the Bowe's Corner church, Sharon, interment in the cemetery at that place.

### Princess Theatre.

SATURDAY.

Last summer the first installments of the "Who Pays?" series were shown at the Princess. So much favorable comment was expressed by his patrons that Manager Geddes has decided to show the remainder of the series, starting Saturday with the third episode.

"Who Pays?" is a series of twelve splendid three part dramas, each dealing with some vital question of life.

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"Great While It Lasted" with "Lonesome Luke," comedian completes the Saturday program.

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### Card of Thanks.

Mrs. Charles E. Paul and son Herbert, by this means wish to thank their friends and neighbors for their kind assistance, also for the floral tributes from friends, Woodmen, MacCabees, Moose and pupils of the Chelsea public schools, during our recent sad bereavement.

Thos. Leach and daughters wish to thank all of their friends for the kindness and sympathy extended during the affliction through which we recently passed.

We wish to thank our neighbors and friends for all their kindness to us during our recent sad bereavement.

T. M. Hawley and Children, Miss Elizabeth Monks and Mrs. Jennie Burch.

### Firemen's Dance.

At the Dexter opera house Friday evening, March 3d. Music furnished by Chamberlain's Orchestra, of Jackson. A dance for the young and old. Old fashioned square dances and waltzes will be danced, as well as the new dances. The proceeds of the dance will go for the benefit of the Dexter Fire Company. You are cordially invited to attend. Music starts at 8 o'clock sharp. Dance bill, \$1 per couple, supper included. Spectators 15 cents.—Adv.

### K. OF P. BANQUET

#### PLEASANT AFFAIR

##### Nearly Ninety Participated in Affair

Thursday Evening.

Chelsea Lodge, No. 194, Knights of Pythias, held its annual banquet last

Thursday evening in the dining room of the Congregational church, and nearly ninety participated in the affair.

The catering was in the hands of Brookside and Harmony Chapters of the church and left nothing

to be wished for.

During the serving of the banquet Misses Jessie Clark and Izora Foster rendered a number of piano duets in a pleasing manner which elicited much applause.

After the banquet, H. D. Wetherell, the toastmaster, called the gathering to order and introduced the speakers.

William Bacon was the first one called to the floor and gave a number of instances of the results of membership in a fraternal organization.

S. P. Foster told several excellent stories and gave the toastmaster a dig or two in response to the manner of his introduction.

J. Howard Boyd pleased the company with his rendition of a vocal solo, and responded to an encore.

Dr. H. M. Armento told of some of the good things of the order, and Mrs. E. M. Stofflet, of Ann Arbor, gave a short talk about the Pythian Sisters, and urged the formation of a lodge at this place.

Grand Master-at-Arms James P. Hughes, of Grand Rapids, was then introduced, and gave a very pleasing talk about the order.



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## BREVITIES

**DEXTER**—A volunteer fire department has been organized here with Frank Harris acting as chief.

**DEXTER**—There will be but one ticket in the field here this year, the "Citizen" being the only party to hold 2 caucuses.

**PINCKNEY**—On account of the change of time for village election not being discovered until too late to give notice for the village caucus, no election will be held at Pinckney this spring. The same officers staying in for another year.—*Dispatch*.

**GRASS LAKE**—T. B. Jones, our hardware merchant, came near meeting with a serious accident last Friday caused by the bursting of the barrel of a gun he was shooting. His left hand was quite badly injured but Mr. Jones is congratulating himself that he escaped so fortunately.—*News*.

**ANN ARBOR**—Karl Fred Schaefer, for many years connected with the German newspapers of this city and a former teacher in the Scio church school, died at the home of a son here Friday night. Mr. Schaefer sustained a bad fall 14 months ago in which his hip was fractured and from which he never completely recovered.

**JACKSON**—Judge Parkinson, in the circuit court Saturday morning ordered the supervisors to meet in special session to make answer to the petition by the wets to show cause why a mandamus should not issue for them to rescind their action submitting the local option question to a vote of the people. The hearing is set for today.

**BLISSFIELD**—Blissfield is soon to be connected by wireless communication with the outside world. Verne Lathrop is now erecting apparatus and expects to have an aerial 80 feet high and about 60 feet long which will enable him to take messages from a considerable distance. For the present the station will be equipped for receiving messages only.—*Advance*.

**DEXTER**—Thomas Bell, the fur buyer, has a curiosity in the shape of a white mink. It is of ordinary size and something very rare in this section. Mr. Bell has bought fur for about 20 years and this is the first one he has ever seen here. It was caught by Ross Hincher, who resides in Livingston county, between Gregory and Pinckney, of whom Mr. Bell bought it.—*Leader*.

**TECUMSEH**—It is rumored here that the Detroit United Railroad has purchased the right of way of the old Adrian-Saline railroad, projected through Tecumseh generations ago. Twelve or fifteen years ago a survey was made through the village for a proposed electric line, but the road failed to materialize. Possibly the present report will vanish, and in place of bands of steel the old grass-grown grade of the Adrian and Saline roadbed will continue to greet the eye.

**CARLTON**—Charles L. Edwards, 47 years old, one of the most prominent residents and business men of this section of Monroe county, shot himself through the head Saturday morning and died shortly after. The act was committed shortly after the opening of the store of Edwards & Adams, the largest mercantile establishment in the county outside of Monroe. While the employees were busy on the ground floor Edwards went to the second floor and shortly afterward the sound of a revolver shot caused members of the firm and clerks to rush upstairs. They found him lying on the floor. He had been ill and dispondent it was said.

**Auction Sale.** Raymond McKune will sell at public auction his personal property on the John Howlett farm, Lyndon, on Tuesday, March 7th, commencing at 12:30 p. m., seven head of cattle, Black Top ewes, hogs, chickens, household goods and a quantity of hay and bean pods. E. W. Daniels, auctioneer, Dr. B. J. Howlett, administrator.

Albert West will sell at public auction the personal property on his farm in Sylvan, on Friday, March 10, commencing at 10 a. m., seven head of cattle, brood sow, chickens, farm tools, household goods, quantity of hay, cornstalks, oats and corn. Good lunch at noon. E. W. Daniels, auctioneer, Albert E. Winans, clerk.

O. C. Burkhart will sell at public auction the personal property on the premises known as the Thos. Fletcher farm, Lima, on Thursday, March 9th, commencing at 10 a. m., 7 head of horses, 15 head of cattle, 100 Black Top ewes, hogs, farm tools. Good lunch at noon. E. W. Daniels, auctioneer, Albert E. Winans, clerk.

Owen McIntee will sell the personal property on the premises known as the Chas. Hathaway farm in Sylvan, at public auction, on Wednesday, March 8, commencing at 12 o'clock noon, 11 head of horses, 13 head of cattle, hogs, fowls, farm tools, and grain. Irving Kalmbach, auctioneer, Chas. Hamilton, clerk.

## CORRESPONDENCE

### WATERLOO DOINGS.

Albert Moeckel was a Chelsea visitor Friday.

Mrs. August Koelz spent Monday in Ann Arbor.

Milton Riethmiller was a Jackson visitor Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Durkee were Jackson visitors Thursday.

Born, Thursday, February 24, 1916, to Mr. and Mrs. Alyva Beeman, a son.

Earl Beeman, who has been ill for some time with rheumatism is able to be about again.

Mrs. Jane Udell, of St. Thomas, Ont., is visiting her niece, Mrs. Hazel Frey.

Emory Lehman, who is working near Jackson, spent Sunday in Francisco.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Gochis entertained their cousin, from Ann Arbor, Tuesday.

Henry Seid, of Jackson, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Seid.

Mrs. Fred Schubholz and children, of Jackson, were recent visitors of Mrs. S. M. Horning.

Mrs. Emma Hayes, of Jackson, spent part of last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Seid.

Mrs. Louis Walz, who has been in poor health since before Christmas, is gaining, and seems to be well on the road to recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Hammond will move into the parsonage as soon as it is vacated by Mr. and Mrs. John Lehman, who are going to move on the Adam Kalmbach farm near Chelsea.

Fred Prince has received his shingle machine and expects to have it in operation in a few days.

Chas. Vicary returned home last Friday from Detroit where he spent several days of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Durkee entertained a number of friends at their home Wednesday evening.

Miss Laura Moeckel, who has been working in Chelsea for some time, is spending this week at home.

A surprise party with biscuit and maple syrup for lunch was given Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Gorton Tuesday evening.

The survey has been partly made for the big ditch and the commissioner expects to begin throwing out the dirt by May 1st.

Floyd Durkee has returned to the home of his brother here from a two months visit with relatives in Van Wert, Ohio, and Perry, Mich.

C. C. Dorr attended a meeting of the commissioners of the poor at Ann Arbor, Tuesday.

O. Ackley has returned to his home at Ovid, after spending some time at Mrs. A. Cooper's.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Troelz have moved to Jackson. We shall miss them from our community.

The North Sharon Grange will hold its next regular meeting at W. D. Alber's next Tuesday evening.

The Epworth League Bible study class meets with Mr. and Mrs. James Struthers Saturday evening of this week.

Miss Elizabeth Lemm, of Detroit, and Miss Gordon Cliff, of Jackson, visited their mother, Mrs. Eliza Lemm, last week.

Mrs. Katherine Heeschewerd, of Ann Arbor, spent last Thursday with her mother, Mrs. Mary Merker.

John Lehman will move on the Adam Kalmbach farm in a short time. Mr. and Mrs. Kalmbach will move to Detroit.

Mesdames L. C. and H. W. Hayes spent Tuesday at the home of the latter's mother, Mrs. H. J. Reno in Rochester.

While sawing wood last Friday, Geo. Fauser got his clothing caught on a shaft and was seriously injured.

Mrs. Mary Wasser is spending this week in Chelsea.

Dewald Saine, of Cadillac, visited Mrs. Mary Merker Tuesday.

Oscar Widmayer spent the weekend with relatives at Manchester.

B. C. Whitaker sold a fine lot of fat steers to Mr. Binder, of Jackson, recently.

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Miss Frances Boyce conducted the devotional meeting of the Epworth League last Sunday. Miss Clara Holden will have charge of the services next Sunday.

C. J. Heeschewerd has returned home after spending the winter with his brothers George and Jacob, at Santa Barbara, Cal. He is at present with his son Milton and family in Rochester.

G. W. Coe was a Detroit visitor Wednesday.

Mrs. Harry Hammond was in Ann Arbor Monday.

Mrs. Wm. Foer and children left Saturday evening for their home in Toledo.

Mrs. John Frymuth, of Chelsea, spent Wednesday with her sister, Mrs. Addison Webb.

Miss Emma Kaecher, of Ann Arbor, spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Vern Combs.

Report of the school in district No. 8, Lima. Those not tardy nor absent for the month of February are: Esther Koegeler, Arthur Wacker, Lillian Hathaway, Erwin Haist, Helen Koch, Arthur Barth, Emma Grieb, Dorothy Schanz, Roy Koch, Elsiea Koegeler, Norman Wacker, Lorine Haist, Helen Koch, Lawrence Wacker. There was no tardiness during the entire month. The champion speller for the month was Lillian Hathaway. Louise B. Niles, teacher.

