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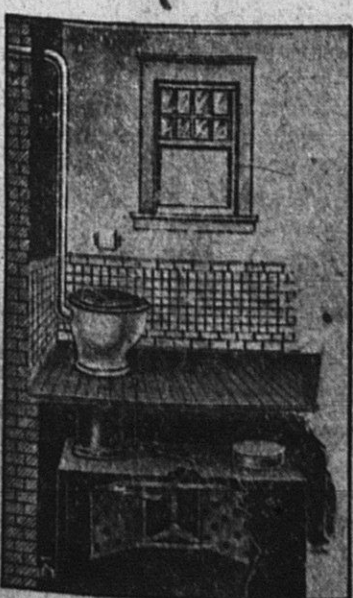
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BONDED INDEBTEDNESS OF VILLAGE OF CHELSEA

The Total Amount of the Bonds Now Outstanding is \$23,500—Due in 1922.

The Standard has been questioned recently in regard to the bonded indebtedness of the village, and P. G. Schaible, chairman of the finance committee of the old council has given us the following figures:

Water works bonds Nos. 35, 36, 37, due 1916, \$500 each. Nos. 38, 39, 40, due 1917, \$500 each. Nos. 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, due 1918, \$500 each. Total water works bonds outstanding \$3000.

Electric light bonds No. 34, due 1915, \$500. Nos. 35, 36, 37, due 1916, \$500 each. Nos. 38, 39, 40, due 1917, \$500 each. Total electric light bonds outstanding, \$3,500.

Water works refunding bonds, dated Dec. 21, 1908, Nos. 13, 14, due 1916, \$250 each. Nos. 15, 16, due 1917, \$250 each. Nos. 17, 18, due 1918, \$250 each. Nos. 19, 20, due 1919, \$250 each. Nos. 21, 22, due 1920, \$250 each. Nos. 23, 24, 1921, \$250 each. Nos. 25, 26, due 1922, \$250 each. Total \$3,500.

Electric light refunding bonds, dated December 21, 1908, Nos. 13, 14, due 1916, \$250 each. Nos. 15, 16, due 1917, \$250 each. Nos. 17, 18, due 1918, \$250 each. Nos. 19, 20, due 1919, \$250 each. Nos. 21, 22, due 1920, \$250 each. Nos. 23, 24, due 1921, \$250 each. Nos. 25, 26, 27, 28, due 1922, \$250 each. Total \$4,000.

Special bonds issued to take care of outstanding indebtedness of the village, dated Dec. 21, 1908, Nos. 1 to 8, due 1919, \$250 each. Nos. 9 to 16, due 1920, \$250 each. Nos. 17 to 24, due 1921, \$250 each. Nos. 25, 26, due 1922, \$250 each. Total, \$6,500.

Total amount of bonds outstanding, \$23,500. Total of bonds paid by the village since 1902, \$26,900.

Thomas McKone.

Thomas McKone was born in Lyndon, September 23, 1845, and died at home of Mr. and Mrs. Owen McIntee, of Sylvan, Wednesday evening, March 22, 1916.

Mr. McKone was a resident of Chelsea for many years, being engaged in the mercantile business here for some time about thirty-five years ago, and served one term as postmaster of Chelsea, being appointed during the first administration of President Cleveland. He was united in marriage with Miss Alice Savage, October 8, 1877, who died in 1878.

He is survived by one brother, H. T. McKone, of Lyndon, three nephews and two nieces.

Chelsea High Wins at Basket Ball.

Chelsea high school played the returned games of basket ball with St. Mary's Wednesday night at the town hall.

The girls' game was a one-sided affair, Chelsea winning by a score of 49 to 0.

The boys' game was more even but Chelsea was always in the lead by a good margin and won by the score of 33 to 14.

Mr. Ottmar, referee, is to be congratulated for the splendid way in which he officiated this game, which under the supervision of the majority of referees would have resolved itself into a bitter rough and tumble affair. Mr. Ottmar knows the game, knows how it is interpreted, and is universally respected as an official who will not tolerate unfair play.

The line-up:

CHELSEA
Derr.....L. F.....Kalmbach
Cook.....C.....Freeman
Price.....R. G.....Schatz
Finch, Young.....L. G.....Hirth

Baskets from the field—Kalmbach, Freeman, Wagner, 3; Hirth, Coe, 2; Derr, 1.

Free throws—Freeman, 9 in 25; Cook, 10 in 17.

Score—First half, Chelsea 14, St. Mary's 6; final score, Chelsea 33, St. Mary's 14.

Baskets from the field—Wagner, 4; Freeman, Kalmbach, 3; Raftery, 2; Steele, Eder, 1.

Free throws—Freeman, 13 in 22; Eder, 6 in 16; Raftery, none in 4.

Announcements.

B. V. R. C. will meet with Mrs. J. D. Colton Monday evening, March 27.

Special meeting of Olive Chapter, O. E. S., Wednesday evening, March 29. Initiation.

The Chelsea Teachers' Club will meet at the Chelsea high school building this evening.

Knights of Pythias.—There will be a dance and card party at Castle hall, Friday evening, March 24th.

Miss Olivia Jones, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Jones, will be united in marriage with Mr. Percival Potts, Jr., Tuesday evening, March 28, in Maccabee hall. The Rev. Josiah Spinks will officiate. All Lady Maccabees are invited.

Lima Nominations.

The democrats of Lima have placed the following ticket in nomination: Supervisor—Fred G. Halst. Clerk—Emanuel M. Eisenmann. Treasurer—Fred Bahnmiller. Commissioner Highways—G. Edward Gross.

Justice of the Peace—Addison B. Shutes.

Member Board Review—Charles Pratt.

The republicans at their caucus placed in nomination the following ticket:

Supervisor—Frank E. Storms. Clerk—William G. Luyck. Treasurer—Bernhardt Heuhl. Commissioner Highways—Wallace W. Patterson.

Justice of the Peace—William H. Bahnmiller.

Member Board Review—Herman Fletcher.

SALINE AND CHELSEA SPLIT EVEN FRIDAY

Boys' and Girls' Basket Ball Teams Played Two Good Basket Ball Games.

The biggest athletic event of the season was pulled off last Friday night when Saline high school sent two strong basket ball teams to meet the Chelsea high teams.

The visiting teams came in a special car accompanied by a loyal band of rooters numbering more than fifty. They were out to whoop it for their teams, and were armed to the teeth with the most up-to-date noise making equipment known to modern inventive genius.

At 7:30 the girls' teams came on the floor for the opening game. The teams were quite evenly matched, and the game started off with a dash.

Saline took up the offensive and led the first quarter by a score of 6 to 5. This margin was increased during the next period and the half closed with the score 17 to 12. It was a pretty race for points between the opposing right forwards, Clara Holden for Chelsea, and Lottie Price for Saline.

Both had made five field baskets and a free throw. Both teams were fine on defense, and Esther Collins, playing her first game for Chelsea, did excellent work at guard position. Chelsea cut down the lead in the third quarter, but the final whistle found Saline still ahead by the score of 31 to 22.

The boys' game began promptly at 8:30. Chelsea was now fully awake to the dangers of the situation, and came on the floor with the determination to stop the victorious onslaught of the invader. Hardly had the ball left the referee's hands before Wagner had thrown the first basket. Others followed thick and fast. During the first half, the speed of the Chelsea boys swept everything before them. They were able to secure seven field baskets while their opponents were making one, however they were so aggressive that six free throws were rung up against them, making the score for the first half 20 to 8 in favor of the home team.

Saline came back strong in the third quarter, and, aided by carelessness on the part of Chelsea, were able to narrow the gap to 22 to 15. The final period was about even, and the game closed with a Chelsea victory by a score of 31 to 22.

The line-up:

CHELSEA
Coe.....R. F.....R. Wagner
Derr.....L. F.....Kalmbach
Cook.....C.....Freeman
Price.....R. G.....Schatz
Finch, Young.....L. G.....Hirth

Baskets from the field—Kalmbach, Freeman, Wagner, 3; Hirth, Coe, 2; Derr, 1.

Free throws—Freeman, 9 in 25; Cook, 10 in 17.

Score—First half, Chelsea 20, Saline 8; final score, Chelsea 31, Saline 22.

Time of quarters—10 minutes. Referee—Ottmar.

After the games, the Chelsea High School Athletic Association gave an informal banquet at the high school with the Saline delegation as their guests. A short program, including the play "Hans Von Smaash," was given. Plans were made for the continuation of inter-school athletics. Both schools stand for clean athletics.

Auction Sale.

Thomas M. Hawley will sell his personal property at public auction on the John Bohnet farm in Sharon, on Friday, March 24, commencing 1 o'clock sharp, consisting of a horse, two buggies, cutter, household goods, canned fruit, Edison phonograph with about 50 records and numerous other articles. F. D. Merithew, auctioneer.

HOLLIER EIGHT GUN CLUB HAS BEEN ORGANIZED

Officers Have Been Elected and a Trap and Rifle Range Will be Fitted Up.

The Lewis Spring and Axle Company have been the originators of a gun club for Chelsea, which has already met with such enthusiastic support that its success seems assured.

Last Thursday evening a meeting was held in the pool room of the company's office building for the purpose of organizing and appointing committees. Officers were elected for the coming year as follows:

President—Roy Evans. Secretary and Treasurer—R. W. Aldrich.

John B. Parker was made chairman of the membership committee, and to him all applications for membership should be handed by those of the village who are interested in this form of sport.

It is the intention of the club to lease a strip of land as conveniently located as possible and start out with one good trap and rifle range.

No doubt there is a large number of men in Chelsea and the neighboring vicinity, who would be interested in joining the club, but who were not notified of the last meeting. Therefore, Mr. Evans expresses a desire that they come to the next meeting, which will be held next Friday evening, March 24, at 7:30 in the office of the Lewis Spring and Axle Company.

A name for the club has not yet been decided upon but in all probability it will be called "The Hollier Eight Gun Club" owing to the support and assistance that it is receiving from the company.

Deeds Made in 1847 Recorded.

Ann Arbor Times News: Two very old documents, yellow with age and so fragile and brittle from the passage of time that one scarcely dare handle them, have been received at the office of the register of deeds here and are being recorded for the first time since they were made.

One bears the date, November 20, 1847, and the other September 27, 1857. Both were made and signed in Lyndon township, and purport to convey large acreages. The deeds are being recorded in order to clear up the title to certain lands listed in an estate now being settled.

The 1857 deed was made and signed by Joseph and Michael Murphy, of Lyndon township, and conveyed 80 acres of land to Thomas Clark. The 1847 document bears the signatures of Edward Young and Christopher Monaghan, the former the maker of the instrument.

Council Proceedings.

[OFFICIAL.]

COUNCIL ROOMS,

CHELSEA, MARCH 20, 1916.

Council met in regular session. Meeting called to order by President Lehman. Roll call by the clerk.

Present—Trustees Dancer, Palmer, Hirth, Schoenhals, Frymuth, Eppler. The following bills were read by the clerk:

GENERAL FUND.

H. E. Cooper, 1 month salary, \$ 27 50

STREET FUND.

G. Bockres, 1 week street,..... 10 00

ELECTRIC LIGHT AND WATER FUND.

Electric Light and Water

Works Commission..... 500 00

Moved by Hirth, supported by Dancer, that the bills be allowed.

Yeas—Dancer, Palmer, Hirth, Eppler, Schoenhals, Frymuth. Nays—None. Carried.

The following appointments were made by the President:

President pro tem—Simon Hirth.

Street Committee—H. Schoenhals, John Frymuth, Adam Eppler.

Sidewalk Committee—G. W. Palmer, Adam Eppler, Simon Hirth.

Finance Committee—J. N. Dancer, Geo. W. Palmer, Adam Eppler.

Ordinance Committee—J. Frymuth, Geo. W. Palmer, Adam Eppler.

Moved by Hirth, supported by Schoenhals, that the appointments be confirmed as read.

Yeas—Hirth, Eppler, Dancer, Palmer, Schoenhals, Frymuth. Nays—None. Carried.

Moved by Hirth, supported by Eppler, that J. H. Boyd furnish his own bond of \$12,000.00 with two sureties.

