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## "Those hogs made a wonderful gain"

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### Masonic Visitors.

About sixty-five members of the Masonic order, nearly all of whom were employees of the Timkin Axle Co., of Detroit, arrived in Chelsea about 5:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon, coming on a special car over the D. U. R. lines. They were met at the station by a number of the members of Olive Lodge, who escorted them to Masonic Hall, where they were fed. After dinner a short time was spent in visiting. It had been understood that the work in the third degree would be done by the visitors, but it was a misunderstanding, and Olive Lodge conferred the degree upon Chas. A. Shepard, landlord of the New Crescent hotel. The previous degrees had been conferred upon Mr. Shepard by Friendship Lodge, of Detroit, while he was a resident of that city. At the close of the work the Worshipful Master of Friendship Lodge, on behalf of the visitors, presented Olive Lodge with a beautiful silver trowel. A glance over the visitors' roll showed that thirty-six lodges were represented, some of them being as far distant as California and Mississippi.

### Farmers' Institute.

The following is the program for the farmers' institute which will be held at the town hall, Chelsea, Saturday, February 10:

#### FORENOON.

Introductory Remarks, E. Prochnow, President Farmers' Institute.  
"The Need of Spraying," E. M. Moore, State Speaker.  
Discussion, Fred Notten.  
Recitation, G. W. Preston.  
"How to Make Poultry Pay," Mrs. C. E. Foster.  
Discussion, N. W. Laird.

#### AFTERNOON.

Question Box.  
Piano Duett, Mrs. P. M. Broesamle and Miss Taylor.

"Co-operation for the Farmer," E. M. Moore, State Speaker.  
Discussion, G. W. Preston.  
Song by Fourth Grade, directed by Miss Speer.

"Co-operation Between Parent and School," Miss Flora Buell, Ann Arbor.  
Vocal Solo, Mrs. E. Lesser.  
Recitation, G. W. Preston.

#### EVENING.

Violin Solo, Mrs. P. M. Broesamle.  
Piano Solo, Mrs. P. M. Broesamle.

"The Great Rural Problem," E. M. Moore, State Speaker.  
Discussion, Supt. W. L. Walling.  
High School Glee Club, directed by Miss Speer.

"The Measure of an Education," Prof. Webster H. Pearce, Ypsilanti.  
Male Quartette.  
P. M. Broesamle will act as conductor.

A special invitation is extended to all rural teachers and their pupils to attend the afternoon and evening sessions. Parents are urged to attend the afternoon session and hear Miss Flora Buell's talk on "Co-operation Between Parent and School." Miss Buell will give all something to think about. Prof. Pearce's address on "The Measure of an Education" will prove highly interesting.

### Edmund Rawson Chambers.

Edmund Rawson Chambers, son of Joseph and Mary L. Chambers, was born on a farm near Toledo, Ohio, August 12, 1849. He lived there the first thirty-seven years of his life, living with his mother and working the farm alone after his father's death in 1885.

On November 27, 1886, he was united in marriage with Miss Clara Core, of Toledo, and removed immediately to Atchison, Kansas. In Atchison he was engaged in the milk business until his removal to Cass county in the spring of 1891, renting his farm at Toledo and moving to Cass county to be near his mother.

In Cass county, he moved with his family on the S. T. Read farm, three miles west of Cassopolis. Mr. Chambers lived in and near Cassopolis until the fall of 1910 when he moved with his family to Ann Arbor.

After three years residence in Ann Arbor, he bought a farm two miles east of Chelsea, where he lived until his death, February 3, 1917.

He leaves to mourn his loss a wife and three sons, Edmund Read, of Houghton, Howard Joseph, of Detroit, and Allan Core, of Philadelphia. The remains were taken to Cassopolis Monday for burial.

### Notice to Sylvan Taxpayers.

The undersigned will be at the Kempf Commercial & Savings Bank every Saturday and Saturday evening until further notice, to receive taxes.

T. H. BARNHILLER,  
Township Treasurer.

B. V. R. C. will meet with Mrs. J. D. Colton Monday evening, February 12.

### SCHOOL NOTES.

Several of the grades are making great preparations for their Valentine boxes.

There will be no school Friday as the teachers go to Ypsilanti to attend the county institute.

The high school orchestra is under the process of organization. They are now waiting for the music to come.

The third grade has organized a secret club, the name of which is H. T. Their motto is, The Golden Rule. The glee club of the fourth grade and the high school chorus are to sing at the farmers' institute next Saturday.

Efforts are being made to secure enough people to get a special car for the girls and boys basketball game at Wayne.

The seventh and eighth grades enjoyed their half-holiday last week. The seventh grade had no tardy marks and an average of 98.57 attendance.

During the first semester the following pupils of the fourth grade were neither absent nor tardy: Catheryne Corwin, Georgia Smith, Helen Lambert, Virgil Walling.

The next lecture of the Teachers' Club will be given on the "Catacombs," February 21. The University extension course sends fifty slides, part of which are colored.

Last week Willis Taylor of the eighth grade had the misfortune to fall and cut his arm on a piece of tin. He is much better and resumed his school work again this week.

Tuesday, February 6, the Chelsea High School Literary Club elected the following officers for the ensuing semester: President, Leland Kalmbach; vice president, Bernice Prudden; secretary, Esther Collins; treasurer, Glenn Brooks.

This month the first grade has the pleasure of the use of the picture belonging to the Parent-Teachers Association. This picture is very appropriate this month and inspires the children in their study of the lives of Washington and Lincoln.

### Lady Maccabees Celebrate Birthday.

Wednesday evening Columbian High, L. O. T. M., celebrated its twenty-fourth anniversary Wednesday evening, with about two hundred guests present.

A short program was given. Mrs. Mary VanTyne gave a history of the Hive. This was followed by the male quartette. Mrs. Lila Campbell presented a history of the order. Vocal solo by Miss Audrey Harris. Reading by Mrs. Rose Gregg. Vocal solo by Miss Hazel Speer. Reading by Miss Doris Foster. An appreciation by Mrs. Lola Dancer.

The birthday cake was lighted, and luncheon was served.

Dancing was indulged in after the close of the program. Music by Inskip's orchestra.

The ladies proved themselves ideal hostesses and are to be congratulated on being members of an order with such a glorious past and a still brighter future.

### "The Crisis."

The Majestic theatre, Ann Arbor, has booked for showing on February 15, 16 and 17, the special picturization of Winston Churchill's "The Crisis," which was made by the Selig Company, producers of "The Spoilers," and "Ne'er Do-Well," and which require something over two hours for showing.

The picture has just completed a highly successful engagement of two weeks at the Washington theatre, Detroit.

Thomas Sautschi, who was in "The Spoilers," plays Stephen Brice, and such other screen celebrities as Besse Epton, George Fawcett, Marshall Nielsen, Matt Snyder and Sam D. Dane are among the cast.

### Announcements.

There will be work in the second degree at Masonic Hall next Tuesday evening.

The Missionary Society of the Congregational church will meet with Mrs. James Geddes on Thursday afternoon, February 15. Bring a guest.

Remember that home talent play, "Under Blue Skies," to be given at town hall Tuesday evening, February 20. Don't miss "Ye Village Male Quartette" which will entertain you between acts.

The library committee of the Ladies' Aid Society of the Baptist church will hold a thimble party at the home of Mrs. Andrew Sawyer, on McKinley street, next Wednesday afternoon. Supper at 5 o'clock. All are invited.

### Gas Was Off.

Sunday morning the housekeepers of Chelsea crawled out of bed, dressed and went to the kitchen, while their husbands snuggled down farther into the blankets, and amid visions of a steaming breakfast started snoring again. A little later a gentle voice from the faraway region of the kitchen yanked the sleeper back to earth and brought him to his feet, while he missed the rug and landed on the ice-cold floor before he was thoroughly awake.

The whole commotion was caused by the fact that there was no gas on tap in the range.

An explosion in the exhaust room of the Washtenaw Gas Co. at Ann Arbor, which furnishes Chelsea and Dexter with gas, had wrecked the building caused about \$5,000 damage to the plant, and put the pump which forces the gas through the mains out of commission.

The supply in the large tank here was used up and during Saturday night the pressure went off.

Work was rushed in making repairs, and while Ann Arbor was not without gas, Chelsea and Dexter residents ate cold meals and performed all sorts of stunts in trying to cook in their furnaces.

The pressure was not turned on again until late Tuesday, and in the meantime the hotels and bakers did a landoffice business.

### Damian Heim.

Damian Heim, son of Damian and Regina Heim, was born in Sylvan on the farm owned at present by Joseph Heim, January 4, 1851, and died at his home in Sylvan Tuesday, February 6, 1917, following an attack of pneumonia.

He was united in marriage in November, 1881, with Miss Susan Hagan, and to this union five children were born. One daughter, Mrs. Alice Forner died May 19, 1916.

Mr. Heim was a member of the Church of Our Lady of the Sacred Heart, from which church the funeral will be held at 9:30 o'clock Friday morning, Rev. Father Reismann celebrating the Mass. Interment at Mt. Olivet cemetery.

Mr. Heim is survived by his wife, three sons, Albert M., of Rochester, N. Y., Henry and James, of Sylvan; one daughter, Mrs. Michael Merkel; one brother, Joseph Heim, of Sylvan, and several nephews and nieces.

### High School Boys Win.

A large and enthusiastic bunch of rooters gathered at the town hall on Friday evening to witness the first game of the season at home. The high school girls went down to defeat before the larger and more experienced member of the alumni. Clara Holden of last years high team played up to her usual form. Mildore Greening was also strong on the offensive. Esther Collins showed up strong on the defensive while Helen Vogel and Vivian Gorton were the point winners for the Chelsea high school. The line up follows:

C. H. S.	ALUMNI
Gorton,	R. F. Holden
Vogel,	L. F. Greening
Mapes,	C. Roncinan
Shepherd,	R. C. Kalmbach
Schoenhals,	R. G. G. Schenk
Collins,	L. G. Schumacher

Score 22 to 11.

The real excitement of the evening started when the boys took the floor. In the first few seconds of play Brooks started the scoring getting the jump on his opponent after a held ball under the Chelsea basket. The game was fast and there was much fouling on both sides. However, Mr. Ottmar, the referee, handled the game in his usual good style and satisfied all concerned. It was a close game, the lead seesawing back and forth several times. Jackson had the lead at the end of the first half. In the second half the Chelsea boys took a brace and through the foul shooting of Capt. Wagner and the offensive work of Brooks gradually pulled away. The line up was as follows:

CHELSEA.	JACKSON.
Brooks,	R. F. Crany
Kalmbach,	L. F. Mygrants
R. Wagner,	C. Tetanus
P. Wagner,	R. G. Bell
Palmer and Lawrence,	L. G. Lineback

Score first half—C. H. S. 9; Jackson 10.

Final score—C. H. S. 23; Jackson 15. Field goals—Brooks 5; Mygrants 1; Lineback 1.

Goals from fouls—Wagner 8; Brooks 3; Kalmbach 2; Tetanus 11. Referee—Ottmar.

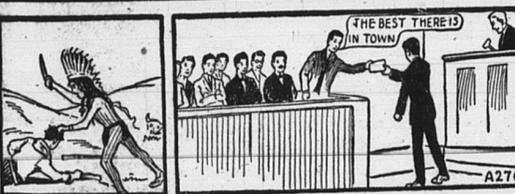
Oloverleaf Chapter of the Congregational church will meet with Mrs. J. F. Waltrous next Tuesday afternoon. Scrub lunch.

EVERT BENTON WILBER RIEMENSCHNEIDER

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Two 3-pound cans Monarch Coffee and Ten pounds Sugar for..... 2.50

One 3-pound can Monarch Coffee and Three bottles 25c Catsup for..... 1.57

One 3-pound can Monarch Coffee and Five cans Monarch Milk for..... 1.25

One 3-pound can Monarch Coffee and Three pounds 10c Rice for..... 1.15

One 3-pound can Monarch Coffee and Seven pounds best Rolled Oats for..... 1.25

One 3-pound can Monarch Coffee and Three pounds good Dried Peaches for..... 1.25

One 3-pound can Monarch Coffee and Twenty-four pound sack Roller King Flour for..... 2.25

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# WAYNE COUNTY LOSES TAX CASE

### SUPREME COURT ORDERS SUPERVISORS TO TAKE FIGURES OF TAX COMMISSIONERS.

## COUNTY MUST PAY ALL COSTS

### State and County Tax Collections Held Up Because Figures Were Considered Too High.

Lansing—The supreme court has ordered the board of supervisors of Wayne county to reconvene and take the figures of the state board of tax commissioners as a basis for the levying of the taxes in that county.

The order is the result of a petition for a mandamus asked for some time ago by the state board of tax commissioners. Not only does the board of supervisors lose the case, but the costs of the entire proceedings are assessed against the county.

Collection of taxes has been held up while the county, and particularly Detroit, fought the state figures, which were considered far too high.

## ELK MAY BE RAISED IN STATE

### Wexford County Farmers Have Plan Under Consideration.

Cadillac—Wexford county farmers may rear elk for commercial purposes, R. B. Jennings, a prominent farmer, is urging the plan, arguing that the importation of reindeer into Alaska has already proved a success. Elk can be raised 50 per cent cheaper than beef, he claims, and the meat has a flavor which will bring a higher price. A pasture with a barbed wire seven feet high, a cheap shed to enter on cold nights and feed similar to that given sheep is all that is necessary.

