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BOYS' CAMP SUCCESSFUL

Fifty-eight Spend Eventful Ten Days at Big Silver Lake.

The most successful season in the history of Camp Birkett closed Friday morning. There were 58 in camp, nine of whom were Chelsea boys. E. P. Steiner, Glenn and Percy Brooks, Roy and Ernest Mohrlock, Fred Hall, Paul Ward, Edward Watkins and Keith and Welton Mayett attended the camp from here. All the boys report a fine time and from present indications the camp will be run for a much longer period next year.

Glenn Emery of Ypsilanti and Duane Carr of Ann Arbor tied for the Camp Birkett loving cup, which is presented to the best all around boy in camp. Glenn Brooks of this place was the sensation of the camp in athletics, taking a first place in every track event which was staged. The quito champion was Lovatus Butler of Milan. The swimming consisted of Keith Mayett and Glenn Brooks, of Chelsea. Lovatus Butler of Milan, Duane Carr of Ann Arbor and Leland Colyer of Ypsilanti. Glenn Emery of Ypsilanti won the vote for the most popular boy in camp and Leland Colyer caught the largest fish, a 17-inch bass.

Those winning places in the Camp Birkett honor society are as follows: Donald Draper of Milan, Willard Moore, Frederick Williamson, Wendell Sanford, Glenn Emery and Richard Thomas, of Ypsilanti; Albert Bowerman, Dan Morton, George Bowerman and Duane Carr, of Ann Arbor; Harold Lahyer of Saline and Harold Bowen of Dexter.

MOTOR TRUCK PRACTICAL

The Standard Oil Co. recently placed a motor-truck in service in Chelsea and vicinity, with very satisfying results. The truck speeds deliveries wonderfully, and does several times the amount of work that a horse drawn vehicle accomplished in a day.

Formerly it required a day to make a trip to Dexter and return, but it is possible to make two trips in a half day with the motor truck, and other deliveries are easily made in proportionally less time than formerly.

A. J. Munn, local agent for the Standard Oil Co., drives the truck and is very much in love with his new horse.

UNUSUALLY HEAVY WAGON

The A. G. Faist shop has just turned out an unusually heavy wagon, probably the heaviest ever built in Chelsea, capable of carrying a load of 12 tons.

The wagon is for W. B. Ewing & Son, formerly of Chelsea and now located in Addison, and is designed for use in their extensive logging business. The skains are 4x12 inches and the tires are four inches wide. Each tire weighs about 112 pounds. The big wagon was shipped to Addison Friday.

HESELSCHWERDT - ROY

Miss Josephine Heselshwerdt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Heselshwerdt of this city, was united in marriage to Herbert R. Roy of Chelsea, Wednesday evening, at 8 o'clock, at the rectory of St. Thomas church, Rev. Fr. M. P. Bourke performing the ceremony.

The bride groomed in gray taffeta, was attended by her sister, Miss Florence Heselshwerdt, who wore pink crepe de chine. Theodore Weber of this city was groomsmen.

After September 15, Mr. and Mrs. Roy will be at home in Chelsea.—Times-News.

WHEN SUBSCRIPTIONS EXPIRE

Ever notice the yellow address label in the upper left hand corner of the first page of your Tribune? It has two functions; first to address the paper to the subscriber and second to notify the subscriber when his or her subscription expires. The second named function is performed by the figures at the right end of the label. Thus if the label reads:

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Thus each subscriber to the Tribune really receives a statement of his subscription account twice-a-week and we trust that those of our subscribers who are in arrears will note the label of this Tribune and pay up any indebtedness at once, or not later than September 1st. We shall appreciate promptness in this matter very much.

NORTH LAKE

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Daniels and family entertained at their home Tuesday, Misses Margaret, Gertrude and Harold Miller, Daisy Lavender and Miss Rozelle, of Saline, and Mr. and Mrs. Schroen of Ann Arbor.

The North Lake Sunday school will hold their annual picnic at Fraser's grove, North Lake, Thursday, August 23.

James Gilbert of California is visiting his mother, Mrs. Mary Gilbert of this place.

The Eight Weeks club met this week with Miss Carmine Leland, fifteen of the girls being present. Games were played, a nice supper was served and all enjoyed a very pleasant time. Next Thursday, August 16th the club will meet with Helen Graves.

Mr. Palmer and family and Miss Clara Fuller called at Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Fuller's, Wednesday afternoon. George Fuller had a new well put down Friday.

Mrs. Florence Boyce of Anderson spent part of last week with her mother, Mrs. P. E. Noah.

Miss Ruth Stark of Ann Arbor is visiting her friend, Lucy Glenn, for a few weeks.

Miss Nella Beaumont of Mason is the guest of Miss Mildred Daniels.

Mrs. Eva Powers is visiting her sister, Mrs. Henry Isham, for a few weeks.

ROGERS CORNERS

(Too late for Friday.)

Among those who attended the funeral of Mrs. Anna Strieter in Ann Arbor, Tuesday were: Mr. and Mrs. Herman Niehaus and family; Mr. and Mrs. L. Geyer, son Harold, and daughter Esther; Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Niehaus, Willie Streiter, Ernest Fitzmier, Mrs. Mary Fitzmier and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Orbring and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Gottlieb Koengeter and daughter Evelyn, of Sharon, spent Sunday with Herman Niehaus and family.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Geyer and family spent Sunday with Chas. Geyer and family of Pittsfield.

CARD OF THANKS

The B. Natural club of Dexter wish to thank the people of Chelsea and vicinity and the Chelsea Red Cross society for courteous treatment accorded them; also for their efforts in making the play, "Captain Dick," a success. Julia Bowne, Flora Smith, Galbraith P. Gorman, Committee.

GET COMMISSIONS IN NEW NATIONAL ARMY

Several Washtenaw County Men Are Picked From Officers Reserve Corps at Ft. Sheridan.

Appointments to commissions as officers in the army from the officer's reserve corps at Fort Sheridan as affecting Washtenaw county men have been made as follows.

First company—Frank E. Shaw of Grand Rapids, former Ann Arbor boy, has been appointed as captain in the infantry, and Venner E. Brace, Ann Arbor, Don B. McLeod, Ann Arbor, Thomas R. Piersol, Ann Arbor, and William W. Williams, Ann Arbor, second lieutenants.

Second company—Edward L. Troxell, Ann Arbor, captain infantry section and Samuel H. Riggs, Ann Arbor, second lieutenant.

Third company—Charles B. Lawton, Ann Arbor, second lieutenant, infantry.