Yeas—Hirth, Eppler, Dancer, Palmer, Schoenhals, Frymuth. Nays—None. Carried.

Moved by Dancer, supported by Frymuth, that the amount of saloon bond be fixed at \$4,000.00.

Yeas—Hirth, Eppler, Dancer, Palmer, Schoenhals, Frymuth. Nays—None. Carried.

Moved by Palmer, supported by Eppler, that we borrow \$1,000.00 for 90 days, to be paid sooner if possible.

Yeas—Hirth, Eppler, Dancer, Palmer, Schoenhals, Frymuth. Nays—None. Carried.

Moved by Palmer, supported by Dancer, that we adjourn.

W. R. DANIELS, Village Clerk.

AT FREEMAN'S

We Are Selling:

Sweet Juicy Navel Oranges, dozen	22c and 50c
Big Ripe Bananas, dozen	20c
Common Size Bananas, dozen	10c
Florida Grape Fruit, each	7c, 8c and 10c
Very Choice Grape Fruit, large size, each	10c
3 Pounds Rice	25c
3 Pounds Good Prunes	25c
Red Band Coffee, pound	33c
10 pounds Cornmeal for	25c
2 Cans Spinach, very fine, for	25c
4 Packages Corn Flakes for	25c
3 Cans Good Corn	25c
3 Cans Peas for	25c
Fancy Queen Olives, quart	35c
Sweet and Sour Pickles, dozen	10c
Extra Good Coffee, pound	25c
10 Bars Laundry Soap	25c

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5 Bars Palm Beach Soap
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MICHIGAN HAS NEW INDUSTRY

LIMESTONE AND SALT USED IN WAR CHEMICALS FOUND IN STATE.

NEW PLANTS SPRINGING UP

Michigan Has Enormous Supply of Natural Brines and Rock Salt Deposits.

Lansing—As a result of demands created by the war for chemicals dependent upon salt, brines and limestone for their base, and particularly those entering into the manufacture of dye-stuffs and explosives, Michigan is developing a new industry. The raw materials from which a large part of the chemical products, used in explosives, medicines, disinfectants and dyestuffs are made, are obtained from brines, limestone, coal and wood. Michigan has enormous supplies of natural brines and rock salt deposits. The Marshall sandstone which underlies the greater part of the southern peninsula contains an abundance of bromineiferous brine.

Formerly many of the salt companies produced bromine as a by-product. The output became so large that the prices dropped to the cost of manufacture. Most of the salt companies ceased to use their brines for these products and at the beginning of the war there were only a few companies producing bromine, bromides and calcium chloride. Though these products are generally obtained as by-products in salt manufacture at Mt. Pleasant, Midland and Bay City, there are large chemical plants using the brines wholly in the manufacture of bromine, bromides, calcium chloride and various other chemical products. Salt companies in St. Charles and Saginaw still produce these substances as by-products.

In addition to the natural brines, Michigan has enormous rock salt deposits in southeastern Michigan along the Detroit and St. Clair rivers, in Alpena, Presque Isle, Manistee and Mason counties.

The aggregate thickness of the salt beds in the Detroit-St. Clair rivers district averages more than 400 feet. In Presque Isle county the maximum thickness exceeds 800 feet. The area known to be underlain by salt beds covers several square miles and the supply of salt now in sight, at the present rate of production is roughly estimated to be sufficient to last 30,000,000 years.

Most of the salt produced in Michigan is obtained from evaporation of artificial brines from these deposits and in the vicinity of Detroit two or three companies are utilizing the brines wholly in the manufacture of soda ash, bleach, caustic, calcium chloride and other products. Limestone containing nearly pure calcium carbonate is required in the manufacture of soda ash products, and also in the production of many by-products from coke ovens. Almost unlimited deposits of this limestone are found in Alpena, Presque Isle, Cheboygan and Charlevoix counties in the southern peninsula, and in Mackinac and Schoolcraft counties in the northern peninsula.

7,424 CASES TUBERCULOSIS

State Survey Shows an Alarming Increase in February.

Lansing—Michigan March 1 had 7,424 known cases of tuberculosis. These figures were given out by Secretary of the State Board of Health John L. Burkart, and are a compilation of the official records filed with the state board up to January 1, with the addition of the reports since that time which have not yet been officially entered.

January 1 there were 6,581 known cases in the state. In January, from all sources, including the campaigns on the state-wide survey, there were reported 264 more; and in February 679 were reported. The February total is the largest monthly number in the history of the state.

Although the number found in February was increased by the work of Dr. DeKleene and his assistants, the number of cases being reported is increasing right along, and has been going upward at a remarkable rate since the state-wide survey was started last October. This shows that the survey is spotting many cases of the disease which were not known to the physicians before.

MICHIGAN NEWS ITEMS

Citizens of South Haven voted, \$19 to \$17, to bond for \$50,000.

The annual convention of the Michigan State Medical society will be held in Houghton in August.

The state is liable, under the workmen's compensation law, for the death by drowning last summer of H. V. Kain, of Kalamazoo, while attending the annual encampment of the Michigan National guard. Kain was a member of Co. D, Second regiment. The state board of auditors is expected to appropriate the money, as the guard does not come under the scope of the state's insurance fund.

MICHIGAN NEWS BRIEFS

Fire destroyed the Methodist church of Marion, with a loss of \$6,000, fully covered by insurance.

Sanilac county opened its new \$50,000 court house with a disagreement in a local option case.

Morenci defeated bond issues aggregating \$62,000 for a lighting plant and water system by 3 to 1.

A scarlet fever epidemic has forced the public schools of Camden to close. There are about a dozen cases.

Attorney-General Fellows has ruled that delegates to the county conventions must be chosen in caucus.

A fire drove 15 nurses from the boarding house of J. L. Broughton, of Grand Rapids, in their night clothing.

Burglars blew open the safe in Mitchell's billiard room at Battle Creek and escaped with \$465. The building was damaged \$200.

While discussing an invoice with Asa Sage, foreman, L. D. Woodworth suddenly dropped dead Friday in the Hillsdale screen factory.

Eugene Pizzig, of Calumet, was shot through the heart and killed at the Franklin location during a quarrel over a war argument.

Lieut. Valdecross, of Detroit, has been appointed captain of the new machine gun corps organized at Flint in connection with the M. N. G.

There will be 317 cases, tried by Judge Sharpe at West Branch this term of court, which is the largest number of cases ever on a local calendar.

A course in chemical engineering will be established at M. A. C. in April. The degree of bachelor of science in chemical engineering will be awarded.

The U. of M. senate council, highest faculty body, has gone on record as favoring the summer military camps for students, and Michigan men will be urged to attend.

The L. S. & I. railroad is rebuilding many of its bridges and culverts, at St. Ignace, following its recent order for four large engines for April delivery, which will weigh 270,000 pounds.

Malvin Palmquist, 25-year-old sailor, on his way from Detroit to Frankfort, fought for his life in a box car on the Ann Arbor railroad with an unknown assailant, whose motive was robbery.

Joseph Broda, of Muskegon, was taken into custody by inspectors fighting the local scarlet fever epidemic. He is the second alleged quarantine breaker captured. There are two cases in his home.

Wolves are getting so numerous around Munising that one trapper has found 73 deer carcasses this winter. Forty-one deer were found in one yard, where they had evidently been slain for love of killing by a pack of wolves.

Senior engineering students of the University of Michigan will visit manufacturing plants in Youngstown, Pittsburg, Philadelphia, Washington, New York, Schenectady and Niagara Falls, on their annual inspection trip during spring vacation.

An undated and unsigned letter, postmarked Detroit, is further mystifying relatives of Julia Haska, of Alpena who has been missing for seven months. The letter, which is not in the girl's handwriting, urges the relatives to abandon the search.

Joseph M. Shaw, of Indianapolis, has filed a bill of complaint in the United States district court in Grand Rapids charging fraud in the issuing of a bond and asking that a receiver be appointed for the Charlevoix Rock Product company, a \$10,000,000 corporation of Charlevoix, Mich.

The State Board of Examinations in Horse Shoeing has apparently quit business. Although created by an act of the legislature of 1899, and working up until four years ago, it has since quit, and state officials to whom it was compelled to make reports have received none.

Navigation will open late for the ports in the upper part of the southern peninsula. The northern areas of Lake Michigan and Lake Huron are covered by extensive ice fields. In Lake Huron there is no open water north of Thunder bay. In the straits the ice is 18 inches thick and is not windrowed. St. Mary's river averages six inches more ice than the river normal.

Six amateur wireless telegraph operators of Port Huron have received first class amateur licenses to operate their apparatus. A few days ago a government inspector came to investigate charges that many amateurs were operating instruments with too great a wave length which interfered with the Canadian government station at Point Edward. The ladies' instruments were inspected and changes made to comply with the law, and the recent ban was lifted.

The Detroit Federation of Labor favors submitting to a vote proposed amendments to the state constitution that would stop the practice of issuing injunctions in labor disputes and legalize picketing and other methods now used by labor unions in strikes.

Joseph Ehrlich, of Adrian, convicted of selling cigarettes to minors, was sentenced to pay a fine of \$25 and costs of \$22.25. This case concluded the series brought about by a school teacher in which one of the pupils was sent out to get evidence in a "clean up" campaign.

AWAIT NEWS OF BATTLE REPORTED TO HAVE TAKEN PLACE

If Villa Breaks Through Southern Guerrero, The Way Is Open For A Flight Into Southern Chihuahua

NO REASON GIVEN FOR CARRANZA TROOPS ALONG BORDER

Raider Travels As He Pleases Without Hindrance From Alleged Foes; Moves Through Territory Held By Carranzistas

El Paso, Texas—Further news of the battle reported to have been waged near Namiquipa between Carranza troops and a force of bandits led by Francisco Villa is being impatiently awaited along the border. A strong Carranza force has been stationed at Namiquipa, forming a part of the chain of defenses which the de facto government has thrown across southern Guerrero. If Villa has been able to break past this obstacle the way is open for a flight into northern Chihuahua, or the bandit leader can proceed eastward into northern Chihuahua, or the bandit leader can proceed eastward into the fastnesses of the high range shutting in the Namiquipa district.

News of the battle was received first by General Gavira, commander of the Carranza troops stationed in Juarez. General Gavira's dispatches did not state the number of Villa men engaged, but Colonel Cano, commanding the Carranza troops, is said to have had a force of 900.

Carranza Troops Along Border. The reason for the Carranza troops moving to the border remains unexplained. It is impossible even to make a fair estimate of the number of men under General Gavira at Juarez. The large staff at his headquarters and the fact that new troops are arriving daily indicates that his force is a large one. The most conservative estimate places at 5,000 and calculations range from that point upward to 8,000. Every precaution has been taken to prevent the facts being known and most of the men are kept outside the town among the hills. Reports from Agua Prieta and Ojima tell of Mexican reinforcements reaching those points also, but nothing is known as to their numbers.

There is no question that there is serious and growing uneasiness in El Paso, which has been sharply accentuated by the problem which has arisen over the request of the United States government to General Carranza for the use of the Mexican railroads to transport supplies. Americans do not believe that Carranza dare grant this request, especially as it is understood that General Funston proposes, if it is granted, to take train crews and equipment into Mexico and place military guards at the stations. The presence of American soldiers on Mexican railroads, it is said, is very likely to be misunderstood by the peons, and it is feared, would be sure to provoke outbreaks.

Railroads Needed Badly. On the other hand, there are many indications that the Mexican railroads are sorely needed by the American military authorities to ship supplies to the troops in the field. At the present time these supplies must go forward over a desert and mountain trail by wagons and mules. The pressure is intensified by the fact that almost all the forage for the cavalry horses must be sent from the base, as the corn and oats fed mounts of the troops of the United States could not live on the diet that will support a Mexican pony. Ominous reports are received that the transportation system is already overtaxed, and it is this feature of the situation that causes the deepest anxiety and the most apprehension. This anxiety has not been lessened by the news that Carranza has deferred the issue by a request for more information from the Washington government.

Interest was shown in wireless dispatches from the front stating that six biplanes of the First Aero squadron, commanded by Capt. Benjamin D. Foulis, had joined the American expeditionary forces.

