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\$1.45  
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THE BON TON CORSETS you buy here embody the world's best corset style.

For in Paris and London—New York and Rome—wherever cosmopolitan fashion is created

## Bon Ton CORSETS

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## W. P. Schenk & Co.

Chelsea, Mich.

## Fall and Winter Millinery

THE LADIES of Chelsea and vicinity are cordially invited to inspect our line of Millinery for Fall and Winter. We can please you in style, quality and price.

Open Wednesday and Saturday evenings.

## MILLER SISTERS

### LIBERTY LOAN RALLY CROWDS TOWN HALL

Building Packed By Enthusiastic Patriots and Loan Was Boosted \$75,000.

Sylvan town hall was packed to overflowing last evening by one of the largest crowds in its history and hundreds were turned away. Every inch of space was filled with enthusiastic American patriots and the Liberty Loan in Lyndon, Sylvan and Lima was given a substantial boost from \$77,800 to \$144,400.

N. S. Potter, Jr., was chairman and among the speakers were: Arthur Brown of Ann Arbor, Rev. Victor F. Brown of Wayne, Carl Lehman of Ann Arbor, Frank Stivers of Ann Arbor, John Kalmbach and Rev. Dierberger of Chelsea. Bates orchestra of Ann Arbor and the Chelsea band furnished music and moving pictures of war scenes were flashed at intervals.

Some of the larger subscriptions to date are: Kempf Commercial & Savings bank, \$40,000; Farmers & Merchants bank, \$25,000; Michigan Portland Cement Co., \$5,000; Lewis Spring & Axle Co., \$5,000; Chelsea Screw Co., \$5,000; H. S. Holmes, \$5,000; L. P. Klein, \$5,000; Mrs. Anna Whitaker, \$2,500; Wm. Bacon-Holmes Co., \$1,500; \$1,000 each—William R. Reed, Jacob Bahmiller, Lewis Eppler, Vogel & Wurster, J. E. Weber.

The quota assigned this district, including Lyndon, Sylvan and Lima townships, is \$213,000, so that there remains to be raised about \$68,600.

### LIGHT AUTO TRUCK RUNS DOWN BUGGY

Charles Mohrlak and A. E. Johnson Sustain Painful Injuries.

Charles Mohrlak and A. E. Johnson were considerably cut and bruised Friday evening about five o'clock when the buggy in which they were riding was struck from the rear by a light delivery truck owned by Holmes & Walker and driven by L. H. Ward.

The accident happened near the VanTyne farm, just north of town. Mr. Johnson was coming into town and had just turned the corner to come east towards Letts creek bridge. A machine owned and driven by Wilbur Riemenschneider, was approaching from the east and Mr. Johnson pulled well over to the right in order to allow plenty of passing room and to avoid the glare of the lights. The delivery car was coming into town, also, and the glare of the lights on the Riemenschneider car so blinded the driver that he did not see the horse-drawn vehicle until it was too late to avoid crashing into the rear end of the buggy.

Mr. Mohrlak was the most seriously injured and will be confined to his home all of this week. Mr. Johnson is able to be about town but still has a decided limp as the result of injuries to his back.

### CAVANAUGH LAKE GRANGE

The next meeting of Cavanaugh Lake grange will be held Tuesday evening, October 30th, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mensing. The program follows:

Roll call, current events.  
Song by the Grange.  
Vocal solo—Chester Notten.  
Reading—Mrs. B. C. Whitaker.  
Instrumental music—Catherine Notten.  
Reading of poem from Will Carleton—Clarence Kruse.  
Recitation—Mrs. Ehlert Notten.  
Humorous story—Mrs. Henry Gieske.

What has the National Congress done during the past year?—Phil. Schweinfurth.  
Subject for discussion by the women to be announced by the worthy secretary at the meeting.

Subject for discussion by the men to be announced by Henry Musbach at the meeting.  
Closing song.

### EDITOR NOW BIRDMAN.

Over at Williamston recently H. A. Thompson, editor of the Enterprise and one of the best known Odd-fellows in the state, fell from the roof of his house and broke his leg. The injury proved to be unusually serious and so it was decided to take Thompson to a Lansing hospital—Sparrow hospital. Some grim joke, that! Now we s'pose Thompson will lay claim to being a birdman just because they treated his game leg in a sparrow hospital.

A year's subscription costs only one dollar.

### THE BADGE OF HONOR



The government has arranged to give one of these badges to every purchaser of a Liberty Bond of the second issue.

ARE YOU WEARING ONE?

### COUNTY DRAFT BOARD PROBE COLLAPSES

Alleged Illegal Exemptions and Bribe Taking Rumors Are Not Substantiated.

Saturday's and yesterday's sessions of the grand jury, conducted by Prosecuting Attorney Lehman in Ann Arbor, called to investigate rumors of alleged illegal exemptions, by one member of the Washtenaw county exemption board, failed to substantiate such rumors.

Among the witnesses so far sworn was the woman alleged to have made the statement that one of the board was given \$600 for exempting a man physically fit. She admitted having made some such statement, but she also admitted that what she said was based upon conjecture. The man who is alleged to have paid the money was a witness yesterday.

There will be another session today to which several additional witnesses will be called.

### PARENT-TEACHERS' ASS'N.

The Parent-Teacher's association will meet this evening at 7:30 o'clock, in the high school building. The program follows:

Music—Victrola.  
Recitation—Richard Koons.  
Paper, "Prevention of School Fatigue"—Miss Olive Taylor.  
Recitation—Doris Foster.  
Paper, "Educating Our Girls for Future Wives and Mothers"—Mrs. D. L. Rogers.  
Music—Eleanor Dancer.  
Address, "Needs of the Chelsea Schools"—W. L. Walling.  
Vocal solo—Marie Whitmer.

### MRS. HUGH SHERRY.

Mrs. Hugh Sherry, for many years a resident of Chelsea, died suddenly Thursday in Pasadena, California, where she had made her home since last January. Death was due to heart failure. The funeral was held in Pasadena, Saturday.

### REV. FREDERICK KRAUSHAAR.

Rev. Frederick Kraushaar of Dexter, who was stricken with paralysis Thursday morning, died Sunday. The funeral will be held from his home Wednesday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock, standard time.

### NEIGHBORHOOD BREVITIES

Interesting Items Clipped and Called From Our Exchanges.

ANN ARBOR—Johnson & Stewart have taken the contract to build a gravel road from the Whitmore Lake bridge to the beginning of the "mile of good road" ending at the Northfield Catholic church. The work is to be started this fall, and the contract price is \$10,500.—Times-News.

TECUMSEH — While engaged in crating goods in the Belding furniture store Arthur Harding, an employe, met with an injury that nearly resulted in the loss of an eye. The accident happened when a nail he was driving flew and struck his eye-glasses, breaking one of the lenses, a particle of the shattered glass penetrating the eyeball. Although very painful, physicians say that there will be no permanent injury to the sight.

Croup.  
If your children are subject to croup get a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, and when the attack comes on be careful to follow the plain printed directions. You will be surprised at the quick relief which it affords.—Adv.

### STEAL AUTOMOBILE; LAND IN MARSH

Two R. R. Sectionmen Take Foreman's Car for Joy Ride.