Seventh company—Howard A. Mathews, Ann Arbor, second lieutenant, infantry.

Eighth company—Edward K. Owen, Ypsilanti, first lieutenant, infantry.

Ninth company—William T. Adams, Ann Arbor, first lieutenant, infantry.

Captain of cavalry in national army, Dan F. Zimmermann, Ann Arbor.

First troop—George Kennedy, Ann Arbor, captain, cavalry, and Charles B. Cleary, Ypsilanti, second lieutenant, cavalry.

First battery—Thomas A. Bogle, Jr., Ann Arbor, first lieutenant, field artillery.

Quartermaster's corps—Harvey F. Cornwell, Ann Arbor, and Eugene B. Houseman, Ann Arbor, second lieutenant.

Ordinance department—Walter T. Gordon, Plymouth, Mich.

Regular army assignments—Barnard Pierce, Ann Arbor, Arthur S. Bell, Ann Arbor, Alfred P. Kelly, Ann Arbor, Harold E. Taft, Ann Arbor, as second lieutenants.

Second lieutenants, field artillery section—Henry Bogle, Detroit, son of Prof. T. A. Bogle of Ann Arbor, and Elroy O. Jones, Detroit, son of Frank E. Jones of Ann Arbor.

PINCKNEY'S BALL TEAM

The Pinckney semi-pro baseball team defeated the younger and inexperienced Camp Birkett team recently and the Dispatch reports the game as follows:

"The Camp Birkett Y. M. C. A. boys failed to make it interesting for Pinckney. At the end of five innings the score was 17 to 0 in favor of Pinckney, and as the boys had had all the practice they wanted, they decided to call it a game."

As a matter of fact Pinckney's ball team is made up of several semi-professional players and only three members of the team live in Pinckney. Four of the players, Ed. Roberts and the three White boys were from Pinckney, and two others, Kruse and Clyde VanGorder of Isoco, Glenn Brooks and Ernest Mohrlok of this place played on the Camp Birkett team and E. P. Steiner umpired the game.

Howell fair is one of the largest; it starts August 28th, and continues over the 29th, 30th and 31st.—Adv.

One dollar pays for the Twice-A-Week Chelsea Tribune for one year—less than a cent an issue.

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

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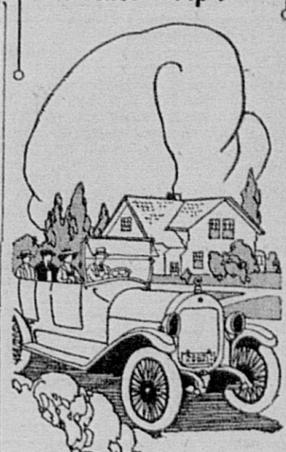
Westbound—10:20 a. m. and every two hours to 8:20 p. m. Express cars make local stops west of Ann Arbor.

Local Cars Eastbound—6:30 p. m., 8:30 p. m. and 10:16 p. m. For Ypsilanti only, 12:51 a. m.

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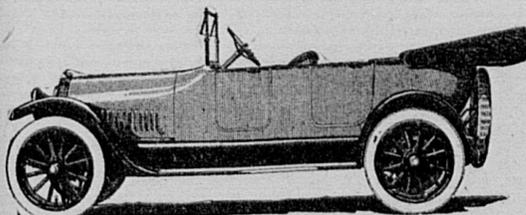


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CONTROL OF BREAD COST STARTS SEPT. 1

GOVERNMENT READY TO SEIZE WHEAT CROPS IF NECESSARY TO CONSERVE SUPPLY.

SPECULATION WILL BE CURBED

Elevators and Mills Over 100 Barrels Daily Capacity Must Take Out Government License.

Washington—The food administration announced Sunday night, its plan for controlling wheat, flour and bread, revealing that the government is prepared to take over the whole 1917 wheat harvest if necessary to conserve the supply, obtain just prices for America's fighting forces and their Allies and reduce costs to the public in the United States.

Establishing of buying agencies at all the principal terminals, licensing of elevators and mills, fixing of a price to be considered fair, regulation of the middle man and of grain exchanges, with the elimination of trading in futures, are the chief features of the plan. The licensing will begin September 1.

The minimum price of \$2 for wheat fixed by congress does not become effective until next year, but the administration proposes to exercise a thorough control over this year's crop through powers conferred under the food and export control bills.

The government will prosecute all persons who hold more wheat or flour than is required in their business. In order to eliminate speculation in wheat and flour, all elevators and mills over 100 barrels daily capacity will be required to take out a government license. No wheat shall be stored for more than 30 days, without the approval of the government.

N. Y. DRAFT BOARD ARRESTED

Two Members Charged With Taking Bribes to Exempt Men.

New York—Two members of exemption board 99, Louis I. Cherry and Dr. S. J. Bernfeld, were deposed and arrested in the alleged conspiracy to evade the selective draft law. A third man, Kalman Gruber, said to have been a "go between" was also nabbed.

Intimation that the federal authorities would take action came from John C. Knox, assistant United States attorney. False and incorrect physical examinations, exemptions, enlistments, enrollments and discharges, false statements as to fitness and liability to aid men to avoid the draft law and failure to perform their duties, are specifically charged against Cherry and Bernfeld.

Mr. Knox said that involved in the investigation in the case by federal agents was evidence that bribes of \$200 to \$500 had enabled drafted men to obtain exemption. There were indications, he declared, that a go-between has acted for the men seeking exemption.

All of the men exempted from military service by the local exemption board in district 99 will be re-examined by a new board.

CUT IN COAL PRICES PREDICTED

Federal Trade Commission Condemns Exorbitant Profits.

Washington—Predicting a cut in retail hard coal prices and condemning a September 1 boost of more than 10 cents unless miners' wages are increased, the federal trade commission has declared that dealers who raise their prices will be guilty of profiteering.

The statement was issued after a heated session between the commission and representative Washington coal dealers whose profits, in the opinion of the commission based on the dealers' own figures, have been excessive on both bituminous and anthracite coal in the last few months.

According to the figures, gross profits on bituminous coal sometimes were as high as \$5 a ton and the net profits on anthracite were \$1.25 to \$1.35 a ton. These profits were declared unjustified.

PLANES BOMB ENGLAND, 23 DEAD

German Raiders Again Visit Coast of Britain.