Desert Glare Brings Blindness. El Paso, Tex.—Some of the horrors of the Villa pursuit were revealed when a Negro trooper of the Tenth cavalry, who was with Colonel Dodd, arrived at Fort Bliss hospital to be treated for blindness. He had been made blind by the glare of the Chihuahua desert. Five members of the Sixth infantry and the engineering corps, who were in the Columbus division, also arrived to be treated for accidental injuries.

Villa Wanted to Be Dictator. El Paso, Tex.—General Felipe Angeles, often referred to as the "true patriot of the Mexican revolution," and former chief military advisor to Francisco Villa, came out of a long retirement to explain how, in his opinion, Francisco Villa, instead of being leader of the constitutional cause, has fallen to the status of a hunted bandit.

General Angeles charged that "Villa, like Carranza, aspired to be a dictator," and that this, and not the battles he lost, caused his friends to forsake him.

The general was the last of Villa's prominent supporters to quit him. He now lives on a modest vegetable and dairy farm, four miles beyond the eastern outskirts of El Paso.

Half a mile distant flows the Rio Grande. From his front porch he can look into Mexico, which he is forbidden to enter.

U. S. Buys Water Wagons. New York—Three motor water wagons, said to be the first ever used by the United States army, will be in service in the campaign against Villa in a few days. Manufacturers have promised to ship the cars from Boston by fast freight for El Paso. The bids were awarded at \$3,004 for each car. The three cars accepted by the government had been manufactured for the use of an oil company, which agreed to turn them over because of the urgent need.

The car will be equipped with tanks capable of holding 600 gallons.

Suspect Trickery. Despite the reports that General Cano's forces had engaged those of Villa at Namiquipa, persons well informed here expressed the opinion that the Carranza forces had failed to hold up their end of the net by which it was proposed to capture the bandit chieftain.

There were confirmatory reports of the news received for the last week that the Mexican troops were not only failing to co-operate with the American troops, but in certain instances at least, were actually withdrawing from the field of operations. The Associated Press learned on unquestionable authority that the troops of the de facto government which had been stationed at Casas are now in and about Juarez.

Villa Splits Forces. El Paso, Tex.—Francisco Villa, hurried by the rapid progress of General Pershing's American cavalry, has split his retreating force in two bands that are fleeing along the mountain trails in the region of Babicora lake, south of Galeana. General Gavira, the Carranza commander at Juarez, believes that the dividing of Villa's forces indicates that the bandit leader will not offer any resistance.

The American forces are to be on the lookout for one of Villa's surprise attacks. As Villa scurries southward the time for the real test of Carranza's troops is nearing. It is believed that Villa will attempt to get through the mountain passes and join Emiliano Zapata in the district where that bandit leader has long held sway. If this is his intention only Carranza can stop. It is feared on the border that the troops of the first chief will desert in large numbers as the Americans march farther south and permit Villa to pass through their lines, some even joining his retreating columns.

Villa's bandits, though traveling swiftly, still take time for murder and looting. Reports come over the border that the American troopers have come upon burned ranch houses and mutilated bodies.

HOUSE DOWNS ARMY INCREASE

BY VOTE OF 183 TO 103 THE KAHN AMENDMENT WAS DEFEATED.

IN FAVOR OF SMALLER ARMY

Three Times the House Defeated Proposals for Increase of the Regular Army.

Washington—By defeating the Kahn amendment raising the limit of the regular army proposed in the Hay bill from 140,000 to 220,000, the house Monday indicated what it regards as an adequate measure of preparedness in the way of national defense.

The amendment was rejected by a vote of 183 to 103, a majority being in favor of a smaller army. No roll call was taken, but 12 Democrats fled between the tellers in support of the amendment. More than 30 Republicans, mainly from the middle west, were counted in opposition. The vote indicated that the problem of army increase is a regional rather than a partisan political question.

With the rejection of the Kahn amendment, the Hay bill passed the most critical point of its passage through the house.

Three times during the day the house defeated proposals to increase the peace strength of the regulars, fixed by the Hay bill at 140,000, expandable to 175,000 by executive order if war is imminent.

The debate centered upon the Kahn amendment to fix the authorized peace strength at 220,000; but the first vote was on a substitute offered by Representative Fuller, Republican of Illinois, to make it 250,000. The Fuller substitute was lost without a division.

The Kahn amendment was voted down after appeals for a larger standing army had been made by Representative Mann, Republican leader, and other influential members of the minority.

Representative Crago, Republican of the military committee proposed to fix the strength at 200,000, but was voted down by a substantial majority.

With this outstanding feature disposed of, consideration of the remainder of the bill went forward rapidly. About one-third of the measure had been reviewed and approved when adjournment for the day came. The National guard, industrial reserve and nitrate plant sections are among those still to be considered.

AEROPLANES RAID ENGLAND

Killing Nine Persons and Injuring Thirty-one.

London—Nine persons were killed and 31 injured in a raid of four German aeroplanes over the east coast of Kent. A British airman brought down one raider over the sea, the German observer being killed.

The official statement on the raid reads: "Four German seaplanes flew over east Kent Sunday. The first pair appeared over Dover at a height of from 5,000 to 6,000 feet one at 1:57 p. m., the second at 2:02 p. m.

The first dropped six bombs in the harbor, then went northwest dropping bombs on the town. The other raider, after passing over Dover, appeared over Deal at 2:13 and dropped several bombs.

The second pair appeared over Ramsgate at 2:10. They dropped bombs on the town. One of this pair went west, the other north, pursued by a British aeroplane. One bomb is reported to have been dropped on Margate.

The second machine appeared over Westgate at 2:20. Here several of our aeroplanes went up in pursuit. No bombs were dropped on Westgate.

The total casualties so far reported are: Killed—three men, one woman and five children; injured—17 men, five women, nine children.

As far as ascertained, 48 bombs were dropped altogether. One bomb fell on the Canadian hospital at Ramsgate, causing damage, but no casualties. Material damage done: Several houses, the homes of artisans, and cottages were wrecked.

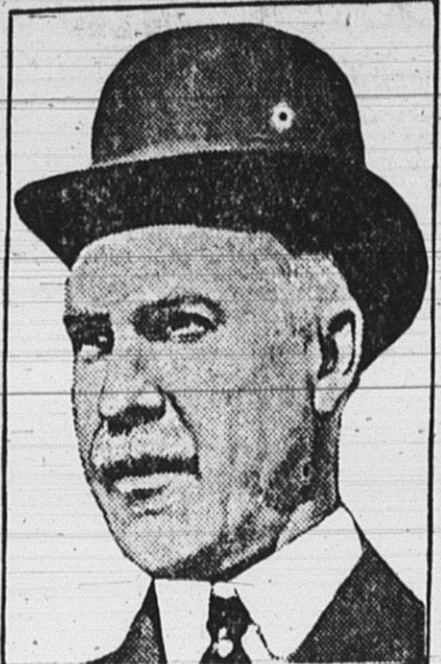
ITEMS OF STATE INTEREST

The supreme court will hear arguments on the new automobile tax April 4. The attorney-general has filed his brief in defense of the statute, covering the points in the complaint of Charles H. Jasnowski, prosecuting attorney of Wayne county, in behalf of Julius H. Krimmel, nominal plaintiff.

The first meeting of the Adrian Business Men's battalion was addressed by Capt. Fred M. Alger, of Detroit. Fifty-five business and professional men enrolled. They will become members of the Adrian Rifle club and will obtain uniforms and equipment.

Oceans, Muskegon and Mason county residents are opposing the application of the United Home Telephone Co. for a raise of rates before the state railroad commission. The company wants to raise rural rates from \$12 to \$15, and the Ladington rate from \$30 to \$36.

NEW SENATOR FROM STATE OF INDIANA



THOMAS TAGGART

Indianapolis—Thomas Taggart, democratic national committeeman, appointed to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Benjamin F. Shively, will leave for Washington immediately to take up his duties. His appointment to the office until the November election was announced by Gov. Ralston. The new senator declared he would support the policies of President Wilson.

WHERE RED CROSS FUNDS GO

The Distribution of Aid in the War Zone of European Countries.

Reports of the American Red Cross society just issued, show that, to date, the organization has sent to the English allies \$239,187.53 in money and 158 shipments of supplies valued at \$860,865.19. During the same time the American Red Cross has forwarded to the Teutonic allies \$20,313.42 in money and 30 shipments of supplies worth \$235,226.61.

In addition to the above, the American Red Cross has dispatched to Germany and Austria two shipments of anti-toxin, valued at \$1,504,805.82. Seventeen countries received 33,977 cases of supplies. "Losses by marine disaster have been few," says the report. "Austrian shipment 'L' and German shipment 'I' forwarded on the SS. Rotterdam, August 21, 1915, were damaged by fire, which broke out in the hold as the ship was entering the port of Rotterdam. With the exception of five cases of chloroform stored on deck, these two consignments were ruined.

"That there have not been more accidents involving shipments that have gone forth since the beginning of the war is a remarkable consideration of the fact that the American Red Cross has shipped supplies on practically all the boats sailing from New York to Europe. The Red Cross shipments have run the same peril as others from submarines and mines, but up to the present have not had to report a single loss from these sources of danger."

TWO THOUSAND SHIPS LOST

Four Million Tonnage Lays On Bottom of Sea.

Washington—The European war has taken from the seas more than 2,000 merchant vessels of nearly 4,000,000 tonnage, according to figures published by the department of commerce, Germany, with 600 vessels sunk, captured or detained, heads the list of losses.

Two hundred and twenty-five of the 500 British vessels lost were sunk by submarines. Great Britain's allies lost 167 ships. Austria lost 80 and Turkey 124. The total of neutral losses is put at 736, but most of these were released after being reported captured.

Ninety-two neutral vessels have been submerged and 94 sunk by mines. Twenty-three have been damaged by submarines and mines.

ITEMS OF INTEREST

M. A. C. lost a debate on munitions to Iowa State college here Friday evening by a two-to-one decision.

Since the new rat bounty law became effective in Sanilac County Clerk Utley has issued orders for 3,000 rat bounties. During December, January and February bounties were paid on 8,000 English sparrows.

Several citizens of Scottville and Ludington appeared before the state railroad commission at a hearing on the petition of the United Home Telephone Co. to increase its rates in the rural districts from \$2 to \$15 per year, and protested against favorable action by the commission.

Chief of Police Malcomson has declared a rigid ban on all gambling devices, including petty "trade accelerators" in Alpena.

London—Sinking of a neutral and British steaming, with the loss of one or more lives, was announced Monday. The Norwegian steamer "Lan gelle, 974 tons, was sunk and her engineer was killed. Sixteen survivors were rescued. The British steamer was the Port Dalhousie. Her mate, pilot and five men were landed. The remaining members of the crew are missing.

Berlin—Emperor William has bestowed the Order of Pour le Merite on Captain Haupt and First Lieutenant Brander, of the Twenty-fourth Brandenburg infantry regiment who were the first to enter Fort Douaumont with their companies.

Paris—Eight hundred thousand French children have been made fatherless by the war, according to a statement made by Senator Jenouvrier in a debate in the senate. This number exceeds by 10 per cent the average total birth in France. Half the children of France, the senator estimates, will be reared without a paternal guide.

Rio Janeiro—Dr. J. Muller, Brazilian minister of foreign affairs, confirms that the American republics are about to exchange views on the question of utilizing German and Austrian vessels.

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GREAT BATTLES NOW IN PROGRESS

THE RUSSIANS HAVE OPENED A GENERAL OFFENSIVE AGAINST THE GERMANS.

DRAW GERMANS FROM WEST

Paris War Office Says Germans Made Gains and Captured More Than 2,500 Men.

London—Coinciding with the new attack by the Germans on the French fortress of Verdun the Russians have opened a general offensive against the Germans on the northern end of the eastern front. Thus two great battles are now in progress of the two greatest war fronts. War experts see great significance in this situation and it is evident that Berlin is greatly interested in the new development in Russia as bearing on the battle in France.

Berlin advisers say the war observers there regard the move by the Russians as an effort to draw the Germans away from Verdun and relieve the general pressure on the Allies in the west.

London experts say only that the Russians now see an opportunity to strike a blow while the German lines are extremely thin, and that as to drawing the Germans to the east, that is a matter for the Germans to decide.