William Stowe and Leo Haffa, members of the "extra" section gang on the Michigan Central railroad, were arrested yesterday afternoon after they had stolen an automobile owned by their foreman, Louis Alex, and had lost control of the machine on North Main street and had landed in the low land north of the Hollier plant.

The two men had been drinking and it is said Stowe took the machine from Allie Page's yard on North street, where it had been parked. Stowe is a colored man and has a chauffeur's license. He drove north on Main street and lost control of the machine at North Main and Buchanan streets, narrowly missing Jacob Alber's car which was coming south. The car jumped the east sidewalk and plunged into the soft muck land. The two then abandoned the car, but were later arrested by Officer Evans.

The car was not seriously damaged.

### LOCAL CHECKERISTS WIN

Have Slight Advantage Over Three Experts From Lansing.

Three expert checker players from Lansing spent the first of the week in Chelsea and met several local players in a series of games. The personnel of the visiting team was as follows: Messrs. R. Spurger, H. Hibbard and W. Lane.

The local expert players secured a slight advantage over the visitors and carried off the honors of the series.

### LOSES CASH AND CABBAGE.

George Adams, editor of the Fowlerville Review, recently had his garden pillaged of the summer's crop of cabbage and now his lino-type operator, one John R. Russell, has decamped after riding the office safe of \$33. Adams is optimistic, however, and says:

"Just think of having such a scoop on our brother editors who have been plodding along all their lives and have never experienced such a thriller.

"And what a figure we will be able to cut at the next annual meeting of the press association when as we stalk about the hotel all of the boys will be pointing at us and whispering, 'There is the editor that actually had real money in his safe and was robbed.'"

### WANTED, FOR SALE, TO RENT

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

WANTED—Motorcycle lamp and gas tank. "S," care Tribune office. 13

LOST—Mink fur collar, Sunday evening, Reward. Call phone 58, Chelsea. 1311

FOR SALE—Eight shoats, 6 months old, fine shape; \$150. H. E. Haynes, phone 206-F3, Chelsea. 1313

FOR SALE—Sow and 5 pigs about 4 weeks old. Ed. Pielemeier, phone 155-F31, Chelsea. 1213

WANTED—Single man to work on farm, either by year or month. Dahue Riker, R. F. D. 3, Chelsea. 1213

WANTED—Man to cut 100 cords block wood on shares. J. T., care Tribune office. 1113

GIRL WANTED—To tend candy counter and wait on tables. Steady position; good wages to right one. Sugar Bowl, Chelsea, phone 38. 1113

FOR SALE—Modern residence, South and Grant streets. William Fahrner, Chelsea. 1011f

FOR RENT—Office room, second floor Kempf bank block. Kempf Com. & Sav. Bank. 941f

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

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. 11

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Capital, Surplus and Profits - \$100,000.00

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Many women carry accounts here. Many more men and women and boys and girls have accounts with us.

We have been in business over 40 years.

Our Resources are over \$750,000.00.

Why not join us?

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We have a complete stock of the best of makes in Oil Heating Stoves, Oil Cook Stoves, Wood Airtight Heaters, Combination Coal and Wood Heaters or Base Burners for coal only, Laundry Stoves, Cook Stoves, Cast Ranges and Steel Ranges.

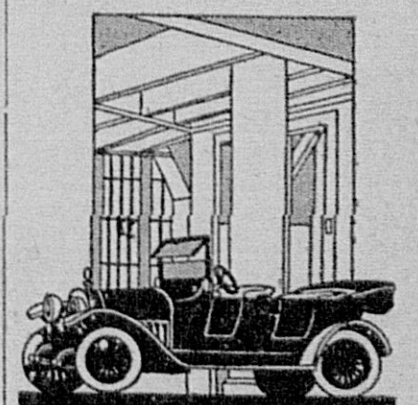
A few good second-hand heating stoves at prices that will move them.

Stove Pipe and Elbows, Dampers, Stove Rugs and Stove Boards.

Call and inspect our offerings. We have the stove for your requirement at the right price.

Phone 66-W HINDELANG & FAHRNER Chelsea

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WE'LL MAKE THAT  
"OLD AUTO"  
"LIKE NEW"

### We Make Them SPICK AND SPAN.

Repairs Quickly Attended to.  
Tires, All Kinds of Tools and Accessories

### Gasoline That Is Right In Quality and Price.

### Crescent Garage

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Calls answered promptly day or night Telephone No. 6.

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Fire Insurance  
Real Estate Dealer, Money to Loan Office, Hatch-Durand Block, upstairs, Chelsea, Michigan.

C. C. LANE  
Veterinary Surgeon and Dentist  
Office at Martin's Livery Barn, Chelsea, Michigan.

CHELSEA CAMP No. 7338 M. W. A.  
Meets 2d and 4th Tuesday evenings of each month. Insurance best by test. Herman J. Dancer, Clerk.

### -Shoes and Repairing-

We have a line of good Work Shoes from \$2.50 to \$4.00. All leathers. Shoe repairing a specialty. The best oak leather used.

C. SCHMID & SON, West Middle Street

### F. STAFFAN & SON UNDERTAKERS

Established over fifty years  
Phone 201 CHELSEA, Mich.



# Canadian Farmers Profit From Wheat



The war's devastation of European crops has caused an unusual demand for grain from the American Continent. The people of the world must be fed and wheat near \$2 a bushel offers great profits to the farmer.

**You can get a Homestead of 160 acres FREE** and other lands at remarkably low prices. During many years Canadian wheat fields have averaged 30 bushels to the acre many yields as high as 45 bushels to the acre. Wonderful crops also of Oats, Barley and Flax.

Mixed farming as profitable an industry as grain raising. The excellent grasses are the only food required for beef or dairy purposes. Good schools, churches, markets convenient, climate excellent. There is an extra demand for farm labor to replace the many young men who have volunteered for the war. The Government is urging farmers to put extra acreage into wheat. Write for literature and particulars to the nearest railway station or to the Supt. of Immigration, Ottawa, Canada, or M. V. MacINNES, 176 Jefferson Ave., Detroit, Mich. Canadian Government Agent

## Train Your System

through the liver, to act naturally, at a fixed time every day. The best habit in the world is the habit of health.

Take one pill regularly (more only if necessary) until you succeed. Then you can stop taking them without trouble or annoyance.



**CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS.**  
Genuine bears signature  
Small Pill  
Small Dose  
Small Price

## PALLID PEOPLE

Usually Need Iron in the Blood. Try CARTER'S IRON PILLS

Heard of an Office. "I see Price has joined the army." "Good! If he doesn't advance rapidly, he'll be different from all the other prices."

A National Blessing. According to Dr. R. F. Griggs, who has just come back from Kaituma, the latest "largest volcano," its 1912 eruption will be the last for thousands of years. Wouldn't it be a comfort if some explosive human beings would blow off one and shut up for a like period?—New York Sun.

## Keep Yourself Fit

You can't afford to be laid up with sore, aching kidneys in these days of high prices. Some occupations bring kidney troubles; almost any work makes weak kidneys worse. If you feel tired all the time, and suffer with lame back, sharp pains, dizzy spells, headache and disordered kidney action, use Doan's Kidney Pills. It may save an attack of rheumatism, dropsy, or Bright's disease. Doan's have helped thousands back to health.

