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CHELSEA WON SECOND PLACE AT YPSILANTI

Basketball Players Defeat Every Team But One—Get Silver Cup and Medals.

The Basketball team of Chelsea High School journeyed to Ypsilanti last Thursday afternoon to participate in the basketball tournament conducted by the State Normal College for schools of the state with an average enrollment not to exceed 200. In the drawings which took place on Thursday evening at 7, Chelsea drew Wyandotte, and in the game which followed at 7:30, defeated them by a score of 26 to 17. This gave the boys a great deal of encouragement and on Friday morning they went after Mt. Morris in dead earnest. Mt. Morris had defeated Cass City the night before by a close score, but when Chelsea got through with them they knew they had been in a real basketball game. The score was 34 to 8.

According to the drawing on previous night Chelsea would now play the winner of the game between Unionville and Frederic. But neither team put in an appearance at the meet so Chelsea won the afternoon game by forfeit, 2 to 0.

In the evening a big banquet was served to all the teams but Chelsea was unfortunate enough to have a game scheduled with Wayne for that evening on their own floor and were compelled to return to Chelsea.

Four teams were now left to compete for the honors: Grayling, Gaylord, Lawton and Chelsea. Chelsea defeated Gaylord on Saturday morning in a hotly contested game. Gaylord had the advantage in passing, but were unable to shoot baskets and the game resulted in the score 20-16 with Chelsea on the long end. This gave Chelsea second place at least with a chance of first place by defeating Grayling in the afternoon.

The boys were getting pretty well fagged by the gruelling contest, having played four games which was one more than Grayling had played. They were also handicapped by the fact that the floor was large as compared with their own floor. The boys have no excuses to offer for their defeat. They were beaten by a better team. However, Grayling had the advantage in several ways. The score in the final game was 42-9 with Chelsea on the small end.

As winner of second place each member of the team received a bronze medal and the school a silver loving cup. The same are on display in Fenn's window.

The following boys participated in the tournament and received medals: Leland Kalmbach, Glenn Brooks, Robert Lawrence, Austin Palmer, Claire Rowe, Reuben Wagner, Max Schoenhals and James Monroe.

A large delegation from Wayne arrived in Chelsea in a special car on Friday evening with their basketball teams and blood in their eyes, ready to clean up on the Chelsea high school. However, they returned, sadder but wiser, for the Chelsea team showed up so much stronger and better than they had anticipated that they were literally deluged with the rain of goals that kept pouring through the Chelsea basket.

The girls team showed up very well, although suffering by the shake up necessary on account of illness of some of the regulars. Esther Collins showed her old time pep in a new position and succeeded in ringing up four goals. Vivian Gorton was right in trim, making 21 of the 29 points made by Chelsea. Lietha Alber kept the tall Wayne center busy every minute although she was not in the best of form for the game. The Wayne girls came back strong in the last half but were unable to overcome the big lead Chelsea had obtained in the first half. The line up was as follows:

CHELSEA	WAYNE
Gorton	R. F. Nichols
Collins	L. F. Moore
Alber	C. Phillips
Grace Shepherd	R. G. Murphy
Schoenhals	L. C. Raycraft
Gladys Shepherd	R. G. Walker
Score first half—Chelsea 16, Wayne 5.	Final score—Chelsea 29, Wayne 7.
Field goals—Gorton 5, Collins 4, Moore 6.	Free throws—Gorton 5, Moore 3.
Referee—Smith.	

Although the Chelsea boys had played two games in the past 24 hours they waded right in and soon had the game clinched. In the last half G. Lawrence and M. Schoenhals were given an opportunity to show their ability and at the same time giving some of the boys who would have to play the games on Saturday at the tournament a chance to rest. The line up follows:

CHELSEA	WAYNE
Brooks	R. F. Brown
Kalmbach	L. F. Smith
R. Wagner	C. Wagner
Rowe	R. G. Cozad
Palmer	L. G. Glover
Score first half—Chelsea 30, Wayne 9.	Final score—Chelsea 48, Wayne 18.
Field goals—Kalmbach 10, Brooks 4, R. Wagner 4, Rowe 3, Wagner 2, Brown 1, Smith 4.	Free throws—Brooks 9, Brown 2, Smith 2.
Referee—Ottmar.	

Notice.

We, the undersigned Dentists of Chelsea will close our offices on Wednesdays during the summer, beginning with the first Wednesday in April.

E. H. AVERY,
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SCHOOL NOTES.

Welton Mayette has entered the eighth grade.

The High School Glee Club is preparing to give an operetta in the near future.

Please do not forget the paper campaign. Phone 243-W or let any of the grade children know.

While trying to explain a problem in geometry a bright Junior requested Mr. Walling to draw a round circle.

One freshman boy was so sleepy Monday morning that Miss Marquand had to step on his toes to keep him awake.

The following are on the E list of the fourth grade: Helen Lambert, Florence Schmidt, Alvin Foor, Katherine Corwin, Oleeta Hutzel, Celia Hagadon, Lavern Conk.

Sold Liquor to Minors.

Two Chelsea boys were arrested in Ann Arbor Saturday night for being drunk, as a result of which four Ann Arbor saloonkeepers face prosecution for selling to minors. In Judge Thomas' court Monday the boys gave the testimony which will result in the prosecution of the saloonkeepers.

The boys were only seventeen years of age and no bartender could mistake them for men of legal age, unless he did not want to live up to the law in the case.

According to the state law, the two were let go by Judge Thomas following their answering of questions as to where they received their supply of liquor. Four bars were named by the boys as the places where they received drinks. They were told to leave in two others, they testified. In the four they were not questioned as to age, they said, and they received beer in all the places named.

On report that the boys had been arrested for being drunk, Prosecutor Carl Lehman demanded an immediate investigation of the charges, and promised that prosecutions would follow, if evidence warranted. When told that the boys accused four dealers, he said they would be arrested soon and the charges would be followed to a finish.

Dr. Thomas Shaw.

Dr. Thomas Shaw, aged 71 years, died at his home in Ypsilanti Monday afternoon after a long illness.

Dr. Shaw was born in the Province of Ontario, Canada, January 28, 1846. He commenced the study of medicine in 1866 as a student of Dr. Jacob Smith of Ridgeway, Ont., and later entered the office of Dr. Charles Lake of the same place. He entered the medical department of the University of Michigan in 1868, graduating in 1870. He then located in Chelsea, where he was united in marriage with Miss Mary Adella Hooker July 31, 1872. He continued his practice here until 1888, when he moved to Ypsilanti. While in Chelsea he was elected twice as a member of the common council and one term as village president.

He received the appointment as a member of the county board of pension examining surgeons in 1893.

During his forty years of experience Dr. Shaw made advanced research work in some of the branches of medical science.

One daughter, Miss Mary Shaw, survives. The funeral services will be held at Ypsilanti Thursday and the remains will be brought to Chelsea this afternoon for interment in Oak Grove cemetery.

Dr. Shaw was a member of Phoenix Lodge, No. 13, F. and A. M., of Ypsilanti, and of Chelsea Tent, No. 281, the Maccabees.

Princess Theatre.

Open Sunday, Monday, Wednesday and Saturday nights, starting at 7. Matinee Sunday, starting at 3.

SATURDAY, MAR. 24.

Daniel Frohman presents David Higgins in his original racing play "His Last Dollar," an elaborate and spectacular film version of the greatest racing play ever produced in America. A drama of a thrilling future race for a fortune and a heart. The success of the original production on the speaking stage was so decisive and notable that the title of the play has become a by-word in racing circles, and for many years a "David Higgins" has been commonly accepted as representing the last dollar in one's possession.

SUNDAY, MAR. 25.

Albert E. Smith and J. Stuart Blackton present the well loved favorite, Anita Stewart, in "The Darling of Diana," a fast moving romance of newspaper life and love.

MONDAY, MAR. 26.

Wm. A. Brady presents Gail Kane in "The Scarlet Oath," a story which carries us from one continent to another with a thrill in every foot of the way. Though Gail Kane plays herself and her twin sister, she is as different in character as she is similar in looks. Almost everyone would pledge to avenge their mother and this little family is no exception. If you enjoy a stirring tale don't fail to see this play.

A set of choice dishes will be given away at the end of the first show.

WEDNESDAY, MAR. 28.

Billie Burke in "Gloria's Romance," twelfth chapter entitled "Her Fighting Spirit."

CHANGE IN FIRM TO TAKE PLACE APRIL 1

Chauncey Freeman and Lyle Runciman New Owners of Freeman Store.

A change in the ownership of the L. T. Freeman Co.'s store will take place April 1, whereby Chauncey Freeman and Lyle Runciman will become the owners of the business, which they will conduct under the firm name of Freeman & Runciman. They will continue the business the same it has been in the past, one of the high-class stores of the county. L. T. Freeman has been engaged in the mercantile business in Chelsea for nearly thirty years, and thinks that he is entitled to a vacation. Chauncey Freeman has been with the company for seventeen years, and Mr. Runciman has been connected with the Farmers and Merchants Bank for the past two years.

An Important Amendment

Some Good Reasons Why the Constitutional Amendment Pertaining to Bonding for Drains Should Receive the Entire Vote of the People in the April Election.

It will not affect cities, counties, townships or individuals who do not need legally constructed drains.

It will place the country districts on a par with cities in the matter of bonding for drains, the same as cities bond for sewers.

It will permit drainage districts to issue bonds and thereby make it possible for a farmer to make his drained land earn the cost of the drain before he has to pay for it.

It will save at least 20 per cent. on the first cost of drains owing to the fact that at present the drain job is let to contractors who must be paid in orders due in from one to three years and pay the discount for cashing same.

It is the only way in which Michigan can get the larger outlet drains very necessary now to prevent flooding, as the present manner of paying for same would be burdensome, if not prohibitive.

It will make it possible for farmers to have their lateral drains constructed at the same time as main drains, thereby receiving the benefits of such drainage before being asked to pay for it and not afterward as is now the case, the whole cost of main drain and the laterals necessary being prohibitive if paid at once.

It will be optional with the taxpayers whether they bond for each drain or not, such bonding being done only when so requested by the people who have to pay for the drains, and when the people on any drain wish to pay for them in one or two years they shall have the right to do so in every case.

It was earnestly requested by the Governor of Michigan in his inaugural address and has passed both branches of the legislature with scarcely a dissenting vote. Therefore it is for you and everyone to vote "YES" on this amendment.

Church Circles.

CONGREGATIONAL.

Rev. P. W. Dierberger, Pastor.
Morning worship at 10 o'clock with the sermon by the pastor, subject "The Forgiveness of the Cross."
Sunday school at 11:15 o'clock a. m.
Christian Endeavor Society joins the Epworth League in a union young people's service at the Methodist church, Rev. P. W. Dierberger is the leader.

Popular Sunday evening services at 7 o'clock. This service is under the auspices of our Brotherhood. The male chorus will lead the song service. We had 88 men at our last Brotherhood service. We want 100 men next Sunday evening. Be sure and bring your families. Subject of pastor's address, "Judas, The Traitor." Union Lenten services at our church next week.
The church with a welcome for all.

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.
This annual meeting will be held in the church Saturday, March 31.

ST. PAUL'S.

Rev. A. A. Schoen, Pastor.
The beginners' class will meet at 9 o'clock Sunday morning.
Sunday morning at 9:30 catechetical review and presentation of the years class of confirmants.
Sunday school at 10:30 a. m. During the Sunday school hour a meeting of all voting member will be held at the school house.
In the evening 7 o'clock German Lenten service will be held.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL.

Rev. G. H. Whitmer, 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.
A cordial invitation to all.

SALEM GERMAN M. E. CHURCH,

NEAR FRANCISCO.
Rev. G. C. Nothdurf, Pastor.
Sunday school Sunday 9:30 a. m.
German worship 10:30 a. m.
Epworth League 7:30 p. m.
English worship 8:00 p. m.
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Best Rolled Oats, 6 pounds.....	25c
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25 pound sack Pastry Flour.....	\$1.25
Strictly Fresh Eggs, dozen.....	27c
Pure Lard, fresh and clean, pound.....	22c
Calumet Baking Powder, pound.....	19c
Arm & Hammer Soda, pound.....	7c
Laundry Starch, pound.....	5c
4 1/2 pounds regular 7c Rice for.....	25c
2 pounds choice evaporated Peaches.....	21c
2 cans Farm House sliced Pineapple.....	25c
Peas, Red Kidney Beans, Lima Beans and Pumpkin, each per can.....	10c
6 bars White Laundry Soap for.....	25c
6 cakes assorted Toilet Soap for.....	25c
Fairy Floating White Soap, 3 for.....	10c
Three 10c cans Kitchen Kleenox for.....	13c
10c bottles Ammonia, each.....	8c
La France Washing Tablets 3 for.....	11c
Lamp Chimneys, No. 1 and 2, each.....	5c
Lantern Globes, all sizes, each.....	5c
Black Silk Stove Polish, 10c can.....	7c
10c size Shuwhite (liquid).....	7c
Liquid Veneer, large bottles.....	39c
Liquid Veneer, small bottles.....	19c
Pratt's Poultry Regulator, large.....	43c
Pratt's Poultry Regulator, small.....	21c
Pratt's Baby Chick food, large.....	43c
Pratt's Baby Chick food, small.....	21c
4 packages Corn Flakes.....	25c
2 cans Alaska Salmon.....	25c
2 cans Columbian River Salmon.....	25c
3 packages Home Made Egg Noodles.....	25c
3 packages Maccaroni for.....	25c
Bananas, dozen.....	10c, 15c and 20c
Sunkist brand Oranges, dozen.....	20c, 30c and 50c
Spiced Mess Herring, 10 pound pail.....	90c
Choice Breakfast Bacon, pound.....	25c
Dairy Butter, pound.....	35c to 40c

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CZAR ABDICATES RUSSIAN THRONE; REVOLT SUCCEEDS

**Dynasty of Romanoffs Ends—
Nation Now a Republic.**

MONARCHY IS ABOLISHED

**Soldiers Aided Revolutionists in Over-
throwing the Government—500
Persons Reported Slain Dur-
ing Fighting at Pe-
trograd.**

Petrograd, March 19.—Czar Nicholas II has abdicated the throne of Russia, both for himself and the twelve-year-old czarévitch, Grand Duke Michael Alexandrovitch, his brother, who had been decided upon originally to be regent, also has abdicated.

This ends the dynasty of the Romanoffs.

Russia now is virtually a republic. Monarchy is abolished.

The executive committee of the duma issued a manifesto stating that the government of Russia will be handed for three months by a committee of twelve. For the time being, it is stated, the monarchy has been abolished. Councils of nobility in fifteen provinces have endorsed the revolutionary government.

The Grand Duke Nicholas is reported in a Reuter dispatch from Petrograd to have reached the Russian capital. The dispatch says that he will probably take command of the troops.

A dispatch to the London Chronicle from Petrograd on Thursday says the empress of Russia has been placed under guard.

According to information received here the Russian people have been most distrustful during recent events of the personal influence of Empress Alexandra. She was supposed to exercise the greatest influence over Emperor Nicholas.

The empress Alexandra, before her marriage to the emperor of Russia in 1894, was the German Princess Alix of Hesse-Darmstadt.

A popular revolution has been successful and the government of Russia rests temporarily with a self-appointed committee of the duma.

After three days of battle, in which the majority of the 30,000 troops in Petrograd mutinied and supported the revolutionists, calm has returned.

The czar's abdication was in compliance with the urgent demand of the committee of the duma, which notified him that upon his assent depended the fate of the dynasty.

Troops Back the Duma.
Telegraphing from Petrograd Wednesday, Reuter's correspondent says Kronstadt, the fortress and great naval station at the head of the Gulf of Finland, 20 miles west of Petrograd, has joined the revolutionary movement. Two deputies, Pepelauff and Taskine, on instructions from the duma committee, proceeded to Kronstadt, where the troops placed themselves at the disposal of the duma.

The Copenhagen Ekstrabladet reports that the Russian consul in Haparanda, Sweden, says that former Premier Sturmer and Minister of the Interior Protopopoff were killed in Petrograd. Both were charged with pro-German sympathies.

New Cabinet Announced.
A new national cabinet is announced, with Prince Lvoff as president of the council and premier, and the other offices held by the men who are close to the Russian people.

The members of the new national cabinet are announced as follows:
Premier, President of the Council and Minister of the Interior—Prince Georges E. Lvoff.

Foreign Minister—Prof. Paul N. Miloukoff.

Minister of Public Instruction—Professor Manuloff of Moscow university.

Minister of War and Navy, ad interim—A. J. Guchkoff, formerly president of the duma.

Minister of Agriculture—M. Ichlingareff, deputy from Petrograd.

Minister of Finance—M. Tereschchenko, deputy from Kiev.

Minister of Justice—Deputy Kereniski of Saratoff.

Minister of Communications—N. V. Nekrasoff, vice president of the duma.

