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

Phone your news items to the Tribune; call 190-W.

CARD OF THANKS.

We extend our sincere thanks to the Chelsea fire department and to all who assisted us during the fire at our home Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Chipman.

INTERESTING LETTER FROM TOBIAS STIPE

Is Pleasantly Located at Sebring in the Florida Highlands.

The Tribune received a letter yesterday from Tobias Stipe, formerly of Chelsea and well known to many of our readers. He is spending the winter at Sebring, Florida, and is evidently much pleased with that location. The letter is dated December 2d and is as follows: Just a few lines to let you know how I am getting along in Florida and to describe briefly the country and conditions here.

Sebring is located in the famous high lake region of Florida with an elevation of from 200 to 300 feet above sea level. It is in the midst of many beautiful small lakes and hundreds of acres of fine new citrus groves. The land is said by agricultural experts to be the most desirable in the state for growing orange, grape fruit and limes. The land here sells for a third to a half cheaper than in many other locations in the state.

One grove near here contains a grape fruit tree over 40 years old and measuring 7 1/2 feet around the butt. This tree is said to have produced in one year over 70 boxes of fruit which netted the owner \$420. This is probably the record for the state.

It is 80 in the shade today and some times even warmer. The nights are cool. I was out fishing one morning recently and caught one black bass which weighed four pounds.

It is only a little more than five years ago that Sebring was located right here in the forest and yet today it has paved streets, cement walks, electric lights, water works, a modern hotel, bank, churches, school, etc. It is doubtful if any other part of Uncle Sam's domain is being so rapidly developed and populated as is this sunny land of flowers, birds and fruits.

Inclosed find my subscription for six months and mail the paper to me at Sebring, Florida.

Tobias Stipe.

NORTH LAKE.

Miss Margaret Deisenroth of Jackson spent the week-end at the home of her mother, Mrs. Deisenroth of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Baird entertained Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kleinschmidt and two daughters, Misses Anna and Francis, of Scio; Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Schultz and two daughters, Irene and Gladys, of Ann Arbor; Mr. and Mrs. John Pratt and two sons, James and Roberts, and Henry Dickson of this place, Sunday.

John Strelec returned from Detroit, Tuesday evening, after spending a week with friends in the city.

Mrs. James Harker and daughter Johanna and Herbert Hudson were in Ann Arbor, on business, Tuesday.

D. A. Fraser and Lee Becker, of Detroit, spent the week-end at the former's summer home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Boyce and son Ellis, of Anderson, visited at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Noah, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Dunbar were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gilbert.

Mrs. Frank Noll and daughter Florence visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Birch, Sunday.

Carmine Lealand spent her Thanksgiving vacation at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wales Lealand.

Claude Burkhardt of Crystal Falls returned to that place Sunday, after spending a week at the home of his mother, Mrs. Frank Burkhardt.

Miss Sarah Isham of Chelsea spent Saturday and Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Noah.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Hudson and sons, Norman and Herbert, and Miss Johanna Harker were Sunday visitors at the home of Val. Hudson of White Oak.

Carey J. Tremmel is spending this week in Ann Arbor.

Miss Olive I. Webb of South Lyon spent the week-end at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Webb.

Clarence and Esther Wedemeyer of Chelsea have been spending a short time at the home of their sister, Mrs. Homer Stoffer.

P. E. Scouten of Niagara Falls, N. Y., is spending the week at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Scouten of this place. Earl Scouten expects to return to New York with him on Friday.

Herman Hudson was in Ann Arbor on Tuesday.

Miss Mildred Daniels returned to River Rouge, Sunday, after spending her Thanksgiving vacation at the home of her parents here.

A large crowd attended the talk on the Anti-Saloon League, given by Lieutenant Governor Dickinson at the North Lake M. E. church, last Sunday morning.

UNADILLA.

Lee Beeman of Waterloo spent Sunday at A. J. Holmes'.

Erna Pyper of Jackson is spending a few weeks at home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Lane of Chelsea; Mr. and Mrs. Earl Elliot and Loney Lane, of Lansing, spent Thanksgiving with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Lane.

The Presbyterian ladies held their annual fair at Gleaner hall, Friday, December 7th. Chicken pie dinner and supper were served.

A. J. May and family spent Sunday at Will Marshall's.

Mae Bullis of Gregory visited Maggie Holmes, Saturday and Sunday.

Do your Christmas shopping early.

RED CROSSLETS.

A check of \$5 from St. Mary academy is acknowledged with thanks. Christmas bags should be handed in on or before next Monday, December 10th.