### A Michigan Case

Sam Willis, stationery engineer, 466 Michigan St., Detroit, Mich., says: "I suffered four or five years from sharp pains across my kidneys and right side. Nothing did me any good until I took Doan's Kidney Pills. They cleared up the kidney secretions; the pain left and I passed a gravel stone. When ever I have felt in need of a kidney medicine since, Doan's Kidney Pills have always proved beneficial."

Get Doan's at Any Store, 60c a Box  
**DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS**  
FOSTER-MILBURN CO., BUFFALO, N. Y.

## ABSORBINE

will reduce inflamed, swollen joints, sprains, bruises, soft bunions, Heals Boils, Pock, Evil, Quilts, Fistula and infected sores quickly as it is a positive antiseptic and germicide. Pleasant to use, does not blister or irritate the skin, and you can work the sore. 50c per bottle, delivered. Book 7 N. face.

ABSORBINE, JR., the strongest disinfectant, disinfects, Paleolol, Swollen Veins, Wrens, Strains, Bruises, sprays, pain and inflammation. Price \$1.00 per bottle at dealers or direct. Will tell you more if you wish. Liberal Trial Bottle for 10c in stamps. W. F. YOUNG, P. O. F., 210 Temple St., Springfield, Mass.

## A Fine 20 Acre Florida Farm

That Will Cost Only \$375  
Is the best investment ever offered. Land all high and dry, on main road, and within a few miles of a good market. Buyers need not worry if they can't contract for its cultivation. Land under cultivation will net from \$500 to \$1,000 per acre. High food prices and the fact that this land produces three crops a year, makes this possible. Cash is paid for it in monthly amounts. If you wish. For further information, address  
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## Every Woman Wants

**Pantene**  
ANTISEPTIC POWDER  
FOR PERSONAL HYGIENE  
Dissolved in water for douches stops pelvic catarrh, ulceration and inflammation. Recommended by Lydia E. Pinkham Med. Co. for ten years. A healing wonder for nasal catarrh, sore throat and sore eyes. Economical. Has extraordinary cleansing and germicidal power. Sample Free. 50c. all druggists, or postpaid by mail. The Pantene Toilet Company, Boston, Mass.

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Last chance to get new and reliable at wholesale prices. 30 days money back guarantee. Underwood \$37 Royal \$25 Oliver \$25 Also Remington, Smith, Corona, etc. in quantities. Only factory in Michigan. Cash with order or C. O. D. on trial. Catalog and largest photo ever made free. U. S. TYPEWRITER CO., 108 Fisher Bldg., Detroit, Mich.  
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## STATE NEWS

Paw Paw—Rev. A. O. Carman has retired from the M. E. pastorate here to assist his aged father on a farm near Potteryville.

Potoskey—William Jennings Bryan and William Howard Taft will be on next summer's assembly program of "The New Baby View," a summer resort association.

Grand Rapids—More than 400 Polish recruits, most of them Falcons, have left here for Canadian training camps. They will enter their own army in France soon.

Benton Harbor—Higher pay for Michigan Baptist ministers was asked in a resolution adopted here by the state Baptist convention. The resolution declares that such action is necessary because of the rising cost of living.

Pontiac—Excited by talk of war, John Mathewson, 12 years old, left his home and is believed by his parents to have started with a playmate for Camp Custer. Other boys say that before he left he planned "to kill the Kaiser."

Mt. Clemens—Charles Curtiss and William Mohr, who during the summer pastured 11 head of young cattle in Macomb township, reported the loss of eight. The cattle were recovered in Birmingham where Sheriff Green, of Pontiac, arrested a man who offered the cattle for sale at a low figure.

Olivet—Despite the increase in the cost of food Shipper hall, a dormitory of Olivet college, will board 150 students for \$14 a month, the price given in last year's catalogue. Possession by the college of a 130-acre farm, from which is obtained dairy products and the purchase of other products in large quantities some time ago, has made this possible.

Benton Harbor—What is believed to have been an attempt at the life of Charles K. Farmer, commander of the second battalion, Michigan naval militia, occurred as the official was preparing to leave for the great lakes training station where he was to report. Farmer was standing on the back porch of his residence when a bullet whizzed over his head and was imbedded in the wall behind him.

Monroe—County road work will stop soon as the stone quarry has received notice the railroad will furnish no more cars.

Kalamazoo—Charles A. Parcels, of the department of labor, issued an appeal for pickers in the grape vineyards of Van Buren county. The crop is going to waste from lack of pickers to harvest the fruit, he says.

Grand Rapids—One unidentified woman was killed and 14 persons were injured when a street car was struck by a Grand Trunk freight train at the Sweet street crossing. Aaron S. Lee, a Civil war veteran, was fatally hurt.

Pontiac—The high cost of living has hit the jail and Sheriff Green has requested the supervisors to raise the daily board allowance for prisoners from 50 to 70 cents each. He also wants a drawing account of \$600 a month instead of \$150.

Port Huron—The board of supervisors have authorized a committee to probe prices charged by local grocers and meat market men to consumers and also prices paid to producers. The probe follows a report that a food combine exists in Port Huron.

Detroit—Control of the management of the Hotel Pontchartrain has passed to eastern capital represented by Frank W. Harriman, prominent New York hotel man. He announced that the new operating company will immediately expend about \$100,000 in improvements, and expects to later put large sums into some alterations in the hotel.

Redford—"Step around inside," said Thomas Houghton, president of the Redford State Savings bank, to a hold-up man who thrust a revolver under his nose and demanded \$3,000. Quite casually Houghton backed against the door of the vault, and turning, spun the combination as the door slammed shut. The bandit's revolver disappeared into his pocket and the bandit disappeared through the door. Although it was broad daylight no trace of the man was found by posse.

Marcellus—Mrs. S. A. Thorpe, 36 years old, died of burns suffered in a gasoline explosion May 30.

St. Louis—For lack of coal the municipal light and power plant closes at midnight and runs but half the time days.

Plainwell—L. E. Ireland, of this city, and J. H. Messenger, of Syracuse, N. Y., civil war comrades, were reunited after Messenger saw the name of Ireland in a Detroit paper.

Corunna—Because of farmer members whose crops demand attention, the board of supervisors recessed for a week making this the first time there has ever been a break of this kind in the October session.

Kalamazoo—The Eurotophian Literary society, composed of western state Normal young women, instead of giving a banquet for new members of the organization, as has been the custom for years, donated the money for the entertainment to the war fund.

Kalamazoo—The war has made the study of German extremely unpopular at Kalamazoo college. Only 56 enrolled for the course this year as compared to 150 last year. Sixty are studying Spanish, compared to 30 a year ago. French classes have also increased.

## Made in Germany



## 70 DIE WHEN U BOAT SINKS TRANSPORT

AMERICAN TROOPSHIP, UNDER CONVOY, HOMEWARD BOUND, SENT TO BOTTOM.

## IS FIRST U. S. TRANSPORT SUNK

Neither Submarine Nor Torpedo Was Seen—Ship Struck Squarely Sinks in Five Minutes.

Washington—Under convoy, homeward bound, the American army transport Antilles was torpedoed and sunk by a German submarine in the war zone October 17. About 70 men are missing and probably lost.