Berlin's statement as to the new attack northeast of Verdun which was first reported by the Paris war office, says the Germans "made substantial gains, captured more than 2,500 prisoners and quantities of war material, while the French added materially to their casualties in fruitless counter-attacks."

The Paris war office statement repeats that the German gain was slight and adds that although the enemy advance has been checked, the battle is continuously on a large scale.

The statement from Paris says the German artillery attacks was broadened, but that the French guns replied so vigorously that no infantry move was attempted by the enemy.

In the eastern arena the Russians are extending their battle front, attacking along the Dvina line from Riga to the region well south of Dvinsk.

Although Berlin declares the Russians were repelled, it is admitted that the Germans abandoned a position south of Lake Norocz to escape the encircling fire of the enemy's heavy guns.

GOVERNMENT LOST MILLIONS

Selling of Cheap Cigars and Cigarettes Without Stamps the Cause.

New York—More than a score of tobacco manufacturers have been arrested, and warrants are said to be out for many others. Internal revenue collectors claim the government has been defrauded of millions of dollars throughout the country by selling of cheap cigars and cigarettes without stamps.

Federal authorities describe losses to the government as "appalling." "The proof so far obtained," their statement stated, "has resulted in evidence being obtained warranting seizure of about 200 factories in New York and elsewhere, which will be accomplished at once, and offenders prosecuted criminally."

It was said "a far-reaching and gigantic conspiracy existed." The authorities intimated that the offenders were not confined to the smaller manufacturers.

TELEGRAPHIC FLASHES

The mangled bodies of two unknown men were found in the east yards of the Michigan Central railway at Kalamazoo. They had been killed, but whether they were hit by a train or fell between cars no one is able to tell.

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Presidential Primary Election.

Notice is hereby given that a Presidential Primary Election will be held on Monday, April 3, A. D. 1916, at the place of holding the Annual Township Meeting in the Township of Sylvan, County of Washtenaw, State of Michigan. The legal notice of which place of holding said Annual Township Meeting has been given.

At which election the qualified voters of the several political parties shall have the opportunity of expressing their preference as to nominees of their respective parties for the office of President of the United States, in accordance with Act 9, Public Acts of the First Extra Session of 1912, as amended by Act No. 319, Public Acts of 1913. Some of the provisions of said Act are briefly as follows: The name of any candidate for the office of president will be printed on the official primary ballot, upon petition of their political supporters in Michigan, which petition must be signed by not less than 100 of the qualified voters of such political party, said petition to be filed on or before the first day of March, 1916; the names to be alternated on the ballot in accordance with the provisions of the State Primary Election Laws, the ballot to be in the following form:

OFFICIAL PRIMARY ELECTION BALLOT.

Party. April 3, 1916.
INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTERS.
To vote for a person whose name appears on the ballot, mark an (X) in the square in front of the name of the person for whom you wish to vote. To vote for a person whose name is not on the ballot, write his name on the blank space provided for. Vote only for one person.

JOHN JONES
WILLIAM SMITH
THOMAS RYAN

Separate ballots for each political party are to be provided. The candidate receiving the highest number of votes in the state at said election, shall be declared to be the candidate and the choice of such political party for this state.

NATIONAL COMMITTEEMAN PRIMARY.

Notice is further hereby given, that at the time and place of holding the April Presidential Primary Election, as herein above designated, a separate and distinct Primary Election will be held for the nomination of a member of the National Committee of the various political parties of this state, in accordance with Act No. 392, Public Acts of 1913. The provisions of this law are briefly as follows:

The name of any candidate for the office of national committeeman shall be printed on the official primary ballot solely upon the petition of their political supporters in Michigan, which petition shall be signed by not less than 100 of the qualified voters of such political party and said petition shall be filed with the secretary of state on or before twelve o'clock noon, March first, nineteen hundred sixteen, the names to be alternated on the ballot in accordance with the provisions of the State Primary Laws.

On the first Monday in April, 1916, there shall be held a Primary Nominating Election in every voting precinct of this state, at which the qualified voters including those who shall be qualified on the first of April, A. D. 1916, of the several political parties shall have the opportunity on separate ballots provided for that purpose to express their preference for the members of the National Committee of their respective parties.

The official ballot shall be as follows:

OFFICIAL PRIMARY ELECTION BALLOT.

Party. April 3, 1916.
To vote for one (1) person whose name appears on the ballot mark an (X) in the square in front of one of the names of the persons for whom you wish to vote. To vote for a person whose name is not on the ballot, write his name in the blank space provided for. Vote for only one (1) person.

JOHN JONES
WILLIAM SMITH
THOMAS RYAN

The candidate receiving the highest number of votes in the state at said election shall be declared to be the candidate and the choice of such political party for the office of National Committeeman.

CONCERNING REGISTRATION.

The Board of Primary Election Inspectors, will register the name of any person who shall on Primary day appear and make oath or affirmation to the effect that he is a qualified elector in such township or precinct, when they personally know him to be such. Any person registered on primary day, as above prescribed, shall be entitled to vote at the succeeding election without other registration.

Any qualified elector may be registered and be eligible to vote at any primary election if he shall appear in person before the Township Clerk and take oath required as to the qualifications for registration and request that his name be registered. Blanks for this form of registration can be obtained at the Township Clerk's office.

No enrollment is required under the present Primary Law, but each elector must be duly registered and a qualified voter.

Each voter will call for a ballot of the political party of his choice.

Also any qualified elector whose name is not on the registration book in the precinct can have his name registered on the regular registration day for the annual spring election, and vote at both primaries.

The Polls of each of said Primary Elections, hereinabove designated, will be open at 7 o'clock a. m. and will remain open until 5 o'clock p. m. of said day of election, unless the Board of Primary Election Inspectors shall in their discretion adjourn the polls at 12 o'clock noon, for one hour.

Dated March 11, 1916.
PAUL O. BACON, Township Clerk.
R. B.

County Bonding Proposition.

To the qualified electors of the County of Washtenaw, State of Michigan:

Notice is hereby given that a proposition will be submitted at the General Election to be held in the several wards, townships, precincts and election districts of the County of Washtenaw, State of Michigan, on Monday, April 3, 1916.

To bond said county in the sum of \$40,000, the proceeds to be used toward the erection of a new Poor House on the farm now owned by Washtenaw County.

The official ballots for voting upon said proposition will contain the following words in part:

Shall the Board of Supervisors be authorized and empowered to issue Bonds not exceeding the sum of \$40,000 for the erection of a new Poor House (now called Infirmary) for Washtenaw County?

Every legally cast ballot found to have a cross marked by an elector in the square pertaining to the word YES will be counted for said proposition; and every legally cast ballot found to have a cross marked by an elector in the square pertaining to the word NO, will be counted against said proposition.

WOMEN ELECTORS.

All qualified Women Electors within said county will be entitled to vote upon this proposition provided their names are duly registered.

GEO. W. BECKWITH, County Clerk.

Dated this 29th day of February, A. D. 1916.

Notice is hereby given that the place of holding said General Election in the Township of Sylvan in said county, will be at Sylvan Town Hall, within said Township, and 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, unless the Board of Election Inspectors shall in their discretion adjourn the polls at 12 o'clock noon for one hour.

Dated this 29th day of February, A. D. 1916.
PAUL O. BACON, Clerk of said Township.
R. B.

Chancery Notice

STATE OF MICHIGAN, suit pending in the Circuit Court for the County of Washtenaw, in Chancery, wherein John Matthews and Jennie Matthews are plaintiffs and William L. Perkins, and the unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns of William L. Perkins are defendants. Upon filing bill of complaint duly sworn to, showing that defendant can not be served with process, it is ordered that each of said defendants cause his appearance to be entered in said cause within three months from this date. That notice of this order be published in The Chelsea Standard once each week for six successive weeks.

The title to the following described lands being involved in said suit:

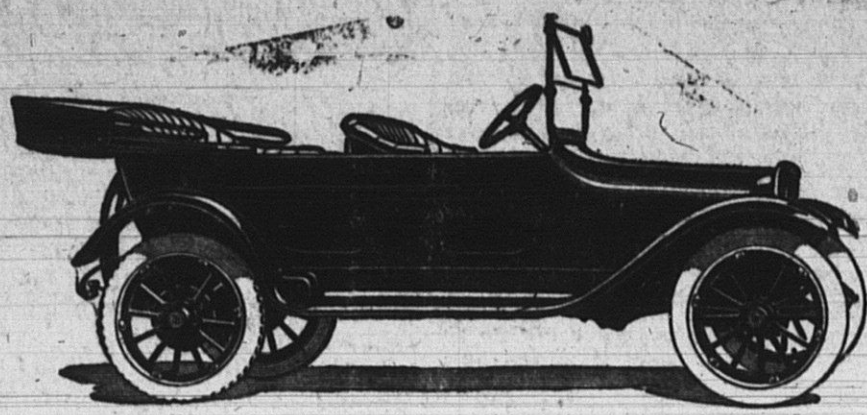
All that part of lot number four in block four north of Huron street, three feet east, according to the recorded plat of the Village (now City) of Ann Arbor, Washtenaw County, Michigan, that lies north of the northern line of Beakes (formerly Pontiac) street.

Dated February 28, 1916.
E. D. KINNE, Circuit Judge.

Attest:
GEO. W. BECKWITH, Attorney for Plaintiffs, 35

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PERSONAL MENTION.

Ed. Corey was a Detroit visitor Sunday.

Mrs. L. G. Palmer spent Tuesday in Detroit.

J. F. Maier spent Sunday in Birmingham.

Carl Wagner, of Detroit, spent Sunday here.

James Cooke is spending this week in Detroit.

Mrs. A. E. Winans spent Tuesday in Jackson.

Mrs. Addie Martin spent Sunday in Ann Arbor.

Miss Ruth Bacon was a Detroit visitor Saturday.

H. H. Fenn and son Clair spent Sunday in Detroit.

Miss Anna Walworth spent Saturday in Detroit.

Mrs. Frank Leach was a Jackson visitor Tuesday.

Mrs. T. G. Speer was an Ann Arbor visitor Monday.

Louis Burg, of Detroit, spent Tuesday in Chelsea.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Bowen spent Sunday in Albion.

Mrs. Elizabeth Rynciman spent Sunday in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. McLaren spent Sunday in Jackson.

Mrs. F. H. Sweetland spent the week-end in Jackson.

Mrs. Nellie BeGole was an Ann Arbor visitor Friday.

W. H. Freer, of Jackson, was a Chelsea visitor Friday.

John Brown, of Detroit, was a Chelsea visitor Sunday.

Mrs. Adam Kalmbach, of Detroit, spent Sunday in Chelsea.

Miss Zeta Foster, of Grass Lake, spent Tuesday in Chelsea.

Mrs. Arthur Foster, of Ann Arbor, spent Tuesday in Chelsea.

Miss Rose Conway, of Jackson, was a Chelsea visitor Tuesday.

A. G. Faist and N. H. Cook were in Toledo on business Friday.

Miss Neva Norton spent Saturday and Sunday in Ann Arbor.

Miss Esther Schenk spent Saturday and Sunday in Ann Arbor.

Paul Kilcline, of Detroit, spent Sunday with friends in Chelsea.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Belsler are visiting relatives in Ann Arbor.

Mrs. H. Pratt, of Detroit, spent Sunday with Mrs. Mary Pratt.

Mrs. Geo. Wackenhut and daughter Lillie spent Sunday in Detroit.

Miss Frieda Wedemeyer, of Ann Arbor, spent Saturday in Chelsea.

Mrs. F. K. McEldowney, of Highland Park, is visiting friends here.

Misses Elsie and Marie Daley, of Jackson, spent Tuesday in Chelsea.

Wm. McNea, of Detroit, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. Canfield.

Miss Mabel Raftery, of Jackson, spent Sunday with her mother here.

Miss Gladys Beeman, of Detroit, spent Sunday with her mother here.

Mrs. G. Weick, of Detroit, spent several days of last week in Chelsea.

Mrs. J. L. Burg and daughter, Mrs. John Lyons, spent Sunday in Jackson.

August Elsie, of Detroit, spent Tuesday and Wednesday in Chelsea.

Miss Eva Stapish, of Detroit, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Clara Stapish.

