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Report of the Condition of the Kempf Commercial & Savings Bank

Table with columns for RESOURCES and LIABILITIES, listing various assets and liabilities of the Kempf Commercial & Savings Bank.

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.

Report of the Condition of the Farmers & Merchants Bank

Table with columns for RESOURCES and LIABILITIES, listing various assets and liabilities of the Farmers & Merchants Bank.

State of Michigan, County of Washtenaw, ss. I, P. G. Schaible, 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.

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WHO OWN CHELSEA BANKS

Capitalists Who Own Stock In Local Strong Boxes.

Complying with the provision of a state law, both of the Chelsea banks have recently filed lists of their stockholders and the number of shares owned by each with the county clerk, as follows:

- Kempf Commercial & Savings Bank. C. H. Kempf Est., 90, Chelsea, Mich. C. Klein, 20, Chelsea, Mich. Edw. Vogel, 36, Chelsea, Mich. W. W. Gifford, 9, Detroit, Mich. Otto D. Luick, 13, Dexter, Mich. D. Edward Beach, 10, Dexter, Mich. Margaret Fenn, 1, Chelsea, Mich. H. H. Fenn, 3, Chelsea, Mich. Andros Gulde, 5, Chelsea, Mich. John L. Fletcher, 10, Chelsea, Mich. D. C. McLaren, 21, Chelsea, Mich. John R. Kempf, 32, Detroit, Mich. E. S. Spaulding, 10, Chelsea, Mich. N. P. BeGole, 6, Chelsea, Mich. L. P. Vogel, 10, Chelsea, Mich. H. S. Holmes, 100, Chelsea, Mich. Jacob Haist, 5, Chelsea, Mich. Christian Ernst, 4, Manchester, Mich. C. J. Chandler, 10, Detroit, Mich. Emilie C. Heffer, 2 1/2, Cadillac, Mich. Flora J. Heffer, 2 1/2, Cadillac, Mich.

Farmers & Merchants Bank.

- M. Kusterer Est., 3, Sharon. Geo. J. Loeffler, 3, Freedom. Arnold H. Kuhl, 5, Sharon. John Grau, 4, Freedom. Dick Clark, 2, Lyndon. Fred Lutz, 5, Freedom. John F. Waltrous, 15, Lima. Ricka Kalmbach, 3, Sylvan. Fred Heydlauff, 2, Chelsea. Martha A. Kusterer, 2, Chelsea. W. H. Eisenman, 6, Freedom. Herman Pierce, 2, Lima. Jacob Haist, 2, Lima. Chas. H. Buss, 2, Freedom. Michael Merkel, 2, Chelsea. Henry Huehl, 5, Freedom. E. D. Chipman, 2, Chelsea. John Wenk, 2, Freedom. Roena Waltrous, 2, Sylvan. Louis Feldkamp, 8, Freedom. Ida M. Palmer, 10, Chelsea. Simon Hirth, 2, Chelsea. Frank Feldkamp, 3, Lima. Michael Schiller, 2, Freedom. Martin Wenk, 3, Freedom. Joseph Wenk, 3, Freedom. John Farrell, 13, Chelsea. C. H. Kalmbach, 10, Sylvan. E. F. Cooper, 2, Lima. John Lucht, 5, Lima. George Hinderer, 2, Freedom. Christian Grau, 10, Freedom. Jas. H. Guthrie, 12, Sylvan. Emanuel Schenk, 3, Freedom. Mary J. Miller, 2, Chelsea. Margaret Miller, 1, Chelsea. O. C. Burkhart, 10, Chelsea. John Kalmbach, 10, Chelsea. Peter Merkel, 10, Chelsea. Lewis Geyer, 10, Freedom. Leo Merkel, 5, Sylvan. Michael Wackenhut, 2, Jackson. Paul G. Schaible, 12, Chelsea. E. W. Daniels, 1, Dexter, Mich. John Hummel, 2, Chelsea. Albert Fahrner, 4, Sylvan. Clara K. Feldkamp, 5, Sharon. Ed. Weiss, 5, Lima. John S. Cummings, 5, Chelsea. Amanda Feldkamp, 2, Freedom. Conrad Lehman, 3, Chelsea. Nellie E. Gorman, 1, Chelsea. Mary P. Taylor, 2, Chelsea. Orja Taylor, 3, Detroit, Mich.

NORTH SYLVAN GRANGE.

North Sylvan grange will hold an evening meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Broesamle on Friday evening, May 11. The program follows:

- Piano solo—Kenneth Broesamle. Roll call—Answered by jest and jollity. Song—Grange. Subject of discussion by the ladies—Is the modern woman an improvement over that of sixty years ago? Recitation—Allen Foster. Piano and violin duet—Roy Kalmbach, Kenneth Broesamle. Discussion by the men—Can the farmer employ city help to advantage? Music—Grange choir.

BEANS FOR JEWELS.

The high price of beans has resulted in their being used for settings in jewelry, and at least one Chelsea man, Reuben Hieber, has had a bean mounted in a scarf-pin and is wearing it daily. Incidentally, it is interesting to note that a carload of beans shipped last week by D. C. McLaren invoiced over \$7,000, which certainly places the navy bean in the semi-precious jewel class.