All the army and navy officers aboard and the ship's master were among the survivors. The missing are members of the crew, three civilian engineers, some enlisted men of the navy, and 16 of 33 soldiers returning home for various reasons. Neither the submarine nor the torpedo was seen and the transport, hit squarely amidships, sunk in five minutes.

This tragedy of the sea, the first in which an American ship engaged in war duty has been lost, is the first of its magnitude to bring home to the people of the United States the rigors of the war in which they have engaged against Germany. It carries the largest American casualty list of the war, and marks the first success of German attacks on American transports.

That the loss of life was not greater is due to the safeguards with which the navy has surrounded the transport service, and the quick rescue work of the convoying warships.

## Names of Lost Not Known

Secretary Daniels announced the disaster in a statement based upon a brief dispatch from Vice-Admiral Sims which gave few details and did not say whether it was a day or night attack. An accurate list of the missing cannot be issued until General Pershing reports the names of the army men on the vessel and the list of the merchant crew.

Lacking details of the attack, beyond the fact that the submarine was unseen and the first warning to those aboard the Antilles came with the shock of the explosion of the torpedo, many theories were current as to how the U-boat crept through the destroyer screen, did its work and escaped unchallenged.

The loss of the Antilles marks the first reduction of the transport fleet that has been operating. A very considerable number of American troops, workmen and others involved in the prosecution of the war have been carried safely to France and England, and the unsuccessful attack on the first contingent is the only recorded previous instance where the U-boats have succeeded even in catching sight of the vessels.

## BREAD PRICE IS CUT ONE CENT

Detroit Baking Companies Reduce Cost of Large Loaf.

Detroit—A one-cent reduction in wholesale price of white bread, or from 15 to 14 cents a loaf of 22 ounces, has been made by Detroit baking companies. Any attempt by bakers to dictate prices would be illegal business practice. Large wholesalers said grocers and retailers, except in a few cases, probably would follow the trail blazed by them and reduce prices. Robert Henkel, in charge of the Southern Michigan wheat division, was advised that Detroit, Cleveland, Toledo and Buffalo milling communities might look for definite relief from their present shortage of wheat within three weeks.

## Eighty Head of Cattle Burned

Rochester—Fire of probably incendiary origin destroyed the three big barns on the Parke Davis Co. biological farms here at a loss which will run from \$50,000 to \$75,000. Eighty head of valuable stock used for experimental purposes were cremated, and all the other contents of the structures were destroyed. Although the value of the entire plant, which covers two miles, is estimated at \$1,000,000, the other structures were not damaged.

## Women to Guard Custer Morals

Traverse City—The State Federation of Women's Clubs will do all possible to better conditions at Camp Custer. Mrs. Burritt Hamilton, vice-president-at-large, outlined work to be carried out there. Women's clubs, fraternal organizations, churches and private citizens will help remove all contaminating influences along two lines—enforcement of the law and to make good conduct attractive. Citizens will sign pledges to entertain soldiers in their homes.

## ELEVEN SHIPS SUNK BY GERMAN RAIDERS

HEAVILY ARMORED CRUISERS TAKE HEAVY TOLL IN RAID IN NORTH SEA.

## TEUTONS EVADE BRITISH WATCH

Nine Merchantmen and Two British Destroyers Are Prey—No Aid Given Drowning Survivors.

London—Two British destroyers and nine unarmed merchantmen were the toll which two extraordinarily swift and heavily armed German commerce raiders took in a North sea battle last week, according to an announcement made by the British admiralty.

The traditions of the British navy were fully sustained by the two British horns of the seas—the Mary Rose and the Strongbow. Outraged by the raiders' guns, outspeeded, they went into battle and fought to a finish with their formidable antagonists—two pigmies against giants. Eighty-eight officers and men perished on the Mary Rose and 47 on the Strongbow.

The two German raiding ships slipped out of their harbor in the dark. They sped north, scouring the seas for merchantmen bringing supplies to England. Somewhere between the Norwegian coast—far to the northern boundary of the North sea—they came suddenly on a fleet of Norwegian and Swedish merchantmen, convoyed by the two British destroyers.

No Effort Made to Save Survivors. The battle was furious, but unequal from the start. The attack of the British ships, however, enabled three of the neutral merchantmen to escape. When the British destroyers were sunk, the Germans promptly proceeded to their assault on the unprotected and unarmed merchantmen. Five Norwegian and three Swedish ships were sunk at once—without examination of their papers, without warning, and without any regard for the lives of passengers and crews aboard them.

Then the two marauders, fearing arrival of British patrol boats, turned tail and fled. Not an effort was made to rescue survivors who struggled in the water.

Two British vessels attracted by the sound of the gunfire, later picked up 30 Norwegians and others. A Christiania dispatch added that the admiral commandant of the Swedish navy had reported the rescue of 37 persons "from Norwegian and Swedish ships"—presumably survivors of the same German sea victims.

## \$100,000,000 BASE IN FRANCE

U. S. Will Build Giant Depot to Supply Troops at Front.

Washington—Work of building an immense ordnance depot and arsenal base in France for the American army will start soon. A contract for its construction has been awarded. The great supply depot will be near the seaport "somewhere in France," on a spot which has been turned over to the American forces for their exclusive use.

Total cost of the enterprise will be about \$100,000,000, it is expected. Machinery for the arsenal is already being delivered. The cost of this equipment alone is \$5,000,000.

More than 1,000 miles of standard gauge railway will be built from the base to the sector of front occupied by General Pershing's army.

Engineering organizations, recruited largely from the staff of the Pennsylvania railroad, already are in France, preparing for construction work. Payment for the work will be on the basis of cost plus 19 per cent.

## TRAINMEN VOTE FOR PAY RAISE

U. S. and Canadian Railworkers Ask 20 Per Cent Increase.

Ottawa—Representatives of 200,000 organized railroad workers in the northeastern part of the United States and eastern Canada decided here to recommend to their unions that they demand from their employers wage increases of not less than 20 per cent. The workers involved are trainmen, conductors, baggage men, brakemen and yardmen.

The vote in favor of the demand for increased pay was unanimous on the part of 104 chapters of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen and the Order of Railway Conductors, who have been in session here.

The question will be submitted to a referendum of the members of the brotherhoods. If their vote is affirmative, negotiations with the railroad companies will be begun. If the increases are granted, they will mean the addition of millions of dollars to the annual payrolls of about 50 companies.

## Drunks Overcrowd Jackson Jail

Jackson—The board of supervisors have voted to enter into a contract with Hilledale for the housing in the jail in that county the overflow of drunks from the Jackson county jail. Since the establishment of the cantonment at Battle Creek this city has been over run with workmen from the camp who came to this city to obtain supplies of liquor. As a result the local jail often has been overflowed and coats had to be placed in corridors to provide for the overflow.

## A GUARANTEED REMEDY FOR ASTHMA

Your MONEY WILL BE REFUNDED by your druggist without any question if this remedy does not benefit every case of Asthma, Whooping Cough, Hay Fever or Bronchitis. It is the only medicine that cures the attacks or obviates the cause.

## DR. R. SCHIFFMANN'S ASTHMADOR

In either form (Cigarette, Pipe Mixture or Powder) positively gives INSTANT RELIEF in every case and has permanently cured thousands who had been considered incurable, after having tried every other means of relief in vain. Sufferers are afforded an opportunity of availing themselves of this "Money-Back" guarantee either as through purchasing from their own regular Druggist, they are sure their money will be refunded by him if the remedy fails. You will be the sole judge as to whether you are benefited and will get your money back if you are not. We do not know of any fairer proposition which we could make.