Several residents from this vicinity attend the box social given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Mast, of Webster, Friday evening.

Gottlob Herzog has rented his farm which he recently purchased of the Richard Smith estate to Clifford Green, who has resided on the premises for several years.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Cavanaugh, who have resided on the farm of the late Rev. Dr. Chas. O'Reilly for the past few years, moved to a farm near Blissfield, the first of this week. During their residence here they have gained many friends who regret their removal from this community.

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### LYNDON ITEMS

Stanley

## COVERED STOCK YARDS WANTED

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COVER STOCK PENS.

### CATTLE SHIPPING INHUMAN

If Farmer Should Care for His Stock  
As Shipper Does, He Would Be  
Brought to Court and Fined.

Lansing—Twenty-five representatives of Michigan railroads heard their corporations attacked, and themselves referred to as inhuman because stock yards in the state are not covered. Speakers on behalf of the live stock shippers did not mince words. They wanted the railroad commission, before whom the matter was heard, to issue an order compelling covering of stock pens. As a compromise the shippers will furnish the commission with a list of points where they think covers should be placed. The commission will turn this list over to the carriers and another hearing will be held.

F. E. McConnell, of Allen, president of the Tri-State Livestock Shippers, contended that the losses sustained by shippers in shrinkage by reason of sheep and hogs being left in uncovered pens and dying of exposure was enormous. "I know that if a farmer should care for his stock as a shipper has to in the yards, he would quickly be brought to court and fined. On behalf of the railroads the statement was made that the expense would be too great, that money spent in that way would better serve the patrons of the road in other lines. General Managers Alfred, of the Pere Marquette, and Towles, of the Ann Arbor, both insisted that the amount of live stock shipments and the revenue accruing therefrom would not justify the enormous expenditure.

"Last year our road," said Mr. Towles, "received a revenue of six cents a car mile for the handling of live stock shipments. The interstate commerce commission has said that a railroad should get 14 cents a mile for any commodity."

### STRANGE CASES IN ESCANABA

Drowsy Feeling Followed By Long  
Sleep and Death.

Escanaba—The residents of this place are wondering if it's something in the air. Two persons within a month have gone to sleep and have not been awoken for many hours. One, Augustine Beauchamp, six years old, died without reviving. Dora Peterson, 18 years old, felt drowsy at a party. She lay on a couch while companions twitted her about staying up late at night. They thought she was shamming. Efforts to awaken her, however, were in vain, and she was removed to her parents' home after the other guests had departed. After 140 hours, more than five days, during which time only a little food was forced into her body, she awoke. She is weak and physicians fear her health will be injured permanently. For several days she was unable to talk, but could hear and understand when spoken to.

### THE CRUISE OF OSCAR II

Said to Have Cost Four Hundred  
Thousand Dollars.

Detroit—The peace expedition sent to Europe on board the Oscar II cost Henry Ford \$400,000, according to Gaston Plaintiff, financial manager for the peace ship cruise. Tips to the amount of \$26,000 were given by the members of the expedition, and Henry Ford achieved the distinction of paying the greatest hotel bill ever paid by an individual when he gave \$160,000 to the hotelkeepers of Christiania, Stockholm, Copenhagen and The Hague for the accommodation of his guests. Wireless messages cost \$10,000 alone, and it cost Mr. Ford \$9,500 for railroad fares. He spent \$40,000 to bring the voyagers back home.

### MICHIGAN NEWS ITEMS

William P. Lovett resigned a position with the Grand Rapids Press to assist the committee which represents the Anti-Saloon league, State Grange, Gleaners, W. C. T. U. and a big element of business men organized locally in Detroit, Grand Rapids, Lansing and many other cities. He was with the Press nearly six years as staff correspondent, reporter and editorial writer.

Michigan Welfare league has decided to ask Governor Ferris to use his influence with Otis Fuller, warden, to establish the honor system in the Ionia state reformatory.

James Pollington, 28, of Rose City, is under arrest at Sault Ste. Marie suspected with counterfeiting. The police say Pollington had counterfeit silver dollars, halves and quarters in his possession when arrested and that molds, melting pots and metal were found in his room. The case has been turned over to the federal authorities.

### MICHIGAN NEWS BRIEFS

Governmental experts have started a campaign of education on hog cholera in Lansing.

The residence and blacksmith shop of Guiles, of Hadley, burned with a loss of \$3,000.

A full-time health officer for every city of more than 5,000 is proposed by state authorities to check the spread of tuberculosis.

Blissfield churches were closed Sunday and the schools will be closed this week, following the discovery of two cases of scarlet fever.

The local coastguard station at Muskegon, which begins service March 1, is opening half a month earlier than ever before.

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Steps have been taken to organize a military company in Adrian, composed entirely of business and professional men. It will be known as the Business Men's Training battalion.

Pasaville Palmerie, aged 90, for 50 years a resident of Detroit, died as he read of operations against the Austrian in the Trent valley. Saturday. He was an officer in General Garibaldi's army in 1848.

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Negotiations that may bring William Jennings Bryan and former Congressman Richmond Pearson Hobson to Michigan to campaign for the state prohibition amendment have been undertaken by the Anti-Saloon league campaign committee.

Governor Ferris has issued requisition papers for Paul Morton, alias Pickford, under arrest in Alabama, on a charge of passing worthless checks at Paw Paw. Morton is said to have represented himself as a brother of Mary Pickford, the actress.

The Briscoe Motor corporation will have to pay the full franchise fee for its reincorporation, so the board of appeals in foreign corporations, consisting of Attorney-General Fellows, Treasurer Haarer and Auditor-General Fuller, has decided. The decision means \$2,000 to the state.

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### SINKS IN MEDITERRANEAN

Cause of Disaster Not Given Out—But It Is Believed a Torpedo Sent It to Its Fate.

Paris—The French auxiliary cruiser La Provence was sunk in the Mediterranean last Saturday with the loss of 930 lives, according to an official statement issued by the minister of marine. Eighteen hundred persons were aboard La Provence. Of this number, the minister of marine estimates 870 were saved. Four hundred survivors have arrived at the Greek island of Melas and 296 others have landed at Malta. Nothing has been given out by the ministry as to the cause of the disaster. There are rumors, however, that La Provence was torpedoed and sunk by a German or an Austrian submarine.

La Provence was engaged in the transatlantic passenger service before she was requisitioned by the government for war service. Recently she has been conveying troops to Saloniki and it is supposed that most of the persons aboard her were soldiers.

La Provence was one of the largest and finest of the French line vessels. Her gross tonnage was 13,752. She was built at Nantes in 1905. Was 602 feet long, 65 feet beam and 38 feet deep.

At the time she was launched La Provence was the fastest transatlantic liner ever built in France. She covered her maiden voyage to New York over the course between Havre and Sandyhook in 6 days, 9 hours and 10 minutes, the fastest passage by sea between two hours which had been made between the two points.

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Carries Appropriations of \$321,000,000 to Operate Postal System Coming Year.

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Washington—Over bitter and persistent opposition the house passed the annual postoffice appropriation bill with its provisions for substituting a space basis for the present weight system of paying railroads for carrying mails and prohibiting any increase in the existing limit of 50 pounds on parcel post packages. The measure carries appropriations aggregating \$321,000,000 to operate the postal system during the coming year. The fight against the space payment plan, long advocated by the postoffice department and vigorously opposed by the railroads, was led by Representative Cannon, of Illinois. His proposal that the matter of rate adjustment be left to the interstate commerce commission was defeated 79 to 54.

The 50-pound limitation was attached to the bill upon motion of Representative Madden, of Illinois, who asserted that its purpose was to keep the government out of the freight business." The bill finally was passed without a record vote. A motion to send it back to the committee was voted down 174 to 139.

The house bill left determination as to what roads should be improved entirely up to the state highway commissioners. The senate bill makes the commissioners and the secretary of agriculture joint judges in this particular. As in the case of the house bill, each state is required to appropriate in like amount to the sum advanced by the government. The entire cost of maintenance must be borne by the state.

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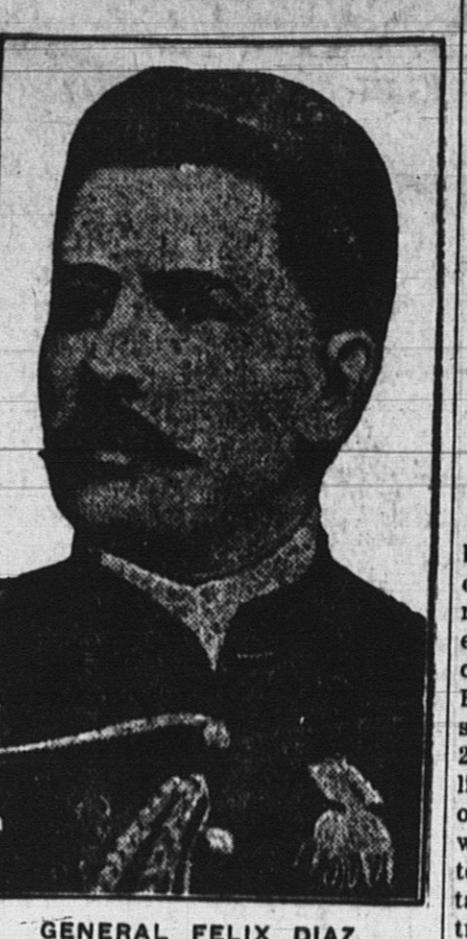
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GENERAL FELIX DIAZ.

London—That the Germans have been decisively checked north of Verdun, but are gaining ground in their new offensive to the east and southeast of the fortress, is the substance of news of the fighting around the French stronghold. The German assault has centered itself in the past 24 hours in an attack on the French line on the Woerre plain to the east of the fortress over a front 12 miles wide. Here the Germans, according to the official Berlin statement, have taken Dieppe, Abacourt, Blanzy, Watrion, Munheues and Champien.

These successes give the Germans possession of the line along the road extending from Dieppe, seven miles northeast of Verdun, to Champion, 13 miles southeast of the fortress. Not only have they pushed the line from the east and southeast, thus taking important steps toward cutting off the fortress, but they have won possession at several points of the railroad running north and south five miles east of Verdun, a gain of great value to the continued strength of the St. Mihiel salient in the road, Eix, at the foot of the Cotes Torriane on Sunday but lost it again that night. Manheues and Fresnes were attacked also on Sunday but were able to repulse the assaults. Manheues now has fallen and Fresnes, although still holding out, has been practically surrounded. Fresnes is an important highway center and also is on the Verdun-Commercy railroad.

On the northern Verdun front there was little activity, although the Germans resumed without success their violent attacks in the region of Doumont.

After they had been driven back in hand to hand encounters with the French troops in this region, the Germans appear to have abandoned for the time being their attempts to push this northern line further toward the fortress until more support was obtained from the east.