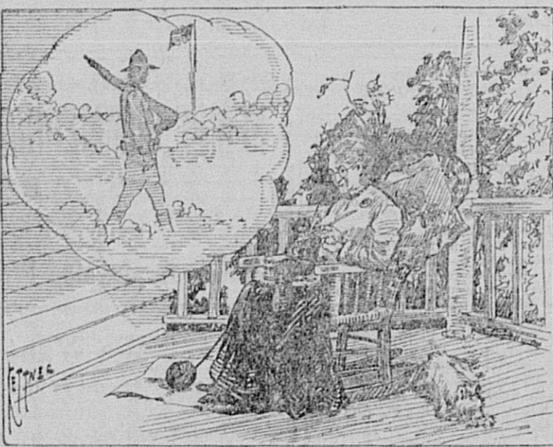
London—About 50 German airplanes again raided the southeast coast of England Sunday evening. Twenty-three persons, including nine women and six children, were killed and 50 persons injured at South End.

An official statement says some bombs were dropped in the neighborhood of South End, 40 miles east of London, and on the seashore resort of Margate, 80 miles southeast of the capital.

Adrian—State horticulturists at their midsummer meeting here toured Lenawee county and inspected orchards.

Cheaning—Max McAnkin, 25 years old, residing near Bancroft, was fatally injured when an auto in which he and five companions were driving in Cheaning went into the ditch four miles east of here. He was thrown against a rock and his neck was broken. Two others were pinned under the machine, but were not seriously hurt.

FOR SOMEBODY'S BOY



U. S. PROPOSES TO INSURE SOLDIERS

BILLS INTRODUCED AIM TO GIVE PROTECTION TO FAMILIES OF FIGHTING MEN.

RATE TO BE \$8 PER THOUSAND

Provision Also Made for Payment of Monthly Allowances to Dependents of Men in Service.

Washington—The administration's program for insuring soldiers, sailors and marines has been placed before congress in identical bills introduced by Senator Simmons and Representative Alexander.

Under the terms of the bill, soldiers, sailors and marines would be enabled to obtain insurance during the war in sums from \$1,000 to \$10,000, the government taking the risk and the men paying the premium. The rate would be approximately \$8 per \$1,000 of insurance and the premiums would be payable by installments out of pay.

The chief innovation in the bill is the proposal to compel men and officers to allot a minimum of \$15 a month out of their pay to dependent wives and children.

Authority also is proposed to compel the men to be insured to deposit, at four per cent interest, with the government and at the discretion of the war and navy departments, so much of their pay as is represented by the difference between the \$15 family allotment and half their regular pay.

Provision is made for payment of allowances of \$5 to \$50 monthly by the government to families of men in service.

Indemnities for partial and total disability would vary from a minimum of \$40 a month for privates up to \$200 for higher officers. The education of injured men in vocations by which they could earn a livelihood also is provided.

EXEMPTION RULES TIGHTENED

Crowder Instructs Boards to Reduce Grants of Immunity.

Washington—Reports from many districts throughout the country that as high as 80 per cent of the registrants called for examination are filing claims for discharge because of dependent relatives caused General Crowder, provost marshal, to instruct exemption boards to reduce grants of immunity from the draft law, "to a far more restricted class and to very necessitous and clearly defined circumstances."

Wholesale applications for discharges indicate, said the provost marshal, that unfair advantage is being taken of the regulations designed to protect men who properly should be exempted from military service.

Existing conditions, he intimated, are a positive menace to the raising of the national army.

WOMEN'S WAR BOARD NAMED

Governor Sleeper Appoints Auxiliary Body to State War Board.

Lansing—Governor Sleeper has appointed a women's war preparedness committee as an auxiliary body to the state war board. The new committee will organize the women of the state for food and economy campaigns and other war service by working through state federations, clubs and Red Cross organizations already existing. The war board has allowed the women's committee \$5,000.

The committee follows: Mrs. Caroline Bartlett Crane, Kalamazoo; Mrs. O. H. Clark, Kalamazoo; Mrs. G. Edgar Allen, Detroit; Mrs. W. L. Uren, Houghton; Mrs. Florence J. Bulson, Jackson; Miss Georgia L. White, Lansing; and Mrs. Frances E. Burns, St. Louis.

Beulah—Mrs. Gilbert Perkins, an aged widow, was seriously injured when her automobile, driven by Miss Jolie King, plunged over an embankment, Miss King was slightly injured.

AMERICAN OFFICERS CREEP WITHIN TEN YARDS OF GERMAN LINES

American Field Headquarters in France—American officers, dressed as pollux, last Friday crept upon their hands and knees within 10 yards of the German trenches, to the farthest point yet reached. As they spied on a Teuton trench, the Germans were playing cards, napping or laughing, entirely ignorant of the Americans watching.

COAL CUT SAVES CITY \$950,000

Passage of Food Control Bill Means Huge Saving to Detroit.

Detroit—On the face of coal bids received by the city, Detroit stands to save \$950,000, directly due to the passage of legislation controlling food and fuel by congress.

About a month ago Mayor Marx received bids that quoted bituminous steam coal at \$8 a ton. The mayor decided to wait and see what effect the pending legislation would have.

That the city is well rewarded for this patience is indicated by bids received now. Several of the bids quoted fuel at \$3.25 a ton. Thus a saving of \$4.75 is effected. The supply needed by the city is estimated at 200,000 tons.

AUTO TAGS YIELD \$2,225,401

Michigan Has Collected Fees On Nearly 200,000 Cars.

Lansing—During the first six months of this year, according to a report just issued, Secretary of State Vaughan licensed 160,258 pleasure cars and 18,179 commercial cars and licenses were also issued to 832 dealers, 14,250 chauffeurs and 7,495 owners of motorcycles.

The automobile fees collected by the state during the first half of the year are divided as follows:

Pleasure cars, \$1,968,130.14; trucks, \$145,962.93; motorcycles, \$16,881.60; dealers, \$41,369.10; chauffeurs, \$28,499; transfers, \$4,983; duplicates, \$19,575; making a total of \$2,225,401.02. Of this amount the state highway fund received \$1,140,201.34, and the remainder, \$1,085,199.68, was prorated among the various counties according to the number of cars owned in each county.

U. S. WANTS 100,000 AVIATORS

Must Have Completed Course in a Technical School or College.

New York—The Military Training Camps association of the United States has been asked by the war department to co-operate with the signal corps in recruiting men for the aviation service. It was announced here by Captain Arthur S. Cosby, executive secretary of the association.

About 100,000 men will be required for the aviation division, Captain Cosby said, and approximately 20,000 of these will be officers.

Men between the ages of 19 and 30 years will be enlisted in the aviation section. Each candidate must have completed a course at a recognized college or technical school or have the equivalent of such an education.