BAY VIEWERS MAY JOIN STATE FEDERATION

President of State Woman's Clubs Here Last Evening.

At a meeting held last evening at the home of Miss Jessie Everett, Mrs. Florence Bulson of Jackson addressed the members of the Bay View club on the question of the "Federation of State Woman's Clubs." Mrs. Bulson is president of the state federation and said in part:

Better and more systematic work can be accomplished when all are working to some definite aim. This world is too full of vital questions for any one club to be exclusively a culture club. We have outgrown that. Dr. Wylie said: "Had it not been for the women's clubs we would never had the pure food law." In every community there are problems of civic improvement, education and amusements that need betterment. Your club can take these problems one by one and accomplish something.

At the close of the talk the club voted ten dollars to be given to the Red Cross work.

LANSING MAN'S NEW REO CAR FOUND HERE

Purchased Saturday Morning at Nine O'clock; Stolen Same Evening; Found Here Sunday.

Faye Dunning of Lansing purchased a brand new six-cylindered, seven passenger Reo motor-car Saturday morning about nine o'clock. Eleven hours later the car was stolen from a downtown street in the capitol city. The car was found in Chelsea, Sunday, where it had been abandoned some time during the night in front of Gottlob Hieber's residence on South Main street.

Residents in that vicinity noted the fine new car early Sunday, but supposed it was stalled and that some one would call for it later. At noon the car was still there and so the officers were notified.

Officer Howard Brooks telephoned the Lansing chief of police and the ownership of the car was soon settled. Mr. Dunning and son arrived in Chelsea on the 5:45 p. m. interurban car and claimed their property. The car was practically uninjured and its owners drove it home the same evening.

LIKED ALL HIGH CLUB.

The All High Club of St. Mary's academy, Chelsea, gave a very pleasing entertainment at the opera house, Tuesday evening, when they presented the play, The Dear Boy Graduates. The members of the cast all took their parts very finely and the fact that the audience was small did not lessen in any way the excellence of their work, which was fine in every particular and a credit to both the club and the school. Musical numbers, both vocal and instrumental, were rendered between the acts by members of the club, and the entire entertainment was well received and thoroughly enjoyed.—Dexter leader.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS (Official)

Council Rooms, Chelsea, May 7, 1917.

Council met in regular session. Meeting called to order by President Lehman. Present—Trustees Dancer, Hirth, Frymuth and Meyer. Absent—Palmer, Eppler. Minutes of the previous regular meeting, April 16, read and approved.

The following bills were read by the clerk: General Fund. H. E. Cooper, 1/2 mo. salary \$ 32.00 H. D. Armstrong, insurance 55.00 L. T. Freeman, 10 fumigators 2.50 Howard Brooks, 18 men Holmes & Walker fire 18.00

Street Fund. Gil. Martin, 172 hrs. @ .20 \$ 34.40 G. Beckers, 3 weeks 30.00 Wm. Wolff, 70 hrs. @ .50 35.00 G. W. Berry, 6 brooms 6.00

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

Yeas—Dancer, Hirth, Frymuth, Meyer. Nays—None. Carried. Moved by Hirth, supported by Dancer, that the Electric Light & Water Works commission be instructed to extend the water mains from the nearest point in the present system to the site of the Chelsea Steel Ball company on Hayes street.

Yeas—Dancer, Hirth, Frymuth, Meyer. Nays—None. Carried. Moved by Dancer, supported by Frymuth, that he be appointed clerk.

WARREN R. DANIELS, Clerk.

CLAIRE ROWE BREAKS POLE VAULT RECORD

Chelsea High School Lad is Star Athlete at Kalamazoo Track Meet.

Claire Rowe of Lyndon, a student at the Chelsea high school, covered himself and incidentally his school with glory Saturday when he shattered the pole vault record at the Kalamazoo college interscholastic track field meet.

The Lyndon lad's height was 10 feet and 8 inches. The previous record, made by Workman of Plainwell in 1915, was 9 feet and 10 inches. Rowe's performance was easily the big feature of the meet. A remarkable part of Rowe's achievement is that it is entirely the result of his own effort and practical without the support of his fellow students. He has practised faithfully and made the trip to Kalamazoo alone. There were no friendly spectators to cheer and encourage him to do his best, but he had confidence in himself and his surprising performance at Kalamazoo stands out as a shining example of what ability coupled with a liberal amount of "stick-to-it-iveness" can accomplish.

NEIGHBORHOOD BREVITIES

Interesting Items Clipped and Culled From Our Exchanges.

GRASS LAKE—Two new garages will be built here this spring. Cook & Hickman will build near the D. J. & C. tracks and Maurer Bros. on lots west of the electric light plant.

SALINE—Through the kindness and generosity of Mrs. William H. Davenport of this village, the Saline Library association is to have a beautiful and modern new building to take the place of the building which has been the home of the library for about 14 years, or since a few months after its organization. Mrs. Davenport was also the donor of the present library building.—Observer.

WANTED, FOR SALE, TO RENT

Advertising under this heading, 5 cents per line for first insertion, 2 1/2 cents per line for each additional consecutive insertion. Minimum charge for first insertion, 15 cents. Special rate, 3 lines or less, 3 consecutive times, 25 cents.