R. Schiffmann Co., Proprietors, St. Paul, Minn.

## Kindness

Private Simkins had returned from the front to find that his girl had been walking out with another young man, and naturally asked her to explain her frequent promenades in the town with the gentleman.

"Well, dear," she replied, "it was only kindness on his part. He took me down every day to the library to see if you was killed."

## Get DODD'S Pills for Kidney Ills. See 3 D's in Name

No Substitute Assures the Relief You Get From DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS.

Wise persons accept no substitute for the old, genuine DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS; their remedial qualities are too well known to thousands of users who have saved themselves from the ravages of kidney troubles and Bright's disease by the timely use of this famous old remedy.

Upon the slightest backache, pain in joints, stiffness in stooping or lifting, you must take warning of the insidious approach of disease. Immediately begin preventive measures by the use of DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS. They are recognized to be the most dependable and effective kidney regulators and reconstructors procurable. Thousands use them and praise them.

But you must take no risk of failure through the use of a substitute. You are protected by the name on the box—DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS. Look for DODD'S—the name with the three D's—for diseased, disordered, deranged kidneys. No article of similar name will do.

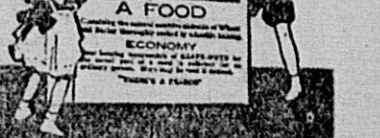
Every druggist sells DODD'S under a rigid satisfaction-or-money-back guarantee. Get yours today and start on the road to health.

Time to Fight Mice. The time to fight mice is when you house is still rid of them. First make a hard and fast rule that not a crumb of food is left exposed in kitchen, pantry or cupboard. See also that in the bedrooms of your home no wafers or other tasty bits are left where a mouse might get them and thus find encouragement to take up his permanent abode there.

The next thing to do is to cut off the means of entrance to your home, and this is done by seeing that there are no loose passageways into the cellar or open cavities in the wall or loose woodwork. As a final resource you will perhaps have to choose between a mouse trap and a cat. It all depends on your affinity for the feline pet which you will do. But remember that, whereas permitting mice to lodge in your house was formerly only an act of slothful neglect, it is now one of the crimes of wastefulness, of which no patriotic woman should be guilty.—Exchange.

No Great Loss. "Why, ma'am," said Private Soggers, "the roar of them big guns was so fierce in the trenches we couldn't hear ourselves think."

"Dear me!" exclaimed the interested old lady. "That must have been terrible. Still, I understand your officers are put there to do your thinking for you."



## Boys & Girls THRIVE

on the easily digested wheat and barley food Grape-Nuts  
There's a Reason



DETROIT WOMAN SPENT A FORTUNE

Mrs. Rice Declares That Trouble Followed Her for Fifteen Long Years.

ENJOYS LIVING NOW

"Tanlac Is Making a New Woman of Me, It Has Done Me More Good Than All Other Medicines," She Says.

Mrs. L. C. Rice, 128 Selden street, Detroit, Michigan, declares that she has derived more benefit from five bottles of Tanlac than from medicines and treatments which have cost her a small fortune in the past fifteen years.

"I have suffered for the past fifteen years with disordered kidneys and stomach trouble. I had such awful pains that at times I couldn't help crying out loud. My feet and lower limbs would become numb and swollen until I couldn't walk and would have to take to my bed. I couldn't sleep on account of my nervousness and would often get up and walk the floor, when I was able to walk. I took all kinds of treatments and spent a small fortune, but didn't get any relief.

"The five bottles of Tanlac I have taken made me feel a hundred times better already. I don't suffer any pain or inconvenience from my kidneys at all now and my stomach is in fine condition. My blood circulation is better and my limbs don't get cold like they did. I don't claim to be entirely well yet, but I eat heartily, sleep well and enjoy life more than I have in years. Tanlac is rapidly making a new woman of me, it has done me more good than all the other medicines I have taken in fifteen years."

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

Activity of Russian Women.

As Russia was the first country where women were given control over their inherited property, and as Petrograd has had for some years the largest medical college for women in Europe, it is not strange that women have taken such an active part in the military campaigns. In all the revolutionary movements the women students have been more dangerous perhaps, to the government, than the men. It is believed that the majority of the women amazons are revolutionists and that their military experience was sought for the opportunity it gave them to spread their doctrine.

FOR SKIN TROUBLES

That Itch, Burn, Torture and Disfigure Use Cuticura—Trial Free.

The Soap to cleanse and purify, the Ointment to soothe and heal. They usually afford immediate relief in itching, burning eczemas, pimples, dandruff and most baby skin troubles. They also tend to prevent little skin troubles becoming great if used daily.

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

Memorial to Tom Thomson.

A fitting memorial has just been erected in the wilds of Algonquin park to the late Tom Thomson, the distinguished young Canadian artist, who was drowned there last July, says the Toronto Globe. On the hill overlooking Canoe lake, where Thomson lost his life, and whose beauties he had transcribed for an ever widening circle of admirers, there now stands a cairn built from native stone, and on its face a brass plate with the following inscription:

"To the memory of Tom Thomson, artist, woodsman and guide, who was drowned in Canoe lake, July 8, 1917. 'He lived humbly but passionately with the wild. It made him brother to all untamed things of nature. It drew him apart and revealed itself wonderfully to him. It sent him out from the woods, only to show these revelations through his art, and it took him to itself at last. 'His fellow artists and other friends and admirers join gladly in this tribute to his character and genius. 'His body is buried at Owen Sound, Ontario, near where he was born, August, 1877."

There's one good thing about golfers—they never have time to talk about their neighbors.

Sunday piety will not make up for six days' depravity.

WHEATLESS MEALS!

DON'T BOTHER ME, SAYS Bobby

JUST TRY POST TOASTIES

BEST CORN FLAKES EVER!

CAMOUFLAGE HIDES CAMP CUSTER GUNS

FIELD ARTILLERY BATTERIES CONCEALED AFTER LATEST STYLE FROM FRANCE.

SELECTED MEN ON WAY SOUTH

Troops Sent to Fill Divisions at Waco, Texas, and Little Rock, Ark., Began Moving Monday.

Lansing.

Camp Custer men have already become experts in the famous art of camouflage.

Field artillery batteries have been concealed in the fields close to division headquarters so cleverly that they are not noticed by scores of camp visitors.

Strangers in camp wander close to a network of trenches, emplacements, gun pits, sleeping quarters and bomb-proof shelters, without ever discovering them. There are now some excellent examples of the best kind of camouflage.

Nearby is a pretty little copse, which really is a "manufactured" thicket to conceal a regular wartime shelter for three and six-inch guns. A whole battery has been concealed from imaginary aeroplanes.

From this are narrow underground passages to the sleeping quarters of the men, ammunition and storerooms, and other departments. These underground rooms all have two or three separate entrances, some a considerable distance away. All of this work has been done by the new men at Camp Custer after the latest styles direct from France.

Selected Men On Way South.

Selected men of the Eighty-fifth division at Camp Custer began moving south Monday to aid in filling to war strength divisions at Camp Pike, Little Rock, Ark., and the Michigan Wisconsin division, at Waco, Texas. The movement will continue until 6,000 have gone.