Escazaba—Dr. W. A. LeMire, representative to the state legislature, has filed suit for \$10,000, as administrator of the estate of his brother, whose body was found in Little Lake, against the Northwestern railroad. He charges the road with negligence in leaving a sinkhole unguarded.

Lake Orion—Descendants of Ebenezer, Gideon and Simeon Dewey, who fought in the American Revolution, held a reunion here August 15.

Muskegon—A member of company G, Thirty-second infantry, who after being pronounced physically sound asked for a second examination in an effort to escape service, was the cause of a near riot at the armory here. More than 100 members of the company carried the slacker through the streets on a stretcher heading for the lake to "duck" the offender. Captain Carl M. Field halted the proceedings.

LEGALITY OF DRAFT LAW TO BE TESTED

U. S. SUPREME COURT TO DECIDE WHETHER GOVERNMENT CAN CONSCRIPT MEN.

SOCIALISTS BRING UP CASE

Will Go to Trial with Opening of Fall Term of Court—Decision Expected in October.

Washington—The constitutionality of the selective military conscription law is to be settled once for all by the United States supreme court.

The test is to come up in connection with the conviction before Judge Westenhaven of the United States district court at Cleveland of the three socialist party representatives charged with conspiring to defeat the conscription law.

The case will go to trial with the opening of the fall term of court. All other cases will be temporarily set aside. A decision is expected in October.

The announcement that the conscription law would go before the supreme court came from the department of justice.

In a dozen or more cases over the country where the constitutionality of the conscription law has been assailed the protests of this character have been thrown out of court.

There is supreme confidence among all officials that the case will be settled by a unanimous vote of the court sustaining the power of the government to raise armies under the selective system. In fact, government officials regard the case largely as a formality so far as the decision is concerned.

M. C. FLYER HITS AUTO, KILLS 4

Car Stalls in Path of Train—Occupants Instantly Killed.

Grand Rapids—Mr. and Mrs. Mose Rosenberg, of Cornith, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rosenberg, of Caledonia, were instantly killed Sunday morning near Caledonia when their auto was run down by the Detroit-bound Wolverine passenger of the Michigan Central railroad.

The automobile was carried about 100 feet and thrown into a ditch. One of the women was ground under the wheels of the locomotive. Two others were found on the roadside.

At the Michigan Central crossing south of Caledonia there is a clean stretch of a mile on either side of the track. It is believed that the two men were in conversation when one of the women noticed the approach of the Wolverine flyer.

She called attention to the on-coming train, and it is thought that Frank Rosenberg, who was driving, threw in the clutch as the automobile hit the track, killing the engine and stalling the car in the path of the flyer.

THIRTY-FIRST IS AT GRAYLING

Detroit Troops Leave for Training Camp Sunday Night.

Detroit—War's reality was brought home to Detroit as never before Sunday evening, when, to the strains of "Auld Lang Syne," members of the Thirty-first Michigan infantry marched from their armory through streets banked with cheering men and weeping women, to the Michigan Central depot, where they were trained for camp at Grayling on the first stage of the journey that will take them to France.

The first train section, bearing the machine gun, supply and ambulance companies, and the sanitary detachment, pulled out of the station about 7 p. m. It was followed at intervals of 15 or 20 minutes by the second section, in which was the first battalion, and the third section, carrying the Second battalion.

By 8 o'clock the entire command of upwards of 1,700 Detroit soldiers were on their way up state.

NO STRIKES ON WAR CONTRACTS

Commission to Adjust Labor Disputes in Plants Having Army Orders.

Washington—Creation of a labor adjustment commission to have final jurisdiction during the war over labor disputes in plants having contracts with the government has been determined upon by the council of national defense. It is proposed to give the commission full powers by awarding contracts only to those who will agree to abide by its findings and will require pledges of their employees to do so.

Hastings—In order to learn what a factory laborer has to do and the conditions under which he works the Rev. D. R. Blois, rector of Emmanuel Episcopal church, is spending his vacation as a laborer in one of the local furniture factories.

Lansing—Private employers are very careful to see that their employees get compensation when injured, but cities are very neglectful, says a report issued by William M. Smith, chairman of the industrial accident board.

DEFECT IN LANGUAGE STUDY

Boston Newspaper Points Out Evil Long Existing in the System in Public Schools.

If any teachers of the modern languages in Boston's public schools feel inclined to protest against the school committee's order that they shall prove an ability to converse in the languages which they teach, they will be restrained by a natural pride from expressing their protests. The new requirement is so obviously for the good of the system a teacher who opposed it would have difficulty in convincing the public that she really desired to give good instruction in her subjects, or even that she was able to acquire one of the prerequisites to good instruction in the modern languages.

From the attempt to use a foreign tongue as a living means of expression, there can be generated both for teacher and pupils much enthusiasm of interest. In truth, unless the languages are approached with this purpose in view, there is almost no other power which can save the arduous task of learning declensions and conjugations from being an unmitigated source of fatigue to the pupils. That it has usually been such a source is proved by the fact that very few American students ever come to any respectable ability to converse in foreign languages as a result of the years devoted to instruction in them both in the schools and the colleges.

Indeed, the failure of American pupils to acquire any living knowledge of the foreign languages has been so complete as to cause many of our educators to despair of ever achieving success in the instruction.—Boston Transcript.

New Ideas About Iron Age.

The idea is gaining strength that the iron age may have been begun long before the discovery, about 1200 B. C., of the art of smelting ores, and it seems not improbable that the native iron from meteorites was quite commonly used for tools and weapons in prehistoric times. At that period a little metal would have gone a long way. It is only quite recently that meteorites found have been recognized and recorded; but C. F. Zimmer, listing the known iron-containing meteorites, nearly all collected within the last 100 years, shows that even these might supply about 250 tons of iron. Of this material 90 per cent is malleable nickel-iron alloy. Fragments suitable for mounting on handles as crude implements can be easily detached, and could be shaped by very simple methods. Tools of meteoritic iron, moreover, have been discovered in use. The Aztecs of Mexico, at the time of the Spanish conquest, had daggers and knives of iron, said to have been derived from the sky; and more recently the iron of meteorites has been found in use among the American Indians and the Eskimos.

Emerald Is Ancient Jewel.

The emerald has been known since early times, both in Europe and in certain parts of the Orient, where its attractive color and rarity have endowed it with the highest rank and a varied lore. Mention is found of it in writings dating 300 years before the Christian era, and in the writings of Pliny, he particularized somewhat on its properties and supposed medicinal virtues; and was even shrewd enough to suspect its identity with the much more common beryl, although eighteen centuries elapsed before this suspicion was verified by scientific proof.