FOR RENT—One or two fields for beans. J. S. Gorman, Chelsea. 6913

FOR SALE—Nice white sow and seven pigs. W. S. Pielmeier, phone 155-F4, Chelsea. 6911

FOR SALE—Small quantity furniture, cheap if taken at once. Harry Davis, over Farrell's grocery. 6912

FOR SALE—Good Osborne mowing machine. Can be seen at Tribune office. O. C. Burkhart, Chelsea, Mich. 6913

FOR SALE—Thorough bred foxhound puppies; or will trade for good quality seed potatoes. Inquire at VanTyne farm, just north of Chelsea. 6913

LOST—Roll of paper money, Monday, April 30th, somewhere in Chelsea. Reward for return to A. J. Munn, phone 42, Chelsea. 6713

FOR SALE—I. C. riding plow. F. H. Helsler, Chelsea. 6713

LOST—Pair ball bearing roller skates. Liberal reward for return to Billie Russell, Chelsea. 6712

FOR SALE—Eight room modern residence, 519 McKinley St. Phone 42 for particulars. 611f.

FOR SALE—House, lot and barn on East Middle St. Extensive repairs just completed. Howard S. Holmes, Chelsea. 541f

FOR SALE—Modern residence, South and Grant streets. William Fahrner, Chelsea. 641f

FOR SALE—Modern house with barn, also extra lot, at 239 Park St. Write J. H. Riley, 170 Grove Ave., Highland Park, Mich. 661f

FOR SALE—About 60 bushels good variety late seed potatoes. J. H. Boyd, phone 241, Chelsea. 651f

AUTO LIVERY—Dodge car service at reasonable rates, any hour. Phone 107-W, or see Hazen Leach, Chelsea. 671f

FOR SALE—A few S. C. White Leghorn and White Rock chickens; also two incubators, a Buckeye, 100 egg; and Prairie State, 150 egg, nearly new. Jack Willis, Box 41, Chelsea. 6713

SALE OR EXCHANGE—Eighty acre farm in Ingham county, fair buildings, on milk and mail route, telephone line and main travelled road, about 1/4 mile to rural school; \$75 per acre, easy terms, will consider Chelsea residence property in part payment. L. W. B., care Tribune office. 491f.

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Ford THE UNIVERSAL CAR TO OWNERS OF FORD CARS. The Ford Motor Company, of Detroit, appointed us authorized agents for Ford cars in this territory, to properly represent Ford interests, to give service to Ford owners. The Company in return demands that we equip and maintain an adequate service station, employing competent Ford mechanics, using only genuine Ford-made materials and charging regular Ford prices. This is the service we are giving to Ford owners. Material—workmanship—prices, the standard of each guaranteed. When your Ford car needs attention, bring it to us, and get the benefit of expert Ford mechanics. We give you the assurance of genuine Ford service, with genuine Ford-made parts. Touring Car, \$367; Runabout, \$352; Coupelet, \$512; Sedan, \$652—F. O. B. Chelsea. Place your order now. PALMER MOTOR SALES COMPANY Chelsea, Michigan.

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The Sure Drop—The Most Accurate Dropper. The Sure Drop—The Most Accurate Checker. The Sure Drop—Does Not Scatter the Hill. The Sure Drop—Does Not Break the Kernel. The Sure Drop—Has the Simplest and Best Drive. The Sure Drop—Is Equipped with Plates for Handling Greatest Variety of Seeds. Construction of all High Carbon steel and Malleable Iron making a strong, light machine. These are our claims. Every one can make claims; we can square every claim we make. Come in and let us go over the features of this planter with you. It will convince you that it is the planter to buy.

Phone 66-W HINDELANG & FAHRNER Chelsea

WANTED - Ten or fifteen pounds of guaranteed pure Michigan maple sugar. Inquire at the Tribune office for particulars. J. S. A. Columbia Falls, Montana. Also want bushel butternuts. FOR SALE—Old newspapers for wrapping, shelves, etc. Large bundle only five cents at the Tribune office. WANTED—People in this vicinity who have any legal printing required in the settlement of estates, etc., to have it sent to the Chelsea Tribune. The rates are universal in such matters, and to have your notices appear in this paper it is only necessary to ask the probate judge to send them to the Chelsea Tribune.

BROKEN DOWN IN HEALTH

Woman Tells How \$5 Worth of Pinkham's Compound Made Her Well.

Lima, Ohio.—"I was all broken down in health from a displacement. One of my lady friends came to see me and she advised me to commence taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and to use Lydia E. Pinkham's Sanative Wash. I began taking your remedies and took \$5.00 worth and in two months was a well woman after three doctors said I never would stand up straight again. I was a midwife for seven years and I recommended the Vegetable Compound to every woman to take before birth and afterwards, and they all got along so nicely that it surely is a godsend to suffering women. If women wish to write to me I will be delighted to answer them."
—Mrs. JENNIE MOYER, 342 E. North St., Lima, Ohio.

Women who suffer from displacements, weakness, irregularities, nervousness, backache, or bearing-down pains, need the tonic properties of the roots and herbs contained in Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Do you ever have the "blues"?