The Lady Maccabees have made seventy housewives, which have been filled by the Red Cross at an average cost of one dollar each.

Twelve sweaters, five mufflers, six pairs of socks, two pairs wristlets three Belgian blankets from the Junior department, were sent to headquarters December 3.

A state wide membership campaign will be inaugurated December 17th to 25th. The chapter showing the largest membership in proportion to population will be presented with a banner by Mrs. Sleeper, wife of Governor Sleeper of Michigan.

PAPER WADS.

Now that we have had a vacation and have come back to toil and drudgery, we have nothing to look forward to other than our Christmas vacation.

The juniors have awakened and are planning a box social Friday night, December 14, at the Maccabee hall. A large crowd is expected. We wonder where the juniors get all their "pep."

The scarcity of coal is certainly felt in the Chelsea schools. Why, Monday morning, the pupils nearly froze, all due to the fact that the burning of soft coal filled up the pipes with soot.

The High School Literary society met Wednesday afternoon in the high school assembly room. After the business meeting a Thanksgiving program was given by the members of the society. This meeting was the first on the schedule, and provided a very pleasing entertainment. The program was as follows: Thanksgiving Proclamation—Harold Taylor

Recitation, The Dressed Turkey—Catherine Pierce

What the Freshies are Thankful For—Arthur Faist

What the Eighth Grade are Thankful For—Mildred Hieber

Recitation, Thanksgiving Turkey—Georgia Russell

Thanksgiving Prayer—Keith Mayett

What the Sophomores are Thankful For—Irene Vail

Recitation, Frogs Thanksgiving—Clarence Leach

What the Juniors are Thankful For—Elsa Goetz

Original Thanksgiving Story—Helen Knickerbocker

What the Seniors are Thankful For—Herbert Vogel

Music—Victoria

A meeting will be given each month hereafter.

BUNTON—BOYCE.

Miss Gladys Bunton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Bunton, and Mr. John Boyce, both of Lyndon township, were quietly married on Saturday afternoon, November 24, 1917, at three o'clock, at the home of the bride's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. DeMosh of Ypsilanti, Rev. Eugene Miles Moore, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church, officiating. Only a few of the immediate relatives were present.

Following the ceremony a wedding supper was served. Mr. and Mrs. Boyce are making their home with her parents in Lyndon township for the present.

WATERLOO.

Mr. and Mrs. Alva Beeman entertained their fourth annual Thanksgiving party: Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Collins and daughters and Mrs. Minerva Hubbard, of Stockbridge; Helen, of Ypsilanti; of Jackson; and D. N. Collins and family.

Mr. and Mrs. John Dykema spent part of last week in Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Perkins and son, of Detroit, and Mrs. Ed. Sumner of Chelsea have been visiting at John Breitenbach's.

Floyd Rowe enlisted in the medical corps, Saturday, and left for Columbus on Monday. Sunday morning at the church the people gave him God-speed, and in the evening the C. E. held a farewell party for him. He held a farewell party for him. He held a farewell party for him.

Marion Holmes and Leigh Beeman spent Sunday at A. J. Holmes, Unadilla.

Mr. and Mrs. Orson Beeman spent three days of last week in Stockbridge.

Isabella Gorton, Mrs. Logan Harris and Miss Margery Oakes, of Detroit, spent the week-end at L. L. Gorton's.

Marie Harr entertained with cards Wednesday evening.

John and Carrie Dykema spent Thanksgiving at Wild Cat Mills.

Ethel Runciman has the mumps.

Mr. and Mrs. Will West of Dansville spent Tuesday at Orson Beeman's.

Edna Cooper motored to White Oak, Tuesday, taking home Mrs. Dean, who has been visiting them.

Musical Instruments.

The holidays are fast approaching. What about those Christmas gifts? What is finer than a nice musical instrument for your son or daughter?

I have a fine line of violins and other small instruments; also two good second-hand organs suitable for either home, club room or school room. C. Steinbach.

Remember the aluminum demonstration at the Chelsea Hardware company's store, December 13, 14 and 15.

DWELLING COMPLETELY DESTROYED BY FIRE

Fire Department, Misdirected, Make Long Run in Vain.

Fire yesterday about 10:15 o'clock completely destroyed a dwelling on Railroad street near the east village limits, recently purchased on contract by William Scripser from Charles Downer. Mr. Scripser and his family moved into the house only a short time ago. Their household goods were saved, but a quantity of coal in the cellar and the effects of a brother, Scott Scripser, were destroyed.