Nickel's Worth of Sleep.

Little Thelma waked up from her afternoon nap before she had slept enough and was cross and crying, so aunty asked her if she would sleep some more if she gave her a nickel. Thelma soon stopped crying and said: "I don't know, aunty, but I'll try and sleep a nickel's worth."

It Was Flat.

"What did the doctor say?" "He felt of Brown's pulse, and said there was nothing the matter with him."—Life.

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STATE PHYSICIANS RAISE RELIEF FUND

MEDICAL SOCIETY TO CARE FOR FAMILIES OF MEMBERS GOING TO FRONT.

\$5 ASSESSED TO EACH MEMBER

As Soon As Present Fund Has Been Exhausted Another Levy of \$5 Will Be Made.

Lansing.

To provide for care of members incapacitated in war service and to sustain their dependents, the Michigan State Medical society has assessed every member \$5.

This fund, according to those in charge, means that Michigan doctors at war need not worry about their dependents. Moreover, if they themselves are wounded or taken ill, they will receive the best medical attention available.

Major Andrew P. Biddle, president of the society, has announced that the money will be turned over pro rata to the patriotic committee of each county medical society for use. As soon as the present fund is exhausted, another levy of \$5 per member will be made.

"This is a patriotic move on the part of doctors who remain behind," explained Major Biddle. "Many Michigan doctors have sacrificed much to serve their country, and are deserving of our solicitude."

The fund has nothing to do with one to be raised by the Wayne County Medical society, by assessing its members not less than 3 per cent and not more than 8 per cent of their income, to be paid in monthly installments, for the Wayne county doctors who answer the call to the colors.

Farmers Exempt Till September.

Men who believe they will be exempt from army duty because their presence on farms will be necessary for the harvesting of crops will find that the exemption boards will not listen to any such plea.

If they are otherwise within the selective draft law they will be temporarily exempted, but the call to the colors will come toward the latter part of September.

This in substance is a ruling by Provost Marshal Crowder received by Major Samuel Pepper. The farmer and the farmer's hired men, physically fit and without such dependents as come within the selective draft law, will be considered just as good timber for the national army as the city man.

It had been the idea in this state, before this ruling, that the farm help was to be given a temporary discharge which practically exempted it from the first call. On this basis many farmers and their sons and many hired men on the farms have been feeling safe from the call.

State Guard in Federal Service.

Except for a few officers who have not been called to active duty, there is now no more Michigan national guard.

Under the president's call, which brought the last state troops into federal service August 5, on that date all the guardsmen were drafted into federal service. By drafting the guard on the same date, though groups were called at different times, the question of seniority of officers is settled. All are in federal service as of August 5.

Michigan's regiments will not be known by the numbers they bear now. Neither will the other guard organizations of the United States. The organizations will be kept intact, but the guardsmen will receive numbers where the regular army regiments end. That means that Michigan's numbers will be well up in the hundreds. All officers will have to purchase new collar devices, while the government will have to change the collar ornaments of the men.

The president may send the guardsmen anywhere now, the discharge from the national guard and the draft into the federal service doing away with restrictions which made the national guard only a national defense.

For all practical purposes, the guard is the same as the regular army, the officers and men being entitled to the same pay and allowances. Promotion of officers is governed by a special law, however.

Fairs Asked for Patriotic Days.

Gov. Sleeper has issued a proclamation to boards managing all fairs in Michigan to set aside one day for patriotic demonstrations and programs. This is done to arouse citizens to realization of the necessity of giving proper equipment to soldiers leaving this state, giving care and attention to the wounded and otherwise doing everything they can to bring about an equal distribution of the burden of war.

State Finances Good.

Deposits amounting to \$7,242,325, of which balances in various state funds aggregate \$6,987,314, are shown in the July report of the state treasury department. The month's receipt in the war loan fund was \$104,267; the expenditures, \$107,009, leaving a balance of \$85,226. There is a balance of \$57,465 in the state insurance fund and a balance in the primary school fund of \$2,549,137. There is an excess of \$4,000,000 in the general fund balance.

SHE HAD SPENT A SMALL FORTUNE

Says That No Medicine Ever Gave Her Relief Until She Took Tanlac.

SUFFERED SIX YEARS

"Tanlac Certainly Has Been a Wonderful Thing for Me," Says Mrs. E. M. Moodie of Detroit.

"I spent a small fortune trying to get relief but nothing did me any good except just for the time being until I started taking Tanlac," is the statement of Mrs. E. M. Moodie, who resides at 481 Kercheval street, Detroit, Mich., a few days ago.

"I suffered with nervous stomach trouble and indigestion for six years," she continued. "My food would not digest but would just lay in my stomach and sour and the gas formed by it would crowd around my heart so at times that I could hardly breathe. I had intense burning pains in my stomach and was very nervous and weak and worn-out and couldn't do any housework. I dared not touch meats or vegetables and couldn't even eat eggs without suffering torture. I was in an awful condition and only those suffering from the same trouble can realize what I went through."

"I am just now half through with my third bottle of Tanlac and honestly it has done me more good than all the other medicines I ever took combined. I don't have to live on milk and stale bread any more. The fact is I can eat meats, fruits, vegetables and anything I want and it all agrees with me. I am simply feeling like a new woman and my work is now a pleasure instead of a burden as it was before. Tanlac certainly has been a wonderful thing for me."

There is a Tanlac dealer in your town.—Adv.

Why Bottle Was Empty.

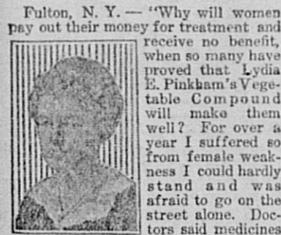
One delight of small Harold was to go on an errand to a neighboring store. After school yesterday at No. 3 he was sent by his mother to get a siphon of vichy. He was long in returning. When he did arrive, his mother scolded him for consuming so much time.

"Why," she exclaimed, "and the siphon is nearly empty. Do you mean to tell me that is all the vichy there was in the bottle when you got it?"

"Well, mamma," Harold replied, "on the way home I met little Sarah's cat."