That discouraged feeling often comes from a disordered stomach, or an inactive liver. Get your digestion in shape and the bile acting properly—then the "blues" will disappear. You will soon be cheerful, if you take

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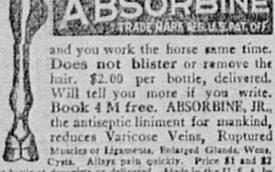
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Men and Women

Women as well as men are made miserable by kidney and bladder trouble. Dr. Kilmor's Swamp-Root, the great kidney medicine, is highly recommended by thousands. Swamp-Root stands the highest for the reason that so many people say it has proved to be just the remedy needed in cases of even the most distressing cases. At drug stores in 50c and \$1.00 sizes. You may receive a sample size bottle of Swamp-Root by Parcel Post, also a pamphlet telling you about it. Address Dr. Kilmor & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., and enclose ten cents, also mention this paper.

He Couldn't Help It.

Sydney had been returning from school for several days with a naughty boy, so his mother said: "Sydney, I don't want you to associate with Stanley; I want you to select the nicest little boy in your school to walk home with." Next day he returned with Stanley again. "Why didn't you do as I told you, Sydney?" his mother asked. "Well, mother, I think Stanley's mother must have told him to pick out the nicest little boy in school, because he always picks out me."

Kill the Flies Now and Prevent

disease. A DAISY FLY KILLER will do it. Kills thousands. Lasts all season. All dealers or write express paid for \$1. H. SOMERS, 150 De Kalb Ave., Brooklyn, N. Y. Adv.

The manufacture of oil from birch bark is becoming an important industry in the southern states.

Even if babies were disposed to talk sense it is doubtful whether their mamma would let them.

Don't judge a woman by the company she is compelled to keep.

Sore Eyes

Granulated Eyelids. Eyes inflamed by exposure to Sun, Dust and Wind quickly relieved by Murine Eye Remedy. No Smarting, just Eye Comfort. At Drugists or by mail 50c per Bottle. Murine Eye Remedy in Tubes 25c. For Book of the Eye FREE ask Murine Eye Remedy Co., Chicago.

EXPLAINS METHODS OF OPERATION OF ARMY DRAFT LAW

EXPLICIT INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE GUIDANCE OF THOSE HAVING MATTER IN CHARGE.

COUNTY OFFICIALS TO ACT

Their Duties Designated, With the Governors of Each State Placed at the Head of All Registration Machinery—Voting Places to Be Used as Centers of Gatherings.

Washington.—To facilitate the work of raising the military forces called for by the army draft law, now in effect, the war department has issued the following letter of instruction, by which all officials connected with the duty will be governed:

The approval of the new national army bill and the president's proclamation thereunder have been coincident. All persons within the age limits prescribed are required to present themselves for registration at the customary voting places in the voting precincts in which they have their permanent homes, on a day which the president will announce.

There was a time in the country's history when military enumerators, backed by bayonets, went out among the people to take a compulsory service census. Today, under the principle of universal liability to service, the execution of the law is put into the hands of the people.

The governor of each state is the chief of registration therein. The machinery of registration in each county is in charge of the sheriff, the county clerk, and the county physician, acting ex officio, unless a different board shall be announced by the governor. In cities containing populations of more than 30,000, the registration will be under the control of the mayor and selected boards of registration. In order that the designated county and city officials, and the people generally, can get a clear understanding of the census methods the following brief outline is given:

The sheriffs, or other designated officials, immediately upon receiving notice from the governor, shall appoint registrars for each voting precinct.

Apportionment of Registrars.
The proportion of registrars shall be one for each 170 persons to be registered. Each age to be registered will comprise about 1 per cent of the population.

If, for instance, all men between nineteen and twenty-five years of age, inclusive, are to be registered, the registrar would have to enroll about 7 per cent of the precinct population.

It is desirable to accept the services of competent volunteer registrars to serve without compensation. All registrars must be sworn.
The voting place in each precinct must be prepared for registration. Full printed instructions covering every detail of registration will be in the hands of sheriffs and mayors on the fifth day after the president's proclamation.

Cities of Over 30,000 Population.
The mayor of a city containing more than 30,000 inhabitants, or the officials designated by the governor therein, shall, with approval of the governor, appoint for each ward or convenient minor subdivision containing about 30,000 people one registration board, and shall designate one officer of each board to perform duties similar to those imposed on the sheriff, as heretofore outlined. If the mayor desires, he may appoint a central board to coordinate the work of minor boards.

Duties of County Clerks, and of Clerks of Cities of Over 30,000 People.

On the fifth day after the president has issued his proclamation, clerks of counties and cities of over 30,000 must secure a supply of blanks and copies of the registration regulations from the sheriff or from the mayor. Absentees and the sick will apply to such clerks to have their registration cards filled out. In no case shall such persons be given registration certificates. They are to be instructed by the clerk that the burden is on them to see to it that the cards reach the registrars of their home precincts by registration day.

Absentees and the Sick.
Persons absent from their home counties may be registered by mail. If so absent, a man should go to the clerk of the county where he may be staying, on the sixth day after the date of the president's proclamation. If he is in a city of over 30,000 population, the city clerk is the official to whom to apply. The absentee will be told how to register, but he must mail his card in time to reach his precinct by registration day.