### VOTE ON ARMED SHIP POLICY

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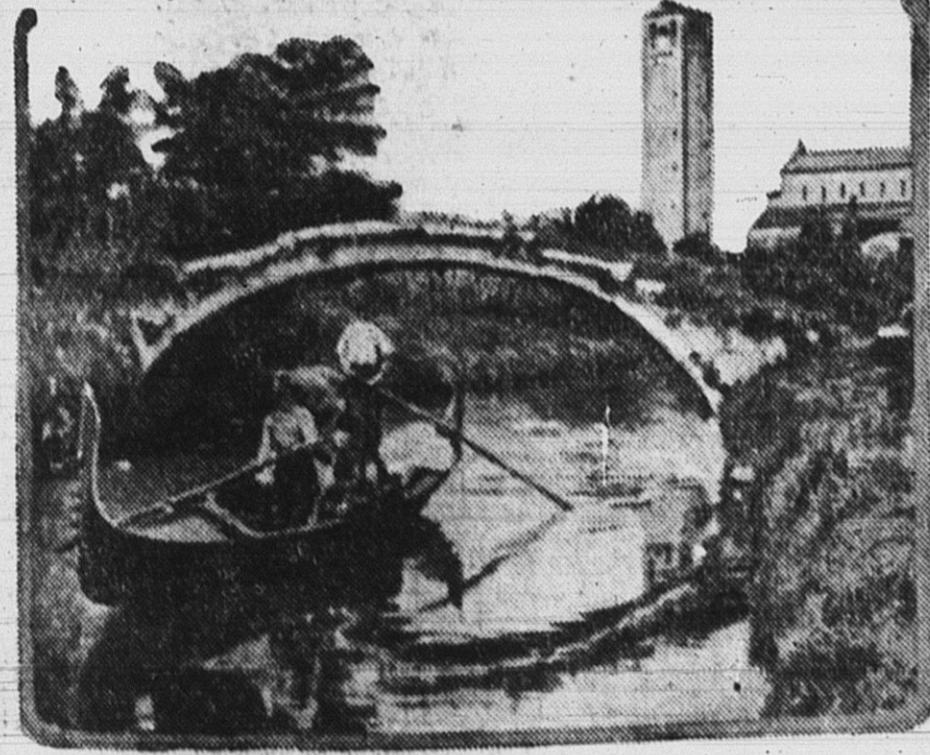


SANTA TOSCA

**W**HEN Attila and his Huns invaded Italy in A.D. 453 they destroyed Altinum among other cities. The folk of Altinum took refuge on an island in the lagoon and founded Torcello. In the pressure of those miserable days, when the German invaders almost succeeded in destroying the civilization which Greece and Rome had slowly built up during a thousand years of wise labor, the lagoon islands became a place of retreat for various harried peoples, who fled to them for shelter, as in our days so many distressed Belgians have fled to Holland and England, writes Sir Martin Conway in *Country Life*. That was how Venice and Malamocco were called into being; but Torcello was the first of these cities of refuge. It was likewise for a long time the chief city of the lagoons; the first Doge whose name is remembered had his seat of government there.

Venice, for all its antiquity, throbs with contemporary life. To go from it to Torcello is to plunge into the past. The very transit by gondola matches also that transition. From the city of the living you float past the city of the dead, and so over the wide lagoon to Burano. Then come devous channels among sand banks and low lying islands, inhabited, if at all, by malaria-stricken folk. At last Torcello rises before you with its imposing group of churches and its insignificant cluster of houses. There stands the cathedral with its Romanesque campanile and near by the arched octagon of Santa Fosca. Gone is all else of importance that once arose here in pride. A ruined baptistery can still be traced. The small plaza retains an unimposing medi-

**Beautiful Byzantine Sculpture.**  
That the four great sculptured slabs should be so perfectly preserved is matter for great satisfaction, no more



Waterway Near the Cathedral.

eval town hall and the loggia where laws were proclaimed. That is all. A few fishing boats alone represent the fleet of merchant vessels that in the tenth century filled the great haven whereof Constantine Porphyrogenitus wrote. Moreover, the whole aspect of the place is one of abandonment. Grass grows in the streets. There is nothing going on. The only modern life is that brought by the visitors who come to see the dead city.

**Churches are Restorations.**

It follows that he who would taste the abiding and most rare charm of Torcello must not visit it in a crowd. He must come alone, or at most with one or two sympathetic companions, and he must have plenty of time to spare, for such visions as these cannot be apprehended in a few hurried moments.

They do not strike a hasty beholder; they creep into the consciousness of one who yields himself entirely to their slow, insidious penetration. Neither the cathedral nor Santa Fosca are in fact nearly so old, in their present condition, as they seem to be. One would willingly enough accept them as of early Christian date, for both the basilica and the round church are built on ancient lines and conform to early architectural forms. The first cathedral on this spot was that built in mid-seventh century by Altinum refugees; possibly one carved stone from that may survive. In 884 and again in 1008 the building was seriously dealt with, and the first restoration amounted to a rebuilding, though, to some extent, on the old lines and preserving the original apses.

In the year 1008 a further restoration was taken in hand, this time under strong Byzantine influence and

finely decorative work of a Byzantine chisel being in our day anywhere discoverable. On the best of them a pair of peacocks, facing one another, are pecking at the contents of a bowl which is raised on a column between them. The rest of the space is filled with whorls of tendrils, and the whole is framed within a border, adorned with a series of these charming rosettes within circles which decorated every Byzantine lady's ivory jewel-casket of that time. As for the ambo, or pulpit, that was pulled to pieces at a later date and set up again in an altered position and a blundering fashion, so that the parts are all wrongly arranged and many are missing.

About the time when the ambo was being pulled to pieces the cathedral underwent a further restoration. Its inlaid floor was then put down and mosaic pictures were affixed all over its west wall and in some other places. But by that date the best age of Byzantine art was passed, and the west wall mosaics, though still highly interesting in spite of much radical restoration, are not very beautiful. Torcello had lost its importance and no longer could command the resources of more prosperous days.

It was, however, at this time that the little church of Santa Fosca received the form which it still retains. Originally it was a small three aisled basilica, with a little apse at the end of each aisle. For what reason and by whom the church was rebuilt in its present octagonal, porticoed shape is not recorded. Nothing of the original church remains except two of the little apses. The rest is all built on rather an ambitious Byzantine model and was evidently intended to be surmounted by a dome.

## GATHERED SMILES

**MOST WORTHY.**

St. Peter was nodding at the pearly gate when the soul of a faithful wife sought admittance.

"What have you to say for yourself?" asked the saint.

"I was married to my husband for 30 years. Every time we gave a dinner party he told the same old jokes and I always laughed heartily."

"Enter, my good woman," said the saint, much affected. "The book of your life is wondrously free from stain, but had you conducted yourself far otherwise, your great forbearance would have entitled you to a place here."

**Against Additional Expense.**

Young Mrs. Green (to neighbor)—I'm having such trouble keeping our food. I bought a real nice-looking refrigerator, but it doesn't seem to work well at all.

Neighbor—Do you keep enough ice in it?

Mrs. Green—Ice? I hope you don't think, after spending all that money on a refrigerator we'd go to the additional expense of buying ice.

**Family Trials.**

Beggar—Say, mister, would yous gimme a quarter ter buy some medecine for me poor sick wife?

Merchant—Get out! You're a fraud. Only last week I gave you 50 cents to help bury your wife that you said had just died.

Beggar—Yes, dat's right. Dis one wot's sick now is me second wife. See?

**How They Love Each Other.**

Miss Fayette—When Jack proposed to me last night he acted like a regular fool.

Miss Blunt—Naturally! He was doing a very foolish thing.

**EMBARRASSING QUESTIONS.**

I suppose your little ones ask you many embarrassing questions?

Yes, they are just like their mother.

**Follow His Example.**

A prudent man was William Mars, who traveled mostly on his feet. He'd always look for motor cars. Before he'd start across the street.

**Miscreant.**

Bess—You interest me strangely. Jack—as no other man ever has.

Jack—You sprung that on me last night.

Bess—Oh, was it you? Pardon me for repeating.—Judge.

**Brutal.**

Old Maid (showing rare coins)—This coin was made in 1790.

The Brute—Why didn't you spend it when it was new?—Froth.

**At the Cotillion.**

Soph—Your girl is a wonderful dancer but for two things.

Junior (elated at compliment paid his girl)—Yes, I think so, too, but what are the two things?

Soph (beating a hasty retreat)—Her feet.—Nebraska Awgwan.

**Conceded.**

"At any rate, you were crazy to marry me," said Mrs. Naggs, at the end of a rather lengthy argument.

"I realize that now," answered Mr. Naggs. "All my friends told me so, but I wouldn't believe them."

**He Was Loaded.**

Mrs. Boosey—John, you were very careful last night.

Mrs. Boosey—How so?

Mrs. Boosey—You put all of your clothes in bed and started to go to sleep in the wardrobe.

**Extravagant.**

"That hat is surely a Paris model." "Oh, how unpatriotic. And besides, it simply couldn't be copied." Megendorfer Blaetter (Munich).

**Feminine Intelligence.**

Miss Rather—Do you believe men like women with intelligence?

Miss Clever—Yes, provided they have enough of it to refrain from impressing a man with his ignorance.

**Helping the Garden Along.**

Flatbush—I notice they have been successful in forcing vegetable growth by electric lights.

Bensonhurst—Good! That ought to give the seeds a chance to sprout before the hens wake up in the morning.

**Small Boy—Yes, miss—the station house.**

"There goes a kind man. The last time I went to him I didn't have a cent, and he gave me all he could."

"What was that?"

"Thirty days."

**Natural History.**

A gripe germ's ways are very sad.

His intellect's obtuse.

He has a disposition bad.

And kindness is no use.

**The Truth Comes Out.**

"No ma'am," protested the unlaundred hobo, "youse is mistaken in 'linkin' dat drinkin' is one uv me failin's."

"Well," rejoined the kind old lady as she handed him a couple of pennies, "appearances are sometimes deceitful. So you never drink?"

"Course I does," answered the hobo. "But as I wuz erbout t' say, drink is one uv me greatest successes."

**The Backward Kind.**

"This is an age of specialists. The man who devotes all his energy to one thing usually succeeds."

"So I hear."

"By the way, what's your specialty?"

"I teach people how to remember."

"I presume you get good results?"

"Pretty fair, although some of them forget to pay me after I have taught them how to remember."

**Doubtful Popularity.**

Blondine—I wish I knew just how popular Gerty Giddigad is.

Brunetta—She seems to have plenty of callers.

That's what mystifies me."

"Mystifies?"

"Yes; I don't know whether they are gentleman friends or installment agents."

**Slow Delivery.**

Grace—Yes, she loves to play whilst, but it almost drives her crazy.

Harry—How so?

Grace—Why, she has an impediment in her speech, and by the time she can ask, "What's trump?" it's something else.

**One of Many.**

Pat—Ol'm askin' ye, Molk, wus yes ivver struck by loightin'?

Mike—Manny's th' tolme, me b'y.

Pat—Ye's don't mane it!

Mike—Sure, an' Ol' do. Hoven't Ol' been married these tin years, bigorry?

**Charitable.**

"That chap Griggby is absolutely selfish. He never thinks of anybody but himself."