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APOLOGIZING TO THE TIGER

Raymond Blathway Tells of His Experiences While Connected With a Traveling Menagerie. In a book of reminiscences, "Through Life and Round the World," Raymond Blathway tells the following story in connection with a traveling menagerie he attached himself to while knocking about the West during his salad days: "One day just after breakfast," he says, "I peeped in at the messroom door. There was a full-grown tiger licking the jam and bacon off the plates. "Oh, I beg your pardon!" I ejaculated, as I hastily shut the door. A moment after I met Jack, the tiger's keeper. "I can't find that other tiger nowhere," he said to me. "I guess I've mislaid the old critter."

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Battles Which Made the World WILLIAM THE CONQUEROR AT HASTINGS

How the Pretty Feet of a Girl Twinkling in the Stream Made Possible the English Constitution and English Liberty. By CAPT. ROLAND F. ANDREWS (Copyright, 1917, by McClure Newspaper Syndicate)

Palgrave, the historian, asserts that Arletta's pretty feet had not twinkled in the brook she would not have fascinated Duke Robert of Normandy. If he had not wed her she would not have become the mother of William the Conqueror. If there had been no William the Conqueror there would have been no battle of Hastings, Harold would not have fallen, no Anglo-Norman dynasty would have arisen, and there would have been no British empire. But Arletta's feet did twinkle. Hence Hastings, a fight which changed England and made America what it is today.

Hastings was fought in the year 1066. At that time the state of England, under her last Anglo-Saxon king, closely resembled the state of France under the last Carolingian prince. The crown was feeble. The great nobles were strong and turbulent. It has been generally conceded that for all the cruelty of the conquerors it was the Norman conquest which put the mettle in the blood of England and sowed the seed for the British constitution. Edward the Confessor had died childless. Although William of Normandy was his kinsman, although Edward was believed to be most favorably inclined toward William, and although there is some evidence that to William he promised the English crown, upon Harold, son of Earl Godwin and most popular chieftain in the land, was made the formal bestowal. But before this Harold himself, while a visitor at William's court, had given formal promise to assist the duke in obtaining the English throne. That William obtained this oath by the employment of trickery, and that he was unscrupulous in his method of coercing Harold, is fairly evident. But William had at least ostensible ground for indignation when Harold, finding himself after Edward's death deposed by the priests and thence as England's king, decided that the oath needed no keeping. He was duly anointed, receiving from the hands of the archbishop not only the golden crown and scepter, but a weighty battle-axe. For this latter bit of regalia he found very present need.

William published far and wide through Christendom the "perjury" of Harold, proclaiming his intention of gaining his rights by the sword before the year should expire, and promising most dire punishment to the "perjurer." He laid his case before the pope, but Harold refused to arbitrate, declaring that he would not "answer before an Italian priest for his title as an English king." Forthwith the pope confirmed William in his claim, whereupon William raised the holy banner, and half the chivalry of continental Europe flocked to his side for the privilege (?) of serving in a struggle blessed by his holiness. Harold prepared for the invasion, but down upon him from the north swept Harald Hardrada of Norway. By a forced march and brilliant maneuvering, Harold surprised Harald at Stamford Bridge, completely routing and killing him with most of his nobles. It was a striking victory, but it was bought at a tremendous price, for here Harold lost the flower of his officers and his army, while his occupation in Yorkshire gave William the opportunity for an unopposed landing upon the Sussex coast. With a great array of knights and a lesser force of men-at-arms—his total army had once numbered 60,000, but there had been some loss through the wrecking of ships and through defections—he came ashore at Pevensey on the 29th of September. Harold was still at York rejoicing over his hard-won victory.

Harold now made the mistake of underestimating the military skill of the enemy. He might have gathered an army greater in size than William's, but his victory over Hardrada had given him great confidence. Raising only a small force in London, he attempted another forced march, hoping to surprise the Normans as he had the Norwegians. William lay in an armed camp at Hastings, but he made skillful employment of the same methods of protection used by modern generals, until the airplane came into the field. The horse, falling back in good order, warned William, and dashed Harold's hope for a surprise. Therefore he halted seven miles from the Norman lines, sending out spies, who made the curious mistake of taking the Norman soldiers for priests, since they were short-haired and shaved. Harold's generals, realizing the numerical inferiority of their forces, would have had him retreat upon London, leaving the Saxon fleet to cut William's line of communication with his base, but to this Harold would not hearken. He strengthened his position by a pallisade, and there awaited the attack.

The great battle came on October 14. Standing on a hill whence he could obtain a general view, William formed his army in three divisions, exhorting his soldiers: "For God's sake spare not; strike hard at the beginning; stay not to take spoil; all the booty shall be in common, and there will be plenty for everyone. Fly not. You may fly to the sea, but you can fly no farther. You will find no ships or bridge there, and the English will

GREAT WAR CROP OF APPLES FOR PEOPLE OF THE NATION SOON

It Will Equal Two Bushels for Every Person in the Country.

Special Efforts Will Be Made to Handle Fruit Without Any Loss—May Find Help Shortage in Some Places—Staples to Allies.

In order that we may help win the war against autocracy, Americans must do everything possible to furnish sufficient food to help our fighting allies. We must eat more perishable and semiperishable food at home in order that the staple articles, such as wheat, may be sent abroad in great amounts. In a couple of weeks we will begin harvesting apples all over the country. This is a war crop. It will amount to two bushels for every man, woman and child in the United States. The motto this year is: "Eat an apple and send a biscuit."

War conditions also confront the apple growers, for there is a scarcity of pickers, and careful preparations must now be made to see that this crop is all safely harvested and put into storage. Now is the time to begin organizing picking crews in every apple growing section. A survey of the situation shows that the farmer will need co-operation from business men in the towns and cities round about at which he trades, and which have just as great an interest in this crop as the farmer himself. This is emergency organization work to be taken up immediately by chambers of commerce, boards of trade, state and county councils of defense, and business men generally.

The labor supply to harvest this crop exists right in the cities adjacent to the apple orchards in most cases, but the draft and demands of factories and railroads for labor have disturbed the normal supply of workers upon which the farmer usually draws, and it is necessary to recruit new kinds of workers. People who have never regarded themselves as apple pickers may this year be asked to go to the orchards and help get in the crop for patriotic reasons.

The organization work should take the form of an immediate survey of labor resources to see where a picking force is to be recruited. Stores and factories can often release clerks and workmen for this service if notified in time. Families who would like a week or two of vacation in the country with light, healthy outdoor work at satisfactory wages, may also be induced to join the picking army. It has been suggested that the schools might be opened later this year so that boys and girls can be sent to the orchards, but this will not be necessary in all cases. One very good source of pickers can be found among the women's organizations of this country, which are all keenly interested in helping in any practical patriotic work.