They are not susceptible to disease like cattle or sheep. The pasture that is providing a home for the animals will at the same time be growing timber for fuel.

The state has an elk farm in Roscommon county, where stock can be secured.

## INCREASE IN FIRE LOSSES

### Over \$5,000,000 Worth of Property Destroyed During 1916.

Lansing—The sixth annual report of the state fire marshal's bureau stresses the importance of compulsory inspection of fire hazards at the frequent intervals by every department and in carrying out this inspection advocates the setting of local ordinances reaching property owners who refuse to comply with the orders.

In 1916 Michigan sustained 9,704 fires with a loss of \$5,671,968, an increase of nearly \$500,000 over 1915. Explosions and the careless use of gasoline and kerosene resulted in 120 deaths and injuries to 234 persons. Public buildings, burned or partially destroyed, total 103, with a property loss of \$982,503.

## SEED OATS CAUSES WORRY

### Fearful That Most of Last Year's Crop is Defective.

East Lansing—Difficulty in securing good seed oats for spring planting will be encountered by Michigan farmers in the opinion of M. A. C. farm crops men, as oats harvested last fall were under weight because of the hot, dry weather which prevented them from filling out.

To assist farmers in getting good seed, the college is compiling a list of growers who possess inspected oats available for spring planting, but it is feared that despite the work most of the farmers will be compelled to plant inferior oats.

## MICHIGAN STATE ITEMS

Just why the price of bread is what it is, was explained at the mid-winter meeting of the Michigan Master Bakers' Association at Jackson, February 7. A number of men of national authority addressed the assembly.

His appeal to William B. Wilson, secretary of labor, for admittance to the United States refused, Salurohyo Taniyama, of Windsor, Ont., the second Japanese to apply at the Detroit port for entry into this country, will have to proceed on his way to England. Taniyama is of the coolie class, a laborer, and as such was barred.

Fire originating in a barber shop destroyed 11 stores and residences in Hillman, 25 miles west of Alpena, with a loss estimated at \$25,000. Hillman was visited by a disastrous fire April 29, 1915, when 25 buildings in the heart of the city were burned.

E. C. Puffer, of Flint, president of the Michigan Hotel association, has sold his interests in the Dresden hotel to Thomas C. Riley, of Rochester, N. Y. Puffer plans to move to Jackson, where he is interested in the Otisgo hotel and will build a 125-room addition to the Jackson hotel.

## MICHIGAN NEWS BRIEFS

Bids on the last piece of road work under St. Joseph county's \$500,000 bond issue were opened Saturday.

Punch boards, slot machines and other gambling devices have been placed under ban in Hillsdale by Sheriff F. W. Phillips.

Contracts were awarded this week by the Macomb county road commissioners for 14 miles of construction in the county the coming spring.

While a physician was examining him, Daniel Skelly, of Harbor Beach, fell dead. Heart trouble was the cause of death, the physician stated.

Harold Hoaglin of Muskegon was fatally hurt as the result of a kick from a horse under whose hoofs he fell. Doctors stated he would be blind, if he recovered.

Michigan's debating teams will compete with Wisconsin and Illinois March 30 on the question of lockouts and strikes in utilities and mines before government investigation.

Remarkable strength enabled William Golb to draw his hand from gears on a machine at the Continental Motor works, Muskegon, in which it had caught and saved his life.

Miss Frank Gray Shaver of Highland Park, Ill., plaintiff in a \$125,000 suit against Baroness von Falkland Van Verde of Menominee, was awarded \$13,514.90 by a jury in circuit court.

The Duplex Truck Co., of Charlotte, has taken on 30 more men. A co-operative company is being talked of. The city is burning saw dust at the water works, no coal being available.

Democrats of Oakland county will hold their county convention at the Pontiac court house Saturday, February 10, to select delegates for the state convention at Grand Rapids, February 15.

I. P. Dunn, unconscious with tuberculosis, was carried from his residence in Tecumseh when it burned. The fire started when a child fell against a stovepipe upstairs. Villagers raised a purse of \$150 for Mrs. Dunn.

As a result of having had both of his feet and legs frozen half way to his knees while husking corn in a barn in a Grand Blanc township a few days ago, Charles Moore, 45, Flint, may lose both of his feet. Gangrene developed.

A spark, caused by the rubbing of a silk dress in the hands of an employee of a cleaning and dyeing shop in Flint ignited a pail of gasoline, causing a slight explosion. Several of the employees escaped with minor burns.

The shortage of coal has compelled the Detroit and Mackinac railroad to discontinue two trains daily between Alpena and Cheboygan and two trains daily between Alpena and Hillman. Other trains may be taken off later it is said.

Dewitt Henning, jail breaker and forger, was bound over to circuit court after making a spectacular plea in his own behalf in the Ann Arbor justice court. He claimed the charge of forgery was not right because there was no such person as that indicated on false certified checks which he had cashed.

The Michigan State Tax association in their meeting at Battle Creek elected officers as follows: President, Geo. Clapperton, Bay City; vice presidents, Bruce McDonald, Flint; Daniel W. Powell, Marquette; secretary, George Lord, Detroit; treasurer, John A. Russell, Detroit. Bay City gets the next convention.

Theodore Harmon, of Plymouth, received from a relative of Mrs. Anna Edson Taylor, the first woman to go over Niagara Falls, the barrel in which Mrs. Taylor went over the rapids. The gift arrived last week. The barrel was of hard wood and bound by 12 iron hoops. Mrs. Taylor went over the falls in 1901. Later she went on the stage, but this venture failed and she is now retired in Bay City.

Action to compel chemical factories along the Tittabawassee and Saginaw rivers to cease dumping their chemical refuse into the streams was started by the public domain commission and Attorney General Alex. J. Groesbeck. The suits will be based on the findings of the state health board chemists. The chemists reported that the noxious odor of the water and its peculiar taste which has rendered fish unfit for food is caused by chemicals and coal tar products poured into the rivers by the chemical manufacturers.

Entertaining girls four nights a week at chop suey houses and taking them to theatres proved the downfall of Charles Morgan, 23, of Flint, who pleaded guilty in circuit court to a highway robbery charge in which he and another young man held up and robbed Arthur Carylon on January 5. Judge Stevens outlined the following course for him to follow in his probation rules: He must use only \$5 a week of his salary to entertain girls, while the rest, after paying his board, must be turned over to Acting County Agent W. O. Pankhurst, to be deposited in a bank in trust.

The promoters of the Harroun Motor Co., have deposited with the securities commission at Lansing, the \$4,000,000 worth of stock which the commission insisted they must place in escrow before they sold the \$1,000,000 treasury stock in this state.

The presence of mind of Mrs. Elmer Bushey of Port Huron probably saved her life when her body was enveloped in flames resulting from an explosion of an oil stove. Rushing from her home, Mrs. Bushey threw herself into a snow bank and extinguished the flames.



## YOUR FLAG AND MY FLAG

By Wilbur Nesbit.

(By Permission of P. F. Volland & Co.)

Your flag and my flag,  
And how it flies today,  
In your land and my land  
And half a world away!

Rose-red and blood-red  
The stripes forever gleam;  
Snow-white and soul-white—  
The good forefathers' dream.

Blue and true-blue, with stars to gleam  
The good forefathers' dream,  
The good forefathers' dream,  
The good forefathers' dream.

The glorious guidon of the day; a shelter  
Through the night,  
Your flag and my flag!  
And oh! how much it holds—  
Your land and my land.

Secure within its folds!  
Your heart and my heart  
Beat quicker at the sight;  
Sins—red and wind-tossed—  
Lies and blue and white.

The one flag—the great flag—the flag  
For me and you,  
Glorified all else beside—the red and  
White and blue.

## NAVY IS STRONGER THAN LAND FORCES

### United States Makes Best Showing Upon the Sea.

## MAJOR VESSELS NUMBER 226

### Present Comparisons With Other Nations Difficult Because of Secrecy Maintained by Countries at War.

Of the two branches of the armed forces of the United States—the army and the navy—the latter is by far the more formidable when compared with the armed forces of the other great powers.

According to the latest records, the American navy totals 1,097,502 tons displacement, taking into account both ships built and building.

This tonnage compares with the following for the great powers on July 1, 1914, or about three years ago:

Great Britain, 2,718,756; Germany, 1,304,640; France, 899,915; Japan, 600,000; Austria-Hungary, 372,008.

In the period since then these great powers, all at once, have increased their navies by giant strides. They naturally have kept their naval developments secret, but it is known, for instance, that in the first two years of the war Great Britain launched a new navy fully equal in size to the whole of the United States sea fighting forces.

Exactly how the American navy compares with others today is impossible for most experts to say. Perhaps a few secret-service men in the employ of the big fighting governments know, but if they do they are keeping this valuable information for their own nation's purposes.

The number of officers and men in the United States navy on July 1, 1916, was 58,039. This compared with pre-war strengths on July 1, 1914, of 150,000 officers and men for Great Britain; Germany, 79,197; France, 63,846; Japan, 55,738; Russia, 52,463; Italy, 89,913, and Austria-Hungary, 19,531.

It has been stated, in newspaper dispatches that the officers and men in the British navy now number 350,000, and that a round million workers are constantly employed in Great Britain building new ships of war and repairing old ones. Less is known about Germany's naval strength as developed under the stress of war, but she is supposed to have between five hundred and eight hundred new submarines in commission.

### U. S. Naval Forces.

In a nutshell, the naval forces of the United States today (built or actually building) are shown by the following table:

Type	Number	Tons
Battleships (dreadnaught type)	17	467,450
Battleships (pre-dreadnaughts)	25	340,146
Small battleships and monitors	4	12,900
Battle cruisers	None	None
Armored cruisers	10	146,000
Cruisers	15	75,325
Destroyers	74	60,210
Torpedo boats	6	1,062
Submarines	7	75,000
Total	226	1,097,502

Pre-dreadnaughts have main batteries of more than one size of big guns, and would be of little use in a great naval battle where dreadnaughts (battleships having main batteries of all big guns) were engaged.

Besides the ships included in the above table, there is a large number of transports, colliers, repair ships, torpedo-depot ships and other auxiliary vessels.

There are vast hordes of fast private motor boats and yachts in the United States which would be promptly taken over by the government in time of war.

The government also has arranged

ments with many private shipping firms to take over larger vessels at agreed prices in time of need.

### Naval Militia.

To re-enforce the navy there is today no regular reserve, although one is contemplated. Former navy men would be urged to re-enlist, retired officers would be called back to the quarters, and the naval militia would be utilized as far as found available.

This force is now organized in 22 states, the District of Columbia and the territory of Hawaii, and has a total enlistment of 8,317 men. New York has the largest number of naval militia—1,493; and other leading states in this respect are California, 887; Illinois, 561; Massachusetts, 748; Michigan, 496; Minnesota, 439, and New Jersey 442.

The naval militia is partly under state and partly under federal jurisdiction. The officer of the navy department having charge of naval militia matters is Capt. T. P. Magruder.

### The New Navy.

Great plans for naval expansion were included in the naval act approved August 29 of last year. These have just begun to be carried out. In addition, the present congress now has under consideration a bill which would expand last year's program slightly.

The act of last year authorizes the president, who is titular commander in chief of both the army and the navy, to start construction before July 1, 1919; on 157 vessels of various types.

The following table shows the program in detail. Secretary of the Navy Daniels finds he cannot build some of the vessels for the sums estimated or appropriated on account of the increased cost of labor and materials, and he has requests before congress to increase the amounts he may spend:

Type	Number	Actualy Appropriated	Total Estimated
Battleships	10	4	\$187,134,510
Battle cruiser	6	4	131,971,730
Scout cruiser	10	4	60,719,090
Destroyer	50	20	76,255,700
Fleet submarine	9	1	15,169,700
Coast submarines:			
800-ton type	3	3	3,918,900
Smaller type	25	27	44,348,610
Net submarine	1	1	4,250,000
Fuel ship	3	1	4,794,810
Ammunition ship	2	1	4,529,300
Hospital ship	1	1	2,359,000
Repair ship	1	1	2,711,650
Transport	1	1	2,662,200
Destroyer tender	3	3	4,356,880
Submarine tender	1	1	1,831,520
Gunboat	1	1	1,827,220
Totals	157	67	\$544,656,110

\*Appropriated.  
†Besides fleet submarine.

The act further appropriated \$10,485,500 for ammunition for the vessels. The total cost of ammunition for the vessels listed, was estimated at \$42,884,775.

The naval appropriation bill now before congress would not change the above table materially, beyond a slight addition to cost. In the event of the United States becoming fully involved in war United States Navy men believe congress would immediately

authorize a program of naval construction than any yet contemplated.

The total of all vessels of the United States navy (in service, under construction, and authorized) is 552. They are divided as follows: Battleships, first line, 20; battleships, second line, 20; battle cruisers, 6; armored cruisers, 10; cruisers, first class, 5; cruisers, second class, 4; cruisers, third class, 16; monitors, 7; destroyers, 124; torpedo boats, 13; submarines, 143; tenders to torpedo vessels, 8; gunboats, 30; transports, 6; supply ships, 5; hospital ships, 2; fuel ships, 25; converted yachts, 14; tugs, 50; special type, 6; unserviceable for war purposes, 21.