Persons too sick to present themselves for registration must send a competent person to the county or city clerk on the sixth day after the is-

CONTROL OF FOOD SUPPLIES

Measure Introduced in Congress to Give President Full Authority in the Matter.

Washington.—Governmental control of food, fuel, clothing and other necessities of life is contemplated in a bill which Representative Lever introduced. The measure has administrative support.
The bill would bring every agency connected with the food supply under

of the proclamation. The clerk will give instructions for registration. Colleges, Universities, Homes and Other Institutions.

Officials of educational, charitable and other institutions should apply for instructions to the county or city clerk on the sixth day after the date of the proclamation for instructions as to a convenient method of registration.
The wardens of jails, penitentiaries, and reformatories should apply to the county or city clerk for instructions on the sixth day.

Five days after the date of the president's proclamation complete regulations will be in the hands of all sheriffs and of the officials of cities of over 30,000 population.

The president is authorized to call upon all public officers to assist in the execution of the law. The plan is, however, to rely on the people for the proper execution of the law. It is expected that patriotic citizens will offer their services free as registrars. Such edged. Volunteers for this service should communicate immediately with the proper official.

BANKS ASKED TO CO-OPERATE

Secretary Authorizes Financial Institutions to Receive Subscriptions for the Bond Offerings.

Washington.—Secretary McAdoo telegraphed the entire list of 27,513 national and state banks and trust companies in the United States, authorizing them to receive subscriptions for the \$2,000,000,000 bond offering, enlisting their co-operation, and requesting them to telegraph a rough estimate of the amount of bonds each would take for itself and its patrons.

"You can render an invaluable service to your country," Mr. McAdoo told the banks, "by receiving subscriptions and co-operating with the federal reserve bank in your district."

Loan Subscriptions Pour In.
To all clearing house associations in the country Mr. McAdoo sent a telegram in which he said:

"The amount of the initial loan has been determined by the needs of the government and not arbitrarily. The enthusiastic and patriotic co-operation of the banks and bankers of the country will guarantee the success of the undertaking."
The result of the first announcement of the loan has been a deluge of subscriptions, aggregating many millions. Most of these came in by wire to the treasury. Virtually every large city and every state in the Union was represented.

Lend \$100,000,000 to Italy.

Negotiations continued today with representatives of the nations to which the United States is extending credit. Count di Cellerio, the Italian ambassador, received the full amount of the first \$100,000,000 loan made by this government to Italy.

Subscriptions to the second offering of treasury certificates were received during the day by the federal reserve banks. Indications are that the secretary will call for the proceeds within a week, possibly a few days.

The \$100,000,000 loan to France will be turned over to Ambassador Jusserand, in whole or part, within a day or so.

MAY CENTER IN WASHINGTON

Probability That One Committee Will Purchase All Supplies Needed by the Allied Countries.

Washington.—Creation of a central purchasing committee in Washington for all supplies bought in the United States for the allied governments was forecast here by Sir Hardman Lever, financial expert of the British war mission. The committee will supplant J. P. Morgan & Co.
Discussing the world financial situation, the British expert expressed the opinion that Germany will be practically bankrupt in the credit markets after the war.
"Our enemies," he said, "for all their boasted efficiency, have never had the courage to face their financial problems, with the result that when the war is over they will be hard put to it."

The Teutonic governments having pyramided one internal loan upon another, he explained, their interest charges would be so great that he believed they would either have to repudiate a large part of their debt or face inability to buy the enormous quantities of material they would need for reconstruction.

The allies, he added, had paid their way in the war "by the straightforward and natural means, by pouring out their gold, by selling enormous masses of American securities, by raising loans." As a result, he predicted that the end of the war would find the allies in good shape financially, despite their enormous permanent debts.

Another U. S. Ship Sunk.

Washington, May 4.—The American sailing vessel Willard Abrahams was sunk off the Irish coast, the crew of six being rescued, according to a message received by the state department.

control of the president. This will include stimulation of production, prevention of waste, regulation of distribution, prohibition of hoarding and elimination of speculation.
The president would have authority to direct shipments of foodstuffs into markets where needed most. He would also have power to requisition factories, mines and other establishments.

The bill contains a clause to prevent flooding of the American market by importations, so these articles will not compete with American products.

GOVERNOR SLEEPER IS BUSY EXECUTIVE

EVERY MINUTE TAKEN UP BY CONSIDERATION OF LAWS AND WAR PROGRAM.

BUSIEST SINCE CIVIL WAR

Frequent Conferences Are Being Held With the View to Increase Crops By Increasing Acreage.

(From Our Special Correspondent)

Lansing.
Between the work of caring for the enrolled bills and giving consideration to each one in its turn, and the task of keeping up the military and food, preparedness programs, Governor Sleeper is the busiest chief executive the state has had since the days of Civil war. The adjournment of the legislature brings him no rest, owing to the war conditions and the necessity of creating ways and means to prepare the state to go through war developments.

Frequent conferences are being held with a view to have the state's crops increased through the medium of increased acreage. The gravity of the situation which will have to be faced next winter is being impressed on everyone as thoroughly as possible. Many farmers are inquiring, however, as to the prospects of increased crops resulting in knocking down prices next winter to a level that will mean lack of profit in buying seed at present high prices. These men want to see a minimum price agreed upon for their products, so they can feel assured of no loss because of extra work and extra production. The minimum price idea has appealed to various members of the preparedness board, but some believe that federal action would be necessary to ensure the success of any price regulation.