"Don't say that. I know for a fact that when his clothes get too shabby for his valet to wear he gives them to the poor."

**THE LIMIT.**

"When I see what Digs accomplish I am moved to admiration. He has great endurance."

"Yes; that man has the constitution of a social debutante."

**And Big Ones.**

He—Checks seem to be the style down here.

She—Yes; I had to send to hubby for another one today.

**Always Open.**

Sunday School Teacher—Children, do you know the house that is open to all, to the poor, the rich, the sad, the happy, to man and to woman, to young and to old—do you know the house I mean?

Small Boy—Yes, miss—the station house.

## Meeting Requirements of Modes in Model in Perfect Taste



A party frock for the social bug, which does its American designer no end of credit, tells its pretty story in the picture above. But half its charm must be left to the imagination, since it lies in combination of colors. Delicate, but not too pale shades of pink and blue, with the introduction of silver lace, make up a flowerlike conception which it is an inspiration to look at.

The underskirt of pink silk net contrives to be fairly full about the hips, and very full about the ankles by the simple and lovely expedient of the band of silver lace insertion set in, like a girdle, below the hips. It is piped at each side with a cord, covered with pink satin, and the net is gathered to it. This allows the flounce to be much fuller than the upper portion. The bounce is bound at the bottom with a cord covered with satin. Over this underskirt a second skirt of blue net falls, covering its entire length. It is bound with blue satin, which causes it to stand out about the bottom.

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All the requirements of the modes of the hour are met by this model of good taste in using them. The very full skirt, the close-fitting bodices and the airy fabrics that fashion approves find expression in it.

The combination of blue and pink, which is a French suggestion, is only one of several combinations of color that might be embodied in a frock made in the same way. But pink and blue used together are met with so often in displays of spring apparel, (notably in millinery) that it promises to be a feature in coming fashions.

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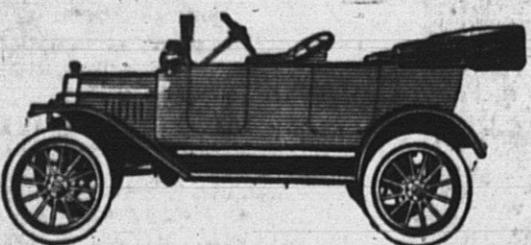
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### PERSONAL MENTION.

J. D. Colton spent Wednesday in Grass Lake.

Dr. and Mrs. A. L. Steger are in Detroit today.

Mrs. Nellie BeGole spent Saturday in Ann Arbor.

Mrs. H. Leek, of Ann Arbor, spent Friday in Chelsea.

Orrin Winans, of Grass Lake, was a Chelsea visitor Friday.

Fred Broesamle, of Detroit, spent the week end in Chelsea.

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

Robert Inskip, of Ann Arbor, was a Chelsea visitor Saturday.

Howard Congdon, of Ypsilanti, was a Chelsea visitor Saturday.

Gerald D. Grahert, of Detroit, spent Sunday with relatives here.

C. E. Kantlehner, of Highland Park, was a Chelsea visitor Sunday.

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### A Few Stray Epigrams or Otherwise

BY S. M. B. F.

A boy whistles before an emergency, and a girl hums. It is for the same purpose in both cases.

"Preparedness" is the subject before the House, and the newspapers seem interested in the discussion too.

A stout heart under some circumstances is a poor crutch to lean upon, and defiance is only another name for misery.

Those who are the happiest are those who do the most for others. This is a lesson that all young people need to learn.

A man can never find anything without the assistance of a woman, and he is forever under the impression that when something is needed, whether it is a rope or a rake or a slice of bread and butter, it's the business of the "women folks" to know just where it is.

Love knows quite well by the inflection of the voice whether the lover is at ease with himself or not, and a true wife does not need to be told that things have gone right with the husband she loves. She knows by the tread on the sidewalk long before he reaches the house, and by the quality of his voice, even when he makes an effort to disguise it. Nothing can be hidden from an intuitive mind, especially when she has lived with a person for several years.

Well do we remember how we listened for the quick, nervous tread on the walk, of one loved and honored above anyone else, and whom we cannot, if we listened ever so attentively, again hear while mortality exists in this frail form of ours. But a rope that reaches out and takes hold of eternity buoys us up and bids us rejoice even when the ills of life remain.

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GAVE HER AWAY

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Wood have returned from Syracuse, N. Y., where they spent seven weeks with Mrs. Wood's sister.

Mrs. Ella Vogel and granddaughter, Ruth Youngs, of Ann Arbor, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Q. W. Goetz and family, of Dexter township.

Democratic Caucus.

The Democrats of Lima township will hold their caucus at the town hall, Saturday, March 11, 1916, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of nominating township officers and to transact such other business that may come before the meeting.

Dated March 1, 1916.

BY ORDER OF COMMITTEE.

ANN ARBOR—Fire started in the University School of Music building Tuesday morning, and did several hundred dollars damage. Several pianos, untouched by fire, were ruined by the smoke and water. It is thought that the fire was caused by an overheated furnace pipe. The loss is covered by insurance.

Mr. Borem Wright—I'm sorry Miss Kutting isn't in. Tell her I called, will you?

The Maid (absently)—I did, sir.

"What is a counter attack, 'pa'?"

"When your mother goes shopping, Johnny."—Judge.

There will be a special meeting of Olive Lodge, No. 156, F. & A. M., Tuesday evening, March 7th. Work in third degree, followed by lunch. Visiting brothers invited.

There will be a special meeting of Chelsea Lodge, No. 194, K. of P., Monday evening, March 6th, at 7:30 o'clock. All members are urged to be present. Wm. Bacon, K. of R. & S.

What is a counter attack, 'pa'?"

"When your mother goes shopping, Johnny."—Judge.

For results try Standard "Wants."

# New Goods

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## All Departments

## GOD OF BATTLES

By FRANK FILSON.

Edwards, listening could plainly hear the sound of the German says being driven toward the Canadian trenches. It was eerie, listening there by the light of the electric torch, burrowing like a mole beneath the slushy Flanders soil, and crouching knee-deep in water, to prevent striking his head against the timbered roof.

He wondered often whether the Germans had heard him. Each side was protecting a sap against the trenches of the enemy. When the saphead was ready hundred of pounds of gunpowder would be ignited; there would be a devastating explosion, and the trenches, damaged beyond repair, would be occupied by the troops behind.

It was thus a race between the Canadians and the Germans. The sap, extended outward from the Canadian lines, was now parallel with that of the enemy, and the extremity of each was barely a dozen yards from that of the other.

The sappers were resting in the traverse behind. Edwards sat alone in the water, figuring out the plan. So many yards, so many cubic feet of timber . . . Milly, to Toronto; his thoughts always recurred to her.

They were to have been married a month ago. But he had been fighting with his contingent for seven weeks, and the marriage was postponed indefinitely—forever, probably. Not many men would come back to Canada; those that did would be crippled beyond repair.

As he crouched there, to his astonishment he found that he could hear the voices of the Germans. There was



Edwards Did Not Throw the Bomb.

a flaw in the ground, a section of the crumbling rock, soft as chalk, had "slipped," probably as a result of the subterranean operations, leaving a crack in the earth, imperceptible, but conveying sounds clearly.

Two men were talking. Edwards smiled rather painfully at that. He, as the engineer, had nobody to talk to during those rare minutes when work was suspended. His task was to crouch in the water at the end of the sap, waiting until the time came for a resumption of work. The German was situated more fortunately.

He could not hear the voices of his own men. They had retired to the traverse, their headquarters, waiting for the relieving party. It was time for the resumption. He left the sap-head and, bending double, trudged back toward them through the water. Suddenly the earth rocked about him. He was flung to the bottom of the sap by a terrific explosion. The plank roof collapsed over his head. Stunned, dazed, bewildered, he managed by a supreme effort to keep his face above the water.

In a few moments he understood what had occurred. A shell from a German 42-centimeter gun had fallen squarely above the opening of the sap, obliterating it and destroying all the men of his company.

He stretched out his arms and felt the wall that blocked the entrance. He called in a low voice, but there came no response. His electric torch had gone out, shattered by the force of the explosion. He was alone, twelve feet beneath the surface of the earth, between which and himself there intervened the solid timbered roof.

The air was already filled with the creeping fumes of the explosive. Edwards crawled back toward the sap-head. He crouched there, considering. He could still hear the murmur of the voices of the hostile party. But they seemed clearer.

Edwards felt the earth wall cautiously. His fingers touched the damp, impenetrable mass and found no crevices; yet of a sudden he was amazed to see a tiny twinkle, apparently in the heart of the ground.

He stared at it in doubt; presently his fate came to them in the form of the scattering shrapnel. Edwards and the Saxon fell together. With a last effort he raised himself upon his arm and, staring at the uninjured girl, motioned imperatively toward the distance.

And he fell back, seeing the Saxon's uncomprehending eyes fixed upon his gaze—and vanished.

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## "MOVIES" IN THE CHURCHES

Called Silent Sermons and Have Become Exceedingly Popular in Numerous Sections.

Hundreds of churches throughout the country are now equipped with all the machinery used for giving moving picture shows. The church movie, which has aptly been called the silent sermon, is proving a great success in attracting large congregations.

A great variety of special films have been prepared suitable for such use, and a clergyman in selecting a subject to his taste finds a surprising variety to choose from. There are films suitable for sermons on all the commandments, as well as many of the most familiar texts in the Bible. Several of the firms making a specialty of such films issue regular catalogues to assist clergymen in selecting silent sermons.

In scores of churches the projecting machines are part of the church furniture. The rigid laws laid down by the fire departments apply as well to churches as to theaters and the machines must be set up in fireproof metal rooms. The electric wiring is arranged so that the sermon may be turned on conveniently in the main church auditorium or the lecture or chapter rooms.

The screens and the rest of the equipment are of the usual standard type. Many of the film houses which supply churches have small theaters or exhibition rooms where a clergyman may have a trial exhibition of a silent sermon before definitely ordering it.

The film sermons are rented out at a regular rate, according to their length and the nature of the production. In producing these silent sermons a regular church service is followed, consisting of the singing of hymns, prayers and reading of the lesson. The films are carefully timed to fit into the place assigned them. Some of the catalogues of silent sermons suggest church services to accompany them, giving the numbers of appropriate hymns and Scriptural lessons.

**The Polymurist Garment.**

Some ladies in New York are at work just now hunting for the philosopher's stone. They claim to believe that a "polymurist" garment in feminine dress can be designed that will suitably clothe every type of figure, every age, for every occasion, every day, from getting up to going to bed, from the period when the girl first comes out of the nursery till she goes to her grave.

The polymurist never found the mythical stone that could turn everything to gold. Clothes problems, like the poor, will be with us always. There are ways and means of eliminating some of the problems, and it is possible to reduce all fractions except the "vulgar fractions" of mathematics to their lowest terms.

But it is a foolish waste of time and energy to hunt for the impossible. And it is impossible to find one style of dress suitable for everybody.