### Navy Yards.

The United States has ten navy yards, located at Brooklyn, N. Y.; Boston, Mass.; Norfolk, Va.; Portsmouth, N. H.; Philadelphia, Pa.; San Francisco, Cal.; Washington, D. C.; Bremerton, Wash.; Charleston, S. C., and New Orleans, La.

There is also a naval station at Key West, Fla.; a torpedo and training station at Newport, R. I.; a training station on Yerba Buena Island, Cal., and a training station at North Chicago, Ill.; an aeronautic station at Pensacola, Fla., and the Naval War college at Newport, R. I. Other naval stations are at Tutuila, Samoa; Guam, Guantánamo, Cuba; Honolulu, Hawaiian Islands; Cavite and Olongapo, Philippines.

### ESTIMATE 18,000,000 MEN AVAILABLE FOR SERVICE

In a serious emergency nearly 18,000,000 men are available for military service in the United States, according to an estimate made by the executive committee of the committee on national defense appointed by Mayor Mitchell of New York. There are now physically fit for service in the field, it was said, 10,535,940 men between the ages of eighteen and forty-five years.

Upon the basis of actual experience of other countries where universal military service prevails, the committee has calculated that out of 900,000 men annually reaching military age in the United States 860,000 are fit for military service, according to the French standard of 1910, and 459,000, according to the German standard of that year.

The committee, in estimating the nation's resources in men between eighteen and forty-five years available for military service after deductions for "morbidity," physical defects, industrial necessities and dependency of families, places the number at 4,778,050.

## WILSON CONVEYS NEWS OF BREAK TO LAWMAKERS

### President Tells Congress of Severance of Diplomatic Relations.

## RECITES KAISER'S PROMISES

### Says He Refuses to Believe Submarines Will Commit Overt Acts Against American Lives and Ships.

Washington, Feb. 3.—President Wilson this afternoon addressed a joint session of congress, outlining the events that led up to the diplomatic break with Germany. He said:

"To the congress, February 3, 1917. Gentlemen of the Congress:

"The Imperial German government on the 31st of January announced to this government and to the governments of the other neutral nations that on and after the 1st day of February, the present month, it would adopt a policy with regard to the use of submarines against all shipping seeking to pass through certain designated areas of the high seas to which it is clearly my duty to call your attention.

"Let me remind the congress that on the 18th of April last, in view of the sinking on the 24th of March of the cross Channel passenger steamer Sussex by a German submarine without summons or warning, and the consequent loss of the lives of several citizens of the United States, who were passengers aboard her, this government addressed a note to the Imperial German government in which it made the following declarations:

"If it still be the purpose of the Imperial government to prosecute relentless and indiscriminate warfare against vessels of commerce by the use of submarines without regard to what the government of the United States must consider the sacred and indisputable rules of international law and the universally recognized dictates of humanity, the government of the United States is at last forced to the conclusion that there is but one course it can pursue. Unless the Imperial government should now and immediately declare and effect an abandonment of its present methods of submarine warfare against passenger and freight carrying vessels, the government of the United States can have no choice but to sever diplomatic relations with the German empire altogether."

### Recalls Assurances Given By Germany.

"In reply to this declaration the Imperial German government gave this government the following assurance: "The German government is prepared to do its utmost to confine the operations of the war for the rest of its duration to the fighting forces of the belligerents, thereby also assuring the freedom of the seas, a principle upon which the German government believes, now as before, to be in agreement with the government of the United States."

"The German government, guided by this idea, notifies the government of the United States that the German naval forces have received the following orders: In accordance with the general principles of visit and search and destruction of merchant vessels recognized by international law, such vessels, both within and without the area declared as naval war zone, shall not be sunk without warning and without saving human lives, unless these ships attempt to escape or offer resistance."

"But," it added, "neutrals cannot expect that Germany, forced to fight for her existence, shall, for the sake of neutral interests, restrict the use of an effective weapon if her enemy is permitted to continue to apply at will methods of warfare violating the rules of international law. Such a demand would be incompatible with the character of neutrality, and the German government is convinced that the government of the United States does not think of making such a demand, knowing that the government of the United States has repeatedly declared that it is determined to restore the principle of the freedom of the seas, from whatever quarter it has been violated."

### Refused To Be Bound By Any Conditions.

"To this the government of the United States replied on the eighth of May, accepting, of course, the assurance given, but adding: "The government of the United States feels it necessary to state that it takes it for granted that the Imperial German government does not intend to imply that the maintenance of its newly announced policy is in any way contingent upon the course of results of diplomatic negotiations between the government of the United States and other belligerent governments, notwithstanding the fact that certain passages in the Imperial government's note of the fourth instant

might appear to be susceptible of such construction. In order, however, to avoid any possible misunderstanding, the government of the United States notifies the Imperial government that it cannot for a moment entertain, much less discuss, a suggestion that respect by German naval authorities for the rights of citizens of the United States upon the high seas should in any way in the slightest degree be made contingent upon the conduct of any other government affecting the rights of neutrals and non-combatants. Responsibility in such matters is single, not joint; absolute, not relative."

"To this note of the eighth of May the Imperial German government made no reply. On the thirty-first of January, the Wednesday of the present week, the German ambassador handed to the secretary of state, along with a formal note, a memorandum which contains the following statements: "The Imperial government, therefore, does not doubt that the government of the United States will understand the situation thus forced upon Germany by the entente allies' brutal methods of war and by their determination to destroy the central powers, and that the government of the United States will further realize that the now openly disclosed intentions of the entente allies give back to Germany the freedom of action which she reserved in her note addressed to the government of the United States on May 4, 1915."

"Under these circumstances Germany will meet the illegal measures of her enemies by forcibly preventing after February 1, 1917, in a zone around Great Britain, France, Italy and in the eastern Mediterranean all navigation, that of neutrals included, from and to England and from and to France, etc., etc. All ships met within the zone will be sunk."

### No Alternative Consistent With Country's Honor.

"I think that you will agree with me that, in view of this declaration, which suddenly and without prior intimation of any kind deliberately withdraws the solemn assurance given in the Imperial government's note of the fourth of May, 1916, this government has no alternative consistent with the dignity and honor of the United States, but to take the course which, in its note of the eighteenth of April, 1916, it announced that it would take in the event that the German government did not declare and effect an abandonment of the methods of submarine warfare which it was then employing and to which it now purposes again to resort."

"I have, therefore, directed the secretary of state to announce to his excellency the German ambassador that all diplomatic relations between the United States and the German empire are severed and that the American ambassador at Berlin will be immediately withdrawn, and in accordance with this decision to hand to his excellency his passports."

### Cannot Believe Germany Will Carry Out Threats.

"Notwithstanding this unexpected action of the German government, this sudden and deeply deplored renunciation of its assurances, given this government at one of the most critical moments of tension in the relations of the two governments, I refuse to believe that it is the intention of the German authorities to do in fact what they have warned us they will feel at liberty to do. I cannot bring myself to believe that they will indeed pay no regard to the ancient friendship between their people and our own or to the solemn obligations which have been exchanged between them and destroy American ships and take the lives of American citizens in the wilful prosecution of the ruthless naval program they have announced their intention to adopt. Only actual overt acts on their part can make me believe it even now."

"If this inveterate confidence on my part in the sobriety and prudent foresight of their purpose should unhappily prove unfounded; if American ships and American lives should in fact be sacrificed by their naval commanders in heedless transgression of the just and reasonable understandings of international law and the obvious dictates of humanity, I shall take the liberty of coming again before the congress, to ask that authority be given me to use any means that may be necessary for protection of our seamen and our people in the prosecution of their peaceful and legitimate errands on the high seas. I can do nothing less. I take it for granted that all neutral governments will take the same course."

### Purpose Only Defense Of American Rights.

"We do not desire any hostile conflict with the Imperial German government. We are the sincere friends of the German people and earnestly desire to remain at peace with the government which speaks for them. We shall not believe that they are hostile to us unless and until we are obliged to believe it, and we purpose nothing more than the reasonable defense of the undoubted rights of our people. We wish to serve no selfish ends. We seek merely to stand true alike in thought and in action, to the immortal principles of our people which I sought to express in my address to the senate only two weeks ago—seeking to vindicate our right to liberty and an unmoistened life. These are the bases of peace, not war. Grant that we shall not be challenged to defend them by acts of wilful injustice on the part of the government of Germany."

## MARKET QUOTATIONS

### Live Stock

DETROIT—Cattle: Best heavy steers, \$9@9.25; best heavy weight butcher steers, \$8@8.50; mixed steers and heifers, \$7.50@7.75; handy light butchers, \$6.50@7; light butchers, \$5.50@6.25; best cows, \$6.75@7; butcher cows, \$6@6.25; common cows, \$5.25@5.75; canners, \$4.50@5; best heavy bulls, \$7@7.50; bologna bulls, \$6.25@6.75; stock bulls, \$5.50@6; feeders, \$7@7.50; stockers, \$6@7; milkers and springers, \$4@9.00.

Calves—Extra good, \$14@14.50; good, \$13@13.50; mediums, \$10@12; heavies, \$6.50@8.50.

Sheep and Lambs—Best lambs, \$14; fair lambs, \$13.50@13.75; light to common lambs, \$12.50@13; yearlings, \$12.50@13; fair to good sheep, \$8.50@10; culls and common, \$7@7.50.

Hogs—Best, \$11.25; pigs, \$10.50@10.60.

EAST BUFFALO—Cattle: choicest to prime steers, \$10.50@11.50; good to choice, \$9.75@10.25; fair to good, \$8.75@9.25; coarse, \$8@8.50; yearlings dry-fed \$10@10.50; best handy steers, \$9@9.75; best butchering steers and heifers, mixed, \$8.50@9.25; western heifers, \$7.75@8.50; best fat cows, \$7.50@8.50; butcher cows, \$6@6.75; cutters, \$5@5.50; canners, \$4.25@4.50; fancy bulls, \$7.75@9; butcher bulls, \$7@7.50; common, \$5.50@6; good stockers, \$7@7.50; light common stockers, \$5.50@6; best feeding steers, \$7.50@8; best milkers and springers, \$8@11; mediums, \$6@7.50; common, \$4@5.50.

Hogs—Heavy and yorkers, \$12.85@12.90; pigs and lights, \$11.50@12.25.

Sheep and lambs: Top lambs, \$14.20@15; yearlings, \$12@13.50; wethers, \$11@11.50; ewes, \$10@10.75.

Calves—Tops, \$15; fair to good, \$13@14; fed calves, \$5@7.

### Grain, Etc.

Wheat—Cash No 2 red, \$1.72 1/2 bid; May, \$1.76 1/2; July, \$1.46; No 1 white, \$1.67 1/2.

Corn—Cash No 3, \$1.01; No 3 yellow, \$1.02; No 4 yellow, \$1.00 1/2.

Oats—Standard,

"CASCARETS" FOR LIVER, BOWELS

For sick headache, bad breath, Sour Stomach and constipation.

Get a 10-cent box now. No odds how bad your liver, stomach or bowels; how much your head aches, how miserable and uncomfortable you are from constipation, indigestion, biliousness and sluggish bowels—you always get the desired results with Cascarets.

Sunk by Icebergs. Admittedly the worst danger menacing transatlantic travelers in modern days, with steamers of such speed as are plying on the Atlantic, is that of collision with icebergs in a dense fog.

64 YEARS YOUNG! Mr. S. P. Benton, Kerrville, Texas, writes: "For several years prior to 1906 I suffered from kidney and rheumatic troubles. Was bent over and forced to use a cane. For these disorders I am glad to say I used Dodd's Kidney Pills, which proved to be the proper remedy. I am 64 years young, feel fine and am straight as an arrow. Dodd's Kidney Pills deserve great credit."



Dodd's Kidney Pills. A generous free trial box will be mailed if you send the coupon.

Form for requesting a free trial box of Dodd's Kidney Pills, including fields for Name, Street, City, and State.

"I Don't Know." There is always hope for the girl who is not afraid to say, "I don't know," provided, of course, that she wants to know. If this avowal of ignorance is also an expression of indifference, she is no better off than the girl who tries to look intelligent when a subject is being discussed of which she is entirely ignorant.

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Girls! Beautify Your Hair! Make It Soft, Fluffy and Luxuriant—Try the Moist Cloth.

Try as you will, after an application of Danderine, you cannot find a single trace of dandruff or falling hair and your scalp will not itch, but what will please you most, will be after a few weeks' use, when you see new hair, fine and downy at first—yes—but really new hair—growing all over the scalp.

Get a 25 cent bottle of Knowlton's Danderine from any store and prove that your hair is as pretty and soft as any—that it has been neglected or injured by careless treatment—that's all. Adv.

Natural Conclusion. "Smith called Jones a toad." "What happened?" "Jones got hopping round."

A postal card to Garfield Tea Co., Brooklyn, N. Y., asking for a sample will be sent you—Adv.

The DESTROYING ANGEL

By Louis Joseph Vance

CHAPTER XV—Continued.

Hastening back to the farmstead, he secured a spade from the barn and made his way quickly down to the beach by way of the road through the cluster of deserted fishermen's huts.

Fifteen minutes' walk brought him to the pool. Ten minutes' hard work with the spade sufficed to excavate a shallow trench in the sands above high-water mark. He required as much time again to nerve himself to the point of driving off the gulls and moving the body. There were likewise crabs to be dealt with.