Hert McClain, who is employed in Cleveland, spent Sunday at his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Allen entertained Wallace Donlin, of Detroit Sunday.

Miss Estelle Guerin, of Ann Arbor, spent the week-end with friends in Chelsea.

Mrs. Martin Conway, of Jackson, spent several days of this week in Chelsea.

Mrs. Ben Marty, of Detroit, spent several days of the past week in Chelsea.

James Beasley and granddaughter, Fay Nemethy, spent the week-end in Detroit.

Mrs. Geo. Ewing and children spent the week-end with her parents at Belleville.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Heselschwerdt, of Ann Arbor, spent Friday evening in Chelsea.

Misses Eppie Breitenbach, of Jackson, spent Sunday with Dr. and Mrs. A. L. Steger.

Mrs. B. B. Turnbull and daughter Jean spent the latter part of last week in Detroit.

Mrs. J. Weber, of Kalamazoo, and daughter, Alma, of Ann Arbor, spent Sunday in Chelsea.

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Probate Order

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw. At a session of the probate court for said county of Washtenaw, held at the probate office, in the city of Ann Arbor, on the 11th day of March, in the year one thousand nine hundred and sixteen.
Present, William H. Murray, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Emily Boynton, deceased.
On reading and filing the duly verified petition of John Kalmbach, praying that a certain paper in writing and now on file in this court, purporting to be the last will and testament of Emily Boynton be admitted to probate and that John Kalmbach, the executor named in said will, or some other suitable person be appointed executor thereof, and that appraisers and commissioners be appointed.
It is ordered, that the 8th day of April next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, said probate office be appointed for hearing said petition.
And it is further ordered, that a copy of this order be published three successive weeks previous to said time of hearing, in The Chelsea Standard a newspaper printed and circulated in said county of Washtenaw.
WILLIAM H. MURRAY, Judge of Probate.
(A true copy)
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Notice.

We the undersigned dentists of Chelsea will close our offices on Wednesdays during the summer, beginning Wednesday, March 29, 1916.

H. H. AVERY,
A. L. STEGER.

WILLIS—The elevator, warehouse, office and books belonging to Bert Youngs, of Willis, were burned Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock. There were about 1,500 bushels of grain in the elevator. The whole loss was only partly covered by insurance. This is a great loss to Willis industry.

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Township Clerk

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Presidential Primary Election.

Notice is hereby given that a Presidential Primary Election will be held on Monday, April 3, A. D. 1916, at the place of holding the Annual Township Meeting in the Township of Sylvan, County of Washtenaw, State of Michigan. Due legal notice of which place of holding said Annual Township Meeting has been given.

At which election the qualified voters of the several political parties shall have the opportunity of expressing their preference as to nominees of their respective parties for the office of President of the United States, in accordance with Act 9, Public Acts of the First Extra Session of 1912, as amended by Act No. 319, Public Acts of 1914. Some of the provisions of said Act are briefly as follows: The name of any candidate for the office of president will be printed on the official primary ballot, upon petition of their political supporters in Michigan, which petition must be signed by not less than 100 of the qualified voters of such political party, said petition to be filed on or before the first day of March, 1916, the names to be alternated on the ballot in accordance with the provisions of the State Primary Election Laws, the ballot to be in the following form:

OFFICIAL PRIMARY ELECTION BALLOT.

..... Party. April 3, 1916

INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTERS.
To vote for a person whose name appears on the ballot, mark an (X) in the square in front of the name of the person for whom you wish to vote. To vote for a person whose name is not on the ballot, write his name on the blank space provided for. Vote only for one person.

JOHN JONES
WILLIAM SMITH
THOMAS RYAN

Separate ballots for each political party are to be provided. The candidate receiving the highest number of votes in the state at said election, shall be declared to be the candidate and the choice of such political party for this state.

NATIONAL COMMITTEEMAN PRIMARY.

Notice is further hereby given, that at the time and place of holding the April Presidential Primary Election, as herein above designated, a separate and distinct Primary Election will be held for the nomination of a member of the National Committee of the various political parties of this state, in accordance with Act No. 392, Public Acts of 1913. The provisions of this law are briefly as follows:

The name of any candidate for the office of national committeeman shall be printed on the official primary ballot solely upon the petition of their political supporters in Michigan, which petition shall be signed by not less than 100 of the qualified voters of such political party and said petition shall be filed with the secretary of state on or before twelve o'clock noon, March first, nineteen hundred sixteen, the names to be alternated on the ballot in accordance with the provisions of the State Primary Laws.

On the first Monday in April, 1916, there shall be held a Primary Nominating Election in every voting precinct of this state, at which the qualified voters including those who shall be qualified on the first of April, A. D. 1916, of the several political parties shall have the opportunity to express their preference for the members of the National Committee of their respective parties.

The official ballot shall be as follows:

OFFICIAL PRIMARY ELECTION BALLOT.

..... Party. April 3, 1916.

To vote for one (1) person whose name appears on the ballot mark an (X) in the square in front of one of the names of the persons for whom you wish to vote. To vote for a person whose name is not on the ballot, write his name in the blank space provided for. Vote for only one (1) person.

JOHN JONES
WILLIAM SMITH
THOMAS RYAN

The candidate receiving the highest number of votes in the state, at said election shall be declared to be the candidate and the choice of such political party for the office of National Committeeman.

CONCERNING REGISTRATION.

The Board of Primary Election Inspectors, will register the name of any person who shall on Primary day appear and make oath of affirmation to the effect that he is a qualified elector in such voting precinct, or when they personally know him to be such. Any person registered on primary day, as above prescribed, shall be entitled to vote at the succeeding election without other registration.

Any qualified elector may be registered and be eligible to vote at any primary election if he shall appear in person before the Township Clerk and take oath required as to the qualifications for registration and request that his name be registered. Blanks for this form of registration can be obtained at the Township Clerk's office.

No enrollments required under the present Primary Law, but each elector must be duly registered and a qualified voter.

Each voter will call for a ballot of the political party of his choice.

Also any qualified elector whose name is not on the registration book in the precinct can have his name registered on the regular registration day for the annual spring election, and vote at both above primaries.

The polls of each of said Primary Elections hereinabove designated will be open at 7 o'clock a. m. and will remain open until 5 o'clock p. m. of said day of election, unless the Board of Primary Election Inspectors shall in their discretion adjourn the polls at 10 o'clock noon, for one hour.

Dated March 11, 1916.
PAUL O. BACON, Township Clerk.
R. B.

County Bonding Proposition.

To the qualified electors of the County of Washtenaw, State of Michigan:

Notice is hereby given that a proposition will be submitted at the General Election to be held in the several wards, townships, precincts and election districts of the County of Washtenaw, State of Michigan, on Monday, April 3, 1916.

To bond said county in the sum of \$40,000, the proceeds to be used toward the erection of a new Poor House on the farm now owned by Washtenaw County.

The official ballot for voting upon said proposition will contain the following words in part:

Shall the Board of Supervisors be authorized and empowered to issue Bonds not exceeding the sum of \$40,000 for the erection of a new Poor House (now called Infirmary) for Washtenaw County?

YES _____ NO _____

Every legally cast ballot found to have a cross marked by an elector in the square pertaining to the word YES will be counted for said proposition; and every legally cast ballot found to have a cross marked by an elector in the square pertaining to the word NO, will be counted against said proposition.

WOMEN ELECTORS.

All qualified Women Electors within said county will be entitled to vote upon said proposition provided their names are duly registered.

Geo. W. Beckwith, County Clerk.
Dated this 20th day of February, A. D. 1916.

Notice is hereby given that the place of holding said General Election in the Township of Sylvan in said county, will be at Sylvan Town Hall, within said Township, and 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, unless the Board of Election Inspectors shall in their discretion adjourn the polls at 12 o'clock noon for one hour.

Dated this 20th day of February, A. D. 1916.
PAUL O. BACON, Clerk of said Township.
R. B.

Chancery Notice

STATE OF MICHIGAN, suit pending in the Circuit Court for the County of Washtenaw, in Chancery, wherein John Matthews and Jennie Matthews are plaintiffs and William L. Perkins and the unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns of William L. Perkins are defendants. Upon filing bill of complaint duty was done, showing that defendant can not be served with process. It is ordered that each of said defendants cause his appearance to be entered in said cause within three months from this date. That notice of this order be published in The Chelsea Standard once each week for six successive weeks.

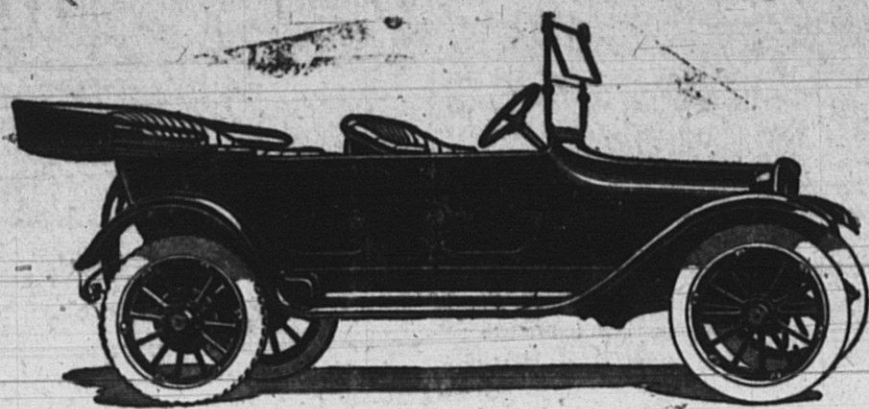
The title to the following described lands being involved in said suit:

All that part of lot number four in block four north of Huron street, range five east, according to the recorded plat of the Village (now City) of Ann Arbor, Washtenaw County, Michigan, that lies north of the northerly line of Beakes (formerly Pontiac) street.

E. D. KINNE, Circuit Judge.
Dated February 9th, 1916.

ARTHUR BROWN, Attorney for Plaintiffs, \$5
Ann Arbor, Michigan.

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PERSONAL MENT

Ed. Corey was a Detroit visitor.

Mrs. L. G. Palmer spent Tu

Detroit.

J. F. Maier spent Sunday in

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Carl Wagner, of Detroit, sp

day here.

James Cooke is spending th

in Detroit.

Mrs. A. E. Winans spent

in Jackson.

Mrs. Addie Martin spent Si

Ann Arbor.

Miss Ruth Bacon was a Det

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H. H. Fenn and son Clair sp

day in Detroit.

Miss Anna Walworth spent

day in Detroit.

Mrs. Frank Leach was a

visitor Tuesday.

Mrs. T. G. Speer was an An

visitor Monday.

Louis Burg, of Detroit, sp

day in Chelsea.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Bow

Sunday in Albion.

Mrs. Elizabeth Runciman

Sunday in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. McLare

Sunday in Jackson.

Mrs. F. H. Sweetland sp

week-end in Jackson.

Mrs. Nellie BeGole was a

Arbor visitor Friday.

W. H. Freer, of Jackson,

Chelsea visitor Friday.

John Brown, of Detroit,

Chelsea visitor Sunday.

Mrs. Adam Kalmbach, of I

spent Sunday in Chelsea.

Miss Zeta Foster, of Grass

spent Tuesday in Chelsea.

Mrs. Arthur Foster, of Ann

spent Tuesday in Chelsea.

Miss Rose Conway, of Jacks

a Chelsea visitor Tuesday.

A. G. Faist and N. H. Cook

Toledo on business Friday.

Miss Neva Norton spent S

and Sunday in Ann Arbor.

Miss Esther Schenk spent S

and Sunday in Ann Arbor.

Paul Kilcline, of Detroit, sp

day with friends in Chelsea.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Belser

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Mrs. H. Pratt, of Detroit

Sunday with Mrs. Mary Pratt.

Mrs. Geo. Wackenhut and d

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Miss Frieda Wedemeyer, of

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Mrs. F. K. McElowney, of

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Jackson, spent Tuesday in Che

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Miss Estelle Guerin, of Ann

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Mrs. Martin Conway, of J

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Mrs. Ben Marty, of Detroit

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Belleville.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hesels

of Ann Arbor, spent Friday e

in Chelsea.