Controller of State—M. Godneff, deputy from Kazan.

The proclamation by the military governor in Petrograd forbidding any street assemblies and declaring that disorders would be ruthlessly suppressed made it apparent that affairs were gravely in the hands of the Russian censorship would

Blow for Germany.
The dispatches from Petrograd together with the consensus of public opinion here, indicate a rising wave of rebellion and a growing German reaction against the food

E. D. WILK of effective military action. Andrew Bonar Law, premier of the exchequer, announced that the revolutionaries were not to be allowed to go to England to raise money by Russia.

ment have been frequent during the last few weeks. The attempted pro-roguing of the duma fanned the fire, which spread rapidly from class to class and from civilians to troops.

Sunday it broke forth in flame. Panic-stricken, the government ordered the mounted patrols to fire on the people. The patrols refused, and a battle between the police and the troops followed, regiment after regiment joining the revolutionists, seizing arsenals, burning prisons and jails, and throwing the heads of the secret police into prison.

For three days open battle raged in the streets of Petrograd. Strikes in factories and on street cars were called in sympathy with the revolution.

Wednesday the week's nightmare of revolution ended more suddenly than it had begun. Planks were pulled from windows, doors were unbarred, factories, stores and banks reopened.

The only evidence that a revolution had been fought and won was the smoldering ruins of a few public buildings. The cost in life is unknown. It is believed, however, that it did not exceed 500.

"Magical and sudden as was the transition from the old to the new, it is believed here that its results will be almost immediately visible in the institution by the new Russia of a more vigorous and efficient prosecution of the war against Germany.

The duma telegraphed the principal generals at the front to use their influence with Emperor Nicholas in support of the duma's appeal for a popular government, says Reuter's Petrograd correspondent.

General Brussloff, commander in chief of the armies on the southwestern front, replied:

"Your telegram received. I have fulfilled my duty to my emperor and my country."

Gen. Nicholas V. Ruzsky, member of the supreme military council, replied:

"I have carried out your request."

M. Rodzianko, president of the duma, sent the following telegram to Emperor Nicholas:

"The situation is becoming worse. Measures must be taken immediately, for tomorrow it may be too late. The hour has arrived when the fate of the country and of the dynasty is being decided."

M. Chitchevloff, president of the council of empire, was arrested in his home and temporarily held in the ministerial room of the duma.

A telegram received by the naval attaché of the Russian embassy in Paris reported that the railways and public services in Petrograd had resumed work.

The revolution, which evidently was carefully prepared, broke out simultaneously in Petrograd and Moscow. The garrisons, which obeyed the instructions of the revolutionaries, immediately took possession of these cities after comparatively little fighting and equally small amount of destruction of property.

Petrograd Bridge Blown Up.
In Petrograd one bridge was blown up. Strict military rule prevails and the army has the situation so well in hand that it is not expected adherents of the late government will be able to offer any serious resistance, even in remote provinces.

After receiving word of the revolution, it is reported, Emperor Nicholas returned to the palace, where he arrived on Wednesday.

The following details of the revolution have been given to the press from a source usually well informed on Russian affairs:

"The soldiers refused to act against the crowd which started trouble when it heard of the ukase issued by Emperor Nicholas proroguing the duma. On Sunday the committee which had met to discuss the food situation was partly transformed into a provisional government under the presidency of President Rodzianko of the duma and included representatives of the duma council of the empire and of the municipality. The garrison agreed to support the provisional government."

Papers Fail to Appear.
Newspapers, with the exception of revolutionary publications which sprang into life with the success of the revolt, had failed to appear. Street car service at noon had not been resumed, but it was believed that night would see partial service.

The government was declared to be overthrown by the duma leaders, who met in the Mavrichsky palace after the regular session had been adjourned by imperial ukase, and in a telegram to the emperor the popular representatives declared that a special committee, composed of the leaders of the various parties in the duma, would submit a list of names for the new cabinet.

The imperial palace at Tsarskoe-Selo is said to be in a state of siege, but thus far no fire has been reported between the guards defending the palace and the revolutionists and troops.

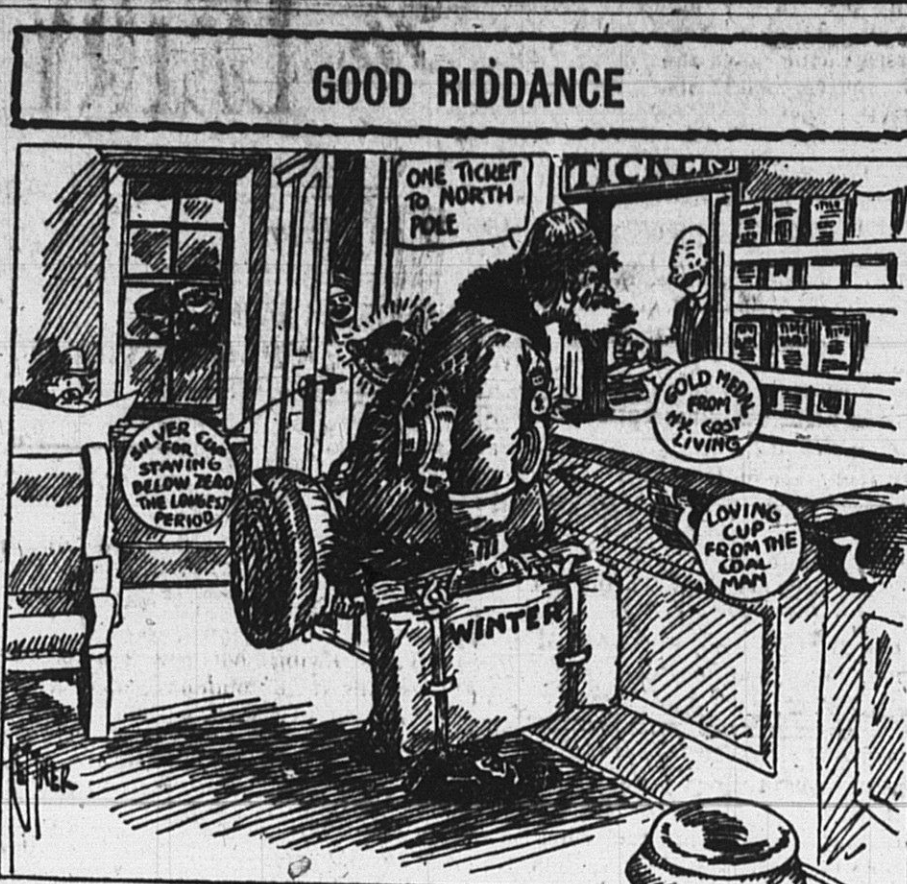
It is stated that General Michael V. Alexieff, former chief of staff, has been offered the military dictatorship.

Two Statesmen Killed.
Stockholm, March 19.—Passengers arriving at Haparanda, Sweden, with hospital train reported that two men of prominence in Petrograd had been murdered.

One of them was said to have been Alexander D. Protopopoff, minister of the interior, and the other was believed to be Boris Sturmer, former premier.

The old Russian government, it is alleged, tried to bring troops to Petrograd from Finland to save the situation, but the troops refused to go.

Helsingfors is declared to be in a state of siege.



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ADAMSON LAW HELD CONSTITUTIONAL

**SUPREME COURT HOLDS THAT
CONGRESS HAD POWER TO
PASS SUCH A LAW.**

COURT DIVIDED FIVE TO FOUR

**Immediate Effect of Decision Will Be
to Basic Eight Hour Day On
Interstate Railroads.**

Washington—In an epochal decision holding congress to be clothed with any and all power necessary to keep open the channels of interstate commerce, the supreme court sustained the Adamson law as constitutional and enforceable in every feature. The court was divided five to four.

The immediate effect of the decision will be to fix a permanent eight-hour basic day in computing wage scales on interstate railroads, for which a nation-wide strike has been threatened, and to give, effective from last January 1, increases in wages to trainmen of about 25 per cent.

The cost to the railroads is estimated at from \$40,000,000 to \$50,000,000 a year.

The court, through Chief Justice White, declared both carriers and their employees, engaged in a business charged with a public interest, subject to the right of congress compulsorily to arbitrate a dispute affecting the operation of that business.

"Whatever would be the right of an employee engaged in private business to demand such wages as he desires, to leave the employment if he does not get them and by concert of action to agree with others to leave on the same conditions," said the opinion, "such rights are necessarily subject to limitation, when employment is accepted in a business charged with a public interest and as to which the power to regulate commerce by congress applied and the resulting right fix in case of disagreement and dispute a standard of wages as we have seen necessarily obtained."

Coming on the heels of the concession of the eight-hour basic day by the railroads to avert the threatened strike, the decision is regarded as largely supplanting that agreement. It also is regarded as removing for all time, through the broadest interpretation of congressional authority outlined by the court, the probability of future transportation paralysis.

Joining in with the chief justice in sustaining the law were Justices McKenna and Holmes, his immediate seniors in point of service, and Justices Brandeis and Clarke, junior members. Dissenting for various reasons were Justices Day, Van Devanter, Pitney and McReynolds.

RECRUITING WORK BOOMS

**Prospect of Early Action Lures Youths
of City.**

Detroit—Expectations of active service are once more filling the marine corps recruiting offices with youths eager for "action," as military men refer to fighting. They came Tuesday in such numbers as to necessitate keeping a medical examiner all day in the station. Ordinarily the doctor who is not in the service, calls in for an hour and tests the day's applicants.

Holland—Thirty-five section men on the Michigan Central railroad were laid off when they petitioned for increase in pay from \$1.75 to \$2.25 a day.

Eaton Rapids—Mrs. Silas N. Carter, 78 years old, died at her home, southwest of this city. She was the second child born in Brookfield township.

Reed City—Lightning played a queer prank at the home of Mrs. John Meister. A bolt of lightning entered the roof of the house without leaving an opening from the outside and circled a picture on one of the walls, melting the frame and wires on the picture. No other trace of the bolt was left except a small hole in the ceiling.

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ALL WORKMEN.**

BANS PRIVATE INSURANCE

**Provides That All Employers Who
Now Carry Workmen's Insurance
Come Under New Act.**

Lansing—Compulsory state industrial accident insurance is the object of a bill introduced in the legislature by Representative William H. Jones, labor representative of Detroit.

The measure provides that all employers who are under the workmen's compensation act shall come under the new act, the state administering the insurance.

A commission of three men, with terms of six years, is provided and is empowered to work out a proportion of the insurance cost that must be borne by the state.

The funds now held in the state's employers' liability insurance fund shall pass to the control of the new board. This fund is maintained by a comparatively small number of employers who have come under the state's optional act.

The act prevents accident and industrial insurance underwriting by private companies.

EIGHT RAIL BILLS PENDING

**Roads Ask for Passage of One But
Are Opposing Others.**

Lansing—Eight bills affecting steam railroads are pending. The railroads ask for the passage of one of the bills. They are opposed to the other seven. This fact developed at hearing before the joint committees on railroads.

The one they favor is the passenger fare bill. The seven they oppose are: To provide shelters at livestock pens at all stations from which livestock is shipped; to speed up livestock shipments by fixing a minimum to the number of miles livestock must be moved per hour while in transit; to require that shipments of all kinds of freight must be moved not less than 50 miles each 24 hours, to insure adequate feeding of poultry in transit to markets; for an eight-hour work day for railroad crossing and tower men; to require a light at night at the head of a bunch of freight cars that a locomotive is pushing, and a "spotter" bill which would give discharged railroad employees on account of reports made against them by private detectives, a right to a hearing and to be confronted by their accuser.

The railroads oppose most of these bills on the general ground that each would add to operating expenses.

If the legislature won't do anything to help increase the revenues of steam railroads and refrain from passing any bills that will add to their operating expenses the railroads will accept the result as a 50-50 split.

PROTEST FORCED PENSION

**Younger Teachers Asked Right to
Withdraw From Ranks.**

Lansing—The revolt of hundreds of the younger teachers in the state against the teachers' pension bill bore its first fruit when the house committee on education reported out favorably the McArthur bill, giving each teacher the option of coming under or refraining from coming under the measure.

The McArthur bill had its inception in the protest of the entire teaching staff of the Grand Lodge schools, the teachers there asking for the right to withdraw from the ranks.

In many quarters, the passage of the bill, if it goes through both houses, is regarded as the forerunner of a break on the state's teachers' pension system. The younger element is dissatisfied with a number of features of the measure, chief among them the fact that a large number of the highest paid education officials of the state, some of whom receive salaries of from \$3,000 to \$7,000, are eligible to pensions.

Their pensions will be so large that they will constitute a burden out of all proportion, the younger teachers insist, particularly as most of the higher salaried principals and superintendents will reach the pensionable limits at a much earlier period than the majority of the teachers.

E. L. Smith, of Flint, 30 years old, was arrested for going on a chloroform jag. He said the anesthetic affected him the same way as alcohol.

A military company, directed by men who attended the Plattsburg training camp last season was recently organized at Battle Creek.

Pere Marquette reorganization managers have contracted for 1,000 new freight cars, to cost \$1,800,000, for delivery during next September. The cars will be of 80,000 pounds capacity. In view of the early termination of the receivership, the federal court was unwilling to enter into a contract for the purchase of equipment, and the reorganization managers, for this reason, made the purchase direct.

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MICHIGAN NEWS BRIEFS

Mrs. Marianna P. Nims, of Monroe, 68 years old, wife of Frederick A. Nims, a member of the Custer Cavalry brigade in the Civil war, is dead.

The state forestry department has drafted a bill for the present state legislature providing exemption of taxes for standing timber. Taxes would be paid when timber is cut.

President H. B. Hutchins, of the University of Michigan, has received a letter from a young man, 22 years old, living in Turkey, who wants to enter the University of Michigan.

Forest fires last year burned over 17,144 acres of land and did \$3,386,500 damage, it was reported at the annual meeting of the Northern Forest Protective association at Marquette.

A short course in forestry for high school boys, coupled with opportunity for an ideal summer vacation for boys of more than 16 years of age, will be offered by the Michigan Agricultural college this year.

Montcalm county now boasts 95 miles of state reward road on which it has received in state bounties \$50,591, or about \$150 for each dollar it has paid the state. Considerable new road is to be built.

Preliminary arrangements have made such progress that it is probable bids will be asked within the next 60 days for construction of the Pennsylvania-Detroit railroad's line between Carlton, Mich., and the western city limits of Detroit.

Two score Muskegon county farmers, all of whom desire to take advantage of the federal farm loan act, enabling them to borrow money from farmer loan banks at lower rates of interest than they are now paying, met and organized the Muskegon National Farm Loan association, the first of its kind in western Michigan. An application for a federal charter was forwarded.

Northern Michigan's largest "wooden hen" will soon be in operation at Cadillac, a local produce company having ordered an incubator 5 feet wide and 76 feet long, with a capacity of 10,200 eggs. The plan is to raise chicks for the farmers of this section of the state, each to furnish his own eggs, or order them through the produce company, from selected flocks in other counties.

Noticing a large bird soaring about the carcass of a calf in his father's field, Clinton Springer, 17 years old, Chesaning township, set a trap near by. Within a few minutes the trap had closed on the legs of the bird, which proved to be a bald-headed Rocky Mountain eagle, measuring eight feet from tip to tip. It is believed that the bird escaped from some park, as he is accustomed to people.

Dr. J. S. Donald, a veterinary surgeon, and Felix Guonan, proprietor of the Hotel Royal, at Bay City narrowly escaped drowning when they attempted to cross an arm of the Saginaw bay with an automobile. The machine broke through the ice when about 500 yards from shore and went to the bottom. Both men barely managed to crawl out on the ice, thoroughly drenched. An effort will be made to recover the machine.

A campaign to enlist 600 Michigan physicians in the medical reserve corps of the army has been begun by the Michigan branch of the national board for civilian medical preparedness at Ann Arbor. Committees have been appointed to conduct the campaign in each county. Dr. Reuben Peterson is chairman of the Michigan board. Dean Victor C. Vaughn, of the medical school, is chairman of the national board. A similar campaign will be conducted in every state.

Muskegon residents who have been dodging collectors by changing their residence will be tripped up on this scheme hereafter. The city ordinance requiring all the teamsters to register with the chief of police each Monday the names of everyone whom they have moved the preceding week, except retail merchants, has just become effective. The police will inform merchants desiring to know the whereabouts of any debtors who have moved. The ordinance was adopted at the request of local merchants who feel there are altogether too many tenants dodging bills.

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HEART OF THE SUNSET

By Rex Beach

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THE RANGER SHOWS WHAT A DESPERATE MAN HE IS WHEN PROVOKED TO VIOLENT ACTION

Mrs. Alaire Austin, a handsome young matron, gets lost in the Texas desert and after an all-day struggle wanders into the little camp of David Law, a ranger officer, hunting a Mexican murderer. Circumstances force her to stay there overnight. She finds the ranger an interesting character.