When it was accomplished, and he had lifted the last heavy stone into place above the grave, he waded out into the sea and cleansed himself as best he might, then lay down for a time in the strength-giving light, feeling giddy and faint.

What the gulls and the crabs and the shattering surf had left had been little, but enough for indisputable identification.

Whitaker had buried Drummond. By the time he got back to the farm-house, the woman was up, dressed in the rent and stained but dry remnants of her own clothing (for all their defects, infinitely more becoming than the garments to which she had been obliged to resort the previous day) and busy preparing breakfast.

"Well, sir!" she called heartily over her shoulder. "And where, pray, have you been all this long time?" "I went for a swim," he said evasively—"thought it might do me good."

"You're not feeling well?" She turned to look him over. He avoided her eye. "I had a bad night."

"Still got the hump, eh?" "Still got the hump," he assented, glad thus to mask his unhappiness.

"Breakfast and a strong cup of tea or two will fix that," she announced with confidence.

His stout attempts to match her cheerfulness during the meal fell dismally short of conviction. After two or three false starts he gave it up and took refuge in his plea of indisposition. She humored him with a covert understanding that surmised more in a second than he could have compressed into a ten-minute confession.

The meal over, he rose and sidled awkwardly toward the door. "You'll be busy for a while with the dishes and things, won't you?" he asked with an air meant to seem guileless.

"Oh, yes; for some time," she replied quickly. "I'll think I'll take a stroll round the island. There might be something like a boat hidden away somewhere along the beach."

"You won't go out of sight?" she pleaded through the window. "It can't be done," he called back, strolling out of the doorway with much show of idle indecision.

His real purpose was, in fact, definite. There was another body to be accounted for.

To his intense relief, he made no further discovery other than a scattering drift of wreckage from the motor-boats. He turned at length and trudged wearily back toward the farm-house.

Since breakfast he had seen nothing of the girl; none of the elaborately casual glances which he had from time to time cast inland had discovered any sign of her. But now she appeared in the doorway, and after a slight pause, as of indecision, moved down the path to meet him.

He was conscious that, at sight of her, his pulses quickened. Something swelled in his breast, something tightened the muscles of his throat. The way of her body in action, the way of the sun with her hair.

Dismay shook him like an ague; he felt his heart divided against itself; he was so glad of her, and so afraid of her. He could not keep his eyes from her, nor could he make his desire be still; and yet . . . and yet . . .

They paused beside one of the low stone walls and the girl sat down upon the lichened stones, then looked up to him with a smile and a slight movement of the head that plainly invited him to a place beside her.

"I watched you, off and on, from the windows. You might have been looking for a pin, from your painting-tray, off there along the cliffs."

He nodded again, gloomily. Her comment seemed to admit of no more compromising method of reply.

"Then you've nothing to tell me?" He pursed his lips, deprecatory, lifted his shoulders not quite happily, and swung one lank leg across the other as he slouched, morosely eyeing the sheets of sapphire that made their prison walls. There was a little silence. She watched him astance with her shrewd, shadowy, sympathetic and fugitive smile.

"Must I make talk, then?" she demanded at last. "If we must, I suppose—you'll have to show the way. My mind's hardly equal to trail-breaking to-day."

"So I shall, then. Hugh . . ." She leaned toward him, dropping her hand over his own with an effect of light, fluffy and wavy, and have an appearance of abundance; an incomparable luster, softness and luxuriance, the beauty and shimmer of true hair health.

Get a 25 cent bottle of Knowlton's Danderine from any store and prove that your hair is as pretty and soft as any—that it has been neglected or injured by careless treatment—that's all. Adv.

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It is noticed that some breadwinners provide larger loaves than others.

steadied again to hers. And through a long moment neither stirred, but sat so, eye to eye, searching each the other's mind and heart.

At length he confessed it with an uncertain, shamefaced nod. "That's right," he said: "I do know—now."

She removed her hand and sat back without lessening the fixity of her regard.

"When did you find it out?" "This morning. That is it came to me all of a sudden—" His gaze fell; he stammered and felt his face burning.

"Hugh, that's not quite honest. I know you hadn't guessed, last night—I know it. Hugh, look at me!" Unwillingly he met her eyes.

"How did you find out?" "He was an inept liar. Under the witchery of her eyes, his resource failed him absolutely. He started to repeat, stammered, fell still, and then in a breath capitulated.

"Before you were up—I meant to keep this from you—down there on the beach—I found Drummond."

"Drummond!" "It was a cry of terror. She started back from him, eyes wide, cheeks whitening.

"I'm sorry . . . But I presume you ought to know. . . His body . . . I buried it. . ."

She gave a little smothered cry, and seemed to shrink in upon herself, burying her face in her hands—an inconspicuous, huddled shape of grief, there upon the gray stone wall, set against all the radiant beauty of the exquisite, sun-gladdened world.

He was patient with her, though the slow-dragging minutes during which she neither moved nor made any sound brought him inexpressible distress, and he seemed to age visibly, his face, settling in iron lines, gray with suffering.

At length a moan—rather, a wail—came from the stricken figure beside him: "Ah, the pity of it! the pity of it! . . . What have I done that this should come to me!"

He ventured to touch her hand in gentle sympathy. "Mary," he said, and hesitated with a little wonder, remembering that this was the first time he had ever called her by that name—"Mary, did you care for him so much?"

She sat, trembling, her face averted and hidden. "Don't blame him," she said softly. "He wasn't responsible."

"How long have you known?" She swung suddenly to face him. "For some time—definitely, for two or three days. Ember took him away, meaning to put him in a sanitarium."

"I can endure it again. I can't bear this exquisite torture. I'm afraid I shall go mad! . . . Unless . . . unless—her voice shuddered—"I have the strength, the strength to—"

"Stop!" he cried in desperation. "You must not go on like this! Mary! Listen to me!"

This time he succeeded in imprisoning her hand. "Mary," he said gently, drawing closer to her, "listen to me; understand what I say. I love you; I am your husband; nothing can possibly come between us. All these other things can be explained. Don't let yourself think for another instant—"

Her eyes, fixed upon the two hands in which he clasped her own, had grown wide and staring with dread. Momentarily she seemed stunned. Then she wrenched it from him, at the same time jumping up and away.

"No!" she cried, fending him from her with shaking arms. "No! Don't touch me! Don't come near me, Hugh! It's . . . it's death! My touch is death! I know it now—I had begun to suspect, now I know! I am accursed—doomed to go through life like pestilence, leaving sorrow and death in my wake. . . Hugh!" She controlled herself a trifle: "Hugh, I love you more than life; I love you more than love itself. But you must not come near me. Love me if you must, but O my dear one! keep away from me; avoid me, forget me if you can, but at all cost shun me as you would the plague! I will not give myself to you to be your death!"

Before he could utter a syllable in reply, she turned and fled from him.

CHAPTER XVI. Capitulation. Grimly Whitaker sat himself down in the kitchen and prepared to wait the reappearance of his wife—prepared to wait as long as life was in him, so that he were there to welcome her when, her paroxysm over, she would come to him to be comforted, soothed and reasoned out of her distorted conception of her destiny.

He pondered the situation for hours then he rose, ascended the stairs, tapped gently on the locked door. "Mary," he called, with his heart in his mouth—"Mary!"

Her answer was instant, in accents sweet, calm and clear. The breathless seconds spun their golden web of minutes. They did not move. Round them the silence sang like the choir of seraphim.

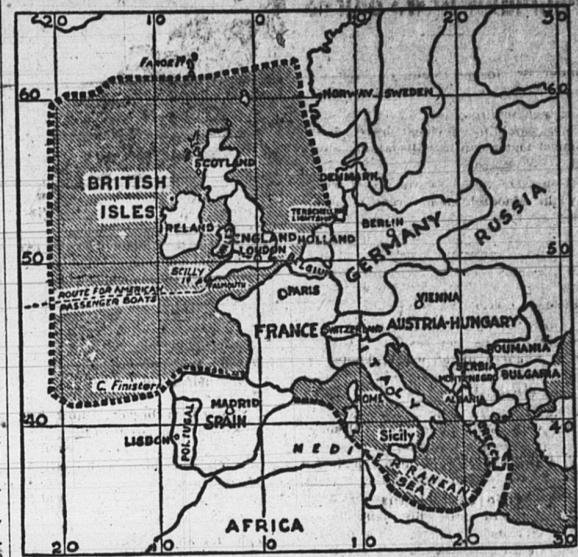
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As to "Knockers." "Don't knock," said Uncle Eben. "A man is like one of 'esehere motors. When he gets to knockin' it shows dat sombun' wrong."

Coming to Marysville to catch a Rapid car for Detroit, Capt. Daniel Warwick of Froomfield, Ont., entered a grocery store to wait for the car. Remarking that he believed his ears had been frost bitten in his walk across the ice on St. Clair river, Capt. Warwick raised his hands to his ears and collapsed. A physician hurriedly examined Warwick and found that he was dead, death being due to apoplexy. Capt. Warwick was one of the oldest sailors on the lakes and was widely known.

The Indian story that there was once a lead mine on the St. Joseph river has interested Borrien Springs capitalists. St. Joe county won third place in the selling of red cross seals and will receive the services of a visiting nurse free of charge for one month as a result. Two men were injured when the condensing apparatus in the plant of the Washenaw Gas Co., at Ann Arbor, blew up. The city's gas supply may be affected.

NEUTRAL NATIONS WARNED TO AVOID DANGER ZONE



The forbidden area for neutral vessels under Germany's warning is bounded by a line running from practically the center of the Netherlands coast northward, blockading all Denmark and the entrance to the Baltic, to the outside point of Norway, thence due west, skirting the southern part of the Faroe islands; then west and south in a grand square 300 or 400 miles to sea off the British Isles, to the junction of Spain and Portugal, apparently leaving the latter country open and affording a 20-mile safety zone along the northern Spanish coast to France. Practically the whole Mediterranean is declared dangerous except a narrow strip almost paralleling the African coast to a point directly south of Greece, from which a 20-mile path to Greek territorial waters is declared open.

OTHER NEUTRALS ARE HOLDING OUT

ARE GIVING SITUATION CAREFUL CONSIDERATION BEFORE DECIDING TO BREAK.

98,467 TONS SUNK IN 6 DAYS

If Present Rate is Continued it Means the Destruction of One and One-half Million Tons a Month.

Washington—The position of neutrals, at least their official position, remains unsettled. The anxiety of none of them has abated, yet none of them seems on the point of immediate rupture with the Kaiser's government.

Spain and Brazil both admit forwarding protests against the German U-boat "blockade" of the Allies. Both denounce the German procedure as in contravention of international law and a menace to the lives of their nationals.

That of Spain is understood to contain not only a flat refusal to submit, but a threat to sever relations if Germany persists in the course she has outlined.

The one outstanding feature of the European neutral situation is that there is going to be a breathing spell of careful consideration, unless unforeseen events precipitate a fresh crisis.

U-Boats Take Heavy Toll. Since the expiration Tuesday morning of the five days of grace allowed by the recent German declaration, the U-boat submarine campaign has resumed an unprecedented intensity.

The five days of grace allowed by the German declaration were intended to permit neutral merchantmen time to leave England and French waters included in what the Germans described as "barred zones."

On the expiration of the five days, "all traffic will be stopped with every available weapon and without further notice," the declaration said.

The aggregate tonnage sent to the bottom Tuesday alone was 46,763. The total tonnage destroyed since February 1 as reported by official and unofficial sources amounts to 98,467 tons.

If Tuesday's rate should be maintained, the U-boat blockade would mean the destruction of a million and a half tons a month, or half a million in excess of the figure estimated in Berlin dispatches.

Killing of Wallace No "Overt Act." One immediate problem has been disposed of. The state department made it clear the death of Richard Wallace, killed in the submarine attack on the British "provisional collector" Evestone, was not the "overt act" that would plunge the United States into the seething European turmoil. It was stated the death of Wallace, while contrary to international law, was not of a nature to force the momentous "next step" in the German crisis.

A dispatch was received from London Monday night announcing that Richard Wallace, American member of the crew of the British Steamship Evestone, had been killed by shells from a German submarine.

The official statement says: "Survivors of the steamship Evestone, report that their ship was sunk by shell fire from a German submarine. The crew abandoned the sinking ship and were sheltered in their boats by the submarine."

"The master and three seamen were severely killed and the second mate was Richard Wallace of Baltimore."

With the war machinery of the government running at top speed in preparation for any possible development, the state department in a communication to American ship owners urged the utmost caution. American ships were advised against sailing into the German submarine zone and the risks of ocean travel were pointed out.

Assures Ships Protection on Seas. The state department made clear that American vessels have full right to sail, that they are not ordered or requested not to sail and that they will be fully protected in their rights on the seas. The question of how this protection is to be extended is one of the big problems confronting the president, the state department and the war department.

Housatonic First Victim. The first American ship sunk under the new German blockade plan was the Housatonic.

The steamer, formerly the Georgia, of the Hamburg-American line, carried a cargo of 44,200 bushels of wheat. She went down off the Sicily islands, on the southwest coast of England.

The crew included 15 Americans. Full warning was given the ship by the German submarine before being sunk and opportunity was given for the safety of the crew, according to a dispatch received at the state department from American Consul Stephens at Plymouth, England.