According to word received from Waco, Texas, the men on their arrival, will be distributed among companies from their home cities as nearly as possible and will be regarded as volunteers.

General L. C. Covell, commander of the Michigan Brigade at Waco says that 3,000 men will not bring the division to full war strength, and there is question as to how the vacancies will be filled.

Roads to Camp to Be Improved.

Following a mass meeting of Battle Creek citizens, prompted partially by a report that Kalamazoo was prepared to spend \$1,000,000 on roads and street car lines to get a share of Camp Custer business, 200 Battle Creek business men wrung a promise from the Calhoun county board of supervisors at Marshall to give immediate attention to improving the highways.

The Stringham road, connecting Battle Creek with the camp will be improved at once and plans were laid for the building of two permanent highways to the cantonment—a \$45,000 paved way to replace the improved Stringham road next spring, and a \$50,000 cement highway on what is known as the Territorial road.

The total cost will be more than \$100,000. The city, county and state are now building a third highway on what is known as the Harmonia road.

Negroes Go to Custer October 27

Michigan's Negro troops will be called to Camp Custer October 27, orders to the division commander from Washington advise. It is understood that the Negroes will be sent in advance of the rest of the second contingent, but of this there is no official notification.

The Negroes, some 600 strong, will be provisionally part of the 160th depot brigade. Since 300 men will be sent east to be trained for special duty, there will be two companies of Negroes under Lieut.-Col. E. A. Frye, quartered and acting as part of the depot brigade. Officers have been temporarily assigned for the training of these troops.

The colored troop, as it has up to now when officially designated, will have more officers than the ordinary company of the depot brigade, being practically up to war strength as regards commissioned men. At present there are a dozen soldiers in the troop.

These men have been accepted and equipped, and drilled as a squad, and their officers say that they have learned rapidly and will be able to help with the new men when they arrive.

Michigan Troops Being "Gassed."

Under the direction of war experts, training of the Michigan soldiers at Camp McArthur, Waco, Texas, is advancing rapidly.

Among the poison gases that they will be called upon to face in the beginning of the course is the death-dealing "laughing gas." Victims of this gas are thrown into spasms of laughter before succumbing to it. Other gases that will be loosed on the Wolverines are feline, chlorine and prussic acid.

Drafting Aliens Causes Trouble.

The relation of the alien to the selective draft has suddenly loomed as vitally important in Michigan and at the rate things are going there will be many Americans, far down in the lists who consider themselves safe from actually "being called," who may yet have to go to Camp Custer.

Camp Custer now holds a number of aliens, all of whom, according to the local boards, were certified only after they had been cautioned that unless they practically volunteered they could not be held. But the friends of these men on the outside are now working tooth and nail to get them out.

They have gone so far that from Washington have come direct orders to the state officials to investigate many cases. The war department has evidently acted on representations made by ambassadors.

Under the original ruling of the war department, aliens, providing they did not ask exemption on that ground, were to be certified. This was changed so that all local boards were cautioned to see to it absolutely that the men were informed of their rights. This the Michigan boards say they did, but now many of the aliens are having their cases reopened on the ground that at the time of their appearance before the boards they "did not understand what was going on."

Cafes At Waco Under Ban.

As a result of investigations by government surgeons, which included poking into kitchens and ice boxes of all eating houses, at Waco, Texas, a half dozen restaurants were put under an absolute ban because of unsanitary conditions. No soldiers are permitted to patronize these places for the present.

The edict extended to commanding officers as well as privates. But when the reason was given this order was not difficult to enforce.

One of the places barred has been popular with officers, also with soldiers who did not care to stretch their \$30 a month over the entire 30 days.

These inspections will be made at irregular intervals and any hotel or restaurant found wanting will have no soldier trade. Any man who eats at any of these places will be placed under arrest.

Another order forbids the use of veal by the soldiers of Michigan and Wisconsin. This followed the illness of 50 members of the 126th regiment who had eaten veal too young for food.

Food conservation plays a part in the order also.

Nine Years Tax Totals \$63,690,079.02.

During the last nine years, according to figures compiled by Auditor General O. B. Fuller for the state budget commission, the state of Michigan has raised in state taxes a total of \$63,690,079.02.

From 1909 to 1917, inclusive, the educational institutions of the state cost \$18,409,886.44, while the care of the insane cost \$12,651,996.94.

Other items of expense include charitable institutions, \$4,411,683.34; penal institutions, \$4,053,358.37; public health, \$606,419.34; military, \$2,128,577.96; highways, \$4,998,000; general purposes, including salaries of state officials, judges, etc., \$12,349,979; legislature, \$545,356.16; boards and commissioners, \$2,486,569.51; miscellaneous, \$3,047,759.96.

The University of Michigan has been the principal beneficiary, as that institution has received \$9,281,375 during the last nine years.

The Michigan soldiers' home has drawn \$1,810,331.82; employment institution for the blind at Saginaw, \$269,056; Jackson prison, \$559,278.89; industrial home for girls at Adrian, \$761,801; Kalamazoo hospital, \$212,773.18; Pontiac hospital, \$213,300.

CAMP CUSTER NOTES

Wig-wag signalling has been made a part of the physical drill by order of the division commander.

A Detroit selected man, of foreign birth, walked up to his captain with: "I give you week's notice. I no like de job."

Arrangements have been made to supply the men who are doing night guard duty around the cantonment with hot coffee at midnight.

Camp Custer's edition of "Trench and Camp" has been put out by the Y. M. C. A. This is a weekly paper, distributed free to the army men.

One of the pathetic sights in camp is the old Civil war veterans who come and gaze with longing eyes on the young fellows as they drill. They would all be there if they could.

Signs of a previous war at Camp Custer were picked up when Capt. Guy Nash, adjutant of the 330th artillery, found a nicely made flint arrow head in front of his quarters.

A million pounds of hay—one-third of the stock on hand—was destroyed by fire at Camp Custer. Major Robinson, who discovered the fire, said that it seemed to puff up suddenly from the middle of the 3,000,000 pound hay pile at the remount station. One of two explanations was offered—spontaneous combustion or incendiary.

Four thousand three hundred dollars of the profits made by the post exchange at Fort Sheridan has been turned over to the graduates of that training school to divide among the company funds of Camp Custer.

Military police have been stationed at all the railway depots in Battle Creek. Their duty is to stop all soldiers about to board trains and ask to see their passes. If a man has forgotten his pass he can't take the train. By the same token a man who is attempting to absent himself without leave is detected and halted.

FEATURES OF THE CAROLINAS

Sandhill Country Among Other Sections of the South Now Coming Into Favor.

The Sandhill country of the Carolinas is another of those bits of America which have been, until recently, overlooked by the rest of it, writes Niksah. In matters of recreation, as in most other matters, we are the slaves of advertising. Thousands go to Maine in the summer and to Florida in the winter because these places are advertised and known. Only in recent years have the other parts of the South come into favor.

The Carolina hills have none of the brilliant coloring of the tropical South, but they have a pleasantly mild winter, with now and then a touch of snow, and a climate which is always dry because the sands act like an enormous blotting paper to absorb every drop of moisture.