CHAPTER II—Continued.

"Bloodhounds ain't any good, outside of novels. If beef got scarce, then Greasers would steal the dogs and eat 'em." He added, meditatively, "Dog ain't such bad eatin', either."

"Have you tried it?"

Mr. Law nodded.

"Did you join the Maderistas for excitement?"

"Mostly. Then, too, I believed Panchito Madero was honest and would give the peons land. An honest Mexican is worth fightin' for, anywhere. The pelados are still struggling for their land—for that and a chance to live and work and be happy."

Mrs. Austin stirred impatiently. "They are fighting because they are told to fight. There is no patriotism in them," said she.

"I think," he said, with grave deliberateness, "the majority feel something big and vague and powerful stirring inside them. They don't know exactly what it is, perhaps, but it is there. Mexico has outgrown her dictators. They have been overthrown by the same causes that brought on the French Revolution."

"The French Revolution!" Alaire leaned forward, eying the speaker with startled intensity. "What do you know about the French Revolution?"

Reaching for a coal, the Ranger spoke without facing her. "I've read a good bit, ma'am, and I'm a noble listener. I remember good, too. Why, I had a picture of the Bastille once." He pronounced it "Bastilly," and his hearer settled back. "That was some calaboose, now, wasn't it?" A moment later he inquired, ingenuously, "I don't suppose you ever saw that Bastille, did you?"

"No. Only the place where it stood." "Sho! You must have traveled right smart for such a young lady." He beamed amiably upon her.

There was something winning about this young man's modesty, and something flattering in his respectful admiration. He seemed, also, to know his place, a fact which was even more in his favor. Undoubtedly he had force and ability; probably his love of adventure and a happy lack of settled purpose had led him to neglect his more commonplace opportunities and sent him into the Ranger service. This man had been denied what she termed education; therefore she decided to put one in his way.

"Do you like to read?" she asked him.

"Say! It's my favorite form of exercise." Law's blue-gray eyes were expressionless, his face was bland. "Why?"

"I have a great many books at Las Palmas. You might enjoy some of them."

"Now that's nice of you, ma'am. Maybe I'll look into this cattle-stealin' in your neighborhood, and if I do I'll sure come borrowin'."

"Oh, I'll send you a boxful when I get back," said Alaire, and Dave thanked her humbly.

Later, when he went to move his mare into a shady spot, the Ranger chuckled and slapped his thigh with his hat. "Bessie Belle, we're going to improve our minds," he said aloud. "We're going to be literary and read 'Pilgrim's Progress' and 'Alice in Wonderland.' I bet we'll enjoy 'em, eh? But—doggone! She's a nice lady, and your coat is just the same color as her hair."

Where the shade was densest and the breeze played most freely, there Dave fixed a comfortable couch for his guest, and during the heat of the forenoon she dozed. But one cannot sleep well with a tropic sun in the heavens, and since there was really nothing for her to do until the heat abated, Alaire, when she awoke, obliged the Ranger to amuse her.

As the morning progressed Law proved himself an interesting companion, and in spite of the discomforts of the situation the hours slipped rapidly. Luncheon was a disagreeable meal, eaten while the arroyo baked and the heat devils danced on the hills; but the unpleasantness was of brief duration, and Law always managed to banish boredom. Nor did he seem to waste a thought upon the nature of that grim business which brought him to this place. Quite the contrary, in the afternoon he put his mare through her tricks for Alaire's edification, and gossiped idly of whatever interested his guest.

Then as the sun edged to the west and Mrs. Austin became restless, he saddled Bessie Belle and led her down the gulch to a safer covert. Returning, he carefully obliterated all traces

of the camp. He watered the ashes of the fire, gathered up the telltale scraps of paper and fragments of food, and then when the place suited him fell to examining his rifle.

Alaire watched him with interest. "Where shall I go," she asked, "and what shall I do?"

"You just pick out a good cover beyond the water hole and stay there, ma'am. It may be a long wait, for something may have happened. If so, we'll have to lie close. And don't worry yourself none, ma'am; he won't make no trouble."

With the sunset the water hole lay sleeping.

Alaire's retreat was far from comfortable; there was an ant's nest somewhere near her and she thought of moving; but suddenly her breath caught and her heart jumped uncontrollably. She crouched lower, for directly opposite her position, and outlined against the sky where the sharp ridge cut it, was the figure of a mounted man. She was conscious that a keen and hostile pair of eyes was searching the coverts surrounding the charco.

Then, as silently as it had appeared, the apparition vanished beyond the ridge. Alaire lay close, as she had been directed, praying that the horseman had been warned; but shortly she heard again the rustle of stiff branches, and out into the opening rode a Mexican. He was astride a wiry gray pony, and in the strong twilight Alaire could see his every feature—the swarthy cheeks, the roving eyes beneath the black felt hat. A carbine lay across his saddle horn, a lariat was coiled beside his leg, a cartridge

belled creder his waist. There was something familiar about the fellow, but at the moment Alaire could not determine what it was.

After one swift, appraising glance the newcomer rode straight to the verge of the water hole and dismounted; then he and his horse drank side by side.

It was the moment for a complete and effective surprise, but nothing happened. Why didn't Law act? Alaire bent low, straining eyes and ears, but no command came from the Ranger. Then, as if in answer to her perplexity, a second horseman appeared, and the woman realized how simply she had been fooled.

CHAPTER III.

What Happened at the Water Hole.

The newcomers exchanged a word or two in Spanish, then the second rider flung himself from his saddle and made for the water. He was lying prone and drinking deeply when out of nowhere came a sharp command.

"Olga! Hands up, both of you!"

The first arrival jumped as if a rattlesnake had buzzed at his back, the second leaped to his feet with an oath.

"Drop your gun, compañero!"

Both Mexicans cried, as if at a cue, "A Ranger!"

The fellow Law had addressed let fall his rifle; two pairs of dark hands rose slowly. Then the Ranger went on in Spanish:

"Anto, lower your left hand and un-

buckle your belt." Anto did as he was told, his revolver and cartridge belt dropped to the ground. "And you, compadre, do the same. Mind you, the left hand! Now face about and walk to the charco, both of you. Good!"

Law stepped into view, his Winchester in the crook of his arm. He emptied the three discarded weapons, then, walking to Anto's horse, he removed the second carbine from beneath the saddle-flap and ejected its shells into his palm.

This done, he addressed the stranger. "Now, friend, who are you, and why are you riding with this fellow?"

"My name is Panfilo Sanchez, senior. Before God, I have done nothing." The speaker was tremendously excited. In the midst of his incoherent protestations Mrs. Austin appeared.

"He is telling you the truth, Mr. Law," she said, quietly. "He is one of my men."

Both Mexicans looked blank. At sight of the speaker their mouths fell open, and Panfilo ceased his gesticulation.

Mrs. Austin went on: "He is my horse-breaker's cousin. He couldn't have had any part in that murder in Jim Wells county, for he was at Las Palmas when I left."

Panfilo recovered from his amazement, removed his sombrero, and blessed his employer extravagantly; then he turned triumphantly upon his captor. "Behold!" cried he. "There you have the truth. I am an excellent, hard-working man and as honest as God."

"Surely you don't want him," Alaire appealed to Law. "He was probably helping his countryman to escape—but they all do that, you know."

"All right! If he's your man, that's enough," Dave told her. "Now then, boys, I will soon be dark and we'll need some supper before we start. It won't hurt Anto's horse to rest a bit, either. You are under arrest," he added, addressing the latter. "I won't tie you, unless—"

"No, senior!" Anto understood perfectly, and was grateful.

"Well, then, build a fire, and you, Panfilo, lend a hand. The senora will need a cup of tea, for we three have a long ride ahead of us."

No time was lost. Both Mexicans fell to with a will, and in a surprisingly short time water was boiling. When it came Law's turn to eat, Alaire, who was eager to be gone, directed her employee to fetch the ranger's horse. Panfilo acquiesced readily and buckled on his cartridge belt and six-shooter. He was about to pick up his rifle, too, but finding Law's eyes inquiringly fixed upon him, he turned with a shrug and disappeared down the arroyo. It was plain that he considered his friendly relations well established and resented the ranger's suspicion.

"How long has that fellow been working for you?" Law jerked his head in the direction Panfilo had taken.

"Not long. I don't know much about him," Alaire confessed. Then, as if in answer to his unspoken question, "But I'm sure he's all right."

"Is he looking up range for you?"

"No! I left him at the ranch. I don't know how he came to be here, unless— It is rather strange!"

Dave shot a swift, interrogatory glance at Panfilo's traveling companion, but Anto's face was stony, his black eyes were fixed upon the fire.

With an abrupt gesture Law flung aside the contents of his cup and strode to Panfilo's horse, which stood dejectedly with reins hanging.

"Where are you—going?" Alaire rose nervously.

It was nearly dark now; only the crest of the ridges were plain against the luminous sky; in the brushy bottom of the arroyo the shadows were deep. Alaire had no wish to be left alone with the prisoner.

With bridle rein and carbine in his left hand, the ranger halted, then, stooping for Anto's discarded cartridge belt, he looped it over his saddle-horn. He vaulted easily into the seat, saying:

"I hid that mare pretty well. Your man may not be able to find her." Then he turned his borrowed horse's head toward the brush.

Anto had squatted motionless until this moment; he had not even turned his eyes; but now, without the slightest warning, he uttered a loud call. It might have served equally well as a summons or as an alarm, but it changed the ranger's suspicions into certainty. Dave uttered an angry exclamation, then to the startled woman he cried:

"Watch this man! He can't hurt you, for I've got his shells." To his prisoner he said, sharply: "Stay where you are! Don't move!" The next instant he had leaped into the brush on the tracks of Panfilo Sanchez, spurring the tired gray pony into vigorous action.

It was an uncomfortable situation in which Alaire now found herself. Law was too suspicious, she murmured to herself; he was needlessly melodramatic; she felt exceedingly ill at ease as the pony's hoof-beats grew fainter. She was startled by hearing other hoof-

beats now; their drumming came faint but unmistakable. Yes, there were two horses racing down the arroyo. Anto, the fugitive, rose to his feet and stared into the dusk.

"Sit down!" Alaire ordered, sharply. He obeyed, muttering beneath his breath, but his head was turned as if in an effort to follow the sounds of the pursuit.

Next came the distant rattle of loosened stones—evidently one horse was being urged toward the open high ground—then the peaceful quiet evening was split by the report of Law's thirty-three. Another shot followed, and then a third. Both Alaire and her prisoner were on their feet, the woman shaking in every limb, the Mexican straining his eyes into the gloom and listening intently.

Alaire had begun to feel the strain of the situation and was trying to decide what next to do, when David Law came riding out of the twilight. He was astride the gray; behind him at the end of a lariat was Bessie Belle, and her saddle was empty.

Mrs. Austin uttered a sharp cry.

Law dismounted and strode to the prisoner. His face was black with fury; he seemed gigantic in his rage. Without a word he raised his right hand and cuffed the Mexican to his knees. Then he leaped upon him, as a dog might pounce upon a rabbit, rolled him to his face, and twisted the fellow's arm into the small of his back.

Anto cursed, he struggled, but he was like a child in the ranger's grasp. Law knelt upon him, and with a jerk of his riata secured the fellow's wrists; rising, he set the knot with another heave that dragged the prisoner to his knees. Next he booted Anto to his feet.

"I've a notion to bend a gun over your head," Law growled. "Clever little game, wasn't it?"

"Where? Did you—kill him?" the woman gasped.

Alaire had never beheld such a demoniac expression as Law turned upon her. The man's face was contorted, his eyes were blazing insanely, his chest was heaving, and for an instant he seemed to include her in his anger. Ignoring her inquiry, he went to his mare and ran his shaking hands over her as if in search of an injury; his questioning palms covered every inch of glistening hide from forelock to withers, from shoulder to hoof, and under cover of this task he regained in some degree his self-control.

"That hombre of yours—didn't look right to me," he said, finally. Laying his cheek against Bessie Belle's neck, as a woman snuggles close to the man of her choice, he addressed the mare: "I reckon nobody is going to steal you, eh? Not if I know it. No, sir; that hombre wasn't any good, was he?"

Alaire wet her lips. "Then you—shot him?"

"I didn't say I shot him," he told her gruffly. "I warned him first, and he turned on me—blew smoke in my face. Then he took to the brush, afoot, and I cut down on him once more to help him along."

"He got away?"

"I reckon so."

"Oh, oh!" Alaire's tone left no doubt of her relief. "He was always a good man—"

"Good? Didn't he steal my horse? Didn't he aim to get me at the first chance and free his compadre? That's why he wanted his Winchester. Say! I reckon he—needs killin' about as much as anybody I know."

"I can't understand it," Alaire sat down wearily. "One of my men, too."

"This fellow behaved himself while I was gone, eh?" Law jerked his head in Anto's direction. "I was afraid he—"

Such a possibility, oddly enough, seemed to choke the speaker, and the ferocity of his unfinished threat caused Mrs. Austin to look up at him curiously. There was a moment of silence, then he said, shortly: "Well, we've got a horse apiece now. Let's go."

The stars had thickened and brightened, rounding the night sky into a glittering dome. Anto, the murderer, with his ankles lashed beneath his horse's belly, rode first; next, in a sullen silence, came the ranger, his chin upon his breast; and in the rear followed Alaire Austin.

Under the stars, at the break of the arroyo, three hundred yards below the water hole, a coyote was slinking in a wide circle around the body of Panfilo Sanchez.

David Law's action in killing the Mexican has a more significant effect on the ranger's career and on that of Mrs. Austin than either of them can possibly foresee. Read the next installment.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

The Bishop's Ring. Bishop Russell Wakefield of Birmingham, has a ring with a curious history. It is a reminder of the war, and of the wanton destruction of the beautiful cathedral of Reims. Some months ago he was allowed to visit the cathedral shortly after a bombardment. Colored glass from the famous windows and broken fragments of the richly-ornate stonework lay among the debris. The bishop picked up some scraps of stained glass, of pure ruby and sapphire color, and he has had small portions mounted in a new episcopal finger ring. He regards it as one of his most interesting souvenirs.—London Tit-Bits.

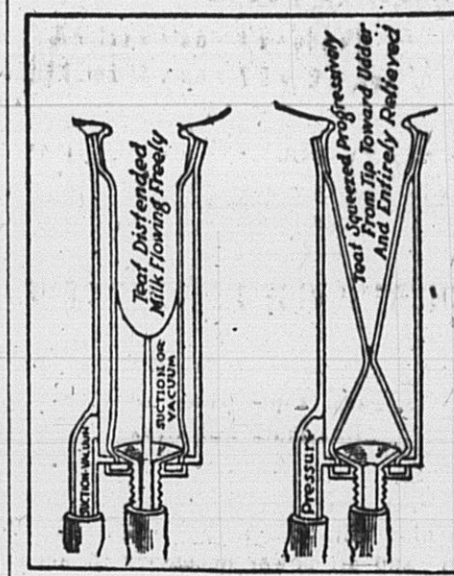
His Fatal Oversight. He proposed to her by mail, and by letter she replied; he read her brief refusal, then committed suicide. Alas he'd be alive today, and she a happy bride, had he but read the postscript penned on the other side.



GIVING AN UPWARD SQUEEZE

Illustration Given Herewith Shows How One of Standard Milk Machines is Operated.

The drawing shown here illustrates how one of the standard milking machines draws the milk from the cow's teat. Any method of drawing the milk from the udder down through the teat also tends to draw blood from the veins of the udder down into the smaller veins of the teat. It is necessary that something shall keep massaging the blood back from the teat, so that it will continue in circulation. The comfortable upward squeeze does exactly this. This squeeze is adjustable, so that the



Machine in Operation.

operator, by turning a little lever, can give a heavier squeeze to a big-teated cow and a lighter squeeze to a small-teated cow. Thus each cow gets just the squeeze needed in her individual case—a feature that makes each cow give her maximum.

When the calf milks, its tongue has a squeezing action on the teat, the same as your tongue does if you place your finger in your mouth and suck it. This squeezing action of the calf's tongue keeps the blood in the teat in circulation. If the calf stopped squeezing, just sucked each swallow, it would slowly suck so much blood down into the veins of the teat that the teat would appear red and swollen.—Farmers Mail and Breeze.

RECORD OF BIG IMPORTANCE

Small Amount of Work Required to Keep Books If Done Regularly—Profit or Loss Shown.

It is a good thing to keep records of all the farm operations. They may seem trivial at the time, yet some day are sure to be of great value and are a great help and satisfaction in clearing up difficulties that frequently arise. It requires only a small amount of work to keep them if the work is done regularly and systematically. The very fact that records are kept makes one careful of details and interested in making the things of which the records are kept turn out the best. It helps one to have a firm grasp on his affairs and to know just where he stands in all his work. He knows whether he is running his farm or any branch of his farming at a profit or at a loss.