Senate Overrides President's Veto of Literacy Test. Washington—The immigration bill containing a literacy test provision and vetoed by three presidents, Wilson, Cleveland and Taft, today is a law.

The final step in the enactment of the legislation by congress came when the senate voted, 62 to 19, to override President Wilson's veto of the bill because of the literacy test feature. The house re-passed the measure last week.

The literacy test bars all aliens over 16 years of age who cannot read at least 30 words of a language to be selected by the alien.

The following, if sent for by aliens already admitted to the United States, are exempt from the literacy test: Father or grandfather over fifty-five years of age, wife, mother, grandmother, unmarried or widowed daughter.

The legislation is the result of a 20-year fight. The new law takes effect May 1, next.

Nerves All On Edge?

Just as nerve wear is a cause of kidney weakness, so is kidney trouble a cause of nervousness. Anyone who has backache, nervousness, "blues," headaches, dizzy spells, urinary ills and a tired, worn feeling, would do well to try Doan's Kidney Pills. This safe, reliable remedy is recommended by thousands who have had relief from just such troubles.

A Michigan Case

Mrs. J. A. Moore, 409 E. Franklin Ave., Lansing, Mich., says: "I felt as though I couldn't keep up on account of awful backaches. When ever I stooped, sharp twinges started through my back. Mornings, my back was as stiff as a board. I doctored a lot, but without success until I took Doan's Kidney Pills. They fixed me up all right and I have had no kidney trouble since."

Get Doan's at Any Store, 50c a Box. DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS. FOSTER-MILBURN CO., BUFFALO, N. Y.

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Prompt Relief—Permanent Cure. CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS never fail. Purely vegetable—act surely but gently on the liver. Stop after dinner—cure indigestion—improve the complexion, brighten the eyes. SMALL PILL, SMALL DOSE, SMALL PRICE. Genuine must bear Signature.



Mistaken Vivacity. Some girls in trying to be vivacious only succeed in being noisy and bad-mannered. Vivacity does not necessitate talking at the top of one's lungs. A great deal of slang is not essential to making your conversation lively. Some of the most sparkling ornaments to society always speak in a low, well-modulated voice, and use good English as can be heard anywhere.—Girl's Companion.

"Hundreds of people in this vicinity," says Peterson, "know of the mighty healing power of PETERSON'S OINTMENT in eczema, salt rheum, old sores, itching skin and ulcers. They know it cures these ailments—that it is guaranteed to cure them."

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Now I want to say to every sufferer from piles, either blind, bleeding or itching, that will guarantee that a 25-cent box of PETERSON'S OINTMENT will rid you of piles or your druggist will return your money.

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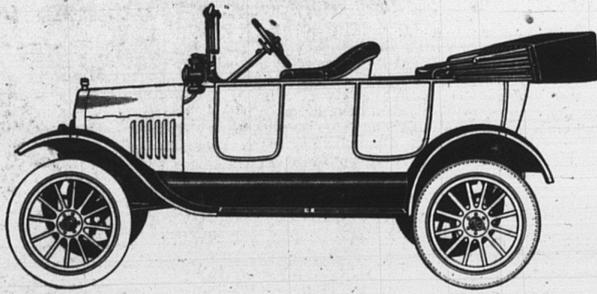
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One pair work horses, weight 2600, middle aged, broke double and single.

## 25 Head of Cattle

9 Head Holstein Cows—These cows are pick of the A. B. Storm's herd, a very choice lot; several will freshen in a very short time.  
Registered Holstein bull, a choice, kind animal.  
11 Holstein heifers, 2 years old, some due to calf soon.  
2 steers, 2 years old. 2 Holstein calves, 4 months old, choice ones.

## Swine.

2 brood sows, eligible fer registry, due to farrow in the spring.  
23 shoats, five of which are males and ready for service. This stock is all eligible for registry.

QUANTITY OF HAY AND OATS

## Sheep.

50 Black Top breeding ewes, due to lamb about the middle of March, and are a good bunch. 1 Shropshire buck.

## Farming Tools.

McCormick 8-foot binder with truck and canvas, Champion mower, Sterling Superior hay loader, side delivery rake, dump rake, Deering corn binder used two seasons, new disc harrow, three-section springtooth drag, 75-tooth spike drag, 2 riding cultivators, 2 single cultivators, land roller, grain drill, Deering corn planter, complete spraying outfit, new manure spreader, set 1,000-lb. scales, Blizzard ensilage cutter with distributor, fanning mill, feed cooker, Iowa cream separator, two good lumber wagons, single buggy, combination stock and hay rack, flat rack, wagon box, set bobsleighs, cutter, wood rack, 2 sets double work harness, single harness, fly nets, collars, etc., robes, blankets, bells, 5 new flat chicken crates, new power churn, a number of milk cans, grindstone, bag truck, forks, hoes, ladders, chains, new stack canvass 25x40, an 8-16 Mogul tractor with John Deere 2-bottom plows attached, Oakland touring car.

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## PERSONAL MENTION.

Miss Florence Penn spent Sunday in Jackson.

F. H. Belser spent Wednesday in Ann Arbor.

Geo. Fuller, of Jackson, is a Chelsea visitor today.

Warren G. Geddes was in Detroit Tuesday on business.

Miss Kathryn Hooker is spending this week in Detroit.

A. R. Congdon, of Ypsilanti, was a Chelsea visitor Friday.

Miss Emma Norton, of Ann Arbor, spent Tuesday in Chelsea.

Ray Cook, of Detroit, spent Sunday with his father, N. H. Cook.

Dr. S. G. Bush is spending a week at the Battle Creek Sanitarium.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Emmons, of Jackson, spent the week-end in Chelsea.

Georgs Miller, of Chicago, is visiting his mother, Mrs. George Miller.

C. M. Davis and daughter, Mrs. S. A. Mapes, spent Wednesday in Detroit.

Miss Nettie Shaffer, of Detroit, is visiting her mother, Mrs. F. D. Cummings.

Misses Eleanor Dancer and Marie Whitmer spent Saturday in Ann Arbor.

Miss Florence Wixon, of Ann Arbor, spent Monday and Tuesday in Chelsea.

Miss Grace Marquedant spent Sunday at the home of her mother in Grass Lake.

Rev. Edgar Killam, of Chicago, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Killam.

Mrs. Will Hayes, of Grass Lake, spent last week with her sister, Miss Sophia Schatz.

Mrs. Geo. Spiegelberg has returned from Dexter where she has been spending two weeks.

James Schmidt, of Kalamazoo, spent Sunday with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. H. W. Schmidt.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bailey were called to Macon Friday night by the death of the latter's mother.

Rev. G. H. Whitney left on Monday for Florida, where he expects to remain about three weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Staphis, of Detroit, spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Staphis.

Mrs. H. Boilletat and sons, of Detroit, spent the past week with her grandmother, Mrs. Lucia Chase.

Miss Edna Wackenhut, of Ann Arbor, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Wackenhut.

Miss Ella Shimmer, of Ann Arbor, spent several days of this week with her sister, Mrs. Wm. Rheinfrank.

J. E. Weber left Wednesday afternoon for Bradenton, Fla., where he expects to remain for several weeks.

Miss Ruth Irwin, of Jackson, a former teacher in the Chelsea schools, spent Sunday with friends here.

J. W. Speer and Mrs. J. G. Webster visited their sister, Mrs. Chester Smith, of Grass Lake, who is seriously ill, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ward D. Morton and Harry Morton, of Detroit, spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Morton.

Mrs. Harry Schlattler has returned her home in Ft. Wayne, Ind., after spending several weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chauncey Hummel.

## Auction Sale.

F. C. Mensing, administrator, will sell the household goods of the late August Mensing at public auction on the premises, first door east of the Congregational church, Chelsea, on Saturday, February 10, commencing at 1 p. m. The goods consist of bedsteads, mattresses, feather beds, bedding, tables, chairs, stoves, sewing machines and many other articles. Irving Kalmbach, auctioneer.

MANCHESTER—While taking a traveling man to Clinton Tuesday the steering gear in Bert Price's auto broke and the auto collided with a telephone pole with such force that the pole was snapped off, the machine continued on but was stopped by the next pole. Nobody hurt. Imagine how fast he must have been driving to accomplish that, and inside the speed limit, too.—Enterprise.

# New Spring Goods Arriving

New Silks    New Dress Goods    New Carpets    New Rugs

## New Wash Goods

First lots of White Goods, Gingham and Wash Silks are now in stock.

## Women's Coats and Suits

JUST A VERY FEW NEW COATS AND SUITS TO CLEAN UP.

Your choice of any Plush Coat in stock at about HALF Price.

Your choice of any Women's or Misses' Cloth Coat in stock at \$6.98 and \$3.98. Not one of these coats was less than \$15.00, several were \$25.00. Every one made this season, but every garment must be sold now.

All Women's Dresses marked down to clean up quick. Silk Dresses now \$5.00, \$8.50 and \$10.00.

About four dozen Women's dark Percale Dresses, high neck and long sleeves only, regularly \$1.50, now 89c.

## Bed Spreads, Tubing and Blankets

Full size Bed Spread, very special value, \$2.00. Full size Bed Spread, scalloped, \$2.50.

45-inch, extra tubing, 35c value, but in short ends only, 22c.

35 pairs, 50x76 tan Blankets, beautiful quality, last chance at \$1.00.

42 pairs, 72x80 grey Blankets, beautiful quality, last chance at \$2.00. Notice size of these blankets.

## Special Prices

on a great many other items selected throughout the store for a final clean-up of fall and winter merchandise.

## Remnant Sale

We have selected the Odds and Ends, and all Short Ends of all kinds of merchandise, and placed them in lots on tables about the store, for quick selling. Every piece plainly marked.

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between acquaintanceship and friendship. We have served our patrons so faithfully and well that we now count them as an army of friends. We will keep on being faithful to our trust by serving them only the best meats.  
Fish every Friday.  
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Your Furniture, Piano, Woodwork, Automobile, Finished Floors, and all Varnished Surfaces. Clear, pure and free from any gum. Will not eat the surface, as it gives a hard, dry, bright gloss, a brighter lustre than wax and easier to use.  
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14313  
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# High Grade Jersey Cows AT AUCTION

The undersigned will sell the following Jersey Cattle at Public Auction on the F. H. Sweetland farm, half a mile south-west of Chelsea, on

**Saturday, February 17th**  
Commencing at 1 o'clock P. M.

**Eleven High Grade Jersey Cows**  
Some are fresh and the balance are due soon.

**Three Jersey Heifers, due in the spring.**  
**Nine Head Jersey Heifer Calves.**  
**Registered Jersey Bull**

The above stock is of the St. Lambert strain, and an exceptionally fine lot, large in size and in good condition.  
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MANCHESTER—There are many of our beautiful shade trees that need attention. Some have injuries and some are sick and need a physician. Every year we lose a few of our best trees by neglecting to give them proper care. As soon as the weather is warm enough every property owner having a tree should inspect it and if

it needs either hire a competent man to administer it or do it yourself. Shade trees are valuable and add much to the beauty and comfort of our village.—Enterprise.

The Eastern Star will give a social at Masonic Hall next Wednesday evening to which all members of the order and Masons and their families are invited.

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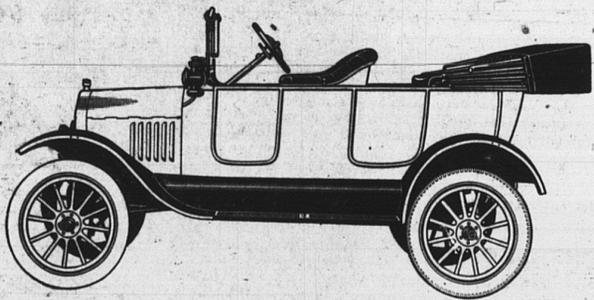
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NORTH LAKE NOTES.

Born, on Friday, February 2, 1917, to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Eisenbeiser, a son.

Born, on Saturday, February 3, 1917, to Mr. and Mrs. Homer Stoffer, a daughter.

Miss Mildred Daniels returned to Albion Sunday after spending several days with her parents.

Rev. C. M. Woodmansee spent Sunday and Monday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Daniels.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Schultz of Ann Arbor, attended the Ladies' Aid Society dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Daniels last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Noah, Mrs. Floyd Boyce and son Ellis, of Anderson, spent Tuesday with Mrs. Noah's mother, Mrs. Lucy Wood in Ann Arbor.

Rev. C. M. Woodmansee accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Chas. D. Johnson to Detroit Tuesday to attend the Area conference held at that city.

The Ladies' Aid Society dinner held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Daniels last Friday was well attended. Dinner was served to about fifty and the proceeds amounted to \$11.10.

Mrs. F. G. Widmayer, of Sylvan, is spending some time at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Homer Stoffer.

The Golden Rule class will hold a Henry Ford social at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Hadley on Friday, February 10. A Ford will be given to the wisest. Come and bring your thinking cap.

FRANCISCO VILLAGE.

John Helle was in Grass Lake on business Tuesday.

Mrs. John Helle was a Jackson visitor one day last week.

Mrs. M. C. Rank spent Friday with relatives in Napoleon.

Frank Helle and Arthur Frey were Grass Lake visitors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben. Frey entertained relatives from Jackson Sunday.