Nobody who is fastidious wishes to wear one costume from early morning till late at night. There is a positive psychological benefit in the bath and change of toilet that separate the working hours of the day from the hours of relaxation. Not even two (or a collection of) "polymurists" that could be worn alternately would solve our clothes needs. Suitable clothes for street and travel and business are not suitable for indoor wear.—Belle Armstrong Whitney, in Good Health.

**War's Effects in Labrador.**

The far-reaching influences of the present war are illustrated by the effect it is having on the Indian and half-blood trappers of Labrador and Hudson Bay, says an exchange. The various companies which carry on the traffic in pelts in this northern region are curtailing their operations, and although steamers of the New-

**Leave Your Order for Saturday Evening Post and Ladies Home Journal at the Standard Office.**

## Need Fair Notice.

It is said Marconi has invented a device which will enable one to see through a brick wall and detect what is going on within them. We hope the inventor will give fair notice of putting this invention on the market. The poker games will need time to hide in the basements and caves.—Houston Post.

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Otis Skinner in His Latest Comedy Success, "The Cock o' the Walk," at the Majestic Theatre, Jackson, Tuesday, March 7th.

foundland sealing fleet will go north in the coming summer, as in previous years, to take supplies for the fur-trading posts and to embark the stocks of furs and fish collected during the past twelve months, they will carry much smaller quantities of trading goods and provisions than heretofore. This policy is dictated by the fact that since the war began valuable furs have been a drug in the world's markets, and little prospect of any betterment is foreshadowed until after hostilities terminate and old-time conditions of prosperity revive.

## Pick Unearths Can of Gold.

A workman excavating for a new building uncovered with his pickax a tin can filled with gold. The amount is estimated at between \$2,000 and \$5,000. The money was divided among the men. The coins, of \$2.50, \$5, \$10 and \$20 pieces, were dated from 1840 to 1855, leaving the impression that the owner had put them in the hiding place before the Civil war. It is thought he enlisted and intended to get the money after his return.—Milwaukee Dispatch to the New York Herald.

During construction the waters are being diverted through a tunnel running around the dam. The tunnel is 487 feet long and measures 25 by 30 feet. It is large enough to pass the whole of the Boise river.

**Sky Periscopes.**

In the cities of Europe that are liable to be visited by Zeppelin airships the watchers on the lookout for raiding aircraft have suffered from stiff necks, and also eye strain from long continued gazing at the heavens to detect hostile aircraft, and to meet this difficulty opticians have devised a special form of sky periscope. This instrument is constructed on the same general principles as those used by submarines, and the type that has been so widely adopted for use in the trenches on land. The device is a simple arrangement of mirrors that the watcher can hold in his hand, and which enables him to scan the entire vault of the sky while looking down in a convenient and natural position. It has been found so convenient that a much better and more constant lookout is maintained.

**Fine Old-Time Medicine.**

That excellent combination of senna leaves and fangs which grandma used to prepare is still just as good as any all around liver regulator and laxative we know for habitual use, if anyone must use a laxative habitually. Some people say it is hard to mix. But think how good it is and how cheap! A five-cent package of senna leaves, a ten-cent box of fangs; chop fine and mix thoroughly on a plate with spatula or knife blade; preserve in a fruit jar and dole it out whenever anyone in the family needs it—a little lump, sort of a "chaw." It isn't bad to take. Best time is in the early part of the day, for senna ordinarily acts in five or six hours.—William Brady, M. D., in the Chicago News.

**Titan engines run on kerosene.**

Average cost of gasoline so far this year, 16.9 cents per gallon.

Average cost of kerosene 7.7 cents per gallon.

**Gasoline costs over 100 per cent more than kerosene.**

Gasoline is going up steadily. Kerosene is not.

At present fuel prices Titan engines, using kerosene, save their owners about 1.1 cents per horse power per hour.

Are you running a gasoline engine? What horse power is it? Figure what you'd be saving if you had a Titan kerosene engine. Rather surprising, isn't it? How long would it take that saving to pay for a Titan engine of the same size?

## International Harvester Company of America (incorporated)

Titan kerosene engines are sold by

## Dancer Hardware Co.

Chelsea, Michigan

## 13658 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 Isabella Jackson, 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 office of Archie Wilkinson in the Village of Chelsea, in the county of Washtenaw, next, at ten o'clock a. m. of each of said days, to receive, examine and adjust said claims.

Dated January 28th, 1916.

O. T. FAIRMAN  
K. A. FAIRMAN  
Commissioners.

## 13666 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 David 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 office of John Kalmbach in the Village of Chelsea, in the county of Washtenaw, next, at ten o'clock a. m. of each of said days, to receive, examine and adjust said claims.

Dated February 2nd, 1916.

O. C. BURKHART  
J. NELSON DANCER  
Commissioners.

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Dated February 2nd, 1916.

HENRY LUCIK,  
JACOB SCHNEIDER,  
Commissioners.

## Puff your way into the joys of Prince Albert!

Go ahead, quick as you lay in a stock of the national joy smoke! Fire up a pipe or a makin's cigarette as though you never did know what tobacco bite and parch meant!

For Prince Albert is freed from bite and parch by a patented process controlled exclusively by us. You can smoke it without a comeback of any kind because P. A. is real tobacco delight.

PRINCE ALBERT  
the national joy smoke

will do for you what it has done for thousands of men, not only in the States but all over the world! It will give you a correct idea of what a pipe smoke or a home-rolled cigarette should be.

Get this Prince Albert pipe-peace and makin's-peace message, you men who have "retired" from pipe and cigarette-makin's pleasure; you men who have never known its solace! Because you have a lot of smoke pleasure due you quick as you pack-your-pipe or roll-a-cigarette with P. A. and make fire!

R. J. REYNOLDS TOBACCO CO., Winston-Salem, N. C.

## Buy Prince Albert everywhere tobacco is sold: in topaz red bags, 5¢; citron red tins, 10¢; handsome round and square tins, 15¢; also in a tin that cleverly holds crystal-silica humidor with sponge-moistener top that keeps the tobacco in such fine shape.

On the reverse side of this tidy red tin will read: "Process Patented July 30th, 1907," which has made three men smoke pipes where one smoked before!

Registration Notice.

Notice is hereby given to the qualified electors of the Village of Chelsea, State of Michigan, that an annual election will be held at the town hall, within said village, on Saturday, March 11, A. D. 1916, for the purpose of registering the names of all such persons who shall be possessed of the necessary qualifications of electors, who may apply for that purpose.

WOMEN ELECTORS.

The Board of Registration of this state, being a citizen of the United States, or even a person residing in this state on the twenty-fourth day of June, eighteen hundred thirty-five; every male inhabitant residing in this state on the first day of January, eighteen hundred fifty; every male inhabitant of this state, whether born within the state or elsewhere, on the eighth day of November, eighteen hundred nine-and-fourty; and having declared his intention to become a citizen of the United States two years and six months prior to said last named day; and every civilized male inhabitant of Indian descent, a native of the United States and not a member of any tribe, shall be entitled to vote at an election unless he be an elector or entitled to vote at an election unless he shall be above the age of twenty-one years, and has resided in this state six months and one month in the town in which he offers to vote; twenty-one years and three months in the state; and has registered his name in the list of voters.

Following are the qualifications of male electors in the State of Michigan:

Each male inhabitant of this state, being a citizen of the United States, or even a person residing in this state on the twenty-fourth day of June, eighteen hundred thirty-five, and having declared his intention to become a citizen of the United States two years and six months prior to said last named day; and every civilized male inhabitant of Indian descent, a native of the United States and not a member of any tribe, shall be entitled to vote at an election unless he be an elector or entitled to vote at an election unless he shall be above the age of twenty-one years, and has resided in this state six months and one month in the town in which he offers to vote; twenty-one years and three months in the state; and has registered his name in the list of voters.

Board of Registration will be in session from 9 o'clock in the forenoon until 5 o'clock in the afternoon of said day for the purpose aforementioned.

Dated February 25, 1916.  
G. M. SWITZ, Clerk of said Village.

## Village Election.

Notice is hereby given to the qualified electors of the Village of Chelsea, State of Michigan, that the next ensuing annual election will be held at the town hall, within said village, on Monday, March 13, A. D. 1916, at which election the officers are to be chosen, viz:

One President.

One Treasurer.

Three Trustees, for two years.

One Assessor.

In accordance with the Constitution of the State of Michigan and Act 206 of the Public Acts of 1903, should there be any proposition or proposal to construct a drain in any public way, or issue of bonds, every person who possesses the qualifications of male electors and owns property assessed to taxes, and is a resident of the district or territory to be affected by the result of said election, will be entitled to vote on the question, provided such person has had his name duly registered in accordance with the provisions of said Act.

The polls of said election will be open at 7 o'clock a. m. and will remain open until 5 o'clock p. m. of said day of election.

Dated this 25th day of February, A. D. 1916.  
G. M. SWITZ, Clerk of said Village.

## Notice of Meeting.&lt;/div

# PUBLIC AUCTION

Having sold my farm I will sell the following personal property at public auction on the premises, known as the Chas. Hathaway farm, 5 miles south of Chelsea, 9 miles northwest of Manchester and 9 miles east of Grass Lake, on

**Wednesday, March 8**  
COMMENCING AT 12 O'CLOCK NOON

## 11 Head of Horses

Bay gelding, 12 years old, weight 1600; bay gelding, 13 years old, weight 1400; black mare, 12 years old, weight 1450, with foal; grey gelding, 5 years old, weight 1400; bay mare, 9 years old, with foal; driving mare, 3 years old, broke double or single; pair sorrel mares, 7 and 8 years old, weight 2400; grey colt, 2 years old in April.

## 13 Head of Cattle

Holstein cow, 5 years old, calf by side; Jersey heifer 3 years old, calf by side; Holstein cow, 5 years old, giving milk; Holstein cow, was fresh in December; Holstein heifer, 3 years old, due March 15; full-blood Jersey, 4 years old, due March 20; Durham heifer, 3 years old, due April 15; brindle cow, 9 years old, due June 1; Holstein cow, 3 years old, due Sept. 1, two heifers, 2 years old; Holstein heifer calf, Holstein bull calf.

## Hogs and Chickens

Four brood sows—One due March 15, one due April 1, and two due the last of May. Seventeen shoats. Chickens, geese and turkeys.

## Farming Tools

Manure spreader nearly new, Deering corn binder nearly new, new Deering mower, set bobs with logging bunks nearly new, new Gale corn planter, Oliver No. 99 plow, hay car and 60 feet cable, Dowagiac grain drill nearly new, Deering grain binder, 2-horse walking cultivator, 90-tooth wooden drag, spring-tooth harrow, two single cultivators, Oliver plow No. 26 nearly new, McCormick hay rake, Columbus wide tire wagon, narrow tire wagon, flat rack, stock rack, automatic cream separator, Portland cutter, surrey, top buggy, road cart, breaking cart, fanning mill, grindstone, two sets breeching harness, light driving harness, single harness, breaking harness, and many other articles. Also also a quantity of grain.

**TERMS**—All sums of \$5 and under cash, all sums over that amount one year's time on approved notes at 6 per cent.

## OWEN McINTEE

IRVING KALMBACH, Auctioneer. CHAS. HAMILTON, Clerk.