In no branch of farming are records of more importance than in dairying. It is of actual money importance to know whether a cow is making a profit on the feed she consumes or is eating more than she is worth.

VENTILATION OF DAIRY BARN

Where Air Is Good, Cows Should Remain in Stalls at Night Both in Summer and Winter.

If ventilation of the barn is good, cows should remain in the stall all night, both in summer and in winter. If ventilation is imperfect in very hot weather it would be advisable to turn them out in some clean lot or pasture, but in doing this considerable manure is lost.

During some of the colder days of winter it would be advisable not to turn cattle out except during short periods for watering. Chilly weather has considerable influence in reducing milk flow and a good cow should not be exposed to too severe climatic changes.

CULL OUT ALL THE LOAFERS

Big Increase in Profits Made by Farmer Who Weeded Out All Unprofitable Animals.

Merely by culling out the unprofitable cows one farmer reports that he was able to raise the milk receipts per cow from \$89 one year to \$180 the next, and the live-stock receipts per \$100 worth of feed from \$76 to \$178. This made it possible for the farmer to increase the profit \$1,500 on his farm in addition to what the farm contributed toward the living and after 5 per cent interest on the investment had been subtracted. The year previous the farmer had lost money.

18,000 TON FRENCH BATTLESHIP SUNK

U-BOAT TORPEDOES WARSHIP GUARDED BY DESTROYERS, IN "MEDITERRANEAN."

CARRIED ABOUT 680 MEN

Ship Was of the Danton Class and One of Six Built for the French Navy in 1909-10.

Berlin, by wireless to Sayville, N. Y.—A French battleship of the Danton class was sunk by a German submarine in the Mediterranean.

The warship was protected by destroyers and was running a zig-zag course trying to escape the U-boat.

Warships of the Danton class displace 18,028 tons. The complement consists of 681 officers and men. There are five battleships of the Danton class, in addition to the name ship, the others being the Mirabeau, the Diderot, the Condorcet, the Vargnaud and the Voltaire. All except the Vargnaud were completed in 1909, she having been finished in 1910.

Ships of the class have a length of 481 feet, beam of 84 feet and draft of 27.5 feet. Their armament consists of four 12-inch guns, 12 9.4-inch guns, 16 2.9-inch guns, 10 three pounders and two torpedo tubes, submerged. They average about 19.5 knots in speed.

HEALER PERMITS BOY TO DIE

No Doctor Called for Flint Boy—III With Diphtheria.

Flint—Coroner Henry Cook, acting on the advice of state medical officials, has called an inquest for March 26 to inquire into the responsibility for the death of Jared King, 6-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Jared C. King and grandson of Police Justice James M. Torrey.

The boy died Monday night of diphtheria, developing from tonsillitis, and it is said, he had no medical attention until an hour and a half before death. Up to that time he had been given treatments, it is said, by Emory S. West, self-styled spiritualist healer. No quarantine for diphtheria was maintained and no report was received by the health authorities until Dr. O. W. McKenna, who attended the boy at his death, reported the case to the coroner.

Questioned by Prosecutor Brownell West denied that he had treated the child as a physician, but merely as a healer and said he did not make a practice of treating cases of infectious disease. As soon as the boy's illness developed into diphtheria, he said, he called a physician.

VOTE ON WET ISSUE IN 1918

Liquor Men Plan to Resubmit Question Next Year.

Lansing—"The plan is to resubmit the prohibition question in 1918. Immediately after May 1, 1918, we shall get out petitions for the signatures needed, file them with the secretary of state, and have the matter submitted at the 1918 fall election." This was the declaration of the intention of the "wets" to have the state-wide prohibition question re-opened, and it was made here by Carl A. Zimmer, president of the Knights of the Royal Ark, the Detroit saloonkeepers' organization, and John Zang, its former president, just retiring.

It is accepted here as settling the question of what the wets will do in the way of struggling against conditions to be imposed on them by prohibition.

The Royal Ark is the strongest organization of retail liquor dealers in the state, and it is understood that in the program, outlined above, the Ark will have the support of the brewing interests of the state. Whether the so-called "Home Rule league" will be revived is a question. Retail liquor men from out in the state are also being lined up for the program.

Traverse City—Cadillac and Scottville have asked for details on the city beautiful campaign here before starting one in these cities.

Traverse City—Pet dogs and cats condemned by the authorities will not be shot or hit in the head with an axe in the future, if a suggestion of the Grand Traverse County Humane society is carried out. The society asks that a metal box be manufactured, to be connected with an electric current. Into these boxes they would put all the condemned pets and kill them instantaneously.

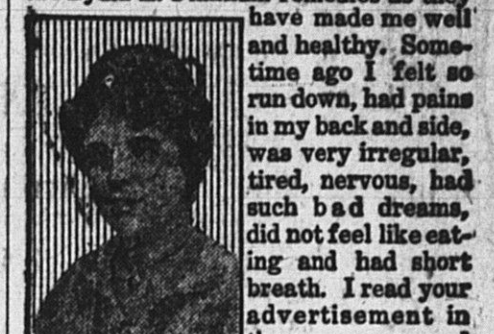
Kalamazoo—The States Motor company, of this city, will be reorganized with an authorized capital of \$6,000,000.

Whitehall—Mrs. Christian Eiers left her two-year-old daughter in care of a neighbor boy while she went to the village to do some shopping. The boy saw some cattle in the yard and went out to drive the stock away. When he came back, five minutes later, the baby was dead on the floor. All her clothing had been burned off. There was no fire in the stove and how the accident happened is a mystery.

WOMAN NOW IN PERFECT HEALTH

What Came From Reading a Pinkham Advertisement.

Peterson, N. J.—"I thank you for the Lydia E. Pinkham medicine as they have made me well and healthy. Some time ago I felt so run down, had pains in my back and side, was very irregular, tired, nervous, had such bad dreams, did not feel like eating and had short breath. I read your advertisement in the newspapers and



decided to try a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. It worked from the first bottle, so I took a second and a third, also a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Blood Purifier, and now I am just as well as any other woman. I advise every woman, single or married, who is troubled with any of the above-said ailments, to try your wonderful Vegetable Compound and Blood Purifier and I am sure they will help her to get rid of her troubles as they did me."—Mrs. ELSIE J. VAN DER SANDE, 36 No. York St., Paterson, N. J.

Write the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., (confidential) Lynn, Mass, if you need special advice.

Cockroaches ARE FILTHY Kill Them By Using STEARNS' ELECTRIC PASTE

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Found Her Out. "I found Mrs. Smith in when her maid said she was not at home." "So you found her out!"

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Paints King by Proxy.

King Alfonso of Spain, absorbed by his occupation, has been unable to give the necessary number of sittings to Carlo Vasquez, who is engaged in painting the monarch's portrait. Senor Vasquez, however, has solved the difficulty. No matter at what time one visits his studio the king can be seen there sitting in a familiar pose in the uniform of a colonel of infantry.

If one examines the sovereign attentively it can be seen that he retains his immovability—it is a wax figure which represents him. The figure and attitude of Alfonso have been exactly copied and he will have to pose only for the face and hands.

In Boston.

"Now," said a Boston school teacher to her class in English, "can anyone give me a word ending in 'ous,' meaning full of, 'dangerous,' full of danger, and 'hazardous,' full of hazard?"

"For a moment there was a dead silence. Then a small boy raised his hand."

"Well," queried the teacher, "what is your word?"

Then came the reply: "Pious, full of pie!"—Tit-Bits.

Supply Depot. "Wombat seems to be getting rich fast. What's he up to?"

"I believe he's running a service station for fountain pens."

One squeeze finishes a lemon, but it only gets a girl interested.

Have You Ever Suspected

that the cause of various annoying ills might lie in the daily cup of tea or coffee?

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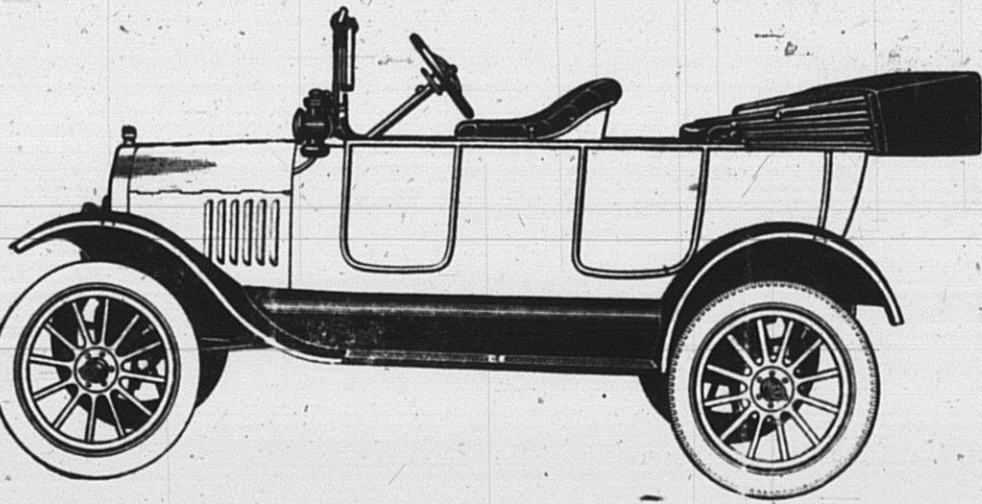
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Proposed Amendments to the Constitution of Michigan.
To AMEND—Article eight by adding a new section thereto to read as Section Fifteen of said article, authorizing drainage districts to issue bonds for drainage purposes.

Assembly Yeas. To amend section one of article three relative to absent voters, providing in effect that "no qualified elector in the actual service of the United States or of this State, or any student while in attendance at any institution of learning, or any military or naval training camp held under the authority of the Government of the United States or the State of Michigan, or any member of the Legislature while in attendance at any session of the Legislature, or commercial traveler, or any qualified elector employed upon or in the operation of railroad trains in this State, or any sailor engaged or employed on the Great Lakes or in coast-wise trade shall be deprived of his vote by reason of his absence from the township, ward or State in which he resides; and the Legislature shall provide by law the manner in which and the time and place at which such absent electors may vote and for the canvass and return of the result of said election; further, that the Legislature shall have power to pass laws covering qualified electors who may be necessarily absent from other causes than above specified."

WOMEN ELECTORS.

In accordance with the constitution of the State of Michigan, and the statutes of said State relating thereto, should there be any proposition or propositions to vote upon at said election involving the direct expenditure of public money, or the issue of bonds, every woman who possesses the qualifications of male electors who own property assessed for taxes or owns property subject to taxation jointly with her husband, or with any other person, or who owns property on contract and pays taxes thereon, all such property being located somewhere within the district or territory to be affected by the result of said election, will be entitled to vote upon such proposition or propositions, provided her name is duly registered in the voting precinct above designated. The Polls of said election will be open at 7 o'clock a. m. and will remain open until 5 o'clock p. m. of said day of election unless the Board of Election Inspectors shall, in their discretion, adjourn the polls at 12 o'clock noon for one hour. Dated, March 9, 1917.
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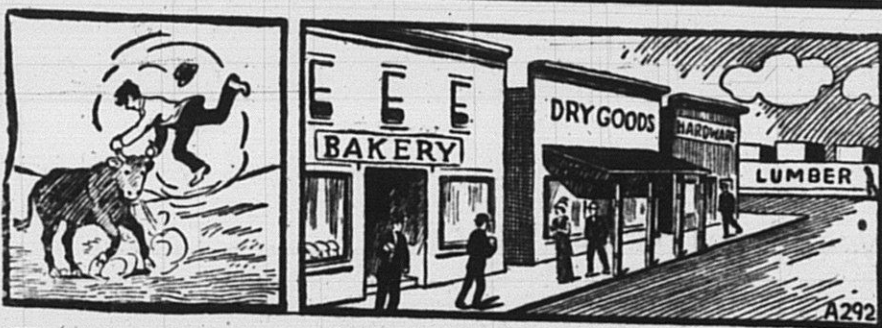
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10c Can Calumet Baking Powder	8c
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PERSONAL MENTION.

Geo. Neckel spent Sunday in Ann Arbor.

N. H. Cook was a Detroit visitor Tuesday.

Mrs. Harold Conk spent Saturday in Jackson.

Roy Harris spent part of this week in Chicago.

Rev. P. W. Dierbergeor was in Ann Arbor Friday.

Mrs. J. G. Webster spent Monday in Grass Lake.

Mrs. C. W. Maroney is spending today in Detroit.

Miss Ethel Burkhart spent Wednesday in Ypsilanti.

Royal Royce, of Jackson, spent Tuesday in Chelsea.

Miss Ethel Burkhart is spending a few days in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Smith spent Sunday in Grass Lake.

Mrs. Addie Martin has been spending this week in Dexter.

Mrs. Carl Matthews and daughter spent the week in Jackson.

Miss Ella Slimmer, of Ann Arbor, spent the week-end in Chelsea.

Mrs. Lucia Bott, of Lansing, is spending a few days in Chelsea.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Prudden were Ann Arbor visitors Wednesday.

Evert Benton and Wilbur Riemen-schneider spent Sunday in Detroit.

Geo. Brenner, of Grass Lake township, was a Chelsea visitor Monday.

Charles Fulford, of Wayne, spent Friday with Dr. and Mrs. H. J. Fulford.

Mrs. H. J. Fulford spent a few days of this week in Plymouth and Northville.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Heselschwerdt of Ann Arbor spent the week-end in Chelsea.

Mr. and Mrs. John Schlee, of Ann Arbor, spent Sunday with Mrs. G. J. Crowell.

James Gosslein, of Chicago, spent the week-end with his sister, Mrs. B. F. Craner.

Miss Nellie Burns, of Ann Arbor, was the guest of Miss Imelda Hoffman Sunday.

Mrs. John Fulford, of Romulus, is spending this week with her son, Dr. H. J. Fulford.

Miss Gertrude Rolph, of Wayne, was the guest Mrs. C. W. Glenn over the week end.

Miss Phila Winslow, of Ypsilanti, spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Olive Winslow.

Mrs. Edward French, of Dexter, spent the week end with her son Roy French and family.

Mrs. Arthur Shepherd, of Litchfield, was the guest of Mrs. H. M. Armour over Sunday.

Mrs. Henry Vogel and Mrs. Rudd, of Ann Arbor, were guests of Miss Kathryn Hooker Sunday.

Howard Chambers, of Detroit, spent Sunday and Monday at the home of his mother, Mrs. E. R. Chambers.

Rev. W. P. Considine returned to his home here last Friday from an extended trip through the southwest.

Mrs. H. J. Fulford spent Wednesday and Thursday of last week with Mr. and Mrs. John Fulford, of Romulus.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Kelly, of Elkhart, Ind., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Keusch several days of last week.

Mrs. Hattie Wedemeyer and daughter, Miss Frieda, of Ann Arbor, have been spending several days of this with Mrs. C. M. Stephens.

Mrs. Chas. Martin and Mrs. Wm. Campbell attended the twenty-seventh anniversary of Fernleaf Chapter, O. E. S., at Jackson Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Norman and son, of Jackson, and Miss Nellie Norman, of Patterson, N. J., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Snyder Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Jensen and children were in Ann Arbor Sunday where they visited his father, Matthew Jensen, who is at St. Joseph's sanitarium.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Pierce and Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Pierce and Niss Alma Pierce were in Ceresco Friday attending the funeral of a relative.

Mrs. C. Lehman, Mrs. O. L. Hoffman, Mrs. J. M. Strieter and Miss Pauline Girschbach attended the funeral of John George Schlee at Ann Arbor Tuesday afternoon.

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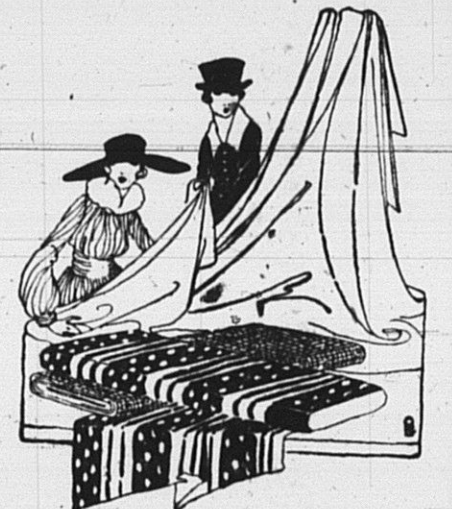
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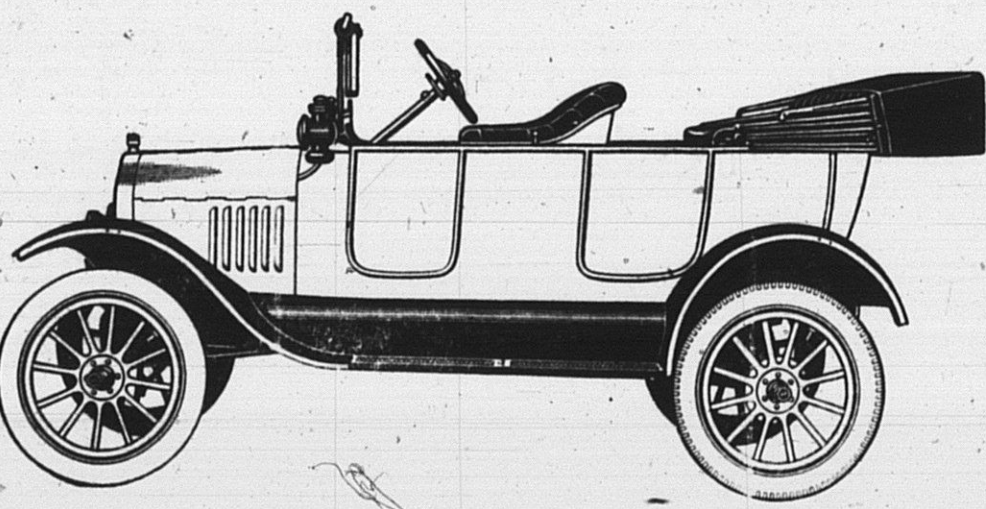
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Proposed Amendments to the Constitution of Michigan.