Mrs. Arthur Collins, of Chelsea, visited her aunt, Mrs. Martha Keeler, Friday.

Milton Bohne began a course in the business university, of Jackson, Monday.

Mrs. Martha Seckinger, who has been very ill, is reported as improving nicely.

Miss Nettie Bohne visited at the home of her brother, Geo. W. Bohne, Wednesday.

Mrs. R. Teft, of Marshall, spent part of last week with her sister, Mrs. Martha Keeler.

Mrs. Bertha Jones, of Jackson, spent the first of the week with her mother, Mrs. John Seid, who is ill.

Mrs. Mattie O'Donnell, of Detroit, came Thursday and visited her sister, Mrs. Nora Notten, until Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Richards, of Detroit, visited their mother, Mrs. Willetta M. Richards, over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. DeWitt Main, of Petoskey, are spending some time visiting relatives and friends in these parts.

Mrs. D. W. Hill, of Henrietta, who has been visiting her brother, Wm. Locher, who is ill, returned to her home the first of the week.

George Seid, who underwent an operation in Ann Arbor some time ago, is getting along finely, and has been discharged from the hospital.

LIMA TOWNSHIP NEWS.

Henry Luick has gone on a week's fishing trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Egeler, jr., were Ann Arbor visitors one day last week.

Miss Bertha Gross spent several days of last week with her sister, Mrs. S. Zahn.

Mrs. Adolph Gross spent one day of last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gross.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Easton attended the funeral of Mrs. Elmer Mains in Detroit Saturday.

J. Hinderer, of Chelsea, spent one day of last week with his daughter, Mrs. Arthur Schairer.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Smith attended the funeral of C. M. Stephens in Chelsea on Tuesday of last week.

Fred Seitz on Friday of last week delivered to a Chelsea buyer a dressed hog that weighed 48 pounds for which he received \$54.13.

SHARON NEWS.

Amos Curtis was an over Sunday guest of relatives in Jackson.

Miss Mayme Reno visited Mrs. Clyde Lockwood, of Leoni, last week.

Robert Lemm attended the funeral of Doctor Hyndman in Norvell Saturday.

Misses Frances and Clara Holden attended the basketball game at Chelsea Friday evening.

Prof. F. C. Irwin and son Charles, of Detroit, visited at the home of J. E. Irwin over Sunday.

Mrs. Harriet Fletcher, has returned to Belleville after caring for L. B. Lawrence for some time.

Geo. Klumpp celebrated his 75th birthday Sunday, February 4. Mr. Klumpp is still hale and hearty for a man of his years.

Robert Lawrence will conduct the Epworth League devotional meeting Sunday evening. Topic: Continuing the Work Lincoln Begun.

The Woman's Home Missionary Society met with Mrs. Wm. Tisch last Wednesday. It was the annual meeting and the following officers were elected: President, Mrs. C. O. Hewes; vice president, Mrs. M. H. Irwin; secretary, Mrs. F. Ellis; treasurer, Mrs. E. W. Holden. A dainty lunch was served.

The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Gardner died at the U. of M. hospital in Ann Arbor last Tuesday evening. She was taken there for treatment and while there was taken ill and it resulted fatally. The funeral was held at the home Friday afternoon, Rev. S. J. Pollock, of Grass Lake, officiating and the interment took place at the Raymond cemetery. The parents have the sympathy of the community in their sad bereavement.

UNADILLA NEWS.

Nora Gorton, of Jackson, was home over Sunday.

Frank May, of Jackson, was in town one day last week.

Lou Ella Coy, of Pontiac, is visiting friends in this vicinity.

Ray Palmer and family spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. May.

Loney Lane, of Grand Rapids, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Lane.

Lucile Barnum spent the last of the past week at the home of Ira Foster near Falesville.

FREEDOM ITEMS.

Mrs. Arnold H. Kuhl is slowly recovering from her recent illness.

Mrs. Hannah Koffberger has sold her farm and moved to the home of her parents, Rev. and Mrs. G. Eisen.

Mrs. Fred Zahn is spending some time with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Heller, of Lima, caring for her mother who is quite ill.

Charles Schaible, who was employed by Emanuel Schenk for the past nine years, died of tuberculosis at the home of his father, John Schaible in Lodi, last Sunday, aged 26 years. He was a general favorite among the young people of this vicinity and well liked.

NORTH FRANCISCO.

B. C. Whitaker has had the interior of his residence remodeled.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Notten have been spending a few days in Kalamazoo.

Truman Lehmann is helping his brother, John, near Chelsea this week.

Hazen Lehmann spent the week end at the home of his sister in Waterloo.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mensing spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Irving Kalmbach.

Mrs. Elsie Fields is spending a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Schweinfurth, of Jackson, spent Sunday at the home of Henry Notten.

Mrs. Erle Notten returned home Sunday evening after spending several days at Jackson.

Mrs. P. Schweinfurth and Mrs. H. Geiske attended a birthday surprise party in Jackson Monday.

Mrs. James Richards will entertain the Ladies' Aid Society of Salem German M. E. church Wednesday afternoon, February 14.

Rev. G. C. Nothdurft, Martha Riemenschneider, Ricka Kalmbach, August Hoppe and Ethel Kilmer are attending the Area conference in Detroit this week.

The next regular meeting of the Francisco Arbor of Gleaners will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mensing Wednesday evening, February 14. Scrub lunch.

BREVITIES

PLYMOUTH—A week ago last Sunday, Rev. F. M. Fielder, calmly announced to the Methodist congregation that there would be at least fifty people at the prayer meeting the next Thursday evening, a thing unheard of in Plymouth. A few were startled, many were skeptical, but on prayer meeting night the preacher found his faith justified with sixty people present. A strange coincidence lies in the fact this pastor saw a growth in the prayer meeting at Gladstone three years ago almost identical to that here. At the first prayer meeting there he had the same number present as at the first one here. January 8, 1914 there were 41 present, the same number present here two weeks ago. The following Sunday he announced there would be at least fifty present and there were sixty-five. Later the attendance reached as high as 110.—Mail.

MILAN—Tuesday night a burglar was again active in Milan. He first broke into Hyzer & Matthews drug store, but only secured a dollar from the till. He then made an attempt to get into Hochradel's saloon but failed, and then the back window of Whitmarsh & Co's, grocery store was broken. Night-watchman Goodridge heard the breaking glass and when he reached the back of the store, the burglar evidently heard him for he broke out the glass of the front door by throwing a quart bottle of whiskey through it. Mr. Goodridge hastened out of the alley and around to the garage, when he started to run. He fired six shots but the fugitive was too far away and made good his escape.—Leader.

Council Proceedings.

(Official)

Council Rooms, Chelsea, February 5, 1917.

Council met in regular session. Meeting called to order by President Lehman.

Present—Trustees Schoenhals, Frymuth, Dancer, Eppler. Absent—Palmer, Hirth. Minutes of the previous meeting read and approved.

The following bills were read by the clerk:

General Fund.

Howard Brooks, Mapes fire. \$ 42.00  
Howard Brooks, Wood fire. 24.00  
H. E. Cooper, 1 1/2 mo. sal. 97.50  
W. B. Merrick, eng. ser. 138.25  
Mich. State Tel. Co. 3.40  
Alice Cole, nurse Poor case 50.00  
Dr. Schmidt, tel. toll 1.00  
Chelsea Tripping printing 6.00

Street Fund.

Albert Stone, 1 wk. 18.00  
Peter Youngs, labor 9.62  
A. Schulte, labor 4.95  
G. Bockres, 7 wks. 70.00  
M. C. R. R., fgs. 11.61  
Barrett Mfg. Co. 55.04  
H. B. Pritchard, labor 2.00  
Hindelang & Fahmer 24  
Chas. Martin, team 15.40  
Ed. Chandler, fgt. bill 79  
Traffic Sign Co. 12.87  
Wm. Bacon-Holmes Co. 32.00  
F. C. Teal Co. 223.35

Mrs. C. Staphis, 13 lbs. grav. el. @ 15 cents 1.95

G. W. Palmer, 106 lbs. grav. 15.90

A. B. Skinner, 43 lbs. grav. 6.45

John Waltraus, 29 lbs. grav. 4.35

A. B. Shutes, right of way for gravel 1.45

Electric Light & Water Fund.

Electric Light and Water Commission 3200.00

Enter Hirth and Palmer.

Moved by Dancer, supported by Schoenhals, that the bills be allowed as read and orders be drawn for the amounts.

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

The following appointments were made by the president:

Board of registration—John Frymuth, H. R. Schoenhals, J. N. Dancer.

Election board—G. W. Palmer, J. N. Dancer, Adam Eppler, John Frymuth, H. R. Schoenhals, S. Hirth, W. R. Daniels.

Election commissioners—J. B. Cole, O. T. Hoover, Ford Axtell.

Moved by Dancer, supported by Palmer, that the appointments be affirmed.

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

Moved by Frymuth, supported by Eppler, that we adjourn. Carried.

W. R. DANIELS, Village Clerk.

WANT COLUMN

RENTS, REAL ESTATE, FOUND, LOST, WANTED, ETC.

FOR SALE—About 400 pounds of nice white honey. Inquire of Jasper Graman, Chelsea. 29

WANTED—A man with family to work on farm by the year. Inquire of Warren Cole, Saline, Mich. 31

WANTED—By March 10, 1917, girl for general housework. Good wages—No washing. Address lock box A, Chelsea. 30

FOR SALE—Team of road horses and heavy spring wagon. Inquire of L. L. Gorton, Waterloo. 30

BRING your logs to the old Doud mill to be sawed. Will use you right. John Barth. 28

NEW CRATES for sale or made to order, also for sale 40 cords of slab wood. Leave your orders with Jas. Dann or at the cider mill. Conrad Schanz, Chelsea. 21tf

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms. Inquire at Standard office. 28

WANTED—Twenty-five cars of baled marsh hay delivered at Chelsea. D. C. McLaren. 33

WANTED—Girl to work at Boyd's Hotel, Chelsea, Mich. 15tf

FOR SALE—The Baptist parsonage property, 157 east Summit street, 10-room house, city water and electric lights. For particulars phone Adolbert Baldwin or N. W. Laird. 25tf

FOR SALE—My home on east Middle street, Chelsea, good house, all modern improvements; barn and lot 6x12 rods. W. S. McLaren. Inquire of D. C. McLaren. 15tf

FOR SALE—House and lot, 7 rooms, bath, steam heat, all improvements, good location. Inquire at Standard office. 15tf

FOR SALE—Two lots on Elm avenue for sale or exchange; water and sewer connections in. Inquire of O. J. Walworth. 51tf

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Between Jackson, Chelsea, Ann Arbor, Ypsilanti and Detroit.

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For Detroit 8:45 a. m. and every two hours to 8:45 p. m.  
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EXPRESS CARS

East Bound—7:34 a. m. and every two hours to 5:34 p. m.  
West Bound—10:20 a. m. and every two hours to 8:20 p. m. Express cars make local stops west of Ann Arbor.

LOCAL CARS.

East Bound—6:30 p. m., 8:30 p. m. and 10:15 p. m. To Ypsilanti only 12:51 a. m.  
West Bound—6:30 a. m., 8:30 a. m., 10:51 p. m. and 12:51 a. m.  
Cars connect at Ypsilanti for Saline and at Wayne for Plymouth and Northville.

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S. A. MAPES,

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Fine Funeral Furnishings. Calls answered promptly night or day. Chelsea, Michigan. Phone 6.

The Eastern Star will give a social at Masonic Hall next Wednesday evening to which all members of the order and Masons and their families are invited.

AUCTIONS—The auction season is now here, and the Standard wishes to remind those who expect to have an auction this season, that it can furnish an auctioneer and print your bills.



## Winter Wind-Up!

Your choice without restriction or reserve of all our fine Winter Suits and Overcoats at prices so low that it will positively pay you to buy even though you must lay the clothing aside for next season's wear.

Woolens give every promise of soaring in price, so here is your chance to protect yourself by purchasing a Suit and Overcoat that will be as good as new at the start of next season and they will cost you but half of what you'll have to pay then.

OUR STOCK OF HATS AND CAPS WILL PLEASE YOU.

WE HAVE A COMPLETE STOCK OF TRAVELING BAGS AND TRUNKS

## DANCER BROTHERS.

OPEN EVERY EVENING

### LOCAL ITEMS.

A. H. Schumacher is confined to his home with a severe attack of rheumatism.

Petitions are being circulated for the nomination of Wm. Bacon as auditor, on the republican ticket.

The Republican county committee has issued the call for the county convention to be held at Ann Arbor, Friday, February 16.

Attorney John Kalmbach has decided to enter the race for the nomination for circuit judge, and nominating petitions are being circulated.

Rev. Fathers Considine, of Chelsea, Kennedy, of Ypsilanti, and Hewlett, of Detroit, left today for a trip in the west and south. They expect to be gone three weeks.

Supervisor VanRiper, member of the building committee of the board of supervisors, was in Ann Arbor Tuesday on business relative to the work of the committee.

The G. A. R. and the W. R. C. will be guests of the Congregational church Sunday evening. The service will be in commemoration of the birth of Abraham Lincoln.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. W. Speer on Saturday received word that their daughter, Mrs. John Larmie, of Los Angeles, Calif., had been taken to the hospital, suffering from an attack of scarlet fever.