Sunday, May 13 "Mothers' Day."

Gov. Sleeper has officially designated Sunday, May 13, as "Mothers' Day," issuing the following proclamation to the people:
"Our American civilization is built around the home. The heart of the home is the mother. What is there in all the realm of art that stands higher, more commanding, more beautiful, than a simple, refined, gracious woman in her household; a woman whose daily life is an outpouring of the gospel of service, who is worshipped by her children, beloved by her husband and who rules in her home by sweetness, by gentleness, by self denial, by love? The mothers of the land are engaged in the noblest of all callings, the rearing of their sons and daughters to take their places as useful members of society."
"As we, whose mothers have left us, look back through the years, how sweet and precious is the memory of the mother in the old home. All her life was a beautiful life. It ran like a rill down the hillside and sang all the time. It was like flowers that know no summer and no winter. The memory of it kindles in us still the supreme affection and arouses the finest enthusiasm of our hearts."
"Therefore, that we may pay a special tribute of affection to the mothers who still live and honor the memory of the mothers who have gone from us, I, Albert E. Sleeper, governor of the state of Michigan, do hereby designate and set aside Sunday, May 13th, as Mothers' Day; and I call upon our people, both young and old, to gather in their several places of worship, and take part in services appropriate to the day and, by the wearing of a red flower for the living mother and a white for the dear departed, to symbolize their love and reverence for the mothers of the nation."

GUARD 222,000 MEN SHORT

Are At Less Than One-third Their Required War Strength.

Washington.—State National Guard organizations which have not yet been mustered into the federal service are at less than one-third their required war strength, the bureau of military affairs of the war department announced. This fact became known following a survey by the bureau of every National Guard organization in the country. About 222,000 more men will be needed to put them on a war footing.

The bureau received reports showing a widespread lack of officers as well as men.
The National Guard which had not come into the federal service May 1 contained a total of 4,928 officers and 107,219 enlisted men, according to reports from all states except Indiana, Illinois and Texas. The reports do not include the National Guard troops that have been mustered into the federal service and are now on duty.

Durand—Thieves by going around the front yard stole five bushels of beans from H. E. Beatty, farmer, who was sitting on a log behind his barn with a shotgun guarding his granary.

Port Huron—To assist citizens to purchase government war bonds without working a hardship on themselves, a local bank has offered to purchase any number of bonds of \$50 denomination and hold them until the price is paid into the bank at the rate of \$1 a week on each bond

TO THE MAN WITH THE HOE



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ARMY WILL NOT BE TRAINED IN STATE

WAR DEPARTMENT DECLINES OFFER OF MICHIGAN DELEGATION.

WILL SEND TROOPS SOUTH

Department Officials Say Grayling Field Will Be Used Only for Mobilization.

Washington.—National Guard and drafted troops will be trained in specially prepared camps in the south, according to present plans of the war department.

Under the new army bill every man of the Michigan National Guard, now in the federal service, under present plans, will be called to arms.

The guard men first will mobilize at company headquarters. There they will remain 10 days while efforts are made to recruit companies to full strength. Then they will leave the state mobilization camp and later the divisions will mobilize for training in the south.

The war department plans to create 16 mobilization camps in the United States, Michigan and Wisconsin will constitute one division.

In each of the 16 military districts, fixed by law, one army division will be raised, each to consist of 40,000 men. These will be divided into nine regiments and companies of cavalry, artillery, engineers and hospital and signal corps.

Army officials told representatives of the Michigan war commission the entire drafted army of 1,000,000 men, expected to be in the field by September 1, will be rushed south to training camps.

Acting for Governor Sleeper, Attorney General Grosbeck, Major Roy S. Vandercook, John S. Haggerty and Charles Webb offered Camp Ferris, the Grayling National Guard training grounds, to the war department. Michigan, they said, is ready to equip the grounds for a training camp. The offer was declined. Department officials said the Grayling field would be in use for only a few days before the men will be sent south.

All the cavalry in the National Guard and that raised by drafting probably will be sent to service on the Mexican border, the war department having decided the cost of keeping up horses in Europe not compensatory to their use.

NEGROES IN CUBA REBEL
Refugees Report Property of Whites Is Being Destroyed.

New York—Charges that Cuban Negro rebels are burning and pillaging the homes and properties of Americans and other foreigners in the districts of Palmarito, Bayate and Miranda, Oriente province, were made by 24 American and British refugees who arrived here.

They predicted that there will be a massacre of the white residents remaining unless the United States intervenes, and asserted the Cuban government is powerless to cope with the situation. Most of the refugees escaped with only the clothes they wore. The accusations were substantiated by an appeal for aid signed by 116 Americans remaining in the territory occupied by the rebels.

DOCTORS GO TO FRANCE
Ten Physicians From State Will Be Sent to Battlefields.

Detroit—Lieutenant Colonel Angus McLean, director of Harper base hospital unit No. 17, has selected the 10 physicians from Michigan to go to the battlefields in France—sometime in June. The exact date is to be decided later by the war department.