Much is heard about the scarcity of labor, but there is not as great a scarcity as most people imagine. Workers upon whom the farmer depends in ordinary times have simply been shifted into other occupations, and war conditions demand that business men step in, locate other classes of workers who can be shifted to the orchards for this emergency and see that the farmer has plenty of help.

There will probably be some difficulty in harvesting the apple crop with these volunteer workers, many of whom have no experience at the work. Perishable fruit must be handled carefully to prevent injury to the skin and bruises. These would later cause decay when the apples go into storage. The principles of careful fruit picking are very simple, and easily understood. If the farmer can start with two or three experienced pickers and spend a little time explaining good picking methods to his volunteers he should get excellent results, for these volunteers, while new to the work, will also be people of good average intelligence, and the war emergency will appeal to their interest so that they will be more than ready to help harvest the crop skillfully.

Apple growers are advised to get in touch with the business organizations in their nearest town, ask that help be given in securing pickers and report the number of pickers needed by themselves. One of the greatest difficulties in organizing harvest hands for any crop is that of gathering accurate information as to how many helpers are needed on each farm and in each township. For lack of such information it very often happens that one township will be handicapped because it is without sufficient helpers and a township twenty-five or thirty miles away will have a surplus of workers. By ascertaining in advance just how many workers will be needed in each locality, business organizations will be able to recruit a sufficient force.

When Money Talks. "Your candidate seems to have some ability, but he murders the king's English." "Don't let that worry you," answered the practical politician. "He has a bank roll that speaks half a dozen languages fluently." Obvious Thing. "Are the illustrations in papers and magazines reduced in cost?" "No; why should they be?" "Aren't they furnished to cut prices?"

DAIRY FACTS

PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF SCOURS

Feeding From Dirty Pails or Giving Rations Unhardened Stomachs Cannot Properly Digest.

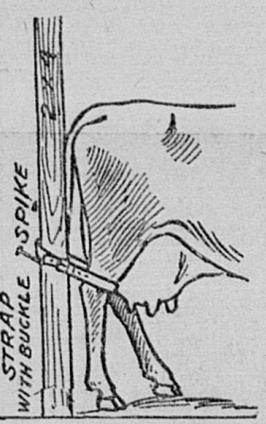
Those who raise young calves by hand know that scours is one of the greatest, if not the greatest, source of loss. Dr. C. C. Lipp, veterinarian at the South Dakota college, says feeding from dirty pails, or feeding rations the unhardened stomachs of the young calves cannot digest, are the two main causes from which this trouble may arise. The milk pails cannot be kept too clean. Scrupulous care must be observed if the feed pails are not to be the source of scours. Washing after each feeding with cold water is not enough; a thorough scalding at least once a day is essential and exposure to bright sunlight on every clear day will not come amiss. Bacteria are little things, but the way they live and multiply is remarkable, and the damage they can do when they get started assumes mighty proportions.

When the feed is hard to digest and the first evidence of stomach disorders appear, a dose of physic is the best cure. A few tablespoonfuls of castor oil or an equal amount of salts will remove the offending food and restore the system to working order again. A 40 per cent solution of formaldehyde has also been found to be an effective preventive of scours. One tablespoonful of formalin is diluted in one pint of water. A spoonful or two of the solution may then be added to the calf's milk as many times a day and as long as conditions demand.

PREVENT COW FROM KICKING

Method Shown in Illustration is Easy and Safe—Leg Tied by Means of Strong Strap.

(By E. ESCHL.) I had a heifer which persisted in kicking and struggling until it was simply impossible to milk her. A neighbor told me about the strap method and I adopted it at once. It is



Holding Cow's Leg.

easy and safe and worked just fine. In a little while the heifer would stand without the strap. A very good method to care a cow from kicking and to teach her to stand still while milking is to fasten a 2-by-4 timber securely to the floor and ceiling just back of the cow, then have a good, strong strap, with a buckle, pass around her hind right leg and then around the 2-by-4 and draw up tight and buckle it. Drive a spike in the 2-by-4 part way to keep the strap from slipping down when the cow struggles to get her leg free.

SPEED OF STEAM SEPARATOR

Farmers Should Be Careful to Follow Directions Given by Manufacturers of Machine.

Some tests conducted by the Indiana station show that much cream may be lost by not running the cream separator the proper number of revolutions. Farmers should be particular about following directions of the several makes of separators. It has been estimated that over 95 per cent of the dairymen turn their machines too slowly. The question of speed, therefore, becomes one of much importance, and dairymen should look after this feature of milk and cream handling with as much carefulness as they do any other detail of milk handling.

PREVENTING HORNS ON CALF

When Animal is Week or Two Old Rub Caustic Potash on Little Nubs —Protect From Rain.

(North Dakota Experiment Station.) Horns can be prevented from growing on a calf by rubbing caustic potash on the little nubs that develop into horns. A good time to do this is when the calf is a week or two old. Wrap one end of the stick of caustic in paper to protect the fingers, moisten the other and rub on the nubs. Be careful that it does not run down the face and into the eyes. Removing the hair helps. Make three applications, allowing it to dry between each application. The calf should be protected from rain to keep the caustic from spreading.

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Position.

"What is your old enemy's position in this crisis?" "I don't know exactly," replied Senator Sorghum. "But whatever his position is, it pays a good salary, or he wouldn't accept it."—Washington Star.

In All Things. "Mrs. Smith is a consistent woman." "Yes; she even sticks her husband for pin money."

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R. B. Waltrous was in Jackson, Saturday.

Miss Frances Steele spent Sunday in Adrian.

Miss Josephine Miller was a Detroit visitor Sunday.

Henry Penn and son Claire were in Detroit, Sunday.

M. J. Baxter and family spent Sunday at Wampler's lake.

Miss Mary Daly of Detroit visited relatives here over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Sanborn have been visiting his parents in Bronson for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. James DeYoung are the parents of a son, born Friday, August 10, 1917.

Miss Theresa Merkel and Miss Phyllis Raftrey were home from Detroit over Sunday.

Joseph Nemethy, accompanied by Claude Trotter, of Detroit, joined his family here Sunday.

Adam Faist and family left Sunday for Carson City, where they will visit relatives for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. William Criger of Pontiac are the parents of a son, born Wednesday, August 1, 1917.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Wheeler and children of Albion have been spending a few days with relatives here.

The Misses Edna and Margaret Lambert visited their sister, Mrs. Othmar Gerstler in Ann Arbor, Sunday.