Misses Eppie Breitenbach, o

son, spent Sunday with Dr. an

A. L. Steger.

Mrs. B. B. Turnbull and daughter

Jean spent the latter part of last

week in Detroit.

Mrs. J. Weber, of Kalamazoo, and

daughter, Alma, of Ann Arbor, spent

Sunday in Chelsea.

SUPPLEMENT TO THE CHELSEA STANDARD, THURSDAY, MARCH 23, 1916

SHARON NEWS.

D. O. Hewes was a week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Sloat.

Mrs. Clifford Kendall has been confined to her home the past week by illness.

Clarence and Earl Walk spent Sunday with their cousins, Emil and Harold Breustle.

Lawrence Bloom has gone to spend some time with his mother, Mrs. A. Bloom, in Freedom.

Miss Bertha Lemm is in Flint helping to care for her aunt, Mrs. Thos. Wortley, who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Koebbe spent Sunday in Jackson, and attended the tabernacle meetings.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Trolz and daughter Florence spent Sunday at the home of Fred Wolpert in Grass Lake.

Misses Lorena Lemm, Esther Koebbe and Florence Reno were week-end guests of relatives in Jackson and attended the tabernacle meetings.

The Women's Home Missionary Society met with Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Alber last Thursday. It was the men's annual meeting and shortly afterwards a large company sat down to such a sumptuous feast as is seldom seen and partaken of. It was thought there might be danger of some bad effects but no fatalities have occurred.

Mrs. Richard Comstock, aged 76 years, passed on to the great beyond last Wednesday morning. She was born in the east, but had lived in Sharon many years. The deceased was a woman of sterling character and had a large circle of friends. Her husband, one son, Wilbur, of Grass Lake, and two grandchildren survive her, two children having preceded her in death some years ago. The funeral was held at the home Saturday morning, Rev. Schofield, of Moroni, officiating. Interment at the Rowe's Corners cemetery.

FRANCISCO VILLAGE.

John Behter spent Saturday in Chelsea.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Sager, of Grass Lake, spent Sunday in Francisco.

Albert Notten spent from Saturday until Monday with relatives in Detroit.

Charles Seibert, of Ann Arbor, visited his brother, Moses Seibert, Friday of last week.

Mrs. John Seid left Saturday afternoon to spend Sunday with her children in Jackson.

Miss Anna Straub has returned to Clinton after spending some time with her sister, Mrs. Louis Walz.

Miss Eva Bohne, who has been spending some time with her grandparents in Waterloo, has returned home.

Mrs. Jane Udell, of St. Thomas, Ont., who has been spending some time with her niece, Mrs. Hazel Frey, left Friday for her home.

Frank Helle has been called by the M. C. to take charge of the extra gang on steel, and John Tish is temporary section foreman in Mr. Helle's place.

NORTH LAKE NOTES.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Collings moved to their new home west of Pinckney Friday.

Alex Gilbert, of Detroit, spent Saturday and Sunday at the home of his mother, Mrs. Mary Gilbert.

Warren Daniels, of Chelsea, spent Sunday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Daniels.

Mrs. Joseph Brown, of Webster, is caring for her sister, Mrs. Mary Gilbert, who is not as well as usual.

Mrs. Homer Stoffer and Miss Flora Burkhardt visited the latter's mother at the U. of M. hospital one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Hudson entertained about fifty neighbors and friends at their home Thursday evening.

The maple syrup social held at the Grange hall last Friday evening was well attended. A fine time is reported.

Mr. and Mrs. George Doody entertained the following at their home Sunday evening: Mrs. James Burch, Misses Lily Burch, Johanna Hanker, Laura Hudson, Margaret Noll and Messrs. Henry Wolfe, Wm. Hanker, Ernest Hudson, Wm. Burch.

Try the Standard "Want" Ads.

LIMA TOWNSHIP NEWS.

Clayton Ward spent one day of last week in Ann Arbor.

Mrs. Samuel Smith spent one day of last week in Ann Arbor.

Rudolph Widmayer spent Sunday in Dexter with his sister, Mrs. F. Steeb.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Steinbach were Ann Arbor visitors the last of the week.

Mrs. Fred Gross and daughters, Hilda and Amanda spent Wednesday in Ann Arbor.

Mrs. Samuel Zahn spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Gross.

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LOCAL ITEMS.

Mrs. G. W. Beckwith will entertain the Royal Entertainers this evening.

Mrs. Robert Leach is seriously ill at her home, corner Chandler and Grant street.

The High Five Club meets at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Hoover this evening.

Mrs. Chauncey Freeman entertained the Chatt'n Seau Club last Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Stephens entertained the Five Hundred Club Wednesday evening.

Ed. Huber, of Sandusky, Ohio, has accepted a position with the Michigan Portland Cement Co.

Born, Tuesday, March 21, 1916, to Mr. and Mrs. Kerney Brinson, of west Middle street, a daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Guerin returned Saturday from Albion, where they have been spending the winter.

Miss Mabel Canfield, of Detroit, spent the week-end with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Canfield.

Miss Nen Wilkinson entertained a number of ladies at her home on South Main street Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Warren Cushman arrived in Chelsea Tuesday morning, after spending a couple of years in Brush, Colorado.

Mrs. C. W. Belser and two sons and Miss Amanda Belser, of Ann Arbor, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Belser.

John G. Fischer, of Dexter township, has a new spraying outfit on his farm which he purchased the first of this week.

Married, on Saturday, March 18, 1916, in Grand Rapids, Ethel B. Carlson, of Grand Rapids, and Almarion B. Skinner, of Sylvan.

The Altar Society and St. Aloysius Sodality will receive holy communion in a body next Sunday in the Church of Our Lady of the Sacred Heart.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Schwikerath have sold the house and lot on west Middle street, known as the Mrs. Elizabeth Stapish place, to John Miller.

The W. R. C. will give a thimble party at the home of Mrs. Elizabeth Walz Friday afternoon, March 24. Scrub lunch. Bring dishes and a friend.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Balmer and family, of Pauline, Ohio, moved to their new home in Lyndon, last Friday. Mr. Balmer recently purchased the farm known as the John McKune place.

The proclamation signed by King George of England prohibiting the importing of automobiles, affects the business of the Lewis Spring and Axle Co., as the sales of Holler Eights in that country have been growing rapidly.

Have you looked over the statements of the Chelsea banks as published in the Standard? The total assets of the two banks at the close of business March 7th were \$1,116,306.14, a gain of \$90,649.79 since the last report made December 31st. The local financial institutions, and Chelsea also, are to be congratulated upon this excellent showing.

The Chelsea Screw Company will install two new Gridley automatic screw machines next month. The company has been offered a liberal bonus by other manufacturers if they would let them have the machines, but there was "nothing doing" in that line, as the Chelsea firm is in need of the machines in order to keep up with their orders.

After several months' delay the new switchboard has arrived at the municipal electric light plant. The generator has been here nearly three months, but could not be installed, owing to the delay in the delivery of the switchboard. The work of installation will start at once, and the street lights will not be turned on for several evenings. The commercial lights will not be interfered with during the work.

March has been a corker, having displayed more continuous cold weather than any other month this year, and since spring arrived on the calendar—has treated us to more snow than fell all winter. Not satisfied with the above, it trotted out a thunder storm Tuesday night that made even sound sleepers sit up in bed and wonder if Villa was coming. It sure has been some little old month, and there is more than a week of it yet to come.

R. B. Waltrous has purchased the Jacob F. Koch place in Sylvan.

Verne Carpenter is suffering from pneumonia, at his home on Garfield street.

Mrs. Wm. Arnold entertained the Sunshine Circle, of Ann Arbor, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ward D. Morton and son, of Detroit, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Morton.

Miss Una Stiegelmaier spent the week-end at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Stiegelmaier, of Jackson.

Adam G. Faist will be the democrat nominee for treasurer of Sylvan township.

Dr. and Mrs. J. T. Woods have moved to their new home on West Summit street.

Rev. Dr. VanAntwerp, of Detroit, and Rev. Father Hayes, of Coldwater, were welcome guests at St. Mary's rectory this week.

Mrs. Mabel Buss is seriously ill at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Yager.

There will be a special meeting of Olive Lodge, F. & A. M., next Tuesday evening. E. A. degree.

Mrs. D. L. Rogers entertained the Cytherian Circle Friday afternoon, at her home on East street.

A marriage license has been issued to Fred M. Covert, of Lima, and Mrs. May E. Calton, of Detroit.

Postmaster H. J. Abbott and Bert Schumacher, of Ann Arbor, were Chelsea visitors Wednesday.

Mrs. Mary Brenner and Miss Ella Slimmer, of Ann Arbor, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Rheinfrank.

Spring arrived officially at 5:55 p. m. Monday, but as at that time a heavy fall of snow occurred, no one noticed the arrival.

Mrs. Ella Beutler and daughter Anna have returned to their home here, after spending several months at Manchester.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Rook, who have been residents of Chelsea for the past six months, have moved their household goods to Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Haynes, of Detroit, moved the first of this week to their farm, known as the Henry Wilsey place, in Dexter township.

The St. Patrick's Day banquet and entertainment at St. Mary's auditorium Tuesday evening was a pleasant affair and netted the school a nice sum.

Mrs. Emory Glenn, of Gregory, and Mrs. Clifford Lantis and sons Harold and Linwood, of Webberville, spent Thursday and Friday with Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Glenn.

It cost the county just \$215.65 in payment of rat bounties for the period between the last of August and March 13, according to figures prepared by County Treasurer H. J. Paul.

Evangelistic meetings are being held in the M. E. church this week. Fred Allen, an evangelistic singer, of Jackson, is assisting Rev. G. H. Whitney. The meetings are growing in interest each evening.

Attorney-General Fellows has decided that the delegates to the county conventions this spring must be chosen by the old caucus system. There has been a difference of opinion regarding the matter in various parts of the state, some believing that a primary was necessary under the recently amended laws.

Fred O'Melay, of Hillsdale, who is tied with Dr. Andros Gulde of Chelsea for the checker championship of Michigan, evidently thinks things are breaking in good shape, as evidenced by his appointment as postmaster, and now wants to play off the tie! The first games of the series will be played on Friday or Saturday.

The Congregational churches of Michigan will, next week, enter upon a friendship and efficiency campaign. Teams of speakers will visit all the churches during the week. In some instances all-day meetings will be held. The team that comes to Chelsea is led by Rev. O. L. Morris. They will be here Tuesday evening, March 28th. The public is invited to hear these men.

Several new and powerful locomotives have recently been put in service on the Michigan Central railroad to handle heavy and fast passenger trains between Detroit and Chicago. These locomotives weigh 217 tons, including the tender, and are equipped with the most modern appliances. The use of steel cars instead of those of wood construction increases train loads and requires engines of greater power.

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Skirts

The new Ready-to-Wear Skirts are here. All wool Blue Serge Skirts and Poplin Skirts at \$3.75 and up to \$5.00. Handsome all wool Plaid, Check and Stripe Skirts at \$5.00 and up to \$7.00.

New Spring Shoes

The New Spring Shoes are here. Shoes for the Women at \$1.75, \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00 and \$3.50. Men's Snag Proof Rubber Boots, \$3.00. Shoes for the Men at \$2.50 and up to \$3.50. Shoes for the Girls, Shoes for the Boys, and Shoes for the Children. Come and see our Shoe display. You will be surprised when you see the assortment.

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Don't let your stomach, liver and bowels make you miserable. Take Cascarets to-night; put an end to the headache, biliousness, dizziness, nervousness, sick, sour, gassy stomach, backache and all other distress; cleanse your inside organs of all the bile, gases and constipated matter which is producing the misery.

A 10-cent box means health, happiness and a clear head for months. No more days of gloom and distress if you will take a Cascaret now and then. All stores sell Cascarets. Don't forget the children—their little insides need a cleansing, too. Adv.

Improved Process of Freezing Fish. It is announced that a Danish company, with headquarters at Copenhagen, is utilizing a new process for freezing fish, which is declared to be a decided improvement over previous methods. Recent demonstrations resulted in the freezing of herring in a half hour, which, under the system previously employed took several hours.

FIERY RED PIMPLES

Soothed and Healed by Cuticura Soap and Ointment. Trial Free.