The country is one of pine-grown uplands and narrow valleys where sweet gum and holly are green all the year around. There are thousands of quiet and endless reaches of unfenced upland across which your dogs may range. Foxes are abundant and following the hounds is a standard sport among both the natives and the visitors from the North. Neither are these latter insensible to the thrills of that ancient Southern sport—night hunting for 'coon and 'possum.

The latest sport which enterprising visiting sportsmen have introduced in the South is canoeing. For some reason this delightful adventure of following woodland streams in a canoe has been confined to the North. But during the last few winters the first canoes other than native dugouts have been launched on the Lumber, the Pee Dee and other Carolina rivers. The wanderers have found these wilderness streams creeping through cypress swamps and pine forests where turkeys and wild hogs abound, no less thrilling than the waterways of the North.

Elephants' Teeth.

The elephant has from twenty to twenty-three teeth to each side of the jaw. He cuts his milk grinders during two weeks, the process occupying some ten days. He is "old enough to vote" by the time he attains his full quota. Fully developed, each row of teeth appears to be one continuous, mighty tooth. Nature renews these teeth indefinitely; as fast as one set wears out, another grows to replace it. He is purely vegetarian, the articles of his diet being roots of growing trees, herbs, bulbous growths, low branches of trees, succulent, tender bushes and tropical fruits, which by the means of his powerful trunk he shakes from the trees. His regular feeding time is, however, between nine o'clock at night and midnight, the coolest hours of a jungle day. There is a single daily time for drinking, also, being about sunset, when a leader guides the herd over the "elephant roads" to a suitable water hole. This practice is discontinued during and after the rainy season, when water is to be found everywhere among the elephant haunts.

Tablets and Pills.

A class of small children in the Huntington schools was told by the teacher to bring tablets to school.

Next morning the smallest girl in the class gave the teacher a tiny sugar-coated sphere and explained: "We didn't have any tablets at home so I brought you a pill."—Indianapolis News.

Comforter.

"The Kaiser's speeches have lost their victory ring, though they are still hopeful—in a way—well, in about the same way as Squire Bancroft's."

The speaker was Maude Adams. She went on: "Sir Squire Bancroft once visited a sick friend, taking with him a fine basket of grapes."

"The sick friend was grateful for the grapes."

"Are they white?" he gasped.

"In serious cases," said Sir Squire solemnly, "I never bring black."

DETROIT MARKETS.

Table listing market prices for various goods including CATTLE, SHEEP, HOGS, LAMBS, and various types of SEED and FEED.

Advertisement for ROYAL BAKING POWDER, ABSOLUTELY PURE. Includes recipes for CORN MEAL MUFFINS and NUT BREAD, and a note about a booklet of recipes.

An Army Dentist.

A gunner of the Georgia artillery, who had successfully passed a blacksmith's course, was home on furlough, wearing the hammer and pincers on his arm, when he was accosted by a civilian, who asked what the decoration was for.

"Oh," replied Tommy, "I'm an army dentist."

"I see," said the civilian. "Of course the pincers are for extracting teeth. But what is the idea of the hammer?"

"Well, you see, it's like this. Some of the chaps are a bit nervous, so we use the hammer to chloroform them with," was the reply.—London Tit-Bits.

WOMEN SUFFERERS NEED SWAMP-ROOT

Thousands upon thousands of women have kidney and bladder trouble and never suspect it.

Women's complaints often prove to be nothing else but kidney trouble, or the result of kidney or bladder disease.

If the kidneys are not in a healthy condition, they may cause the other organs to become diseased.

You may suffer a great deal with pain in the back, headache, loss of ambition, nervousness and may be despondent and irritable.

Don't delay starting treatment. Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, a physician's prescription, obtained at any drug store, restores health to the kidneys and is just the remedy needed to overcome such conditions.

Get a medium or large bottle immediately from any drug store.

However, if you wish first to test this great preparation send ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample bottle. When writing be sure and mention this paper. Adv.

Only Ones Who Haven't.

Willis—You're more of a historical scholar than I thought you were. How did you know that Assyria Media and Carthage are dead nations?

Gillis—Well, I hadn't seen anything in the papers about their declaring war on Germany.—Judge.

How's This?

We offer \$100.00 for any case of catarrh that cannot be cured by HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE.

HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE is taken internally and acts through the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system.

Sold by druggists for over forty years. Price 50c. Testimonials free. P. J. Chesley & Co., Toledo, Ohio.

Gas Coal in Venezuela.

Some of the best gas coal in the world has been discovered in Venezuela.

Rasputin's Religious System.

The Christian Advocate reports the Comtesse von Schaubert as giving this succinct sketch of Rasputin's theology.

"He made fundamental the doctrine that there was 'no salvation without repentance,' and as the righteous need for salvation was a heavy course in sin, 'Blessed are the sinful, for they shall be saved through repentance,' was his diabolic beatitude. No wonder he had followers, or that he gave practical lessons in sinning as a means of grace."

War Declared on Rats by U. S. Gov't.

The government at Washington is preparing a campaign that should be effective in killing the rats that are so destructive both to lives and property.

A conservative estimate places the loss of food-stuffs from rats at over two hundred million dollars annually, and in the present scarcity of food, this loss must be prevented. The most efficient way to "kill the rat" is by the use of Stearns' Paste, and thousands of dollars worth have been bought by the government.

Every household keeper troubled with rats, mice, roaches or waterbugs should buy a small box of this reliable exterminator for thirty-five cents, and stop further loss of food in her home. Adv.

Melancholy Thoughts.

"The falling leaves fill me with melancholy thoughts," said the poetic person. "They used to have that effect on me," said the unpoetic person. "What changed you?" "I moved into an apartment and don't have to rake them any more."

It is surprising how many things a man can find to criticize and how few he will commend.

Improve Your Complexion

Get your blood pure, keep the liver active and the bowels regular, and disfiguring pimples and unsightly blotches will disappear from the face. For improving the complexion and putting the blood in good order

BEECHAM'S PILLS

are safer, better and surer than cosmetics. They eliminate poisonous matters from the system, strengthen the organs and purify the blood—bring the health-glow to the cheeks, brighten the eyes, improve and

Beautify the Skin

Directions of Special Value to Women are with Every Box. Sold by druggists throughout the world. In boxes, 10c., 25c.

Large advertisement for LYDIA E. PINKHAM'S VEGETABLE COMPOUND. Includes the text 'Overworked Women must learn not to neglect their health' and an illustration of a woman sitting at a desk.



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1857 Dry Goods, Furniture and Women's Fashions 1917

## 150 New Coats Introduced

At Medium Prices---  
\$17.50, \$18.50, \$25 to \$35

Coats fashionably full, but sweeping gracefully in the new straight lines.

Coats belted high or over regulation waist lines. Youthful shirred styles on high waisted yokes.

Enormous collars, square collars and the clever round styles that drape cozily about the neck. Of plush, of fur or simple self material.

Wool velours, kerseys, mixtures, pom poms, broadcloths and several distinguished models of Salt's black plush.

All the season's favored colors, including taupe, forest green, Java brown and beet-root.

A wonderful new collection in which style, beauty and richness are marvelously combined.

(Second Floor)

### LOCAL BREVITIES

Our Phone No. 190-W

Mrs. Andros Gulde spent Saturday in Detroit.