Married, on Tuesday, Friday, February 6, 1917, Miss Helen Sinclair, sister of Mrs. J. H. Boyd, and Mr. Donald Thomas, of Detroit, the ceremony being performed at Ann Arbor by Rev. A. W. Stalker.

Rt. Rev. Bishop Foley has appointed Messrs. John Farrell, Martin Merkel, J. A. Conlan, Edwin Keusch and William F. Wheeler as the church committee of the Church of Our Lady of the Sacred Heart for the year 1917.

Arrangements are practically completed for the annual banquet to be given by the Knights of Pythias on Monday evening, February 19. The dinner will be given in the dining room of the Congregational church, and the balance of the evening's entertainment will be held at Castle Hall.

Daniel J. Guerin died at his home in Detroit Tuesday. Mr. Guerin was born in Burdette, N. Y., in 1843. He moved with his parents to Lima Center in 1853. He is survived by his widow and two sons, Arthur S. and Claude A. He also leaves two brothers, Warren K. Guerin, of Chelsea, and Wm. Guerin, of California.

The marriage of Miss Lily G. Birch, daughter of Mrs. James Birch, of Lyndon, and Mr. Henry F. Wolf, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Wolff, of Sylvan, took place at the Church of Our Lady of the Sacred Heart, Chelsea, Tuesday morning, February 6, 1917, Rev. Fr. Reissmann officiating. The couple were attended by Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Birch, of Lyndon.

No word has been received from Hon. Charles S. Winans, United States consul at Nuremberg, Bavaria, since the break of diplomatic relations with Germany, but it is thought probable that he has gone to Switzerland. Mr. Winans is accompanied by his wife and daughter. He is a son of Mary Winan, and his wife is a daughter of Mrs. Malinda Kempf.

The midwinter meeting of the Michigan State Horticultural Society will be held in Benton Harbor on February 20 and 21. This is to be the big meeting of the winter. Splendid speakers have been secured, both of national and state reputation, and the program will be of unusual interest and full of up-to-date topics. No fruit grower can afford to miss the meeting.

Gifford Chase, Plymouth, aged 75, was instantly killed by an automobile last Thursday morning. He evidently did not see the approaching car, which was unable to stop in time to prevent the accident. Death was nearly instantaneous. Mr. Chase was a brother of Mrs. Lydia Bronson, of Chelsea. Mrs. Bronson and her daughter, Mrs. Clark went to Plymouth Friday, and Mr. Clark and son and daughter went later.

Died, on Sunday, February 4, 1917, at the home of his mother, Mrs. Marie Heatley, 375 Pennsylvania avenue, Detroit, Louis A. Heatley, aged 26 years. The funeral was held Wednesday morning from Annunciation church. Rev. Chas. Herr, of Toledo, officiating, assisted by Revs. Stapleton and Farrell, and the remains were brought to Chelsea for interment in Mt. Olivet cemetery. Mr. Heatley was a former resident of Lyndon township.

Miss Gertrude Eisenman entertained a number of friends at her home on Summit street Tuesday evening.

As the time for holding the annual charter election is fast approaching, voters are beginning to ask each other, "What's in the air?"

The Democrat county convention will be held at Ann Arbor, Monday, February 12. Sylvan township is entitled to fourteen delegates.

The Brotherhood of the Congregational church met at the home of J. Bacon Wednesday evening. Rev. W. A. Cutler, of Grass Lake, delivered an address.

Evert Benton and Wilber Riemschneider have purchased H. R. Schoenhals' ice business and will conduct the business under the name of the Chelsea Ice Co.

At the meeting of the Detroit-Chicago Highway Association at Battle Creek Monday night, H. S. Holmes, of Chelsea, was elected a member of the board of directors.

Mrs. F. Vogel, of Ann Arbor, was stricken with paralysis Monday, and since that time has been in a serious condition. She was brought to the home of her son, Edward Vogel, Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Myrtle Cole, who has been confined to the home of her mother, Mrs. Geo. Richards, for several weeks as the result of a broken leg, has so far recovered as to be able to leave on Friday for her home in Cedar Rapids, Iowa.

Dr. Faye Palmer, who recently returned from the Mexican border as First Lieutenant of the 31st Michigan Regiment, resumed the practice of dentistry in Grass Lake Tuesday, and will be found each day at his office in the Teufel Block.—Grass Lake News.

The work of organizing the Masonic minstrels is going forward rapidly. A fourteen piece orchestra will furnish the instrumental music, while a twenty-four voice chorus will look after the vocal part of the entertainment. The date of their appearance will be Tuesday evening, February 27.

The annual financial report of the Church of Our Lady of the Sacred Heart was read last Sunday to a large congregation by Rev. Father Considine. The report was very gratifying and showed a substantial reduction of the debt on the school. All the church societies are in a flourishing condition.

There was a good attendance of Odd Fellows and those interested in the organization of a lodge here at the meeting held Wednesday evening. Enough members holding live cards signed the petition so that the outlook is unusually good. A total of twenty-nine names are on the petition, and another meeting is to be held at the same hall at 7 o'clock next Wednesday evening, at which time all interested are requested to be present. It is expected that a state deputy will here March 5 to institute the new lodge.

#### Church Circles.

##### CONGREGATIONAL.

Rev. P. W. Dierberger, Pastor.  
Morning worship at 10 o'clock with the sermon by the pastor, subject "The Joy of the Christian."  
Sunday school at 11:15 o'clock a. m. Class for men led by the pastor.  
Christian Endeavor meeting at 6:15 p. m.  
Popular Sunday evening services at 7:00 o'clock. The G. A. R. and the W. R. C. will be our guests at this service. The pastor will give an address on Abraham Lincoln.  
You are invited to worship with us.

##### BAPTIST.

J. G. Staley, Pastor.  
Church service at 10 o'clock a. m. Sunday school meets at 11 o'clock.  
Thursday evening at 6:45, cottage prayer meeting every week. Phone Mrs. R. P. Chase for the place of meeting.

##### ST. PAUL'S.

Rev. A. A. Schoen, Pastor.  
German service Sunday at 9:30 a. m. Sunday school at 10:30 a. m. Young People's meeting at 7:00 p. m.

##### METHODIST EPISCOPAL.

Rev. G. H. Whitney, Pastor.  
Morning service at 10 o'clock.  
Bible school at 11:15 a. m.  
Junior League at 3 p. m.  
Epworth League at 6 p. m.  
Evening service at 7 o'clock.  
Thursday prayer meeting 7 p. m.  
Rev. J. F. Emerick, of Ypsilanti, will preach in the M. E. church Sunday mornings and evenings during the absence of the pastor.  
A cordial invitation to all.

##### ST. JOHN'S, FRANCISCO

Rev. A. Benteinmuller, Pastor.  
Preaching service, Sunday afternoon at 1:45.  
Sunday school at 2:45 p. m.

##### SALEM GERMAN M. E. CHURCH,

NEAR FRANCISCO.  
Rev. G. O. Nothdurft, Pastor.  
Sunday school Sunday 9:30 a. m.  
German worship 10:30 a. m.  
Epworth League 7:30 p. m.  
English worship 8:30 p. m.  
Everybody most cordially invited.  
For results try Standard "Wants."



## Clean-Up Sale

### On Men's Dress Shirts and Men's Flannel Shirts

Men's Dress Shirts, made from the finest fast color Percales, high-class Shirts in every sense, beautiful colorings, choice \$1.00. Last opportunity for buying a nice Dress Shirts at less than \$1.25 and up.

If you want a nice warm Flannel Shirt, come here. We now have them priced much below actual worth, 69c and 89c, and strictly all Wool Shirts at \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$2.00.

## Specials

A Good Rio Blend Roast Coffee.....19c  
Seven Bars White Laundry Soap.....25c  
Large Grape Fruit.....3 for 25c

## W. P. Schenk & Company

## After Inventory Clearing Sale

ON

## Men's and Boys' Clothing

All Men's Colored Suits marked at Special Prices to clean up all odd lots and to make room for new spring goods.

#### ONE LOT OF MEN'S SUITS

Was \$15.00, now.....\$10.00  
Was \$18.00, now.....\$12.00  
Was \$22.50, now.....\$15.00

#### ONE LOT OF MEN'S SUITS

Was \$15.00, now.....\$11.25  
Was \$18.00, now.....\$13.50  
Was \$20.00, now.....\$15.00

#### MEN'S OVERCOATS

All Men's Overcoats marked at ONE-FOURTH to ONE-THIRD OFF regular prices. Some at even more of a reduction.

#### BOYS' OVERCOATS

Boys' Overcoats at ONE-THIRD OFF regular prices.

#### HATS AND CAPS

One Lot of Men's Hats now ONE-THIRD OFF Regular Prices.  
All Men's Caps now ONE-FOURTH OFF Regular Prices.  
All Boys' Winter Caps now HALF Price.

#### SPECIAL SALE OF MEN'S DRESS SHIRTS

One Lot of Monarch Shirts.....75c  
One Lot of Arrow Shirts.....\$1.00

## VOGEL & WURSTER



## ANNOUNCEMENT!

Second Semester Opens

Saturday, February 10th

## St. Mary's School of Music

We are now completing our arrangements for the coming semester, and those who desire to enter our classes are requested to register at once, as there are but three vacancies to be filled.

SISTERS OF ST. DOMINIC

## Responsibilities

ANY one who has responsibilities must see the serious side of life. When you use our Depositors' Weekly Savings Club you are not saving for any whim or folly, but for a noble purpose. Remember it costs you nothing.

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# THOSE AWFUL CRAMPS

Suggestions that may save Much Suffering

Marysville, Pa.—"For twelve years I suffered with terrible cramps. I would have to stay in bed several days every month. I tried all kinds of remedies and was treated by doctors, but my trouble continued until one day I read about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and what it had done for others. I tried it and now I am never troubled with cramps and feel like a different woman. I cannot praise Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound too highly and I am recommending it to my friends who suffer as I did."

Young women who are troubled with painful or irregular periods, backache, headache, dragging-down sensations, fainting spells or indigestion should take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Thousands have been restored to health by this root and herb remedy.

Write for free and helpful advice to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (confidential), Lynn, Mass. Only women open and read such letters.

## TO KILL COCKROACHES ALWAYS USE STEARNS' ELECTRIC PASTE

U. S. Government Buys It SOLD EVERYWHERE—25c and \$1.00

Forsaking Ranks of Pickers. Booth Tarkington, while in New York recently spending some of the proceeds of "Seventeen," was discussing the subject of debt with a playwright friend, known for impecuniousness.

## ACTRESS TELLS SECRET.

A well known actress gives the following recipe for gray hair: To half pint of water add 1 oz. Bay Rum, a small box of Barbo Compound, and 1/4 oz. of glycerine. Any druggist can put this up or you can mix it at home at very little cost. Full directions for making and use come in each box of Barbo Compound. It will gradually darken streaked, faded gray hair, and make it soft and glossy. It will not color the scalp, is not sticky or greasy, and does not rub off. Adv.

## Lightening the Burden.

"Do you approve of prohibition?" "Yes," replied Uncle Bill Bottletop. "With the present high cost of food I dunno as it's sensible to try to take care of a hunger an' a thirst both at once."

To keep clean and healthy take Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. They regulate liver, bowels and stomach.—Adv.

When a woman helps her husband do anything she always wants to do the bossing.



"Do's as fine a goose as I ever saw, Brudder William. What did you get it?" "Mash Barley," said the carver of the goose, with dignity, "when you reach a special good common. I never saw you where you got it. Seems to me dat's a civil matter sayin'."

If anybody asks how you got nervous indigestion, constipation or dyspepsia you couldn't tell, but if you want to get rid of all such painful disorders

## Green's August Flower

will act promptly in the relief of all stomach and bowel troubles, and your freedom from pain and discomfort will make you feel that life is again worth living. 25c and 75c at druggists and dealers. 51 years of success.

## FLORIDA FARM FACTS

Manatee County; reputed to have the best soil and best climatic conditions in Florida; 85 growing days; electric light and ice plant; near railroad; tracts from five acres up, on easy terms. Write Tom Bookler, J. HENRY STROMMEYER Sarasota, Fla. Baltimore, Md.

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DR. D. K. KELLOGG'S ASTHMA REMEDY for the prompt relief of Asthma and Hay Fever. Ask your druggist for it. 25 cents and one dollar. Write for FREE SAMPLE. Northrop & Lyman Co., Inc., Buffalo, N.Y.

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GALL STONES OR CALCULI (No Oil) No more gall stones. Headache, indigestion, liver trouble, constipation, flatulence, gas, nervousness, dizziness, constipation, piles, catarrh, hemorrhoids, diabetes, jaundice, appendicitis, kidney stones, gallstones, etc. A SURE CURE. Write for literature and FREE SAMPLE. Kellogg's Remedy Co., 200 N. 2nd St., Detroit, Mich.

# MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANIES

Are Successful in Michigan.

Over 100 mutual insurance companies are now operating in the State of Michigan, and they have been so successfully managed that no mutual insurance company in the state has failed during the past fifteen years. It is said these companies saved their members over a million dollars each year.

Under the present management most mutual companies assess at the beginning of the year, which creates a surplus fund so that the companies are able to pay promptly as the losses occur during the year.