Smear the affected skin with Cuticura Ointment on end of finger. Let it remain five to ten minutes. Then wash off with plenty of Cuticura Soap and hot water. Dry without irritation. Nothing like Cuticura for all skin troubles from infancy to age.

Free sample each by mail with Book. Address postcard, Cuticura, Dept. L, Boston. Sold everywhere.—Adv.

Hair Turns White in a Night

That hair ever turns white in a single night has been emphatically denied by some doctors, in spite of historic instances—such as that of Marie Antoinette—to the contrary. But Doctor Lebar called the attention of the Societe Medicale des Hopitaux of Paris to an actual case. It was that of a young French soldier who was blown into the air by a mine and buried in the earth, from which he extricated himself with difficulty. The man was deafened by the detonation, his face was burned, and there were several bruises on his head. He was taken to a neighboring hospital, where the following day he noticed four white hairs on the fronto-parietal-occipital region of his head. The loss of color was complete from the roots to the ends of the hairs, and the white hairs were as firmly in his scalp as their brown neighbors.

Considerable of a Snub.

Mr. Asquith recently administered a grim snub to a certain M. P. Some time ago, on the death of a noted public man, there was a great deal of gossip as to who should succeed him. The M. P. in question had a friend whom he wished to get the appointment, and determined to be first in the field, he went to Mr. Asquith on the day after the late holder of the post had died. "May my friend So-and-so have Mr. Blank's place?" he asked, eagerly. "He may," answered Mr. Asquith, gravely, "if he thinks the coffin will fit him comfortably!"—London Mail.

MORE THAN EVER Increased Capacity for Work Since Leaving Off Coffee.

Many former coffee drinkers who have mental work to perform day after day, have found a better capacity and greater endurance by using Postum instead of coffee. An Illinois woman writes:

"I had drank coffee for about twenty years, and finally had what the doctor called 'coffee heart.' I was nervous and extremely despondent; had little mental or physical strength left; had kidney trouble and constipation.

"The first noticeable benefit which followed the change from coffee to Postum was the improved action of the kidneys and bowels. In two weeks my heart action was greatly improved and my nerves steadier.

"Then I became less despondent, and the desire to be active again showed proof of renewed physical and mental strength.

"I formerly did mental work and had to give it up on account of coffee, but since using Postum I am doing hard mental labor with less fatigue." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

Postum comes in two forms: Postum Cereal—the original form—must be well boiled, 15c and 25c packages.

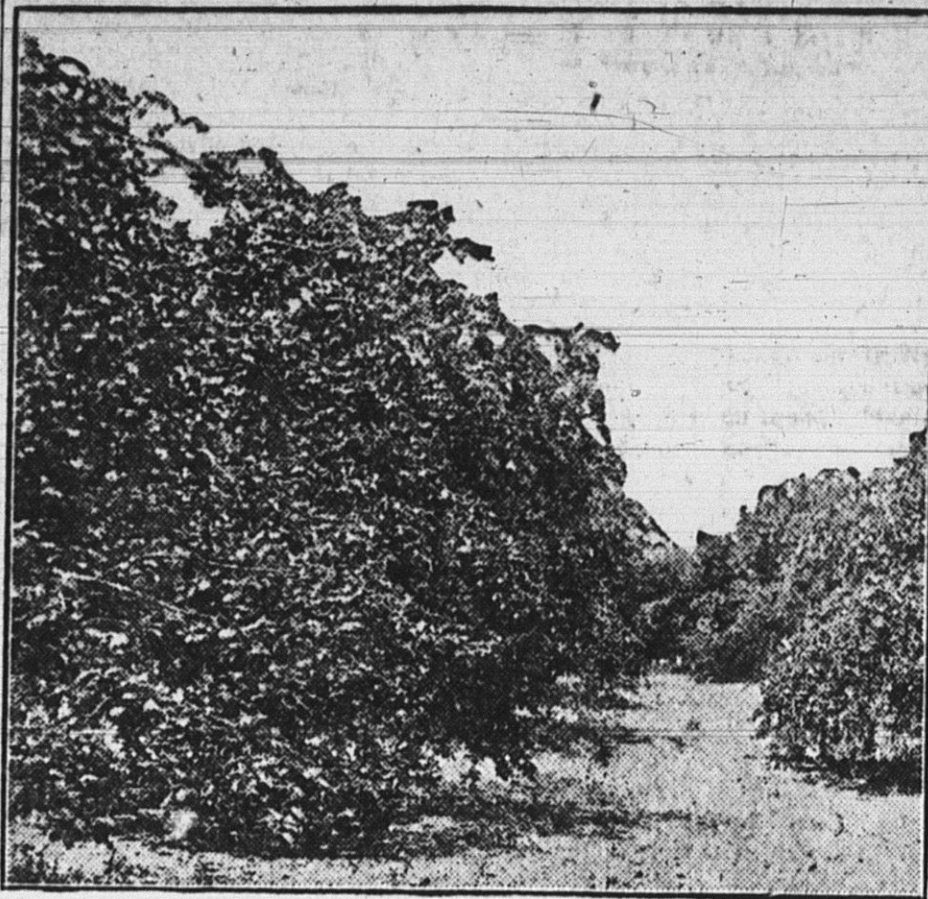
Instant Postum—a soluble powder—dissolves quickly in a cup of hot water, and, with cream and sugar, makes a delicious beverage instantly. 30c and 50c tins.

Both forms are equally delicious and cost about the same per cup.

"There's a Reason" for Postum.

—sold by Grocers.

GENERAL IDEA OF SPRAYING ON FARM



A Michigan Apple Orchard.

Every year more people wish to learn to spray. Sometimes they want to keep the worms out of apples; or perhaps their potatoes have had bugs on them, or have died of blight.

Most of your neighbors know nothing about spraying. Every year the country is becoming more settled up, the birds are being killed off, and the insects are getting more plentiful.

If you have more than a half-acre of orchard, or an acre of potatoes, it will almost certainly pay to spray. Of course, if you are short of help on the farm, it may be best to let the bugs and blight do their worst, says a writer in Wallace's Farmer. The



Time for First Spraying.

spraying of apples and potatoes comes in late May, June and July, and is likely to interfere with other work. It is rather bothersome unless you study the matter carefully and order all the machinery and spraying material beforehand. Probably you never did any spraying, and when you start in at the job, you will make mistakes which will disgust you.

In Nebraska they sprayed a total of 3,300 trees for four years. Other trees in the same orchard were not sprayed. The result was an increase of two bushels per tree in favor of those sprayed. The product from the average unsprayed tree sold for 81 cents, while that of the sprayed trees brought \$2.35. Spraying in the average year in Nebraska seems to increase the value of the apple crop \$77 on the average for each acre. In other words, the profits of one year's spraying would pay not only for the spraying materials, but also for the spraying machinery.

The Kansas experiment station has found that spraying increased the yield per tree by four bushels, worth \$1.62. In Missouri, a big orchardist sprayed 100 of his trees and left 3,600 of them unsprayed. He claimed that he got more from his 100 sprayed trees than he did from the 3,600 unsprayed.

Apples are sprayed chiefly to keep worms, scab, blotch and rot away. Lead arsenate kills worms, and lime-sulphur solution prevents the growth of rot, scab and blotches. To keep these pests and diseases away, give four sprayings, as follows:

1. In the spring, when the pink is just appearing in the clusters of blossoms, and the leaves are about the size of your little finger nail. Mix one and a half gallons of commercial lime-sulphur and two pounds of arsenate of lead with fifty gallons of water. Put this in your spraying machine, and go over every tree, seeing that all the leaves are coated with a fine spray mist. The ordinary fifteen or twenty-year-old tree will take three or four gallons of spray. When you



Time for Second and Most Important Spraying.

are putting on the spray mixture, you will have a chance to use good judgment. You must watch from what direction the wind is coming. You must practice until you are skillful at spraying a tree thoroughly and quickly. The lime-sulphur spray is likely to chap the face and hands. You had best put gloves on your hands and smear vasoline over the face.

2. This spraying is done just as soon as the blossoms have fallen, the same mixture being used as for the first spraying. Of all sprayings, this is

the most important to keep worms out of apples. A moth lays worm eggs in the blossom end of the young apple. These eggs hatch into small worms, which eat their way through this end of the apple into the inside.

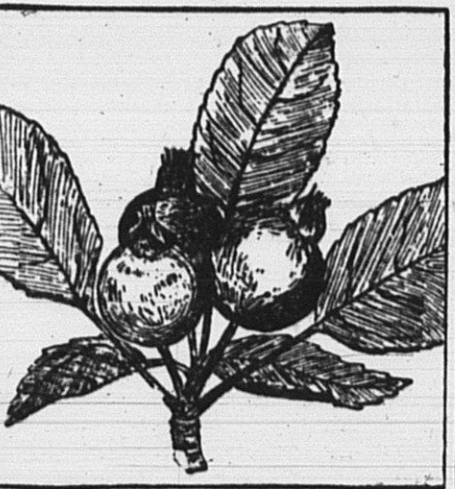
The object of the spraying is to put some of the poison spray into the blossom end of each little green apple. You will notice that this end of the green apple has five green sepals. Immediately after the blossoms fall, these are spread out much in the form of a blossom. But a few days later they turn inward. It is very important that the spraying be done while they are still turned outward. If it is done after they have started to turn inward, it is impossible to get much of the spray in where the worms will eat it. Since young apples point upward, the spraying, so far as possible, should be done from above, so that the spray mist will shoot downward straight into the blossom ends.

So far as worms are concerned, a thorough spraying given just after the blossoms have fallen is worth more than all of the other three sprayings.

In fact, in some regions where the worm of the codling moth is the chief enemy of apples, they give only this single spray, the one just after the blossoms have fallen off.

3. Spray ten to twenty days after the blossoms have fallen, with the same mixture as for one and two. This catches a few of the worms after they have hatched, and the lime sulphur put at this time is a great help in preventing blotch, rot and scab.

4. The last spraying is given about ten weeks after the blossoms have fallen. At this time the second brood of the codling moth lays more eggs. This brood does not cause much damage.



Ready for Third Spraying.

age, but it will probably pay to spray. Lime-sulphur at this time continues to help prevent rot, scab and blotch.

In the average year this system of spraying means that one spraying must be given in late April or early May, another one about the middle of May, another the latter part of May, and another about the latter part of July. You can figure out for yourself how much spraying at these seasons of the year would interfere with the rest of your work. If you would like to spray, but feel that you have time for only one spraying, give the second one, just after the blossoms have fallen.

DUST BATH NEEDED BY POULTRY FLOCK

Almost Any Fine, Dry Powder Will Make Good Material—Add a Little Kerosene Oil.

(By M. J. KILPATRICK, Poultry Expert, Ohio State University.)

Few will keep themselves free from vermin during the winter months if given a convenient place to dust. A box 30 inches square and 12 inches deep may be built in one corner of the pen or such a box may be made with legs so as to raise it 15 inches off of the floor.

Almost any fine, dry powder will make good dusting material. The particles should be fine enough so that they will choke up the breathing pores of the parasites which live on the fowl's body.

Equal parts of loam, sand and sifted coal ashes, to which has been added a little kerosene oil and the whole thoroughly mixed, is often used for

MARKET QUOTATIONS

Live Stock

DETROIT—Cattle—Receipts, 3,146. Best heavy steers, \$8.15; best handy weight butcher steers, \$7.50; mixed steers and heifers, \$7.25; mixed steers and heifers, \$7.25; handy light butchers, \$6.25; light butchers, \$5.75; best cows, \$6.60; butcher cows, \$5.75; common cows, \$4.25; canners, \$3.45; best heavy bulls, \$6.60; bologna bulls, \$5.25; stock bulls, \$4.50; 5; feeders, \$6.25; stockers, \$5.25; milkers and springers, \$4.00; \$0.

Calves—Receipts, 1,366. Veal calf trade remains about the same, extra fancy brought \$12, good ones \$11.15, and heavy and common \$7.10. Sheep and Lamb—Receipts, 1,071. Best lambs, \$10.75; fair lambs, \$10.11; light to common lambs, \$9.16; yearlings, \$9.50; fair to good sheep, \$7.25; culls and common, \$5.00.

Hogs—Receipts, 12,854. Best grade selling \$9.50; \$9.65; pigs, \$8.25; \$8.75.