The doctors chosen are: Dr. Ernest N. Dolmen, Nelson A. Myll, H. A. Sullivan, Hampton Pharr Cushman, J. B. Seeley, Charles M. McLean, all of Detroit; Henry Cooper, Port Huron; Mark Marshall, Ann Arbor; Geo. H. Waters, Memphis; William H. Honor, Wyandotte.

Standish—The Sterling schoolhouse near here was burned with all its contents. The loss is \$7,000.

East Lansing—To the farmer who wants to know what to plant to produce the greatest possible amount of food to the acre, the Michigan Agricultural college is saying "grow corn."

"Corn," according to the college, "will in those districts where soil and climate are adapted to it, produce more food per acre for both human beings and livestock than anything else that could be sown."



Government Issues Warning Against Fly Poisons

Following is an extract from "The Transmission of Disease by Flies," Supplement No. 29 to the Public Health Reports, April, 1916.

"Of other fly poisons mentioned, mention should be made, merely for a purpose of condemnation, of those composed of arsenic. Fatal cases of poisoning of children through the use of such compounds are far too frequent, and owing to the resemblance of arsenical poisoning to summer diarrhea and cholera infantum, it is believed that the cases reported do not, by any means, comprise the total. Arsenical fly-destrating devices must be rated as extremely dangerous, and should never be used, even if other measures are not at hand."

100 fly poisoning cases have been reported by the press within the last three years. As stated above this number is but a fraction of the real number. Protect your children by using the safe, efficient, non-poisonous fly catcher

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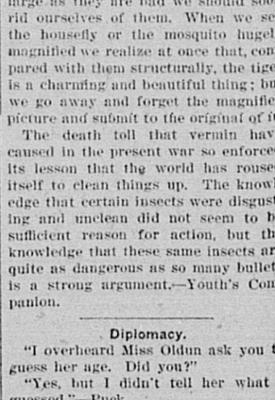
WAR ON INSECT PERIL NEXT

Extirpation of Winged and Creeping Enemies of Mankind Held to Be of Vital Importance.

A writer in an English journal has suggested that the next great war will be between man and the insect world. "This war would be waged not only on insects that actually attack man himself, but also on all those winged or creeping things that are his enemies in less direct ways—those species that, to use the writer's phrase, "exist at the expense of human progress and happiness."
We all shudder with horror at the thought of a scorpion or of a centipede, although few of us ever see one of them, but we do not shudder enough at the thought of the millions of untold disgusting things that are putting up with all the time. Perhaps it is unfortunate for us that many of these harmful, and even death-dealing, insects are very small. If they were as large as they are bad we should soon rid ourselves of them. When we see the housefly or the mosquito hugely magnified we realize at once that, compared with them structurally, the tiger is a charming and beautiful thing; but we go away and forget the magnified picture and submit to the original of it. The death toll that vermin have caused in the present war so enforced its lesson that the world has roused itself to clean things up. The knowledge that certain insects were disgusting and unclean did not seem to be sufficient reason for action, but the knowledge that these same insects are quite as dangerous as so many bullets is a strong argument.—Youth's Companion.

Diplomacy.

"I overheard Miss Olden ask you to guess her age. Did you?"
"Yes, but I didn't tell her what I guessed."—Puck.



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WAR IS ROUGH ON MEN'S TROUSERS Chicago.—Because girls find it more profitable to work in munitions factories than in garment shops the prices of men's trousers will be raised.

STATE NEWS Marine City—Chas. Baker received a fractured skull and other injuries and Bert Lozen and John B. Sherkey, all of Fair Haven, received severe bruises when an automobile went into a ditch.

PUT ONE OVER ON CRITICS Letter by Mark Twain Tells Why He Insisted on Publishing "Joan of Arc" Anonymously.

NOTABLES ON PRISON LIST

Caesar, Richard Wagner, Bryan, Cleveland and Washington Appear on Registry at Leavenworth.

Did Julius Caesar conceive the plan under which he later ruled Rome while serving a prison sentence at Leavenworth? Did the famous prize fighters, John L. Sullivan and Jack Johnson, prepare for the battles which won them the championship of the world while sojourning within these walls?

Students of history may not find it recorded so. Neither do their names appear on the visitors' register of this institution, but rather on the prisoners' record of those who have been confined here, says a writer in the New Era, published at the Federal penitentiary at Leavenworth.

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Canadian Farmers Profit From Wheat

160 ACRE FARMS IN WESTERN CANADA FREE The war's devastation of European crops has caused an unusual demand for grain from the American Continent.

Arras Before the War.

Tapestries are no longer woven in Arras, but the city was a thriving industrial community at the outbreak of the war, its chief articles of manufacture being hosiery, ironware, oil products, beet sugar and agricultural implements.

In the Petite place and the Grand place Arras boasts some curious architectural relics of the period of Spanish occupation in the seventeenth century—houses of hewn stone whose upper stories project beyond the foundation walls and are supported by pillars which form arcades over the sidewalks.

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Sore corns, hard corns, soft corns or any kind of a corn, can harmlessly be lifted right out with the fingers if you apply upon the corn a few drops of freezone, says a Cincinnati authority.

For little cost one can get a small bottle of freezone at any drug store, which will positively rid one's feet of every corn or callus without pain.