# Public Sale!

Having rented my farm I will sell the following personal property at public auction on the premises known as the old West homestead, half a mile east of Syvan Center and half a mile south of Guthrie's crossing, on

## Friday, March 10, at 10 A.M.

SEVEN HEAD HORSES—Bay mare, 5 years old, weight 1350; grey colt, coming 2 years old; two colts, coming 1 year old; bay mare, 10 years old, weight 1200, with foal; two grey mares, 15 years old, weight 2800.

SIX HEAD CATTLE—Jersey cow, 6 years old, new milch; two three-quarter blood Jersey cows, new milch; half-blood Jersey cow, 4 years old; heifer, 16 months old, with calf, heifer, 7 months old.

HOGS AND CHICKENS—Brood sow, due April 1; 34 Black Minorcas FARMING TOOLS—Deering binder, Champion mower, Champion 10-foot rake Ontario drill nearly new manure spreader, three lumber wagons, land roller, pair bobs, cutter, sulky, plow, Oliver walking plow, spring tooth harrow, spike tooth drag, hay rack, stock rack, top buggy nearly new, platform scales, corn sheller, fanning mill, road cart, cultivators, fence stretchers, ladders, harnesses, meat crock, DeLaval cream separator, milk cans, range, heating stoves, and household goods, six tons timothy hay, quantity cornstalks, oats and corn.

## LUNCH AND HOT COFFEE AT NOON

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## May Festival Attractions.

Elaborate preparations are being made for the twenty-third annual May Festival, to be held in Hill Auditorium, Ann Arbor, May 17-20. A series of concerts of more than ordinary interest is being arranged, both from the standpoint of works to be given and also from the point of view of the imposing list of artists who have been engaged. As usual the Festival will consist of six concerts, beginning Wednesday evening.

The University Choral Union will present two choral works; one, a new work which has been performed but once or twice in this country, entitled "Paradise Lost" by Bossi—the other, a familiar opera "Samson and Delilah" by Saint-Saëns, which will be given with an all-star cast.

The children's chorus, which has been a feature of the Festival for several years, will appear in an elaborate work from the pen of Pierne, entitled "The Children at Bethlehem." This concert will be given Friday afternoon.

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Morgan Kingston, tenor, of the Century Opera Company, will appear Saturday evening.

John McCormack, the famous Irish tenor, who was unable to appear last year on account of illness, will be the attraction at the Friday evening concert.

Ernestine Schumann-Heink, world famous contralto, will take the part of "Delilah" Saturday evening.

Reinald Werrenrath, the distinguished baritone, will appear Thursday evening and Saturday evening.

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## CHANGED HIS THEORY

### WEEK MAN GOT TIRED OF BEING IMPOSED UPON.

Finally Decided There Was Nothing In the Idea and Went Strongly on the Other Tack—Waxed Rich and Fat.

Once upon a time there was a man who had a wonderful disposition. Nothing ruffled him. Mild-mannered and gentle, he went about his business regularly on week-days and attended church regularly on Sundays. His favorite beatitude was, "Blessed are the meek, for they shall inherit the earth." He was constantly hoping that someone would strike him on the cheek, so that he could turn the other one, and he always kept handy a cloak, which, in obedience to the Biblical injunction, he could give also to anybody who might take his coat.

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## THE GIRL BELOW

By HAROLD CARTER.

The best thing about Mrs. Simpson's rooming house was its real privacy. Nobody knew anything about anybody else, and Mrs. Simpson never gossipied. Rawlinson, on the third floor, had often wondered as to the identity of the pretty girl on the ground floor. What did she do? She wore stylish clothes, and had just appeared in some furs that must have cost every penny of a hundred and fifty dollars. But Mrs. Simpson would have frowned on an inquiry, and Rawlinson had to go on guessing.

He had not much leisure even for that. He had been supporting himself ever since he came to town by the hardest kind of hack literary work. Now he had practically received an order from a woman's magazine for a story at \$75.

He had had a story published in a small magazine, and the editor had dropped him a note saying that a story of the same wholesome and cheery type would be considered acceptable at the price named. The editor particularly wanted a wholesome story, with a strong "love interest."

Rawlinson knew what "love interest" meant. A story of a youthful pair who committed follies for each other's sake—and how could he write that sort of story when, even at twenty-five, he had begun to despair of ever attaining success, when despair, not love, was his dominant emotion?

He had puzzled his brain for days, but suddenly enlightenment came to him.

"I'll write a story," he said, "about the sort of sweetheart I should like to have."

Once conceived, the plan was swiftly put into execution. There was a girl, simple, innocent, and sweet, and a

boy, a friend of his, who had been impudent; he had heard of her friend as Julia once. He could not be mistaken. He ran downstairs. He was a mixture of emotions; joy, indignation, hurt pride. So she had accepted the story to help him!

But when he rattled at the door and she came out, and stood before him, he could say nothing, but only stared at her speechlessly. The girl beckoned him in. And again she seemed to understand his feelings though he had not spoken.

"Now you mustn't be foolish, Mr. Rawlinson," she said. "I did know you had been asked to write a story, but the invitation came from the manager Mr. Smith. It was he who wanted it more than I. And I didn't read it—just because you were a friend. So I had nothing to do except to sign that letter. And you will forgive me for deceiving you."

"It," answered Rawlinson slowly, "may be."

And her blush was significant of his answer.

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### LOCAL ITEMS.

George Mayer has purchased a player piano.

Rural Carrier Foster will use a new Ford on route No. 4.

M. L. Burkhardt, of Lima, has purchased a Holler Eight touring car.

Lent begins this year on March 8th, and Easter Sunday will be April 23d.

Beardsley & Flaraderen have opened a pool room in the basement of the Wilkinsonsonia.

Walworth & Strieter have added a new hat case to their store equipment. It is a fine piece of furniture.

The next quarterly meeting of the Washtenaw Association of Lady Macabees will be held in Chelsea.

A flock of Black Top ewes which were sold at the B. Morris auction Wednesday, brought \$13.10 each.

The usual monthly offering for the school will be taken up Sunday, March 5, at all of the services in the Church of Our Lady of the Sacred Heart.

Mesdames J. C. Taylor, Mary Boyd, M. J. Noyes and J. F. Hieber attended the convention of the Home Missionary Society of the M. E. church at Ypsilanti last Friday.

The Eastern Star social Wednesday evening was one of the most successful ever given by the society. The ladies reproduced the farce "Fun on the Podunk Limited," which brought forth prolonged applause.

Chas. Meyers, of Ventura, Cal., accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Fred Notten on their return trip from the west where they have been spending several months. Mr. Meyer will remain in Michigan for some time visiting relatives.

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A change in the game laws went into effect at midnight Monday. For the first time in years the rabbit season closed early. The 1915 legislature made the open season from October 1 to March 1. Until October the killing of rabbits will be illegal.

Earl Chase, son of Wm. Chase of this village, who was in the employ of a seed company in Detroit for several years, has resigned his position and he and his wife have embarked in the real estate, rental and insurance business in that city under the firm name of Chase & Chase.—Manchester Enterprise.

A number of the friends of E. H. Chandler surprised him at his home Monday evening, the event being in honor of the anniversary of his birth, which occurred on February 29. As Ed only has a birthday once in a long time, his friends thought that it was no more than fair that the occasion be suitably observed.

For purposes of experiment and demonstration the state agricultural department recently took over the creameries at Alto and Nashville for a period of seven weeks. A rather startling demonstration was the fact that the butter made from cream brought in twice a week sold for 8 cents per pound more than the butter from cream brought in once a week. The difference was due entirely to the condition of the cream.

The ladies' Sodality gave a most successful leap year party at St. Mary's Auditorium Tuesday evening. The hall was beautifully decorated and there were present one hundred couple. The music was furnished by the Ladies' Orchestra, of Ann Arbor, and was very fine. Delicious refreshments were served. There was a large delegation from Jackson and Ann Arbor, and everyone had a most enjoyable time.

School Notes.

Leon Mohrlock has returned to the high school.

The seventh graders are experimenting with distilling apparatus.

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H. D. Withersell now drives a Dodge touring car.

Gerald Madden is confined to his home by illness.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Boyd will occupy the G. A. Runciman residence on Harrison street.

LaRue Shaver, son of M. A. Shaver, underwent an operation at the U. of M. hospital Wednesday.

Owen McIntire has sold his farm in Sylvan to Fred Gerard, of Detroit, who will take possession at once.

J. F. Mair went to Albion Monday where he is engaged in superintending the removal of a large steam engine.

Mrs. Lena McLaughlin announces the leasing of her farm in Lyndon to J. N. Dancer and Downer & Co., at increased rent.

J. H. Miller, of Sylvan, has accepted a position with the Bark River Bridge & Culvert Co., and expects to leave for the Upper Peninsula about the first of April.

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A hobo stole a pair of pants belonging to Glenn Barbour last Thursday and decamped. Word was received from Dexter of the arrest of a fellow there who answered the description of the thief, but when Officer Cooper looked at him, it was discovered that a mistake had been made, and the culprit is still at large, and so are the trousers.

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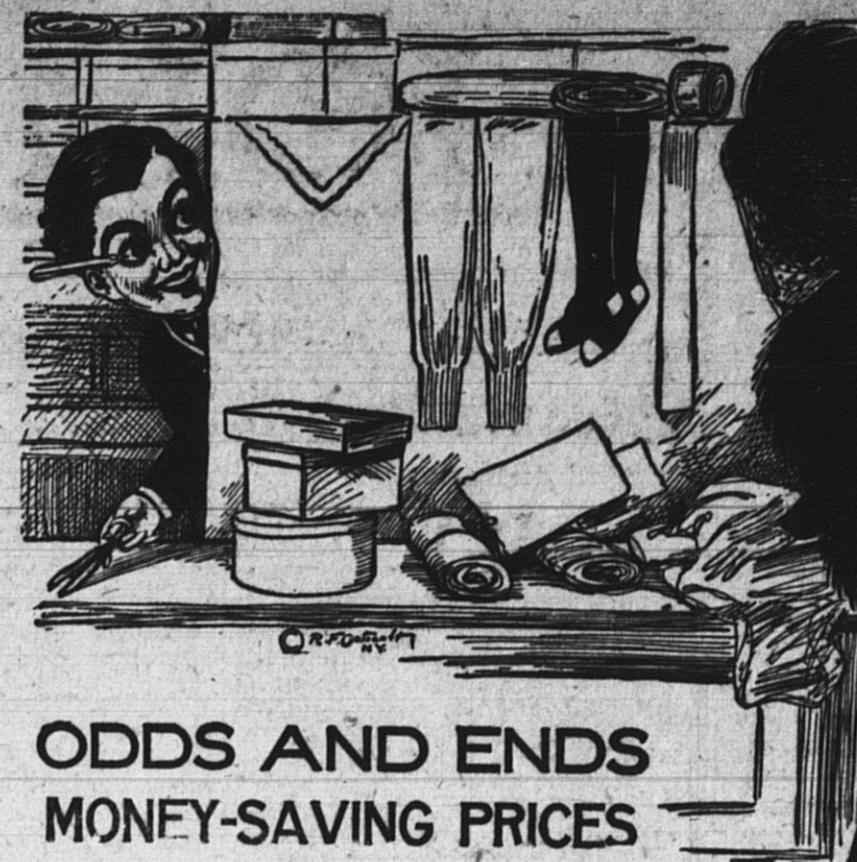
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# HOME

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**GEORGE AGNEW CHAMBERLAIN**

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### SYNOPSIS.