EAST BUFFALO—Cattle—Receipts, 150 cars; market 15c lower; choice to prime native shipping steers, \$8.75; 2.25; one load extra fancy, \$9.65; fair to good, \$8.25; \$8.50; plain and coarse, \$7.75; \$8; Canadian steers, 1,400 to 1,450 lbs., \$8.25; \$8.75; do, 1,300 to 1,350 lbs., \$8.85; light butcher steers and heifers, \$7.50; \$7.75; yearlings, dry-fed, \$8.75; \$9.25; best handy steers, \$7.75; \$8; good butchering heifers and steers, mixed, \$7.40; \$7.50; fair to good, \$7.25; prime fat heifers, \$7.50; \$8; light common heifers, \$6.25; \$6.75; best fat cows, \$7.00; \$7.25; butcher cows, \$6.25; \$6.40; cutters, \$4.50; \$5; canners, \$3.50; \$3.75; fancy bulls, \$7.75; \$8; butchers, \$6.25; \$6.50; stockers, \$5.50; \$7; feeders, \$7.25; milkers and springers, \$6.00; \$8.00.

Hogs—Receipts, 90 cars; market 10 @ 15c lower; heavy, \$9.90; \$10; yorkers, \$9.90; pigs, \$8.50; \$8.75.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 50 cars; market strong; top lambs, \$11.85; \$12; yearlings, \$10.50; \$10.75; wethers, \$9.40; ewes, \$8.25; \$8.50.

Calves—Receipts, 900; lower; tops, \$11.50; fair to good, \$10.75; grassers, \$4.00.

Grain and Etc.

DETROIT—Wheat: Cash No 2 red, 1.14; May opened with a drop of 1-2c at \$1.14 and advanced to \$1.12 1-2; July opened at \$1.12 and advanced to \$1.16 1-2; No 1 white, \$1.09.

Corn—Cash No 3, 72c; No 2 yellow, 74 1-2c; No 4 yellow, 70 1-2c; \$1.12 1-2. Oats—Standard, 47 1-2c; No 3 white, 46 1-2c; No 4 white, 44 1-2c; 45c.

Rye—Cash No 2, 98c. Beans—Immediate, prompt and March shipment, \$3.55; April, \$3.60. Seeds—Prime spot red clover, \$11.50; March, \$11.25; prime alsike, \$5.00; timothy, \$3.50.

Hay—No 1 timothy, \$18@18.50; standard timothy, \$17@17.50; light mixed, \$17@17.50; No 2 timothy, \$15 @15.50; No 1 mixed, \$14@15; No 2 mixed, \$10@12; No 1 clover, \$12@13; rye straw, \$7.50; wheat and oat straw, \$6.50; \$7 per ton in carlots, Detroit.

Flour—in one-eighth paper sacks, per 196 lbs. jobbing lots: First patent, \$6.50; second patent, \$6; straight, \$5.70; spring patent, \$6.70; rye flour, \$6 per bbl.

Feed—in 100-lb sacks, jobbing lots: Bran, \$24; standard middlings, \$25; fine middlings, \$30; coarse cornmeal, \$30; cracked corn, \$31.50; corn and oat chop, \$28 per ton.

General Markets.

Cabbages—\$1.75 per bbl. Mushrooms—40@45c per lb. Asparagus—65@75c per lb.

Grape Fruit—\$3@3.50 per case. Strawberries—35@37c per quart. Dressed Hogs—Light, 11 1-2c@12c; heavy, 10@11c per lb.

Maple Sugar—New, 15@16c per lb; syrup, \$1@1.15 per gal.

Tomatoes—Hothouse, 25@28c per lb; Florida, \$2@2.50 per crate. Dressed Calves—Best, 15@15 1-2c; choice, 14@14 1-2c; ordinary, 12@13c per lb.

Sweet Potatoes—Jersey, kiln-dried, 1.35@1.40 per cwt and \$1.15 per hamper.

Onions—No 1 yellow, \$2.40@2.50; No 2, \$1@1.50 per 100-lb sack; Spanish, \$1.90@2 per box.

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

Potatoes—Carlots on track, \$1.05 @ 1.08 for white and 90c@1 for red per bu; russets, \$1.05@1.10 per bu.

Celery—California, \$4.25@4.50 per crate and 75c@1 per doz; Florida, \$2.25@2.50 per crate and 75c@1 per doz.

Lettuce—Hothouse, 10@12c per lb; head lettuce, Florida, \$3.50@3.75 per hamper; Texas, \$2@2.25 per hamper.

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

Live Poultry—No 1 spring chickens, 19c; medium spring chickens, 18c; heavy hens, 19@19 1-2c; medium hens, 18@18 1-2c; light hens, 14 @15c; ducks, 19@20c; geese, 17@18c; spring turkeys, 21@22c; old turkeys, 14@17c per lb.

DAIRY FACTS

IMPROVEMENT OF DAIRY COW

How Much Credit Must Be Given for Better Feeding and Care and How Much for Breeding?

In increasing the production of a dairy herd how much credit must be given for better feeding and care and how much for better breeding and selection?

This question has been argued back and forth and experiment stations in this and all other countries have made



Young Jerseys at Pasture.

tests showing that from nine to fifty per cent increases have been made by better feeding and care.

The answer, of course, depends a great deal on previous feeding and care, but it is not an important question.

The important thing is that we know positively that by better feeding and care better breeding and selection the production can be increased very largely and very profitably. It doesn't matter what form of effort gets the credit, the result is what we want.

DEVICE TO SEPARATE CREAM

Machine Will Often Pay for Itself in One Year, Much Depending on Number of Cows Kept.

The cream separator is a mechanical device for separating the cream from the milk, almost instantaneously by centrifugal force. Its advantages over the old methods of separation are:

1. It takes practically all the butter fat and will save from five to ten dollars per cow each year over any methods.

2. Skim milk has its greatest feeding value while warm, clean and sweet.

3. The labor connected with the care of the milk can be decreased and the profits from the cows greatly increased because a better quality of cream can be obtained.

A cream separator is an investment and not an expense to anyone who keeps five or six good cows, and wants to make butter or sell cream. A separator will often pay for itself in one year, often in less time, according to the number of cows kept. With proper care and attention, a cream separator will last a decade.

CHURNING HINTS FOR WINTER

Butter-Making Troubles May Be Overcome by Keeping Cream at the Proper Temperature.

Troubles arising from winter butter-making may largely be overcome by keeping the cream to be churned at a temperature of 52 degrees Fahrenheit until two days before churning, when it should be placed where the temperature is about 75 degrees Fahrenheit.

The cream should be kept at 58 to 60 degrees Fahrenheit, during churning time and when the butter collects into small nut sizes the buttermilk should be drained off and water at a temperature of 60 degrees Fahrenheit should be poured over it, repeating the rinsing process two or three times.

With the last rinsing, give twenty churning revolutions and draw off the water. To work the butter, place the particles on a flat board and strew the salt over it uniformly and work just enough to distribute the salt evenly throughout the butter.

MILK ONLY WITH DRY HANDS

Practice of Wetting Hands Is Filthy Habit and Liable to Cause Cow's Teats to Chap.

Milkers should be allowed to milk only with dry hands. The practice of wetting the hands with milk is a filthy habit and is liable to cause the cow's teats to chap in the winter time.

Milking should be done quickly and thoroughly, with no violent jerking of the teats.

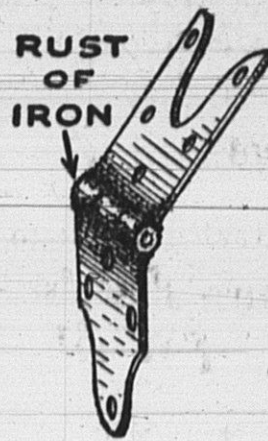
After each cow is milked the milk should be removed immediately to the milk house.

Avoid Wooden Stalls.

Stalls of wood have many flat surfaces and cracks which are difficult to keep clean, and in case of an outbreak of disease are not easy to disinfect thoroughly. Stalls and swing stanchions made of metal pipe are more sanitary.

DRINK HOT WATER AND RID JOINTS OF RHEUMATIC RUST

Why rheumatism and lumbago sufferers should drink phosphated hot water each morning before breakfast



RUST OF IRON



RUST OF RHEUMATISM

Just as coal, when it burns, leaves behind a certain amount of incombustible material in the form of ashes, so the food and drink taken day after day leaves in the alimentary canal a certain amount of indigestible material, which if not completely eliminated each day, becomes food for the millions of bacteria which infest the bowels. From this mass of left-over waste material, toxins and ptomaine-like poisons, called uric acid, is formed and then sucked into the blood where it continues to circulate, collecting grain by grain in the joints of the body much like rust collects on the hinge as shown above.

Men and women who suffer from lumbago, rheumatism or sore, stiff, aching joints should begin drinking phosphated hot water, not as a means to magic relief from pain, but to prevent more uric acid forming in the system. Before eating breakfast each morning, drink a glass of real hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it. This will first neutralize and then wash out of the stom-

ach, liver, kidneys and bowels the previous day's accumulation of toxins and poisons; thus, cleansing, sweetening, and freshening the entire alimentary canal, each morning, before putting more food into the stomach.

A quarter pound of limestone phosphate costs very little at the drug store but is sufficient to make any rheumatic or lumbago sufferer an enthusiast on the morning inside bath. Millions of people keep their joints free from these rheumatic acids by practicing this daily internal sanitation. A glass of hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate, drank before breakfast, is wonderfully invigorating; besides, it is an excellent health measure because it cleanses the alimentary organs of all the waste, gases and sour fermentations, making one look and feel clean, sweet and fresh all day.

Those who try this for one week may find themselves free from sick headaches, constipation, bilious attacks, salowness, nasty breath and stomach acidity.

It May Be.

"I see jonquils and daffodils on sale. How is it that the early flowers are always yellow?"

"Dunno. Guess spring is bilious like the rest of us."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

The Soldier's Estimate.

A member of the first Canadian contingent, writing home, says: "I guess the first seven years of this war are going to be the worst."—Canadian American.

Men and Women

Women as well as men are made miserable by kidney and bladder trouble. Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney remedy, is highly recommended by thousands.

Swamp-Root stands the highest for the reason that so many people say it has proved to be just the remedy needed in thousands of even the most distressing cases. At druggists in 50c. and \$1.00 sizes. You may receive a sample size bottle of Swamp-Root, by Parcel Post, also a pamphlet telling you about it. Address Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., and enclose ten cents, also mention this paper.

How to Talk to the Wounded. "What the boches can't stand, you know, ma'am, is cold steel." "Yes, I suppose it gets very cold this time of the year."—London Punch.

TO STOP TERRIBLE RHEUMATIC PAINS

Get a box of true Mustarine in the original yellow box for about 25 cents at druggists. Rub it on the inflamed joints or muscles, and that almost unbearable agony will go at once. No rheumatic sufferer can afford to be without true Mustarine. For it never fails to give blessed relief. Use it for aches or pains anywhere, and for sore throat, bronchitis and pleurisy. There's relief in every rub. It stops pain and congestion. True Mustarine is made by Beggs Medicine Co., Rochester, N. Y.

Women never criticize the grammar of men who pay their compliments.

Throw Off Colds and Prevent Grip. When you feel a cold coming on, take LAXATIVE BRONCHO GUININE. It removes cause of cold and grip. Only one "BRONCHO GUININE" is W. G. BRYAN'S signature on box. See.

The fool never stops to count the cost until the bill collector calls.

BACKACHE, LUMBAGO

Uric acid causes backache, pains here and there, rheumatism, gout, gravel, neuralgia and sciatica. It was Dr. Pierce who discovered a new agent, called "Anuric," which will throw out and completely eradicate this uric acid from the system. "Anuric" is 37 times more potent than lithia, and consequently you need no longer fear muscular or articular rheumatism or gout, or many other diseases which are dependent on uric acid within the body.

If you feel that tired, worn-out feeling, backache, neuralgia, or if your sleep is disturbed by too frequent urination, go to your best drug store and ask for Doctor Pierce's Anuric Tablets, full treatment 50c, or send 10 cents for a trial package of "Anuric" Tablets to Dr. Pierce, Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y.

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