Under the mutual plan each member is protected as it is the duty of the company to pay for the losses as provided for in the policy. On the other hand, where one becomes a member of a mutual company, he becomes bound by the charter, by-laws and rules of the society, and the member is liable for his assessments occurring while he is a member. The Supreme Court of the State has passed upon this point many times, and the law is now well established.

It is not often that a responsible man will attempt to avoid the payment of his assessment after receiving his benefits as a member, but the law is clearly established so that anyone desiring to cancel his policy may do so (after he has paid his assessment) by sending in his policy.

These companies have succeeded best where they have taken on a select membership who pay promptly, and the present showing indicates that the companies of Michigan, which are operating in the small towns and country districts, will have a successful year.—Adv.

## New Industry for Detroit.

It is estimated that \$10,000,000 worth of the 1916-17 fur exports will pass into the American channels before next June. The manufactured product, of course, will more than double these figures, for every one who touches a skin increases the profit which the ultimate purchaser must pay to the ancient industry. The cream of this new business will center in Detroit, one of the big fur manufacturing points of the country. New York, Chicago, Cincinnati, Philadelphia, St. Louis and other cities.

## YES! MAGICALLY! CORNS LIFT OUT WITH FINGERS

You say to the drug store man, "Give me a small bottle of freezeone." This will cost very little but will positively remove every hard or soft corn or callus from one's feet.

A few drops of this new ether compound applied directly upon a tender, aching corn relieves the soreness instantly, and soon the entire corn or callus, root and all, dries up and can be lifted off with the fingers.

This new way to rid one's feet of corns was introduced by a Cincinnati man, who says that freezeone dries in a moment, and simply shrivels up the corn or callus without irritating the surrounding skin.

If your druggist hasn't any freezeone tell him to order a small bottle from his wholesale drug house for you.—adv.

## Cottage for Christmas Gift.

The Christmas gift of a Los Angeles (Cal.) man, ill in a hospital, was a completely furnished cottage which 32 friends built for him in one day, completing their work by the light of a powerful motorcar lamp. All the workmen were fellow members with their friend of a fraternal insurance order. Their sick man is the sole support of an eighty-three-year-old mother.

## A DAGGER IN THE BACK

That's the woman's dread when she gets up in the morning to start the day's work. "Oh! how my back aches." GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules taken today ease the backache of tomorrow—taken every day ends the backache for all time. Don't delay. What's the use of suffering? Begin taking GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules today and be relieved tomorrow. Take three or four every day and be permanently free from wrenching, distressing back pain. But be sure to get GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules for all time. GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil has been the National Remedy of Holland, the Government of the Netherlands having granted a special charter authorizing its preparation and sale. The household of Holland would almost as soon be without bread as she would without her "Real Dutch Drops" as she quaintly calls GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules. This is the one reason why you will find the women and children of Holland so sturdy and robust. GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules imported direct from the laboratories in Haarlem, Holland. But be sure to get GOLD MEDAL. Look for the name on every box. Sold by reliable druggists in sealed packages at 25c, 50c and \$1.00. Money refunded if they do not help you. Accept only the GOLD MEDAL. All others are imitations. Adv.

How a woman does envy a man when he goes strutting up the street on a rainy day and his skirts don't draggle.

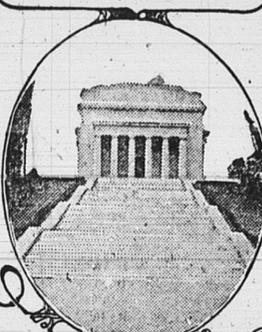
Constipation can be cured without drugs. Nature's own remedy—selected herbs—Garfield Tea.—Adv.

Misery loves company, but not any more than real happiness does.

# 1809—Abraham Lincoln—1865

Four score and seven years ago our fathers brought forth upon this continent a new nation, conceived in liberty and dedicated to the proposition that all men are created equal. Now we are engaged in a great civil war, testing whether that nation, or any nation so conceived and so dedicated, can long endure. We are met on a great battlefield of that war. We have come to dedicate a portion of that field as a final resting place for those who here gave their lives that that nation might live.

It is altogether fitting and proper that we should do this. But, in a larger sense, we cannot dedicate, we cannot consecrate, we cannot hallow, this ground. The brave men, living and dead, who struggled here have consecrated it far above our power to add or detract. The world will little note, nor long remember what we say here, but it can never forget what they did here. It is for us, the living, rather to be dedicated here to the unfinished work which they who fought here have thus far so nobly advanced. It is rather for us to be here dedicated to the great task remaining before us, that from these honored dead we take increased devotion to that cause for which they gave the last full measure of devotion; that we here highly resolve that these dead shall not have died in vain; that this nation, under God, shall have a new birth of freedom, and that government of the people, by the people, and for the people shall not perish from the earth.



## LINCOLN HAPPY WITH MARY TODD

Reports That the Great President and His Wife Were Incompatible Are Without Truth, According to One Who Knew Them Well.

THERE are stories, some of them written into the biographies of the martyred president, that the married life of Abraham and Mary Todd Lincoln was unhappy. These stories go so far as to say that when the wedding day came around—



Mary Todd Lincoln, as She Appeared in the White House.

they fix the date in 1840—the guests arrived and the bride appeared in her finery, but the groom remained away; that finally, when they did marry, Mary Todd accepted Lincoln and "married him in a spirit of pique and petty spite to wreak vengeance on him through their married life," while with Lincoln it was a case of a "willing sacrifice."

"A cruel fiction," Henry B. Rankin



## LINCOLN EVER KIND

calls this in his book, "Personal Recollections of Abraham Lincoln." Mr. Rankin was a schoolboy who acted as court messenger at Petersburg, Ill., while his father was sheriff, when he first met Mr. Lincoln, then a rising young lawyer. Later he was a student in the Lincoln and Herndon law office in Springfield, admitted to the family circle.

The picture of Mary Todd which Mr. Rankin draws is a charming one. Though not beautiful, she was decidedly pretty, he says, with clear blue eyes which looked through one, and a mobile face which was responsive to her every thought. She was easily the belle of Springfield during her residence there with a married sister, her own home being in Lexington, Ky. Her family objected to Lincoln because of his humble parentage and his poverty, and their engagement was broken off, but two years later Mary Todd defied the family opposition and wedded the man of her choice.

Mrs. Lincoln was not only attractive, but she was cultured, Mr. Rankin says, and throughout her married life, at least until the tragedy of the assassination, she kept up her French reading and other literary pursuits. Hers was a keen political perception amounting to almost prevision, too, and her advice was that most carefully weighed by Lincoln in his political and public affairs.

All the world knows that when Lincoln received the news of his nomination he said: "There is a little woman over on Eighth street who is deeply interested in this news; I will carry it to her," and he left his cheering, congratulating friends to hurry to his home. Not so well known is the fact that the happiest person in Springfield was Mrs. Lincoln, and that she never closed her eyes that night, for fear she would miss some of the town's joy over the honor done its brilliant son.

Mrs. Lincoln's terrible sorrow on the death of the martyr drove her abroad—"the loneliest of all the wives widowed by the Civil war"—and she was allowed to spend the last years of her life "amid chilling neglect and misrepresentation." Mr. Rankin says, but he adds that when history shall reflect the truth, in time to come if it is not already here, "she will be awarded the recognition her merits have always deserved. Till then she can wait; for, like her husband, she belongs to the ages."

## LINCOLN

"'Twas not his head that made him great; It was his heart, That gentler part, Which, in its kindness, went straight To all the people, torn and sore, And like a balm lay softly 'o'er The Nation's wounds, and glorified The life beginning when he died." —W. J. LAMPTON

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This Anuric is put up in tablet form, and can be obtained at almost any drug store. For that backache, lumbago, rheumatism, "rusty" joints, swollen feet or hands, due to uric acid in the blood, Anuric quickly dissolves the uric acid as hot water does sugar. Discovered by Dr. Pierce of Buffalo, N. Y. Prevent premature old age by simply sipping a cup of hot water every morning before breakfast, taking a little Anuric before meals and live to be a hundred.

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SATURDAY, FEB. 10.  
"The Gun Runners," an episode of "The Girl from Frisco" series of western Dramas.  
Two comedies, one of them featuring Ham and Bud, complete the program.  
SUNDAY, FEB. 11.  
"Into the Pit," a drama from "The Grip of Evil," featuring Jackie Saunders and Roland Bottomly.  
Pathe News No. 2.  
Heinie and Louie in "Busting a Beanery." (Comic.)  
MONDAY, FEB. 12.  
William A. Brady, in association with World Pictures, presents House Peters and Gail Kane in "The Velvet Paw," by Paul West. An original story of romance and political intrigue carefully denouated. You have seen women lobbyists before, but never have you seen one so true, so fascinating, so enticing as that played by Gail Kane in this picturedrama.



"The Velvet Paw" strikes a high note and registers with accuracy. It describes one of the most important legislative acts passed within recent years, and the manner in which it is graphically told, scene after scene, compels attention, holds the interest, makes the heart beat quicker—its suspense is gripping, well words cannot describe it fully without inventing new superlatives, but see it for yourself, it's bound to please.  
A forty-two piece set of china dishes given away at the first show. Arthur Avery received the set last Monday night.

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 14.  
"Hidden Fires," sixth chapter of "Gloria's Romance," featuring beautiful Billie Burke.  
"Gloria's Romance" cost more to produce than any other serial yet made. It cost Mr. Geo. Kleine, the producer, a total of over \$600,000, and Miss Billie Burke, the star actress, was paid \$4,000 per week for her work.—Photoplay Magazine.

**Auction Sale.**  
Knickerbocker & Sons will sell the following high grade Jersey cattle at public auction on the F. H. Sweetland farm, half a mile southwest of Chelsea, on Saturday, February 17, commencing at 1 p. m. The stock consist of 11 Jersey cows, 3 Jersey heifers, due in the spring, 9 head Jersey heifer calves, registered Jersey bull 2 years old. E. W. Daniels, auctioneer.

C. F. Ward having decided to quit farming will sell all his personal property at public auction on the premises known as the Ward farm 3/4 miles east of Chelsea and 9 miles west of Ann Arbor, on D. U. R., cars stop at door, on Wednesday, February 21, commencing 9 a. m. Consisting of 4 good horses, 25 head of cattle, 25 head of swine, 50-Black Top breeding ewes, 1 Shropshire ram, quantity of hay and grain, farm tools and farm of 134 acres for sale. Plenty to eat and plenty of stable room. E. W. Daniels, auctioneer. W. R. Daniels, clerk. For further information call on T. Drislane.

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### AUCTION

There will be an Auction Sale of Live Stock, Farm Tools, Hay and Grain on the

## F. R. Snyder Farm

Five miles south-east of Stockbridge.

### Wednesday, Feb. 14, 1917

Sale to begin at 10 o'clock a. m.

**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 10th day of January in the year one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.  
Present, Emory E. Leland, Judge of Probate.  
In the matter of the estate of Kate Babcock, deceased.  
Collin Babcock, executor of said estate having filed in this court his account, praying that the same may be heard and allowed. It is ordered that the 9th day of February next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office be appointed for hearing said account. And it is further ordered, that a copy of the order be published three successive weeks prior to said time of hearing, in the Chelsea Standard a newspaper printed and circulated in said county of Washtenaw.  
EMORY E. LELAND, Judge of Probate.  
(A true copy.)  
Dorcas C. Donegan, Register.

**Notice of Mortgage Sale.**  
Whereas Daniel Davison and Malinda Davison, his wife, and Daniel M. Davison and Grace Davison, his wife, of the Township of Lyndon, County of Washtenaw, and State of Michigan, have executed a certain mortgage, bearing date the 15th day of July, A. D. 1913, to George A. Rusciman, of the Township of Sylvan, County and State aforesaid, which was recorded in the office of the register of deeds of the County of Washtenaw on the 17th day of August, A. D. 1913, and which said mortgage is in full force and effect, and whereas the amount claimed to be due upon said mortgage is the sum of (\$3,180.00) three thousand one hundred and eighty dollars, and no suit or proceeding has been instituted at law to recover the debt now due, and whereas default, or any part thereof, has been made, and whereas the power of sale contained therein has become operative.  
Now, therefore, notice is hereby given that by virtue of said power of sale, and in pursuance thereof, and of the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, at public vendue, to the highest bidder, at the south front door of the courthouse, at the city of Ann Arbor, in said County of Washtenaw, that being the place of holding the circuit court within said county, on the 17th day of March, A. D. 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon; the description of which said premises contained in said mortgage is as follows: All those certain parcels or parcels of land situate and being in the fractional quarter of section thirty (30), and the northwest quarter (30), and the northeast quarter of section thirty (30), containing in all one hundred and fifteen acres of land, the same more or less.  
Dated, December 16, 1916.  
JOHN KALMBACH, Attorney for Mortgagee.  
Business address, Chelsea, Mich.

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Present, Emory E. Leland, Judge of Probate.  
In the matter of the estate of Charles H. Kemof, deceased.  
On reading and filing the petition of Clarence J. Candler, executor of the will of the deceased praying that he may be licensed to sell certain real estate described therein at private sale for the purpose of distribution.  
It is ordered, that the 21 day of March next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office be appointed for hearing said petition. And it is further ordered, that a copy of this order be published three successive weeks previous to said time of hearing, in the Chelsea Standard a newspaper printed and circulated in said county of Washtenaw.  
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