Mrs. Charles Stephenson was in Ann Arbor, Saturday.

Mrs. Chauncey Hummel visited in Grass Lake yesterday.

Paul Bacon was home from Detroit over the week-end.

George Klink is reported seriously ill with stomach trouble.

Mrs. C. E. Whitaker visited relatives in Ann Arbor, Sunday.

Mrs. B. A. Sanborn is visiting relatives and friends in Bronson.

Harold and Walter Spaulding spent Sunday in Battle Creek.

Theodore Wedemeyer of Jackson spent the week-end in Chelsea.

C. W. Caswell of Detroit visited Chelsea friends over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. George Spiegelberg spent Sunday with relatives in Dexter.

Regular meeting Olive Chapter O. E. S., Wednesday evening, October 24th.

Mrs. Evelyn Russell is having her residence on Wilkinson street re-shingled.

Mr. and Mrs. Burleigh Whitaker and daughter Almerine were in Ann Arbor, Saturday.

W. M. Rimer of Kalida, Ohio, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Wiseley over Sunday.

Miss Eppie Breitenbach of Jackson visited her sister, Mrs. A. L. Steger, over the week-end.

John L. Hindelang of Detroit was a Sunday guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Hindelang.

Lewis and Wilber Copley and Frank LaRowe, who are building a new barn for Michael Schiller, spent Sunday at their homes in Fowlerville.

Dr. S. G. Bush, Dr. J. T. Woods, Edwin Koebbe and E. P. Steiner attended the Y. M. C. A. dedication at Camp Custer, Battle Creek, Friday.

The seventh grade girls of the Chelsea school will sell popcorn and candy at the meeting of the Parent-Teachers association this evening, at 7:30 o'clock, in aid of the Red Cross.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Hoppe entertained on Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Shile, Mrs. Elsie Young and Miss Gladys Adair, of Detroit, and Mr. and Mrs. Ellsworth Hoppe of Chelsea.

Through an oversight on the part of the liberty loan advertising committee, L. P. Vogel's name was omitted from the list of those who donated the newspaper advertising in Friday's issue.

L. T. Freeman will have charge of the office work of the Chelsea Steel Ball Co. and started his new duties yesterday. The plant is in partial operation, but much new machinery is still to be received and erected before actual production can start.

Upon request of the government postoffice department we again call attention to the fact that letter postage will be three cents instead of two cents after November 2nd, excepting drop letters which will continue at the old rate. Postal cards will require two cents.

Chelsea merchants are now practically agreed upon an early closing schedule, only one or two holding out. It is generally agreed that early closing will conserve the village coal pile by reducing the amount of electric current consumed.

John B. Faye, nephew of John Faye of this place and a former resident of Chelsea, died recently in Chicago from self inflicted wounds. His home was in Denver, Colorado. He was about 67 years of age and had been employed by the McClurg Co. and later by other large Chicago firms in responsible positions.

Miss Florence Fenn is owner of the first liberty bond sold in Chelsea, one of the first issue 3 1/2's.

Mrs. O. C. Burkhart spent the past week in Detroit at the home of her daughter, Mrs. E. E. Winans.

Miss Mabel Becker spent Sunday in Dexter at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Becker.

Miss Regina Eppler of this place and Miss Hilda Wissman of Jackson motored to Battle Creek, Friday.

The Hollier Welfare club will give a dancing party Friday evening, October 26th, in the Welfare building.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Waterbor and children, of Detroit, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. Steinbach over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Lehman and son Carl spent Sunday in Saline at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Wuerster.

Mr. and Mrs. Casper Glenn and daughter, of Stockbridge, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Wright, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis H. Hindelang are entertaining Mr. and Mrs. Charles Davis and Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Quinn, Jr., of Detroit.

Chelsea Lodge No. 101 I. O. O. F. will give a Hallowe'en dancing party Wednesday evening, October 31st, in Maccabee hall.

Dr. Thomas Heatley and friend, John Solon, of Toledo, spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Cassidy.

W. A. Neff, formerly of Chelsea, died Saturday at his home in Detroit. The body was taken to his old home in Ohio for burial.

The Misses Laura Schoenhals, Phyllis Wedemeyer, Ruth and Alma Widmayer attended the teachers' institute at Manchester, Friday.

The Pythian Sisters will give a thimble party and scrub lunch supper at Castle hall, Thursday evening, October 26th, at six o'clock.

Dr. S. G. Bush, Dr. J. T. Woods, Edwin Koebbe and E. P. Steiner attended the Y. M. C. A. dedication at Camp Custer, Battle Creek, Friday.

Marion Holmes spent Sunday at her parent's home in Unadilla.

Miss Francis McIntee of Detroit is visiting her mother.

Miss Shirley Traster of La Porte is visiting Orville Gorton and family.

Miss Maurine Wood spent the week-end in Ann Arbor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. BeGole.

During a Chelsea-Ann Arbor football game here Sunday afternoon, Harvey Staebler, a member of the visiting team, suffered a very painful injury when something caught in the corner of his left eye and ripped the flesh. The game was won by the Chelsea lads.

### WATERLOO.

The Y. P. C. U. will give a Hallowe'en masquerade social at the home of Carrie Dykema, Wednesday evening, October 31. Everyone come.

Nina and Leigh Beeman and Hazel and Aureit Lehman spent Saturday and Sunday at Aaron Snyder's, near Pinckney.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Moeckel and Mr. and Mrs. John Moeckel and daughter Laura spent Sunday at Mrs. Shiller's in Jackson.

Mrs. Luella Pickell of Collins Plains spent Thursday, Friday and Saturday at her brothers', Clad and Earn Rowe, and her sister, Mrs. Botts.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Moeckel and family of Grass Lake spent Sunday at Ed. Cooper's.

The Red Cross meets every Tuesday afternoon at the home of Laura Vicary. Everyone come and do their bit. Mrs. Vicary is president and Ada Collins secretary of the Waterloo chapter.

The L. A. S. held their annual election at Mrs. Janet Reithmiller's, last Thursday. Collection \$10.46. The new officers are: President, Laura Vicary; vice pres., Mrs. Janet Reithmiller; treasurer, Mrs. Clara Rowe; secretary, Mrs. Nina Moeckel.

Mrs. Martha Runciman and daughter Ethel and Mr. and Mrs. Emery Runciman spent Sunday at Clad Rowe's.

Earl Beeman and wife spent Sunday at Paul Schaible's, in Chelsea.

The remains of Mrs. Will Thomas of Jackson, who died last Saturday evening, were brought to Waterloo cemetery, Wednesday afternoon, and laid to rest.

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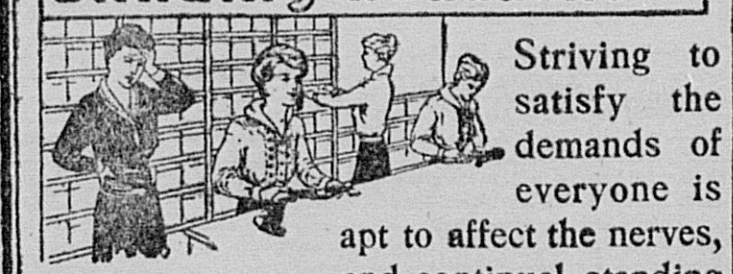
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