Alix Wayne is sent away from Red Hill home by her uncle, T. Y. Wayne, as financial failure. Clem runs after him in a tangle of short skirts to bid him good-bye. Captain Wayne tells Alix of the failing of the Wayne's. Clem drinks Wayne's health in his way. Judge Nance, Alix's father, is absent, drops everything and goes to Pernambuco. Alix leaves Alan with his employer, Gerry, and thinks she is Alix. Alix drops out of school, goes to Africa. The judge fails to trace Gerry. A baby is born to Alix. The native girl takes Gerry to the ruined plantation she is mistress of. Gerry marries her. At temple house, Collingeford sees how she misleads him. Ten Percent Wayne—building a bridge in Africa. Collingeford meets Alix and her baby and gives her encouragement about Gerry. She comes to him to say she must go home. He makes several calls in the city. Gerry begins to improve Margaretta's plantation and builds an irrigating ditch. In Africa Alan reads Clem's letters and dreams of home. Gerry passes Lieber's cattle during the drought.

**TO YOU WOMEN**  
Suppose your husband deserted you because you played a rather dangerous prank on him—danger of family dishonor? Suppose, after he had been gone two years, another man came along and laid his love at your feet? Would you do right in encouraging him? Should you wait longer for the husband?

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Gerry still waited. It was terrible to wait. Then she called to him, "Geree! Geree!" He leaped up and pounded on the door but nobody came. Yesterday they had all been servile to him; today he was nothing. He shouted, "I am here! I shall always be here!" She did not call again. He paced up and down the veranda saying to himself, "A little roll of blue ribbon—a little roll of blue ribbon!" He stumbled on the saddle that Lieber had sent him. It held his eye. He picked up the bridle and ran down to the pasture. He caught the oldest and gentlest of the horses, opened a gap in the fence and led him out. Then he called Bonifacio. "Listen," he said, "you must take the fattest of the steers—the red one with the blazed face—you must drive him into town and sell him!"

The darky demurred. "It is too late for market, master."

"It does not matter. You must do as I say," said Gerry angrily. "You must sell the steer. If you cannot sell him you must give him for blue ribbon. Do you understand? You must bring back blue ribbon for your mistress. She says you must have a little roll of blue ribbon."

Hours passed and Bonifacio returned. He laid a little package and some money before his master. He unsaddled the old horse and turned him into the pasture; then he came back, sat down at Gerry's feet and slept. Gerry looked with wonder on his nodding head. Then the door opened and Dona Maria came bustling out. "Come in," she cried; "thou art the father of a man child."

Gerry went in and knelt beside the bed. Margarita looked at him and smiled faintly, proudly. He laid the little roll of blue ribbon in her weak hand. She turned her head slowly and looked down. She saw the glint of blue and understood. She turned her eyes, swimming black pools in a white, drawn face, to Gerry. To sacrifice she added adoration.

Collingeford flushed, this time with shame. "No, of course not," he stammered.

"You see—or can't you see?" she went on, "that all this new life of mine I've hung on to a single hook of faith. I could not break out from this probation for any other man. I do not mean that a woman can love but once—not necessarily. But I do think that one's life must spring from a new chrysalis to meet a new love fairly. Second loves at first sight have a tang of the bargain counter and the ready made. Love is not a chance tenant. He must build or grow into a new home."

They walked on in a full silence. Collingeford's shoulders drooped. For the first time in his life he felt old. "You are right—you are always right," he said at last. "I shall go away—somewhere where it's easy to sweat."

"Somewhere where it's easy to sweat!" exclaimed Alix. "What an ugly thought."

Collingeford recovered himself. "Neither too thin nor too fat. It is perfection, not imperfection, that distinguishes a man. You call it a short year?" he added gravely. "It's been an eternity—not a year!"

"Oh," said Alix, "if it's Bodsky's. One mustn't quarrel with it simply because it is ugly. But—"

"But what?" said Collingeford. "I was going to say, 'But what naked language!' Perhaps it is one of those truths one shrinks from because it starts in slapping one's face. Anyway, even if it is a truth, it's horrid. It hurts a woman to be forgotten."

Collingeford smiled. "Just so," he said and stopped before an up-town ticket agency. "Do you mind?" he asked, with a wave of his hand. They went in and he bought a passage for

England. He was to sail the following afternoon. He looked so gloom over it that Alix consented to lunch with him and send off.

He came for her the next day a little late but, when she saw his face, she felt a shock and forgot to chide him. Her eyes mirrored the trouble in his but somehow she felt that it was not the parting from her that had turned him pale in a night. He helped her into the waiting cab and then sank back into his corner.

Alix laid her gloved hand on his knee. "What is it?" she asked.

Collingeford's face twitched. He fixed his eyes through the cab window on nothing. "Bodsky," he said, "is dead. He has been dead for months."

"Oh," cried Alix. "I'm sorry. I'm sorry for you." She did not try to say any more. She had put all her heart into those few words.

Collingeford drew out his pocket-book and took from it a soiled sheet of paper—a leaf torn from a field notebook. He held it out to her with trembling hand. "I wouldn't show it to anyone else. Trouble has made you good-hearted. Read it."

Alix puzzled over the slip of paper. "What's the name of the place? I can't make it out."

"It's a little hole on the borders of Thibet. That paper's been handled along for five months. The envelope it came in was in tatters."

"Dear Old Pal," read Alix, "Do you remember what I used to tell you? When a man has seen all the world he must go home or die. When we last parted I had three places left to see, but they haven't lasted me as long as I thought they would. I have sent you my battery. The bories are a bit too big for the new powder and you can't use the guns, I know, but you'll have a home, old man, and you can give them a place in a rack. They will make a little room as wide as the ends of the earth. I didn't kill her. I made her kill herself. Bodsky."

Alix was puzzled again but then she remembered. "So he didn't kill her, after all," she said.

"Kill her! Kill what?" said Collingeford. "Oh, yes. I remember. As that mattered."

"It matters. It does matter," cried Alix, outraged.

"Forgive me," said Collingeford. "I had forgotten that you never knew

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understand. Have you ever sat in the desert on a moonlit night and looked at the Sphinx? It holds you—it holds your eyes in a vice. You wonder why. I'll tell you. It knows. That's the way it was with Bodsky. He only towered—knew—understood. It that is nothing, Bodsky was nothing."

They were silent. Presently Collingeford helped her out and together they passed through the rich foyer, the latticed palm room, and up the steps into the latest cry in dining rooms. A little table in the far corner had been reserved for them. As they crossed the crowded room a hush fell over the tables. Some looked and were silent because Alix was beautiful and daintily gowned and Collingeford all that a man should be, but those who knew looked because Alix was Alix and Collingeford was Collingeford. These soon fell to whispering, predicting a match. Alix bowed abstractedly here and there as she followed the head waiter to her seat.

They sat down, each half facing the room. Alix caught her breath. "Whiffing the old air?" asked Collingeford.

"No," answered Alix. "Only sighing. I feel so out of it and that always makes one sigh whether one wants to be in it or not."

Alix paused. "Go on," said Collingeford.

"There are only a few men in the room, but almost all of these women have husbands. The husbands are in two tenses—past and future. There must be a present but it is nebulous. I didn't know before but I know now that in time these women will go back or forward to their husbands. Some day this will get dizzy and fall and the shock will wake them up."

"You see, you understand, you are prophetic," said Collingeford, smiling.

"But I do not love like your Bodsky," said Alix and then bit her tongue at the slip.

A shadow seemed to fall on them. The room's high, delicate paneling and the painted oval of the ceiling seemed to hover over a suddenly darkened emptiness. The hum and chatter of the throng became little and far away. Collingeford and Alix felt as though they sat alone and yet not alone. Collingeford nodded as though Alix had spoken. "Yes," he said, "Bodsky has come back to us. Don't regret it. I don't know how it is with you but I feel that we two are alone with him and that it's worth while. He's come on us like a cloud."

"But I like clouds," he continued, "big black clouds. If it were not for them you couldn't see the lightning or hear the thunder. They make lightning and thunder—the arm and the voice of the gods."

Bodsky was elemental. He was an element. He could not produce but he could make fertile the lives of lesser men. I've sat at his feet ever since the first time he spoke to me. I didn't know I was doing it but I can see it now. And the result it this: Bodsky couldn't go home. But I can and I'm going home before I've seen the whole world. Only—only I wish I could take you with me."

"There, there," said Alix, playfully, but her eyes were soft. "We must go now or you will miss your ship."

**CHAPTER XVIII**

As Alix and Collingeford left the dining room she said, "They weren't all butterflies after all. I saw a man and a woman."

"Not really?" said Collingeford. "Who?"

"Alan Wayne and Dora Tennel."

At Alan's name Collingeford's face lit up with interest. "Ten Percent Wayne, eh? Yes, you're right. He's a man. And Dora Tennel, ex-Lady Braeme. Yes, she's a woman too—in a way."

"Has she a tarnished reputation?"

Collingeford stopped short in his stride and looked keenly at Alix. "My dear lady," he said, "that is a question one does not put to a man. However, it doesn't embarrass me to answer it in this case. She has not What on earth put it into your head?"

"I don't know," said Alix. "Oh, yes I do. I remember. Someone told me once that Alan surrounded himself with tarnished reputations."

"Used!" protested Alan, casting a valuing glance at Alix' pale beauty.

"Well," conceded Alix, "you think me beautiful. Beside Clem with her heaps of brown hair and deep blue eyes, I am nothing. I am worse—I am a doll. And she was born with a strange wisdom and strength of her own. The world has never reached her. She's made her own mark in the world. Do you think I want Clem to see it?"

Alan's hands were locked behind him. He turned from the window.

"Alix, I can't see Clem yet. She is expecting me. I told her that the better half of me would look her up as soon as I got back. But what if someone that doesn't know my better half at all should see me riding—walking with Clem? I can't risk that. Do you understand?"

"But oh, Alan," said Alix. "If you could only see Clem now. She's glorious. Why it's three years—three years since you saw her. You used to think that's enough for me. I want you to be with us."

"Alix, believe me or not, it's because I feel the pale that I won't come. If there's a ship sailing for the ends of the earth before night it shall carry me. This big city isn't big enough to hold all the Hill and leave me room to wander outside."

"Then why—why?"

"I'll tell you. The last time I saw J. Y., he said to me among other things, 'Yesterday Clem was crying because you had not come to the house. I try to think, Alan, that it is because Clem is there that you have not come.' Well, there it is in a nutshell. I bear the mark of the beast. Do you think I want Clem to see it?"

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"I don't know," said Alan. "I've always wondered too, I suppose. But here's the judge. He can tell you."