TO AMEND—Article eight by adding a new section thereto to read as follows: "Section 8. The Board of Registration of said Township, authorized by said article, authorizing drainage districts to issue bonds for drainage purposes."

Assessors' Votaries.—To amend section one of article three relative to absent voters, providing in effect that "no qualified elector in the actual exercise of the right of suffrage in this State, or any student while in attendance at any institution of learning, or any regularly enrolled member of any citizens' military or naval training camp, held under the authority of the Government of the United States or of the State of Michigan, or any member of the Legislature, or commercial traveler, or any qualified elector employed upon or in the operation of railroad trains in this State, or any sailor engaged or employed on the Great Lakes, or in coastwise trade shall be deprived of the right by reason of his absence from the township, ward or State in which he resides; and the Legislature shall provide by law the manner in which and the time and place at which such absent electors may vote and for the canvass and return of their votes. Provided further, That the Legislature shall have power to pass laws covering qualified electors who may be necessarily absent from other causes than above specified."

WOMEN ELECTORS.

In accordance with the constitution of the State of Michigan, and the statutes of said State relating thereto, should there be any proposition or propositions to vote upon at said election involving the direct expenditure of public money, or the issue of bonds, every woman who possesses the qualifications of male electors and owns property assessed for taxes or owns property subject to taxation located somewhere within the district or territory to be affected by the result of said election, will be entitled to vote upon such proposition or propositions provided her name is duly registered in the voting precinct above designated.

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

Dated, March 9, 1917.

Fred G. Broese van Groenou, Township Clerk.

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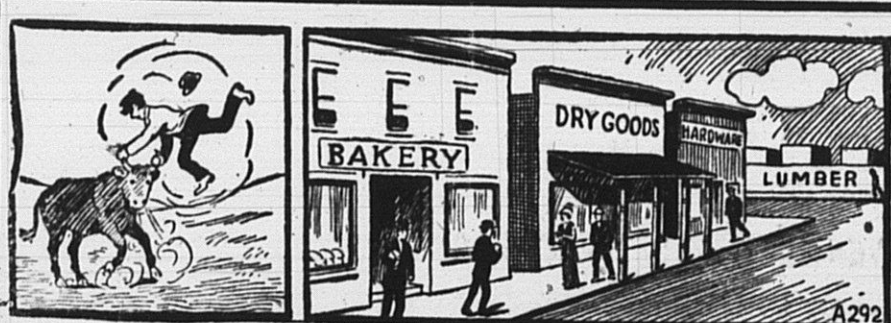
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PERSONAL MENTION

Geo. Neckel spent Sunday in Arbor.

N. H. Cook was a Detroit Tuesday.

Mrs. Harold Conk spent Saturday in Jackson.

Roy Harris spent part of the day in Chicago.

Rev. P. W. Dierbergier was in Arbor Friday.

Mrs. J. G. Webster spent the day in Grass Lake.

Mrs. C. W. Maroney is spending the day in Detroit.

Miss Ethel Burkhardt spent the day in Ypsilanti.

Royal Royce, of Jackson, Tuesday in Chelsea.

Miss Ethel Burkhardt is spending the day in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Smith Sunday in Grass Lake.

Mrs. Addie Martin has been spending the week in Dexter.

Mrs. Carl Matthews and daughter spent the week in Jackson.

Miss Ella Slimmer, of Ann Arbor, spent the week-end in Chelsea.

Mrs. Lucia Bott, of Lansing, spending a few days in Chelsea.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Prudden, Ann Arbor visitors Wednesday.

Evert Benton and Wilbur R. Schneider spent Sunday in Detroit.

Geo. Brenner, of Grass Lake, was a Chelsea visitor Monday.

Charles Fulford, of Wayne, Friday with Dr. and Mrs. H. J. Fulford.

Mrs. H. J. Fulford spent a few days of this week in Plymouth and village.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Heseler of Ann Arbor spent the week in Chelsea.

Mr. and Mrs. John Schlee, of Arbor, spent Sunday with M. J. Crowell.

James Gosselin, of Chicago, the week-end with his sister, M. F. Craner.

Miss Nellie Burns, of Ann Arbor, was the guest of Miss Imelda man Sunday.

Mrs. John Fulford, of Romulus, spending the week with her sister, H. J. Fulford.

Miss Gertrude Rolph, of Wayne, was the guest Mrs. C. W. Glenn the week end.

Miss Phila Winslow, of Ypsilanti, spent Sunday with her mother, Olive Winslow.

Mrs. Edward French, of Detroit, spent the week end with her son, French and family.

Mrs. Arthur Shepherd, of field, was the guest of Mrs. Armour over Sunday.

Mrs. Henry Vogel and Mrs. of Ann Arbor, were guests of Kathryn Hooker Sunday.

Howard Chambers, of Detroit, Sunday and Monday at the home of his mother, Mrs. E. R. Chamber.

Rev. W. P. Considine returned his home here last Friday from a tending trip through the south.

Mrs. H. J. Fulford spent the day and Thursday of last week Mr. and Mrs. John Fulford, of Ypsilanti.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Kelly, of Hart, Ind., were guests of Mr. Mrs. Edward Kensch several days last week.

Mrs. Hattie Wedemeyer and daughter, Miss Frieda, of Ann Arbor, been spending several days of with Mrs. C. M. Stephens.

Mrs. Chas. Martin and Mrs. Campbell attended the twenty-fifth anniversary of Fernleaf O. E. S., at Jackson Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Norman son, of Jackson, and Miss Nellie man, of Patterson, N. J., were of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Snyder Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Jensen and daughter, were in Ann Arbor Sunday when they visited his father, Matthew sen, who is at St. Joseph's sanitarium.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Pierce Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Pierce Niss Alma Pierce were in Chelsea Friday attending the funeral relative.

Mrs. C. Lehman, Mrs. O. L. Hoffman, Mrs. J. M. Strieter and Miss Pauline Girbach attended the funeral of John George Schlee at Ann Arbor Tuesday afternoon.

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SUPPLEMENT TO THE CHELSEA STANDARD, THURSDAY, MARCH 22, 1917

CORRESPONDENCE.

Notice to Correspondents.

The Standard requests its correspondents to mail their letters one day earlier than has been their habit heretofore. Owing to the recent changes in the railway mail service the receipt of the letters until too late to place in type is mighty uncertain.

SYLVAN HAPPENINGS.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Boyd were Ann Arbor visitors Wednesday.

Warren Boyd, of Chelsea, was a Sylvan Center visitor Wednesday.

Oscar Visel spent the first of the week at the home of his sister, Mrs. Gottlieb Sager.

Kern Anderson, of Detroit, is spending some time with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Kern.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Heselschwerdt, of Ann Arbor, were guests at the home of Mrs. Mary Merker Sunday.

Marion Snyder and Lynn Pratt, of Toledo, Ohio, spent the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gottlieb Sager.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Kern returned home Monday from Detroit where they have been spending some time with relatives and friends.

The Maple Grove Cemetery Association held their annual meeting Monday and re-elected the following officers: President, Homer Boyd; secretary, Samuel Guthrie; treasurer, Wm. H. Laird.

FRANCISCO VILLAGE.

Walter Kalmbach, of Detroit, spent Sunday with his mother and family.

Mrs. Henry Bohne and daughter, Miss Eva, were shopping in Jackson Monday.

Mrs. Frank Helle visited her sister, Mrs. Annie Lehman, near Chelsea, one day last week.

Mrs. Nora Notten returned Tuesday from Detroit where she spent several days with her mother and sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Rose and children, of Ypsilanti, were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Somerville.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Benter and Herman Benter, of Detroit, and Miss Bertha Benter, of Jackson, spent the week end at the parental home.

Mr. and Mrs. William Seid and daughter, of Jackson, spent Monday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. John Seid.

Mrs. George H. Bohne and daughter, Miss Nettie, and Mr. and Mrs. John Helle were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Bohne, of West Francisco.

(Too late for last week)

Mrs. Frank Helle was a Grass Lake visitor Monday.

Mrs. Nora Notten is spending a few days with relatives in Detroit.

Peter Merkle of Chelsea was in these parts Thursday, looking after stock.

Mrs. Mary Seid of Jackson visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Seid, Thursday.

Mrs. Frieda Klingler of Grass Lake spent Saturday with her aunt, Mrs. John Helle.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Musbach of North Francisco visited Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Plowe.

Mrs. Uriah Shelly of Grass Lake spent Tuesday with her sister, Mrs. Martha Taylor.

John Hammond of Lansing is spending a few days with relatives and friends in these parts.

Miss Nina Schroeder of Grass Lake visited Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wahl, north of town.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward List, of Jackson, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Bohne and daughter, Miss Nettie.

Mrs. Leora Collins of Chelsea and Mrs. Helen Kalmbach of Highland Park were guests of their aunt, Mrs. Martha Keeler, Friday.

Mrs. George Scherer was in Jackson Monday in consultation with Dr. Lyon, relative to Mrs. Martha Seckinger's illness. Mrs. Seckinger seems to be making a slow gain.

LIMA TOWNSHIP NEWS.

Clayton F. Ward has sold to William E. Stipe and Ottis F. Phillips, land on sections 14 and 23 Lima township.

D. E. Beach is having his farm residence remodeled. C. W. Maroney of Chelsea is doing the carpenter work.

NORTH FRANCISCO.

Lewis Lambert has purchased a new Ford automobile.

Erle Notten and Herbert Harvey spent Tuesday in Jackson.

Mrs. Bertie Orthing and son Pearl, spent Monday night in Jackson.

Charles Meyer is spending a few days at the home of Herbert Harvey.

Mrs. Elsie Field, who has been spending the winter with Mrs. Bertie Orthing is visiting relatives in Grass Lake.

WATERLOO DOINGS.

John Moeckel spent Wednesday in Chelsea.

Arthur Waltz spent Tuesday in Stockbridge.

Walter Koeltz, of Ann Arbor, spent the week end with his parents here.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Archenbroun will move back to Waterloo about April 1.

Mrs. Celia Dean is spending a few days at the home of Geo. W. Beeman.

Wm. Polling, of White Oak, started sawing logs for J. Rummel Wednesday.

Miss Catherine Lehmann spent from Friday until Monday with her sister here.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Vicary spent the week end with relatives in Detroit.

The U. B. Sunday school is making preparations for special exercises on Easter Sunday.

The Waterloo Band will meet again next Sunday afternoon for their first practice this spring.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Vicary and family, of Jackson, spent Sunday at the home of George Archenbroun.

The Waterloo Entertainers will repeat the play "Looking for Mary Jane" at Gregory on Saturday evening of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Durkee, Floyd Durkee, Milton Riethmiller and son spent Monday evening in Unadilla and Gregory.

(Too late for last week)

Miss Isabella Gorton of Detroit spent over Sunday with her parents here.

The Ladies' Aid Society will give dinner and supper upstairs at the town hall, Monday, April 2, Election Day.

Orville Gorton, Milton Riethmiller, Mrs. Claude Runciman and son and Etta Bodish spent last Saturday in Jackson.

Wendell Barber of Stockbridge spent several days of last week with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Barber.

Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Noechel and daughter moved to their new home near Grass Lake, where he intends to work the coming year.

The band boys have decided to have band meeting again, with Elert Notten as teacher. They will have meetings Sunday afternoons at 1 o'clock.

Announcements.

First degree at Masonic Hall next Tuesday evening.

B. V. R. C. will meet with Mrs. O. J. Walworth next Monday evening.

The Pythian Sisters will hold a special meeting Thursday evening, March 29, Initiation.

There will be a meeting of the Catholic Social Club Sunday evening, March 26, to make arrangements for a banquet Easter Monday.

The Pythian Sisters will give a dance Friday night at Maccabee hall. All Knights of Pythias and their ladies are invited. Delbridge's Hawaiian orchestra will furnish the music.

The February ladies of the L. O. T. M. will entertain the Lady Maccabees' whose birthdays occur in March in Maccabee hall on Tuesday, March 27. All Lady Maccabees with their husbands or escorts are invited. Scrub lunch at 6:30 o'clock. Bring dishes.

Council Proceedings.

(OFFICIAL)

Council Rooms, Chelsea, March 15, 1917. Council met in regular session. Meeting called to order by President Lehman. Roll called by the clerk. Present—Trustees Palmer, Dancer, Frymuth, Hirth. Absent—Eppler, Schoenhals. Minutes of previous meeting read and approved. The following bills were read by the clerk:

General Fund.

John Frymuth, registration and election board	6.00
J. N. Dancer, registration and election board	6.00
H. R. Schoenhals, registration and election board	6.00
W. R. Daniels, registration board	2.00
J. E. McKune, election board	4.00
H. D. Witherell, election board	4.00
Jacob Hummell, election board	4.00
Robt. Foster, gate keeper	2.00
B. Steinbach, gate keeper	2.00
Boyd hotel, meals	5.25

Street Fund.

G. Bockers, one wk.	10.00
Wm. Wolff, 28 hours	14.00

Electric Light & Water Fund.

Electric Light and Water Works Commission	\$1000.00
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Moved by Frymuth, supported by Hirth, that the bills be allowed and orders drawn for same.

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

On reading a statement of the votes cast for the several candidates for office at the annual village election held in the Village of Chelsea on Monday, March 12, 1917, the Council hereby declares that the whole number of votes cast was four hundred and ninety-four (494), and the following officers are declared elected: (Abbreviated)

President—Conrad Lehman. Clerk—Warren Daniels. Treasurer—Milo A. Shaver.

Trustees, 2 years—Joseph Mayer, George W. Palmer, Simon Hirth. Assessor—Harry H. Avery.

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

WARREN R. DANIELS, Clerk.

COUNCIL ROOMS.

Chelsea, March 19, 1917. Council met in regular session. Meeting called to order by President Lehman. Roll called by the clerk.

Present—Trustees Hirth, Dancer, Frymuth, Eppler, Mayer. Absent—Palmer.

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

Following bills were read by the clerk:

GENERAL FUND.

Jack Willis, hat	3.00
H. E. Cooper, 1 mo. salary	32.50
Chelsea Standard, printing	43.85
Chelsea Tribune, printing	27.00
H. Brooks	3.00

STREET FUND.

G. Bockers, street work	10.00
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LOCAL ITEMS.

Hector E. Cooper has been appointed deputy sheriff by Sheriff Lindenschmitt.

Scarlet fever has run its course here, it is thought, and the houses have been fumigated.

Mrs. Geo. Peppitt and Mrs. Robert Brown entertained the Chaff n' Seau Club Tuesday evening.

The Lincoln Chautauqua have tentatively set the dates for their appearance in Chelsea for June 21-28.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Stimpson have moved into the residence on east Middle street that they purchased of W. S. McLaren.

Mrs. A. G. Burnett, who has been confined to her home for the past month on account of sickness is convalescing.—Plymouth Mail.

Twenty members of Chelsea Lodge, No. 101, I. O. O. F., were in Ann Arbor Tuesday evening where they witnessed the exemplification of the third degree of the order.

Word has been received of the death of Mrs. Erastus White, a former resident of Lima, which occurred at the home of her daughter in Greenleaf, Idaho, March 15.

The merchants of Chelsea have agreed to close their stores at 6 o'clock every evening for the coming two weeks, except Saturdays and pay night, on account of the Union Lenten services.

And now the owners of the reduction plants in the large cities are complaining because they are not making any money. They say that the garbage that they collect these days does not have anything of value in it.

A number of the friends of Mrs. J. T. Webster, who has been spending the winter at the home of her son, J. G. Webster, helped her celebrate her eighty-fourth birthday last Thursday afternoon, by giving her a surprise. One of the main features of the occasion was a birthday cake with eighty-four lighted candles.