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Skeptical. "Who's that old guy goin' around with a lantern in broad daylight?" asked the visitor from Sparta.

Important to Mothers Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, that famous old remedy for infants and children, and see that it bears the Signature of Dr. J. C. Fletcher.

Servitude. "Would you marry a man who would try to use matrimony to avoid military service?"

Appropriate. "What do you think is a fitting diet with which to outfit submarines?" "I should suggest sinkers."

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COLORED MAN HAD 14 WIVES

Middletown, N. Y.—Nicholas Vann, an old colored man, known throughout Orange and adjoining counties as Doctor Vann, was found dead in his lonely cabin, four miles from this city and half mile from the highway.

Burglar Trap Kills Wife. Clarksburg, W. Va.—Returning home unexpectedly from Dawson, Pa., where she had been visiting, Mrs. Albert J. Shaw opened the back door of her home in Fairmont and was instantly killed when a load from a shotgun entered her brain.

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HOLDS OFF POLICE WITH HOT POKERS

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Will McCrow, also of Stockbridge, will not try to kindle a fire with kerosene for a little while. He threw kerosene onto the coal in the furnace at the Hurst House last Friday and is nursing badly burned hands as a result.

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BE LOYAL TO YOUR COUNTRY.

Now that we have taken the plunge, there is but one thing for a loyal citizen of this country to do—stand firmly by his country, whether it be native or adopted. The man who does otherwise is not true either to himself or to the land that shelters, feeds and clothes him.

There should be more public gatherings in a community like this for the purpose of instilling these facts into the minds of the entire citizenship.

There were many who honestly thought we should not go to war with Germany. But the great majority of American people thought otherwise. So did the president and the congress. Each was clearly entitled to his individual opinion until such time as the matter was definitely settled one way or the other. But with war actually in existence, with our armies hurrying into the field, with our navy making preparations to sweep the seas, with our young men rushing to the colors, there can be but one path for us to tread—absolute loyalty to our country.

Whatever our beliefs have been in the past, our country now is at war, and we must support it with our every drop of blood and our every dollar. Those who think that it will only be a bluff at war—merely the assembling of an army that will drill for a few months and then go home—will be woefully mistaken.

The United States was both loath and slow to draw the sword, but once drawn it will never be sheathed until victory is complete and our enemy is no longer able to do us harm.

ROGERS CORNERS

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Loeffler and family and Mr. and Mrs. Emanuel Loeffler and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Loeffler and family.

Miss Elsie Bahnmiller of Manchester spent Sunday at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Geyer, son Harold, little grandson Maurice Gibson, and Mrs. Barbara Manz, spent Sunday at the home of Charles Geyer of Pittsfield.

Miss Amanda Grau and friend, Clarence Beurele, attended the confirmation services in Scio, Sunday.

The Ladies Aid society of St. John's church will hold their monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Theodore Kuhl.

Messrs. Theodore Tirb and Matthew Klump spent Sunday at the Steeb home in Scio.

Godfrey Eisenman and family spent Sunday at the home of John Grau and family.

GREGORY.

Will King and wife have rented the E. B. Daniels house.

Harry Singleton spent Wednesday of last week in Detroit.

Mrs. S. Hemmingway has been very sick, the past week.

Howard E. Marshall was a Jackson visitor, last week Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Bollinger were Howell visitors, last week Tuesday.

Mrs. V. Perry is here from Munich, making an extended visit with relatives.

Mrs. E. B. Daniels was in Gregory, last Friday and Saturday, calling on old friends.

Gertrude Chipman spent the week-end at Plainfield, at the home of Mrs. James Walker.

Miss Olive Brearley continues about the same, but we hope she may soon get better.

Ovitt's Park is being plowed up this year and crops will be raised to help feed the people.

Mrs. E. Brotherton was in Lansing, last week Tuesday, attending the funeral of her sister.

Miss Myra Singleton went to Detroit, last Wednesday, to visit Miss Kathryn Leeke a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Buhl attended the funeral of Mr. Fewlass, south of Fowlerville, last Sunday afternoon.

Roy Hill and wife, and Clare and Edwina Titus, of Rochester, Mich., visited Mr. and Mrs. Hill, of this place, recently.

Rev. John J. Schuler spent several days last week at Milan, attending the Washtenaw Baptist association. The entire session was one of the best held. The attendance was very good. Rev. John Mason Wells was elected Moderator and Rev. H. W. Mack, clerk-treasurer. The next meeting will be held the last Tuesday and Wednesday of April, 1918, at the Baptist church, at Temperance, Mich.

DEXTER TOWNSHIP.

Snow and hail Sunday is the record.

John Ledwidge is building a garage.

Clyde Dixon has purchased a Ford touring car.

Ernest Hopkins has moved to his farm in Lyndon, which he purchased last year.

William Dixon has purchased a span of mules.

Mr. and Mrs. John Harper, Sr., spent Saturday and Sunday in Detroit and Royal Oak. They visited their daughter, who is in Harper hospital, Saturday.

Lee Hopkins is back home again. He will work his mother's farm hereafter.

Archie Miles and Fred Wyman have the contract to build a cottage on the farm formerly owned by Patrick Walsh, on the west shore of Silver lake.

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