Miss Amanda Gross spent the latter part of the week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Rank in Franciscano.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Appleton, who recently moved here from Philadelphia, have rented the Lake residence on Grant street.

Mrs. Verna Compton and son, of Williamston, visited at the home of her brother, Charles Williams, the last of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Taylor and daughter Virginia of Detroit visited Mrs. Taylor's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Merkel, Sunday.

Mrs. Joseph Nemethy and two children, who have been spending several weeks here, returned to their home in Detroit, today.

Mr. and Mrs. William Miller and daughter Gertrude, who have been spending the past two weeks here, returned to Detroit, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Seth Taylor and two sons of Albion and Miss Mary A. Miller of St. Clair visited at the home of their father, J. P. Miller, Sunday.

Mrs. Robert Shaver of Three Rivers arrived in Chelsea, Saturday, and is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Grant Kimmel of Lyndon township.

Meryl Shaver of the 33d Mich. Inft. band, encamped at Ft. Wayne, Detroit, was home for a brief visit, Saturday, returning to Detroit, Sunday morning.

Mrs. Anna Loranger of Detroit and Mrs. Margaret Ross and daughter Marie of Chicago spent the week end with Miss Nen Wilkinson and Mrs. Emma Monroe.

Dr. and Mrs. L. D. Zinke and Mr. Robert Reading of Cleveland are spending a couple of weeks at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Zinke.

Mr. and Mrs. James Moulds of Detroit and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Reimenschneider and little son of Royal Oak visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Reimenschneider over the week-end.

Mrs. Elizabeth Walz and daughter, Miss Grace, who have been spending several weeks at the home of the former's daughter, Mrs. Robert Gill, in Salem, Oregon, returned to their home here, Saturday.

A free open air band concert will be given Thursday evening by the Hollier Concert band. Director Albert LaFe Sincer advises that hereafter the first selection will be the Star Spangled Banner. During the playing of the national air it is customary for people to bare the head as a mark of respect and patriotism.

Notwithstanding a general scarcity of the larger fruits; peaches, apples and similar fruits; Thomas Fleming reports a few early peaches on his farm in Lyndon and picked a few Saturday, but says they are a month later than usual. He says his apple trees are entirely devoid of fruit. He has a few blackberries, but not a normal crop.

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R. D. Walker and family visited in Ann Arbor, Sunday.

L. G. Palmer and Dell Denton are Detroit visitors today.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Bohnet were Jackson visitors Sunday.

J. A. Leow of Braddock, Pa., is visiting Chelsea friends.

Miss Mabel Becker spent Sunday with her parents in Dexter.

John Schieferstein and family were Ann Arbor visitors Sunday.

Mrs. Emma Holthoef of Chicago is visiting Mrs. Frank Staffan.

Miss Dorothy Dancer is visiting friends in Ann Arbor this week.

Miss Lucile Pate of Detroit visited Miss Dora Chandler the past week.

Jack Faught has rented the Hesel-schwerdt residence on South street.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Carringer of Jackson are the guests of Mrs. C. M. Stephens.

Claire Durand of Battle Creek was the guest of Miss Mary Smith the first of the week.

Mrs. A. A. Harper returned Saturday from a visit in Norvell, Brooklyn and Jackson.

John Dunlay and John McNichol, of Detroit, were the guests of James P. McCarthy, Sunday.

Miss Alice Gorman of Detroit was the guest of Mrs. C. E. Whitaker, Sunday and Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Horrigan of Greenville visited Mrs. Catherine McCarthy the past week.

Dr. and Mrs. L. A. Maze and family, of Rochester, have been visiting friends here for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kuhl of Detroit are spending ten days at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Kuhl.

Wilbur Cogley is building a new house on the Keyes farm in Lima to replace the one destroyed by the cyclone some time ago.

Clover Leaf chapter will meet at Webster cottage, Crooked lake, Friday afternoon, August 17. Everybody invited. Bring dishes. Scrub lunch.

Miss Margaret Grant of Detroit, daughter of Rev. M. L. Grant, former pastor of the Congregational church, visited Miss Josephine Walker over the week-end.

Miss Charlotte Steinbach and little friend, Frieda Frohoffer of Cleveland, and niece, Marion Steinbach of Flint, visited the University museum in Ann Arbor recently.

A large plate glass in the south show window of Schenk's store was broken this morning, presumably by a pebble snapped from beneath the wheels of a passing automobile.

The Youngs family held a pleasant family gathering Sunday at South lake, about 60 being present, including guests from South Bend, Indiana, Detroit, Albion and many from Chelsea and vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. John B. Hubert and children of Parma, visited Chelsea friends Sunday. Mrs. Hubert was formerly Miss Grace Hall, daughter of A. A. Hall of Stockbridge, a former superintendent of the Chelsea schools.

The Red Cross entertainment, given Friday evening by the B. Natural club of Dexter, was a big success. The entertainment netted \$101, of which the Chelsea Red Cross received \$60.75 and the Dexter Red Cross \$40.25.

Mrs. Charles Martin, Misses Ethel Kalmbach and Margaret Farrell, Hollis Freeman and John Martin, of this place, and Mrs. Fred Kauska and daughter Irene, Miss Lillian Schairer, Harry Divers and Will Covert, of Detroit, are spending the week at the Bacon cottage at Cavanaugh lake.

Charles Scheffer of Freedom was instantly killed Saturday when he fell from the top of a windmill which he was repairing. He was nearly 64 years of age. Two daughters and four sons survive. The funeral was held yesterday afternoon at two o'clock from the house. Interment at Lodi Plains cemetery.

M. D. Sullivan has a variety of potatoes which are immune from the potato bug. He bought seed in several places last spring and does not know where he bought the seed for these "bugless" potatoes, but the fact remains that several rows have not been touched by the bugs, while other potato plants in rows on either side of the "bugless" patch require close attention to keep them free from bugs. Mr. Sullivan intends to save seed and try them out another season.

During the rain storm about four o'clock Sunday afternoon a telephone pole near the Chambers farm, east of town, broke and the subsequent extra strain resulted in a total of 39 poles being broken off between that point and the Hutzel farm, near the eastern edge of town. The poles fell to the north across the roadway and imprisoned two automobiles near the Hutzel place. The poles did not break simultaneously, but in slow succession, one after another, as each was subjected to the strain of the poles and wires already down. One of the wires shorted the Consumers transmission line and the cement plant was partially closed down until the trouble was found.

Fink's mules is the big free attraction at the Howell fair. They use three large revolving tables on a stage 30x40 feet; a State fair act.—Adv.

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