Married, on Monday evening, March 19, 1917, at the Congregational parsonage, Miss Liela Fletcher, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Fletcher, of Lima, and Mr. Alba H. Gage, son of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Gage, of Sylvan, Rev. P. W. Dierberger officiating. They were attended by Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Heselschwerdt, of Sharon.

The relatives of Hon. C. S. Winans, who was United States consul at Nuremberg, Bavaria, have received word stating that after the family left Germany they spent a few days at Zurich and Berne, Switzerland, and from there would go to Seville, Spain, where he was stationed several years ago. No date has been set yet for their return to this country.

Viet Bahnmiller, of Sharon township, was given a verdict against A. G. Faist of this place by a jury in the circuit court Monday. Mr. Bahnmiller purchased a second-hand automobile of Mr. Faist two years ago, and afterwards claimed that it was not as represented, and left it just outside Mr. Faist's garage, where it has been a plaything for the elements ever since. Mr. Bahnmiller sued for the return of his money.

Richard Thomas Trouten was born in Romulus, March 12, 1865, and died at his home on Harrison street, Tuesday, March 20, 1917. He was a member of the L. O. O. M., and Cigar-makers' Union, of Ann Arbor, and for 20 years had been a resident of Chelsea, coming here from Toledo. He was united in marriage with Miss Hattie McCarter, December 28, 1897. He is survived by his wife, one son Glenn, one brother Henry, of Florida, and one sister, Mrs. H. S. Colyer, of Brooklyn, N. Y. The funeral will be held from the family home at 2:30 o'clock Friday afternoon, Rev. P. W. Dierberger officiating. Interment at Oak Grove cemetery.

Isaiah Floyd, aged about 27 years, killed himself after shooting twice at his wife, inflicting slight wounds on each side of her neck, and probably fatally wounding his wife's aunt by shooting her three times, once through the nose, in one eye and in the back, at the family home in Richmond, Indiana, last week Wednesday. The aunt had stepped between the wife and husband when she received the wounds. Mr. and Mrs. Floyd came to Chelsea just before last Christmas and for a short time he was employed by W. B. Ewing & Son, and later by Wm. Bacon-Holmes Co. His stepfather is employed by Messrs. Ewing as a teamster and moved from here to Manchester recently. Mr. and Mrs. Floyd returned to their home in Richmond about six weeks ago.

Mrs. F. C. Klingler underwent an operation at the hospital in Ann Arbor Wednesday.

Miss Rose Jedele, of Ann Arbor, will assist Miss Mary Haab as trimmer in her millinery shop.

A. H. Schumacher has returned from the hospital in Ann Arbor considerably improved in health.

Mrs. A. Steger and Mrs. A. L. Stager were called to Toledo Saturday by the death of a relative.

Matthew Jensen has been at St. Joseph's sanitarium at Ann Arbor, where he underwent an operation last week.

Miss Ruth Beeman, daughter of Mrs. Clyde Beeman, is at the hospital in Ann Arbor, where she will undergo an operation for appendicitis.

The Lewis Spring & Axle Co. on Tuesday of this week shipped five carloads of automobiles to their agents in various parts of the country.

The Michigan Portland Cement Co. has completed its repair work and commenced digging marl Wednesday. It is expected that the kilns will be started today.

A United States Navy recruiting party will be in Jackson May 12-15, and in Ann Arbor May 16-19 for the purpose of examining recruits for the navy and naval reserve force.

Michigan National Guard will be raised immediately from approximately 5,000 to 12,000, according to orders sent from Washington to Col. John S. Bersey, adjutant general of Michigan.

Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Riemenschneider have issued invitations to the marriage of their daughter, Katherine M., to Mr. Melbourne T. Hewett, of Milford, on Wednesday, March 28, at their home at Cavanaugh Lake.

Cyril, 4 years old son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Conk, had his left leg broken near the thigh Monday forenoon. The boy who was riding with his father, who drives the delivery wagon for T. W. Watkins, jumped from the vehicle and fell and a wheel ran over his leg.

J. C. Carlyon, 30 years old, of Atlanta, Ga., traveling salesman for the Lewis Spring & Axle Co., of Chelsea, will lose the sight of his left eye as the result of a tnxicab collision Thursday afternoon in Detroit. Carlyon was a former officer in the U. S. army. Mr. Carlyon was in Chelsea a short time before the accident.

Fifty-four subpoenas for township officers in Washtenaw county have been served and many of them have appeared at the court house with the ballot boxes of their precincts for the purpose of making the recount in the Beakes-Bacon contest. The figures of the recount in this county have not made any difference in the results as given out at election time.

The case of Mrs. William Fahrner against the estate of Miss Eliza Guthrie, wherein Mrs. Fahrner asked the sum of \$2,394 for services rendered, drew many witnesses from this section while it was before the circuit court Tuesday and Wednesday. The jury was out but a short time and brought in a verdict allowing the full amount of the claim.

We are always pleased to have our friends send in any items of importance as it helps to make a better paper, but we request that they send them in while the news is fresh. Events that have happened more than a week previous to the time of printing usually lose their importance to a considerable extent. Help us to get the news and get it while it is fresh.

BREVITIES

SALINE—Miss Grace Wheeler was quite severely bitten by a bull dog belonging to Ray Combs, on Tuesday night of last week, while on an errand to the latter's home, and suffered an ugly gash in the calf of her leg, besides other bruises. The injuries have confined her to her bed for the past week. It is hoped that nothing serious will result.—Observer.

PINCKNEY—Sheriff Miller was in town last Friday and secured a bottle of blitz, sold at a local hotel, and put out for a soft drink. When the same was tested it was found to contain four and thirty-four one-hundredths percent alcohol, which is more than beer contains, one-half of one per cent being all that the law allows for soft drinks. Saturday Sheriff Miller came over and loaded the blitz, three barrels of it, into his Ford and took it to Howell. It looks like a general clean up in the county as arrests have been made at Brighton and Fowlerville where drinks were being sold that contained even more alcohol than blitz. It is not thought that the hotel proprietor was aware of the amount of alcohol contained in the blitz.—Dispatch.

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The New Spring Coats are here, \$7.50, \$8.50, \$10.00, \$12.00, \$14.50 and \$17.00.
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The New Spring Skirts are here, \$3.00, \$4.50, \$5.00, \$6.50 and \$7.50.
The New Spring Shoes are here, any color or combination you want, \$3.50, \$4.50, \$5.00, \$6.00 and \$7.00.
The New Spring Neckwear Novelties are here, 25c, 50c and up to \$1.00.
The New Spring Corsets are here, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50 and \$3.00.

Men's Ready-to-Wear

The new Spring Suits are here, \$12.00, \$15.00, \$17.00 and \$20.00.
The Men's New Spring Hats are here, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50 and \$3.00.
Spring Caps, 50c and up to \$1.00.
New Spring Neckwear, 25c and 50c.
New Spring Shoes, black, tan and dark brown, \$3.00, \$4.00, \$5.00 and \$6.00.

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SYNOPSIS.

Pierpont Stafford, with his daughter Gloria, is wintering at Palm Beach. Gloria is a vivacious but wilful young lady who craves under the restraining hand of a governess from whom she repeatedly escapes. Her childish capers cause young Doctor Royce to fall in love with her. Becoming lost in the Everglades she falls into the hands of the Seminole Indians. Gloria falls in love with her rescuer, Frenau. Five years later she leaves school and meets Frenau at the theater. He has forgotten Gloria. Later Frenau persuades her to forgive him. Gloria's sister-in-law, Lois, becomes intensely jealous, and Doctor Royce discovers in her an ally. Frenau goes sleighing with Gloria. It results in pneumonia for Gloria, whose family becomes incensed at Frenau. Royce is summoned. Frenau's finances being low, he approaches Pierpont Stafford. Doctor Royce warns Frenau of his conduct. Lois threatens him with dire punishment. Her husband, Gloria's brother David, becomes suspicious. Frenau spends a week with Lois in the Catskills. He plans to have Mulry send Gloria a bunch of telegrams. After Frenau takes leave of Gloria she sees from her window an attack made upon him. Doctor Royce convinces her that what she has seen is the result of a delirium. Later, a telegram, followed by a letter, comes from Frenau. Gloria swears to find the murderer of her lover. Royce becomes alarmed and tells what he knows of Frenau to Mr. Stafford. Together they seek to prevent scandal from enveloping Gloria. She accuses them in her mind of conspiracy against her. Gloria sets about to run down Frenau's murderer. Royce warns Mulry to tell Gloria nothing. Gloria calls on Mulry and there sees Lois who is also worried. Gloria's suspicions are aroused. Royce endeavors to show her the difficulty she faces. Gloria goes to David's country home. She meets Mulry, who flees at once. Gloria insists on going to Palm Beach. Again she sees Mulry there. He leaves for the North. She is recognized by her one-time captor, the young Indian chief. He tells her that Royce did not Frenau was her rescuer at that time.

TWELFTH EPISODE

The young Indian chief who had found the girl Gloria, a tattered runaway, lost in the everglades, and had tried to marry her, had been the cause of her falling in love with Dick Frenau. After five years the Indian was still only a poor Seminole selling his wares to Palm Beach visitors. But Gloria had loved and lost, had been the unwitting object of Frenau's intrigues and the helpless witness of his murder.

Now the chief had attacked the only foundation of her trust in Frenau. The Indian had laughed at Gloria's story of the courage of Frenau and had given the credit for the battle to Doctor Royce. The young chief was in danger of unconsciously destroying the romance he had unconsciously begun. Doctor Royce had disclaimed the credit, and Gloria had been overcome with remorse at suspecting Frenau.

Still, the suspicion rested there. It



Gloria Returned Gradually to Consciousness.

In a faint, half-conscious state, Gloria found herself lying on a bed. She tried to sit up, but her head was too heavy. She felt a hand on her forehead, and a voice said, "Gloria, wake up." She opened her eyes and saw a man in a white coat, Doctor Royce, looking down at her. She felt a surge of joy and tried to speak, but her voice was hoarse. "Doctor Royce," she said, "I'm here." He smiled and said, "Good. You've been unconscious for several hours. How do you feel now?" Gloria sat up, and he helped her. She felt a little better, but her head was still dizzy. "I feel better," she said. "But my head is still dizzy." He nodded and said, "That's all right. It will pass. You've been through a lot, and your body needs rest. I'll give you some medicine to help you sleep. You'll feel better in the morning." Gloria nodded and closed her eyes. She felt a hand on her forehead, and a voice said, "Gloria, wake up." She opened her eyes and saw a man in a white coat, Doctor Royce, looking down at her. She felt a surge of joy and tried to speak, but her voice was hoarse. "Doctor Royce," she said, "I'm here." He smiled and said, "Good. You've been unconscious for several hours. How do you feel now?" Gloria sat up, and he helped her. She felt a little better, but her head was still dizzy. "I feel better," she said. "But my head is still dizzy." He nodded and said, "That's all right. It will pass. You've been through a lot, and your body needs rest. I'll give you some medicine to help you sleep. You'll feel better in the morning." Gloria nodded and closed her eyes.

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refused to go out. She sat while her father played solitaire. She played cards with him once or twice, but she was so absent-minded that he preferred to play alone or occasionally with Judge Freeman, a kind of relation—that is, he was the father of Gloria's brother David's wife, Lois.

One evening while the two old men were playing Doctor Royce dropped in. He found Gloria in a deeper lethargy than usual. He cudgelled his brains to think up something to interest her, but without success until the judge rose and said:

"I hate to quite when I am winning, Pierpont, but I'm overdue at the



Mulry Had Been Arrested for Speeding.

night court. I mustn't keep the criminals up late."

"That's it," muttered Royce.

"That's what?" Pierpont inquired.

Royce, startled from his reverie, apologized.

"I think Gloria needs diversion of some unusual sort, Mr. Stafford. Now, while I would not call Judge Freeman's decisions a diversion, exactly, I do think that his night court would be interesting enough to compel Gloria's thoughts."

"The very thing," said Pierpont. "It will appeal to her, and possibly she will try to mother some of your black sheep, if you'll let her, judge. Will you take us?"

"Of course; glad enough to have you," answered Freeman.

Gloria received the proposition languidly, but consented to be taken along. When they arrived at the courthouse they entered Judge Freeman's room. He donned his judicial robe and they followed him to the bench, where chairs were placed for them on either side of him. Everybody in the courtroom rose, as the judge entered and then sat down with him to the banquet of justice. Gloria sat at his left, and frequently he leaned toward her, explaining a case or answering a question.

She became at once another Gloria, vividly alive and interested in the human documents spread before her. Sometimes the row of faces seemed like her childish memories of the chamber of horrors in Mme. Tussaud's waxworks; then again the beauty and nobility of some countenance would completely bewilder her when the judge told her that it belonged to the worst confidence man in New York or to a professional beggar who would certainly refuse any offer of real work, however real the remuneration.

Gloria was constantly amazed at the judge's insight into human nature and his general fairness and discrimination. A ferocious Irishwoman of huge proportions begged protection of the court from a much battered and meek little husband whose head bore, among other decorations, the outline of the familiar flatiron. His face was almost lost in the wilderness of bandages and adhesive plasters. His legs were a complete wreck, and he clung to the officer's arm for support. The judge motioned the policeman to take the stand. As he did so the little man tried to follow him. He was restrained and upheld by another officer, who protected him from the threatening uppercut of the woman.

The policeman on the stand took the oath and tried to conceal his grin as he explained:

"Your honor, the lady had me to arrest her husband for assault and battery."

The spectators shook with laughter.

Even the solemn Gloria had to smother her snickers. The judge pounded on his desk for order. The court officers silenced the spectators.

The judge motioned the woman to the stand. The policeman stepped down. The injured innocent began to

talk on her way to the chair. She was interrupted to take the oath, and threatened the clerk, took the oath with indifference, and began at once to harangue the judge about the wickedness and brutality of her husband; "His croolty is somethin' awful. I demand protection for the poor, wake woman I am."

The judge tried to quiet her. She reached out her hand imploring help. Seeing Gloria, she appealed to her. Gloria recoiled in terror. It took two policemen to get the woman from the witness stand, but it would have taken a hundred to silence her. Next the timid little husband was put on the stand. He told his story briefly, and the judge sentenced him briefly to "Thirty days on the island for rest and recuperation." He received from the little man a smile of beatific gratitude; then he turned an unmistakable glare of triumph on the wife of his bosom and marched safely past her under the shelter of the police. The wife bustled out of the court through the spectators. They opened an alley quickly in the face of her wrath.

Next on the docket was a sad-eyed and timid Hungarian waiter. As he entered from the detention cell with the officers an agent of the Gerry society came from among the spectators leading a ragged little boy, seven or eight years of age. The waiter and the boy, father and son, flew to each other's arms. Then the waiter, casting one heart-broken glance at the boy, turned to the judge and poured forth his story. His name was Casimir; his son was Stas. He was out of work, with a sick wife, living in a miserable room. An ambulance had taken his wife to a hospital and then the law had taken his child away because he was unable to give it proper care. He had fought to keep the boy and had resisted an officer.

Gloria listened tensely while tears of sympathy gathered in her eyes. To her the man's story was finished. The judge shook his head sadly. He was powerless to restore the child to his father, and he was about to sign the paper committing him to the children's society when Gloria rose from her chair and commanded a halt in the proceedings.

The court was thunderstruck as she turned to the judge, crying:

"Give me the boy! I'll take care of him, and I'll get employment for his father."

The judge was amazed, but when he saw how serious Gloria was he murmured to Pierpont: "The child will be a toy for her. Let her have him." Pierpont groaned, and the judge nodded his consent, if not his approval. The judge conferred with Gloria, and she took a card from her case and underlined her address. The judge gave it to the father and said, "Tomorrow."

The father bowed and scraped to Gloria and, pushing the boy's head, made him bow, too. They went out at the gate together, so sure of protection henceforth that Gloria, the author of their contentment, sat back, proud and comfortable as a purring kitten.

She forgot her pride in the abrupt entrance of the man she had pursued in vain for weeks. It was Frank Mulry. An officer brought him forward. He had been arrested for speeding. He was indignant. Gloria crouched behind the judge's desk, so that Mulry could not see her while he explained: "I was going only eight miles an hour." The policeman laughed aloud with scorn and indicated that the speed was nearer eighty.

Gloria tugged at the judge's robe. He bent down to hear her whisper: "That's the man I've been chasing for weeks. Put him on ice till I can get at him." Judge Freeman nodded and ordered Mulry sent back to the cell.

Mulry pulled out a roll of money and looked inquiringly at the judge, but he shook his head in denial. Mulry was led away, crestfallen and disgusted. Dragged back to the detention room, he tried to bribe the policeman. This unheard-of insult was rejected and Mulry was thrown into a corner, while the policeman looked on the next candidate for Judge Freeman's consideration.

The officer called to a prisoner who had slumped on a bench with his back

to the others. He did not answer.