"Tell what?" asked the judge as he walked in and took Alix' outstretched hand.

"You're not looking very well, Alan," said Alix when he was seated.

"No, I'm not on the top of the wave just now," replied Alan. "Touch of river fever. It's like memory—a hard thing to shake."

"I'm not trying to shake mine," said Alix calmly. "My memories have made me."

"No wonder you don't quarrel with them," said Alan in frank admiration.

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"Alan, when are you going to come back? Don't you ever tire of life as a variety show? Wouldn't you rather have one real steady star in life than a whole lot of tarnished tinsel ones?"

Alan jumped to his feet, stuck his hands in his coat pockets and started walking up and down the somber room. They were in the library. "A steady star," he repeated. "What a find that would be! I've raised many a star on my horizon, Alix, but the longer I look at 'em the more they twinkle back. It's easier to down conscience than to down blood."

"In the end," said Alix, "a man must down blood or it down him—downs him irretrievably. Blood unchecked is just common beast."

"Do you think I don't know it?" flashed Alan. "Each day I find an old haunt denied to me. I am ill at

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### SNEEZING IS OF TWO KINDS

That From a Cold Is the Result of an Effort to Warm the Body, Doctor Says.

"There is more than one cause for sneezing, and persons may differ in their susceptibility to them," a specialist in diseases of the nose and throat says.

"A bright light will cause some persons to sneeze, the pollen of certain plants will affect others, and most people are likely to sneeze in the presence of dust. Such sneezing is due to superficial irritation.

The sneeze caused by the effect of cold is different. It is an attempt of nature to cure you. She makes you sneeze for the same reason that she makes you shiver—to generate heat for warming the blood and preventing your from taking more cold."

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Sententiousness Facetious. A minister who lives in a small town is noted for his sententiousness both in and out of the pulpit. As he was coming down the street one day a man accosted him with: "Sir, can you tell me how to find the sheriff's office?" "Yes, sir," was the instant reply. "Every time you earn five dollars spend ten." And he walked on, leaving the astonished man gazing after him.—Harper's Magazine.

### FOR THAT SORE RAW THROAT

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No Cause for Joy. "I am glad we do not have bullfights and bear pits in our country." "Don't we have 'em in Wall street?"

Scientific Hints. "How do you manage to get so many joy rides?" "Oh, I practice auto suggestion."

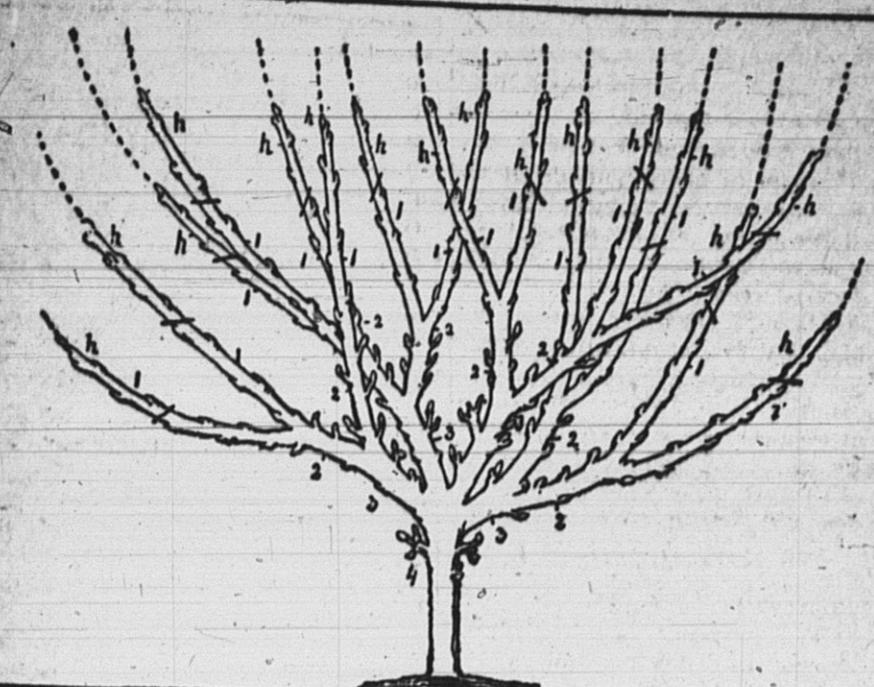
Up His Sleeve. "Patience—Looks as if he had something 'up his sleeve,' doesn't he? Patrice—He has. It's a wrist watch."

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When a leap-year girl attempts to kiss a young man, to his credit be it said, he never threatens to call for help.

Nowadays we hear more about the shiftless son-in-law than about the prodigal son.

### SIMPLE DIRECTIONS ON PRUNING TREES



Pruning an Apple Tree in Fourth Winter—Shoots Are Cut to the Points Indicated by the Crosslines.

A few simple directions on the pruning of fruit trees will undoubtedly prove useful to those who are not experts at the work. This article deals solely with the winter pruning of apples, pears and plums. The chief objects of pruning are (1) to let light and air into the trees and bushes; (2) to induce the formation of well-shaped trees and to furnish them with fruitful wood.

The remark is often heard that an amateur cannot prune his own trees, and there is a great deal of truth in it, for, generally speaking, he is much too tender-hearted to cut his trees to anything like a sufficient extent. Neglect to this direction invariably leads to the overcrowding of branches, resulting in a thicket of growth and very poor fruit; and when once a tree has reached this stage it may take years to bring it back to a fruitful condition. The great point always to have before one in pruning is to avoid overcrowding. With standard, half-standard and bush trees it is imperative that the centers of the trees should be kept open and all branches which are inclined to grow towards the center of the tree should be cut clean out to the base. It so often happens that a tree may be vastly improved by the removal of a large branch in the center.

It would be impossible to emphasize too strongly the importance of using a really sharp, strong pruning knife. Apart from the inconvenience of a poor knife, it should always be remembered that a clean cut will heal much quicker than a jagged one, and this is a matter of vital importance, since the worst disease to which fruit trees are heir, viz., canker, can only enter the tree by way of a wound when the inner tissue of the tree is left exposed to the air. For this reason it is advisable after removing large branches to cover the newly cut surfaces with tar or white paint. While the knife is unquestionably the best instrument for pruning, a good pair of shears has its advantages, particularly in the hands of the inexperienced knifesman, for with shears, so long as the wood is not unduly pinched, the work will proceed more easily, at a greater pace, and with less likelihood of causing injury either to the tree or to the operator. There are a few hard and fast rules in pruning that should always be borne in mind.

Pruning Plums.—Unlike apples and pears, plum trees resent severe pruning, and they are often best left alone. Except in very young trees, which require hard pruning, a simple thinning of overcrowded wood is all that is necessary; and there is a wide difference of opinion as to whether pruning is best done in the summer or winter. Where trees are subject to the disease known as gumming, winter pruning should certainly be avoided.

### HOW TO ERADICATE INJURIOUS INSECT

Strong Spray of Arsenate of Lead Will Prove Effective in Controlling Curculio.

### EFFECTIVE PRUNING IN FRUIT ORCHARDS

All Dead Wood Should Not Only Be Cut Off, but Burned—Remove Crooked Branches.

On account of the rush during other seasons of the year the winter months form a good time in which to prune orchard trees. The Nebraska College of Agriculture says that all dead wood should not only be cut off, but be burned.

Cross branches should be cut off and the tops of the fruit trees thinned out so that the sun can reach every part of the tree some time during the day.

The little crooked branches should not be removed, as these are the fruit spurs.

On account of the prevalence of disease it is well to disinfect all wounds, as well as the pruning tools. Be careful not to leave any stubs.

### AVOID GREAT LOSS OF SOIL FERTILITY

Big Saving Made by Feeding Corn and Oats to Live Stock While on the Farm.

With every bushel of corn sold at the elevator 16 cents worth of soil fertility is sold, and with every bushel of oats 12 cents worth of soil fertility goes from the farm.

When these same grains are fed to live stock and the live stock is sold, only five cents worth of soil fertility leaves the farm for each bushel of corn fed and four cents for each bushel of oats.

This difference in favor of feeding live stock is enough to make cattle men, who know the value of fertility, stay in the live stock breeding business even in years when the markets break badly.

Feed for Ducklings. Don't try to raise ducklings on whole wheat, cracked corn or commercial chick feeds. If used at all, these feeds should be well cooked, for ordinarily ducks do not consume enough grit to grind dry grain.

## DAIRY FACTS

### LOCATION OF MILK IN A COW

SECRETORY GLANDS TAKE RAW MATERIALS FROM THE BLOOD AND MANUFACTURE THEM INTO PRODUCT.

## THE KITCHEN CABINET

It is a good thing to be rich, and a good thing to be strong, but it is a better thing to be beloved by many friends.

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### GOOD THINGS FOR THE TABLE.

In the system of the dairy cow there are two kinds of glands: excretory glands and secretory glands. A good example of the excretory gland is the kidney. An excretory gland does not manufacture, but simply serves as a vehicle for transferring waste from the body.

The secretory glands are manufacturers. They take the raw materials from the blood and manufacture them into a special product. The mammary gland, located in the upper part of the udder of the cow, is a secretory gland. It takes the raw materials from the blood and manufactures milk.

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### DEHORNING CHUTE IS USEFUL

ILLUSTRATION SHOWS DEVICE USED WITH SUCCESS BY SOUTH DAKOTA MAN—IT IS EASILY MADE.

We have a dehorning chute which we use with good success, writes a Stanley county, South Dakota, writer in *Independent Farmer*. Two-inch stuff is used throughout, excepting two upper pieces on each side, which are 1x6. A stanchion is provided at one



Dehorning Chute.

end with loose pin which can be removed quickly and animal driven out in front if desired. After the animal is fastened in the stanchion a rope run around its neck and nose is fastened to the windlass and drawn through.

### WATER OF MUCH IMPORTANCE

Cows Giving Milk Require Great Quantities of Water—As Essential as Food in Winter.

Water is fully as important to the dairy cows as feed during the winter. They must have access to it so that they can drink all they want, whether they have it in automatic water basins, or in the yard tanks.

Cows giving milk need great quantities of water. Careful experiments have proved that it requires more than five pounds of water for every pound of milk produced by the cow.

### DAIRY NOTES

The milk crop is one which comes in every day.

When possible, test the cow's milk before buying her.

Never buy a cow whose milk tests below three per cent.

Stanchions are a thing of the past. Cow ties are now in order.

After the good cow is born there is lots of work in her making.

The sooner dairy tools are washed after using the more easily they will be cleansed.

Why not settle on dairy farming as a business? Then breed and feed and work for a better breed.

Don't use the milk pail for carrying feed to the pigs if you desire to be classed as a good dairyman.

The grade bull calf will not pay for the cost of raising if the dairyman can dispose of his products otherwise.

There's as much in the man behind the cow as in the cow herself. Brains count everywhere in dairying.

As a rule milk should not be used within 15 days before calving or during the first five days after calving.

You don't know much about your cows until you weigh their milk and test it with a Babcock tester. Keep records.

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