The policeman went to him and tapped him on the shoulder. The man turned suddenly in fright. He regained some composure as the policeman smiled at him. He smiled back craftily. Gloria and Royce were whispering and laughing together over Mulry's wrath. They did not see the new prisoner brought in. When he came to the bar the officer spoke as he handed up the complaint. The judge nodded wearily and said, "Plain drunk. First offense. Discharged."

At the sound of the judge's voice Gloria looked up. Her casual smile changed slowly to wonder, incredulity, conviction, wild excitement. She sprang to her feet, pointing at the man and trying to cry out. She toppled and swooned as Doctor Royce leaped to catch her.

The prisoner gaped in amazement and started to leave, but the policeman checked him. Royce carried Gloria out of the room, followed by Pierpont and the judge. Royce deposited Gloria on a divan and, putting a cushion under her feet, ran to fetch a glass of water from the ice water stand. He sprinkled her face lightly. The judge and Pierpont murmured together in bewilderment. Gloria returned gradually to consciousness, looked about, still dazed and wondering. At length she saw the judge, lifted herself to her feet, and, finally gaining her voice, pointed to the door, crying, "That man—that man is the murderer! saw him when he killed my Dick!"

She fairly assailed the judge to drive him back to the courtroom, crying "Quick! Quick! Stop him!"

The judge walked out more slowly than Gloria wished. Gloria started to follow. Pierpont restrained her. Royce tried to quiet her.

The crowd in the courtroom was still in a flurry of excitement when the court officer called for order. The tramp was greatly alarmed. He struggled with the policeman. The judge entered and paused with one foot on the step. He stared at the tramp, then back at the door, hesitated, set his jaws in stern resolution, motioned to the officer, and said, "Release him."

The policeman holding the tramp let him go. He threw a glance over his shoulder at the judge, then hurried through the gate and through the crowd and out. The judge waited a moment, pondering deeply.

An officer brought to the bar two fierce looking desperadoes. The judge motioned them to wait and left the courtroom, pausing at the door to control himself.

When Gloria saw the judge returning she ran to him demanding, "Is he there? Is he a prisoner?"

The judge shook his head and murmured, "He had gone when I got there."

Gloria flew into a fury and commanded, "Then send one after him."

The judge shrugged his shoulders, nodded, and went slowly back to the courtroom. The outside steps of the court were lighted by street lamps and the court lamps. Various people were loitering outside the courtroom or going up or down the stairs when the tramp came down, forcing his way through the crowd. He ran into a policeman standing there. The policeman gave him a shove and he hurried away.

Back in the retiring room Gloria thought hard a moment, then made up her mind, and darted for the door to the street.

Pierpont checked her. "Where are you going?"

Gloria answered, resolutely: "To find that man."

She tore the door open and rushed through. Royce seized his overcoat and dashed after her. Down the private stairs to the judge's room ran Gloria, followed a moment later by Royce. Reaching the street, Gloria stared up and down, wildly searching the crowd. She was frantic to see the tramp. She turned to Royce, questioning him suspiciously. "The judge let him go. Why?"

Royce shrugged his shoulders and tried to dismiss the riddle.

Gloria rounded on him with sudden doubt. "And you told me it was all a delirium. Why?"

Royce was startled by her tone.

He lowered his eyes before her, and then spoke suddenly: "It is too cold for you. I'll get your furs."

He tried to lead her inside. She refused. There seemed nothing for him to do but leave her there and go for her wraps.

She stared at the crowd, then on sudden impulse ran down the steps to a policeman standing on the walk. Timidly she tapped him on the arm. "The man who just went by so hurriedly—he was poorly dressed, had a slouch hat and a beard, did you see which way he went?" she asked.

The policeman pointed to the right and Gloria started immediately to run that way. The streets were lit ill and poor, but she hurried on with hardly a glance at her surroundings. To lose the real murderer now was unthinkable to her; to have had him there in the very arms of the law, the man whom she had seen actually do her lover to death, only to have him escape again, drove her into a frenzy.

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Her brain was whirling, her searching eyes ached and burned as they peered vainly ahead for the dread figure of the tramp. So absorbed was Gloria in her pursuit that she gave no thought to the dangers she was exposing herself to, and the dangers were many. It was a bad district, a very hotbed of crime and poverty. The hour was midnight and she was alone—a young and beautiful woman carrying money and jewels, as well as her own priceless girlhood, but the impetus of her search carried her on without a thought for her own safety.

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Suddenly she realized she was tired and weak, that she could actually go no farther, and that she must rest. As she slackened her pace she was alarmed at seeing a rough-looking man cross the street toward her; he reeled as he came on, so that she was further aroused to danger at thinking him under the influence of liquor. She did not know that this was one of the numerous dodges of the pickpocket and that she would have been safer with an actually intoxicated man. She looked up and down the street as far as she could see, but there were no policemen in sight, and, hearing steps

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All of us who have heard a certain lecturer on mountain climbing talk know how often she pauses to say that at just that point she stopped to nibble a cake of a famous brand of milk chocolate. At the boys' and girls'

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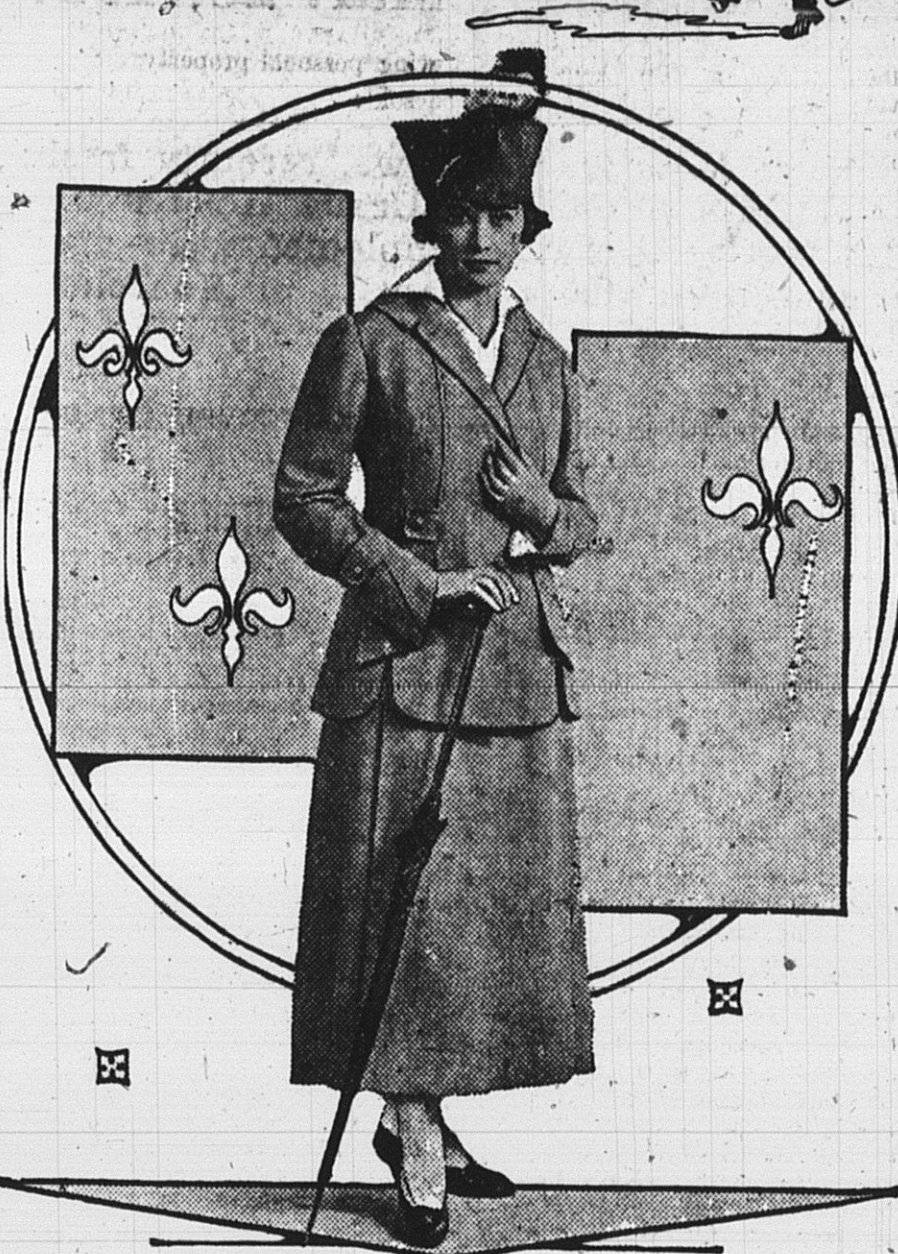
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What Well Dressed Women Will Wear



Well Garbed to Meet Easter.

Every tailored suit must stand the acid test of the most discriminating of all publics when it comes to the matter of suits. Long ago America won pre-eminence in this regard and not even Paris disputes it. Here is pictured one of the new spring models, in which any woman will delight to meet Easter. Even a brief glance at it reveals special features in its construction that will appeal to women with a fine sense of clothes. To begin with, it is made of wool poplin in tan (which is fashionable to call sand color), and it bespeaks the springtime. It is trimmed with stitched buttons and they can't be excused for imparting a finished smartness. The jacket is plain and beautifully shaped at the front. At the back, plait extending from the waistline to hem acknowledge the sway of this feature in spring styles. The skirt has plaits at each side at the back and front and a loose belt about the waist. The strap trimming appears in the hips, and it is as effective here as on the coat. The length as shown in the picture is correct, bringing the edge of the hem an inch or so below the shoe tops. A detachable collar and vestee of white pique is to be worn with this suit, or this dainty addition may be made of organdie or crepe. By this means the touch of immaculate freshness is always possible, and nothing is more dear to the heart of women.



Triumphs in Tailored Hats.

After all is said and done, the smart tailored hat holds the center of the stage in the drama of millinery. Just as the best tailored suits are paramount in the world of apparel. These are the two items that should receive first consideration in every woman's mind whenever she turns her attention to her wardrobe. It is better to economize in dressy clothes than in those intended for street wear, and in the latter, style and good workmanship are essentials, which women should be willing to pay for.

Whether we like it or not, we must reconcile ourselves to some advance in prices for both tailored suits and hats. It is impossible to produce them as cheaply as in former years, yet millinery has advanced less in price than almost any other article that women wear.

Three handsome tailored hats are shown above. The model at the left is of black straw braid with bell crown and narrow mushroom brim. It has a strictly tailored trim of white gros-grain ribbon and is a hat that is becoming to almost every face. The hat at the center of the group is an adaptation of the "coolie" hat from China and is intended for youthful wearers. On a black straw or satin turban the coolie crown—covered with even rows of narrow ribbons—is posed at a jaunty angle. The finish is as it should be, a handsome tassel.

Narrow Toes for Shoes.

Those who make women's shoes prophesy even a narrower toe for the spring than we have worn heretofore. It was thought by the women that ugliness in this line had gone far enough. Those who wore No. 4 now have to wear No. 5, on account of the sharply pointed toe. It may be that we will revive the medieval shoe along with the medieval clothes, if fanaticism goes much farther.

THE KITCHEN CABINET

Don't you ever stop to realize that no one is wholly indispensable in this world. Someone can take our places if we drop out. Why not accept all that is offered to us and get the most out of life we can?

GOOD COMPANY DISHES.

With eggs and butter so high we need to use both of these precious foods with care, hence cakes with large amounts of eggs or butter are quite too costly for everyday use.

Imperial Pound Cake.—To a half pound of softened, not melted, butter add a half pound of sugar; when well blended add the grated rind and juice of a lemon, a half cupful of citron, finely shredded, and a half pound of raisins, dredging the fruit with part of the flour. Sift a half pound of flour with a fourth of a teaspoonful of soda; the yolks of five eggs are added to the sugar and butter, the whites beaten stiff and added alternately with the flour. Add a half cupful of nut meats and bake in a tube pan an hour and a half in a moderate oven.

Orange Sauce to Serve With Roast Lamb.—Use a half cupful of gravy from the roast; make a brown sauce, using three fourths of a cupful of water, adding the gravy, two tablespoonfuls of flour, the juice of two oranges, and the finely shredded peeling of an orange which has been boiled in hot water five minutes then drained; season with salt, cayenne and the juice of a lemon.

Apple Fritters.—Make a batter of one and a third cupfuls of flour, two teaspoonfuls of baking powder and a fourth of a teaspoonful of salt, sifted together, and mixed with two-thirds of a cup of milk and an egg. Cut two sour apples into bits and stir into this batter. Drop by spoonfuls into hot fat and brown. Roll in powdered sugar and serve with roast pork or chops.

Caramel Sponge.—Soften a fourth of a package of gelatin in a fourth of a cupful of water. Brown a half cupful of sugar, then add a cupful of boiling water; stir until dissolved; add the gelatin and stir over ice water until the mixture thickens. Have ready two egg whites, beaten stiff; add them to the gelatin mixture, continue beating until it will hold its shape when turned into a mold. Serve with a cupful and a half of rich milk. Flavor with vanilla if desired.

Apricots and prunes stewed together make a very nice combination; use a little more sugar than with prunes alone, having equal amounts of prunes and apricots. By adding spices a nice conserve to serve with meats may be made.

Just whistle a bit if the day is dark, And the sky be overcast; If mirth be the voice of the piping lark, Why, pipe your own small blast.

DAINTIES FOR THE TEA TABLE.

A sandwich or two with a small cake or cookie with a cupful of tea is sufficiently sustaining for a light refreshment.

German Cookies.—Stir until foamy one and a third cupfuls of powdered sugar and three eggs, add a few drops of vanilla and two cupfuls of flour. Grease the tins, sprinkle with flour, then drop in teaspoonfuls in round heaps far enough apart so they do not touch and bake in a moderate oven.

Bund Kuchen.—Beat a half cupful of softened butter, with one-half cupful of sugar, four eggs, the grated rind of a lemon, one-half pound of raisins, one teaspoonful of salt; add a yeast cake, softened in a little warm water; one pint of luke-warm milk and three and three-quarters cupfuls of sifted flour. Work the dough with a wooden spoon, butter the pan well and sprinkle with flour, pour in the dough and let it rise for three hours in a warm place, then bake in a hot oven. Cover with paper if it browns too quickly.

Schwarzbrot Torte.—Cut in thin slices rye bread well dried, or dry it the oven, then grate fine. Pour over a cupful of the crumbs, a tablespoonful of vanilla and a half cupful of grape juice. Add two cupfuls of finely chopped almonds, four ounces of citron, the rind of a lemon, one teaspoonful of cinnamon, one teaspoonful of cloves, and a tablespoonful of flour. Now stir one and a third cupfuls of powdered sugar and the yolks of a dozen eggs until foamy, using four yolks to begin with and adding three by one, stirring well after each addition. Mix lightly, then add the stiffly beaten whites. Butter the baking pan, sprinkle with crumbs and put in the cake mixture. Bake forty-five minutes. If it browns too rapidly, cover with paper.

Butter Cookies.—Stir and beat a cupful of butter, one-half cupful of sugar, one whole egg and the yolks of two, flavor with almond and add two cupfuls of flour, sifted with a teaspoonful of baking powder. Cool for an hour, then cut out with a small cookie cutter, brush with the white of an egg and sprinkle with granulated sugar.

NEEDS MAXWELL

ARE YOUR KIDNEYS WEAK?

Thousands of Men and Women Have Kidney Trouble and Never Suspect It.

Nature warns you when the track of health is not clear. Kidney and bladder troubles cause many annoying symptoms and great inconvenience both day and night.

Unhealthy kidneys may cause lumbago, rheumatism, catarrh of the bladder, pain or dull ache in the back, joints or muscles, at times have headache or indigestion, as time passes you may have a salivary complexion, puffy or dark circles under the eyes, sometimes feel as though you had heart trouble, may have plenty of ambition but no strength, get weak and lose flesh.

If such conditions are permitted to continue, serious results may be expected; Kidney Trouble in its very worst form may steal upon you.

Prevalence of Kidney Disease.

Most people do not realize the alarm-

SPECIAL NOTE—You may obtain a sample size bottle of Swamp-Root by enclosing ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. This gives you the opportunity to prove the remarkable merit of this medicine. They will also send you a book of valuable information, containing many of the thousands of grateful letters received from men and women who say they found Swamp-Root to be just the remedy needed in kidney, liver and bladder troubles. The value and success of Swamp-Root are so well known that our readers are advised to send for a sample size bottle. Address Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. When writing be sure and mention this paper.

Little Lesson.

consider the hourglass, young man. It has no intricate machinery like the clock.

"What am I to learn from the hourglass?"

"It makes good on sand alone."

GIRLS! GIRLS! TRY IT, BEAUTIFY YOUR HAIR

Make It Thick, Glossy, Wavy, Luxuriant and Remove Dandruff—Real Surprise for You.

Your hair becomes light, wavy, fluffy, abundant and appears as soft, lustrous and beautiful as a young girl's after a "Danderine hair cleanse." Just try this—moisten a cloth with a little Danderine and carefully draw it through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. This will cleanse the hair of dust, dirt and excessive oil and in just a few moments you have doubled the beauty of your hair.

Besides beautifying the hair at once, Danderine dissolves every particle of dandruff; cleanses, purifies and invigorates the scalp, forever stopping itching and falling hair.

But what will please you most will be after a few weeks' use when you will actually see new hair—fine and downy at first—yes—but really new hair—growing all over the scalp. If you care for pretty, soft hair and lots of it, surely get a 25 cent bottle of Knowlton's Danderine from any store and just try it. Adv.

Song Birds in South Africa.

The assertion that the birds of South Africa are not song birds has been disproved.

THE 3 D'S IN DODD'S

Mr. Robert W. Ferguson, Hingham, Mass., writes: I suffered from kidney disorder for years. Had incessant backache and trouble. Nearly died from it at one time while in Vancouver, but overcame it by a persistent use of Dodd's Kidney Pills. Finally I was completely cured. I occasionally use the remedy now in order to keep the kidneys regulated. I have the highest praise for Dodd's. Be sure to get "DODD'S," the name with the three D's for deranged, disordered, diseased kidneys, just as Mr. Ferguson did. No similar named article will do.—Adv.

Contentment is a virtue, but even in the matter of virtues one should be aware of counterfeits

Technically speaking, a hair's breadth is seventeen ten-thousandths of an inch.

Farm Hands Wanted

Western Canada Farmers require 50,000 American farm labourers at once. Urgent demand sent out for farm help by the Government of Canada.

Good Wages Steady Employment

Low Railway Fares

Pleasant Surroundings Comfortable Homes

No Compulsory Military Service

Farm hands from the United States are absolutely guaranteed against conscription. This advertisement is to secure farm help to replace Canadian farmers who have enlisted for the war.

A splendid opportunity for the young man to ingate Western Canada's agricultural offerings, and to at but little expense.

Only Those Accustomed to Farming Not

For particulars as to railway rates and districts rec Motter, or any other information regarding Western Canada—write one

M. Y. MacINNES, 176 Jefferson Ave., Detroit.

Canadian Government Agent grade goods

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Rid the Skin

of disfiguring blemishes, by quickly purifying the blood, improving the circulation, and regulating the habits with

BEECHAM'S PILLS

Largest Sale of Any Medicine in the World. Sold everywhere. In boxes, 10c, 25c.

Her Penalty.

He—Does your father object to my staying so late?

She—No; pa says it serves me right for being in when you call.

"Can't Cut Off My Leg," Says Railroad Engineer

"I am a railroad engineer; about 20 years ago my leg was seriously injured in an accident out West. Upon my refusing to allow the doctor to amputate it I was told it would be impossible to heal the wound. I have tried all kinds of salves and had many doctors in the past 20 years, but to no avail. Finally I resolved to use PETERSON'S OINTMENT on my leg. You cannot imagine my astonishment when I found it was doing what over 100 things had failed to do. My leg is now completely cured."—Gus Haupt, 78 Myrtle Ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.

"It makes me feel proud to be able to produce an ointment like that," says Peterson. "Not only do I guarantee Peterson's Ointment for old sores and wounds, but for Eczema, Salt Rheum, Ulcers, Itching Skin and Blind, Bleeding or Itching Piles, and I put up a big box for \$5 cents, a price all can afford to pay and money back from your druggist if not satisfied." Adv.

Pneumatic boxing gloves have been invented by a Philadelphia sporting man.

Garfield Tea, taken regularly, will correct both liver and kidney disorders. Adv.

And money is also the root of many a family tree.

Nothing jolts a woman's sweet and trusting disposition like marriage.

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A CHANCE

You receive a check for something sold and take it to a bank and receive cash for it. You are taking the chance of losing the money by carelessness or theft—a chance the man who gave you the check would not take.

Learn by observation and deposit future checks in this bank. Pay your bills by check.

Farmers & Merchants Bank

FIRST-OLD DETROIT NATIONAL BANK

OVER \$60,000,000 of resources give to this bank a strength and dominance that are reflected in the service it is able to give to its clients. Correspondence is invited from banking institutions or general business concerns to whom a Detroit connection is desirable.

DETROIT

Frederick G. Broesamle

Republican Candidate
for

Township Clerk

(SECOND TERM)

Respectfully Solicits Your Vote at the Polls.

Herman J. Dancer

Republican
Candidate
For

Supervisor

Sylvan Township

Walter F. Kandlehner

CANDIDATE ON REPUBLICAN
TICKET FOR

Sylvan Township Treasurer

Your vote will be appreciated Monday, April 2nd, 1917

George W. Beckwith

Democratic
Candidate
for

Supervisor

Your Vote Will Be Appreciated

J. Edward McKune

Democratic Candidate
for

Township Treasurer

Expenses

5 PER CENT NET

No Taxes

Leads all others for safety, convenience and income.

Assets Over TWO MILLION Dollars

CAPITOL SAVINGS & LOAN ASSOCIATION

Lansing, Mich.

W. D. ARNOLD, Local Agent, Chelsea.

"FOR SALE" and "FOR RENT" signs for sale at the

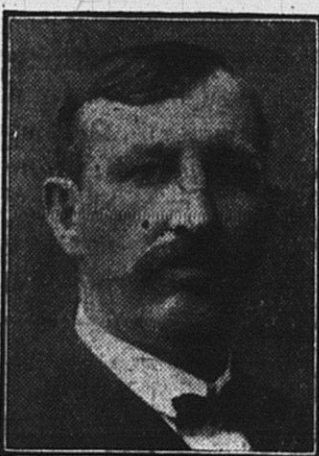
BREVITIES

JACKSON—Rev. Charles Howard Berry, of Iowa City, Iowa, has accepted the pastorate of the First Baptist church of this place.

YPSILANTI—The vulcanizer in the dental offices of Dr. G. A. Mills exploded Monday. The doctor chanced to be at a safe distance when it let go. The machine was completely wrecked, parts of it being embedded in the ceiling.—Record.

YPSILANTI—Attorney Tracy L. Towner, of Ypsilanti, is always in some kind of good luck. Not long ago his English bull terrier, Nipper, brought home an honest-to-goodness \$5 bill. Then last week someone delivered a ton of coal at his house. He does not know what dealer the coal came from or who ordered it, but he's got it. He just imagines, however, that in the course of time he'll get a bill for it.—Record.

ALBION—Acting on a special order issued Friday by Judge North of the circuit court, the wet goods secured in the recent raid of the foreign settlement were gotten rid of today, under the supervision of Sheriff Mallory and Prosecutor Cooper. Owing to the vigilance of these two officials none of it went down the throats of any individuals, unless those who opened the bottles and poured their contents into the sewer at the city engine house took a surreptitious nip or two. It was a big job to open each of the 3,600, more or less, bottles of beer and thirty odd gallons of whiskey but it was finally accomplished with several dry-tongued individuals protesting strenuously at such a waste of "good liquor." The bottles and cases were saved and will be returned, as the law does not provide for their retention.—Leader.



TO THE VOTERS:

Your loyal support of my candidacy for the Republican nomination for Circuit Judge in the recent primaries is deeply appreciated by me, and I desire to extend my thanks to you for your efforts in my behalf.

At this time I urge your support of George W. Sample for Circuit Judge. Mr. Sample is capable of filling the office in an able manner, and will make a good Judge for Washtenaw county; he is fair and square.

JOHN KALMBACH.



John P. Kirk, Democratic Candidate for Circuit Judge, has been in active practice of the law for the past twenty-eight years, with the exception of nine months service in the army during the Spanish-American war and seven months service caused by the recent Mexican disturbance. If his name is not on your ticket, and you desire to vote for him, place an X in the square opposite his name.

WHY WOMEN SUFFER.

Many Chelsea Women are Learning the Cause.

Women often suffer, not knowing the cause. Backache, headache, dizziness, nervousness. Irregular urinary passages weakness, languor—Each a torture of itself. Together hint at weakened kidneys. Strike at the root—get to the cause. No other remedy more highly endorsed than Doan's Kidney Pills. Recommended by thousands—Endorsed at home. Here's convincing testimony from a Chelsea woman. Mrs. Charles Grant, 604 S. Main St., Chelsea, says: "I suffered greatly from dull, nagging backaches and distressing pains over my kidneys. My kidneys were sluggish and didn't act regularly. Doan's Kidney Pills, procured from Penn's Drug Store, strengthened my back, relieved the aches and pains and corrected the annoyance from the kidneys. My back has not troubled me since."

Over Three Years Later, Mrs. Grant said: "I am glad to confirm my former statement recommending Doan's Kidney Pills. This medicine completely relieved me of kidney complaint." Price 50c. at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Grant has twice publicly recommended. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.—Adv.

AUCTION

There will be a public auction on the farm of Orville Gorton, one mile north and east of Waterloo Village, at 10 o'clock

Wednesday, Mar. 28, 1917

At which time the following personal property will be sold:

Four Horses; Six Cows, recently fresh; Ten Head of Good Grade Holsteins; a quantity of Farm Implements, in good condition; also a quantity of Household Furniture.

A GOOD LUNCH AND HOT COFFEE SERVED AT NOON

MARY RUNCIMAN, Administratrix

E. W. DANIELS, Auctioneer.

M. A. REITHMILLER, Clerk

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE Farmers & Merchants Bank

At Chelsea, Michigan, at the close of business March 5, 1917, as called for by the Commissioner of the Banking Department:

RESOURCES.		
Loans and discounts, viz:—		\$ 60,012 46
Savings Department.....		35,800 00—\$101,812 46
Bonds, mortgages and securities, viz:—		
Commercial Department.....	30,138 24	
Savings Department.....	250,494 65—	280,632 89
Premium account.....	300 00	
Overdrafts.....	2 28	
Banking house.....	2,800 00	
Furniture and fixtures.....	1,000 00	
Due from other banks and bankers.....		4,550 00
Items in transit.....		
Reserve.....		
Due from banks in reserve cities.....	Commercial.....	\$21,027 52
Exchanges for clearing house.....	Savings.....	\$14,000 00
U. S. and National bank currency.....		4,602 00
Gold coin.....		1,257 50
Silver coin.....		2,228 15
Nickels and cents.....		620 31
		61 42
Checks, and other cash items.....		\$81,130 50
		\$61,961 42—
Total.....		\$98,091 92

LIABILITIES.		
Capital stock paid in.....		\$25,000 00
Surplus.....		25,000 00
Undivided profits, net.....		5,622 24
Dividends unpaid.....		
Commercial deposits subject to check.....		\$ 79,682 82
Certified checks.....		18 10
Cashiers' checks outstanding.....		540 00
Savings deposits (book accounts).....		308,316 96
Savings certificates of deposit.....		46,509 11—
Total.....		\$489,149 53

State of Michigan, County of Washtenaw, ss.
I, P. G. Schable, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief and correctly represents the true state of the several matters therein contained, as shown by the books of the bank.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of March, 1917.
L. F. Runciman, Notary Public.
My commission expires November 18, 1920.

Correct—Attest:
O. C. Burkhardt } Directors.
J. F. Waltrous
John Kalmbach

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE Kempf Commercial & Savings Bank

At Chelsea, Michigan, at the close of business March 5th, 1917, as called for by the Commissioner of the Banking Department:

RESOURCES.		
Loans and discounts, viz:—		\$163,035 14
Savings Department.....		52,145 26—\$215,180 40
Bonds, mortgages and securities, viz:—		
Commercial Department.....	28,393 54	
Savings Department.....	321,278 34—	351,671 88
Premium Account.....	None	
Overdrafts.....	246 97	
Banking house.....	15,000 00	
Furniture and fixtures.....	5,000 00	
Other real estate.....	2,822 91	
Due from other banks and bankers.....		27,199 90
Items in transit.....		
Reserve.....		
United States bonds.....	Commercial.....	\$ 2,500 00
Due from banks in reserve cities.....	Savings.....	\$1,959 81
Exchanges for clearing house.....		6,035 00
U. S. and National bank currency.....		10,000 00
Gold coin.....		6,072 50
Silver coin.....		1,800 00
Nickels and cents.....		125 67
Checks, and other cash items.....		\$40,882 85
		\$67,459 81—
Total.....		\$282,862 66

LIABILITIES.		
Capital stock paid in.....		\$ 40,000 00
Surplus fund.....		40,000 00
Undivided profits, net.....		23,248 16
Dividends unpaid.....		81 00
Commercial deposits subject to check.....		\$129,829 12
Certified checks.....		43,755 65
Cashiers' checks outstanding.....		27 50
Savings deposits (book accounts).....		300 00
Savings certificates of deposit.....		418,281 99
		44,601 42—
Total.....		\$415,024 84

State of Michigan, County of Washtenaw, ss.
I, John L. Fletcher, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief and correctly represents the true state of the several matters therein contained, as shown by the books of the bank.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of March, 1917.
D. L. Rogers, Notary Public.
My commission expires April 16, 1919.

Correct—Attest:
D. C. McLaren } Directors.
D. Edw. Beach
H. S. Holmes

Probate Order.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw, ss. 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 22nd day of February, in the year one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

Present, Emory E. Leland, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Ellen Keelan, deceased.

On reading and filing the duly verified petition of Paul G. Schable, executor, praying that said estate may be granted to Arthur Keelan or some other suitable person, and that appraisers and commissioners be appointed.

It is ordered, that the 27th 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.

EMORY E. LEELAND, Judge of Probate. (A true copy.) Dorcas C. Donegan, Register.

Probate Order

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw, ss. 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 23rd day of February, in the year one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

Present, Emory E. Leland, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Theodore E. Wood, deceased.

On reading and filing the duly verified petition of Paul G. Schable, executor, praying that said estate may be granted to Theodore E. Wood or some other suitable person, and that appraisers and commissioners be appointed.

It is ordered, that the 27th 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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LEAVE YOUR ORDER for Saturday Evening Post and Ladies Home Journal at the Standard office.

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Notice of Meeting to Determine the Necessity of Proposed Drain.

To Whom It May Concern: Be it known that on the 8th day of March, A. D. 1917, an application was filed with E. J. Doane, County Drain Commissioner of the County of Ingham, praying for the locating and establishing of a certain drain, which said drain is described in said application as follows:

Beginning at a point in Grand River about 40 rods N and 20 rods W of the center of Section 11, Blackman Township, County of Jackson, thence running in a SE $\frac{1}{4}$ ly course up to a point 100 rods N and 8 rods E of the SW corner of Section 12, Township of Blackman, and thence running in a NE $\frac{1}{4}$ ly course up to a point 120 rods S of the NE corner of Section 15, Township of Blackman, thence running in an Ely course up to a point where the Portage River intersects the N and S $\frac{1}{4}$ line of Section 5, T 2 S, R 1 E, thence running in a NE $\frac{1}{4}$ ly course up to a point where the highway intersects the Portage River in Section 3 in T 2 S, R 1 E, thence continuing in a NE $\frac{1}{4}$ ly course up to a point where the highway intersects the Portage River in Section 36, T 1 S, R 1 E, thence NE $\frac{1}{4}$ ly in T 1 S, R 1 E, to the center of Section 25, thence continuing NW $\frac{1}{4}$ ly across Section 25 to a point about 40 rods E of N $\frac{1}{4}$ post of said Section 25, thence Nly to a point about 80 rods S of the center of Section 24, thence NE $\frac{1}{4}$ ly across the W $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 24, to section line between Sections 24 and 13, Henrietta Township, thence Nly across Section 13 to a point 80 rods E of the NW corner thereof, thence NW $\frac{1}{4}$ ly across the SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 12, of the NE $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 11, thence NW $\frac{1}{4}$ ly across Section 2 to the Base Line at a point about 90 rods E of the NW corner of said Section 2, T 1 S, R 1 E, thence Nly across the E $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 25, T 1 N, R 1 E, thence NW $\frac{1}{4}$ ly across the SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 26, thence NE $\frac{1}{4}$ ly to the N line of said Section 26, thence Nly across Sections 23, 14 and 11 to a point about 20 rods W of the NE corner of Section 11, thence NW $\frac{1}{4}$ ly to the upper terminus of said proposed drain at a point about the center of Section 2, T 1 N, R 1 E.

Be it further known that on the 30th day of March, A. D. 1917, a meeting will be held at the Grange Hall in the Village of Munn, Jackson County, at ten o'clock in the forenoon for the purpose of determining whether the said proposed drain is necessary and conducive to the public health, convenience and welfare; that at such meeting all persons owning lands liable to assessments for benefits, or whose land will be crossed by the said drain, may appear for or against said drain proceedings.

Given under our hands this 20th day of March, A. D. 1917.

E. J. DOANE,
County Drain Commissioner of the County of Ingham.

E. E. COCHRANE,
County Drain Commissioner of the County of Jackson.

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