A misunderstanding occurred when the alarm was turned in and the fire department first made a quick run to the residence at Hayes street and the Michigan Central tracks, across the street from the Chelsea Ball plant in the west part of town, and recently purchased by George Scripser. There was no fire there and as soon as the mistake was discovered, the department hurried back across town to the actual location of the fire in the eastern outskirts of the village.

The house was located a half a mile beyond the nearest fire hydrant and by the time the department arrived it was too late to save it.

FRANCISCO.

Mrs. Henry Bohne, who has been very ill for some time, is slowly improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Notten and Mrs. J. Benter spent Sunday at the home of Erle Notten.

The Musbach reunion was held Thanksgiving day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Harvey.

Rev. and Mrs. G. C. Nothdurft and son Milton and Philip Reimenschneider and family spent Thanksgiving day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Melbourne Hewett near Milford.

Miss Anna May Benter of Jackson, Floyd Clem of Grand Rapids and Charles Meyers spent Thanksgiving at the home of Henry Notten.

Several from this vicinity attended the lecture at the Congregational church in Chelsea, Sunday evening.

The Cavanaugh Lake grange met Tuesday evening at the home of Philip Schweinfurth. Election of officers took place and the following were elected:

Master—Herbert Harvey.

Overseer—Henry Musbach.

Chaplain—Mrs. Henry Gieske.

Steward—Albert Schweinfurth.

Ass't. Steward—Chester Notten.

Lady Ass't. Steward—Mrs. B. C. Whitaker.

Lecturer—Philip Reimenschneider.

Treasurer—Rieka Kalmbach.

Secretary—Lydia Reimenschneider.

Gate Keeper—Henry Kalmbach.

Ladies of the Court—Kathryn and Dorothy Notten and Mabel Kalmbach.

THE METHODIST RHYMSTER.

Now ladies listen, here's your chance in spite of the season's great advance.

The Methodist ladies will hold a bazaar.

So attractive to women near and far, And they will sell at last year's prices.

Handkerchiefs, aprons and centerpieces, And pretty things that please the eye For Christmas gifts you'll wish to buy.

For you'll hardly think it fitting, Just now, when every one is knitting, To make your gifts when you can buy.

At prices that are far from high, And chicken pie and cake Like your husband's mother used to make.

Then ladies, mark the time and place And be on hand with smiling face To greet your friends and remain to tea.

And we'll be happy, you and me. The Methodist bazaar supper will be held Wednesday, December 12th. Chicken pie will be served.

Hindelang & Fahrner are unloading a carload of manure spreaders today.

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MEN WANTED—To chop wood. Inquire Fred Bahnmiller on the William Paul farm, phone 157-F12, Chelsea. 25t3

NOTICE—For choice Christmas trees all sizes, also landscape work and general nursery stock, farm and garden seeds and cyclone and automobile insurance, call on A. Kaercher, 515 South Madison St., Chelsea, phone 263. 25t5

NOTICE—Hunting or trapping is hereby forbidden on the D. A. Riker farm in Dexter township, D. A. Riker. 21t6

FOR SALE—Modern residence, South and Grant streets. William Fahrner, Chelsea. 10t1f

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If you are destined to ride a horse, it won't come and place itself under you. —Tamil Proverb.

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BRASS TACKS

Some men think their wives cannot tell a lie, but really they can tell them the instant they are out of their husbands' mouth. If he buys Christmas presents of us there will be no deception. A man who sows wild oats is not necessarily a gentleman farmer. A woman cannot understand how a man as smart as her husband can get the short end of a trade. This could never happen if he bought all of his Hardware from us. Don't miss our Aluminum sale December 13-14-15. Cold cash will win more hearts than love. We have many articles suitable for Christmas. You sure ought to see our line of Pyrex Glassware. The bald headed man has less hair to comb but more face to wash. Buy Razors and Pocket Knives from us, a fine assortment, and the price is right too.

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JACK LEARNS THE APE LANGUAGE AND HE AND AKUT BECOME BOON CRONIES—PAULVITCH ATTEMPTS MURDER AND IS HIMSELF KILLED FOR TREACHERY

Synopsis.—A scientific expedition off the African coast rescues a human derelict, Alexis Paulvitch. He brings aboard an ape, intelligent and friendly, and reaches London. Jack, son of Lord Greystoke, the original Tarzan, has inherited a love of wild life and steals from home to see the ape, now a drawing card in a music hall. The ape makes friends with him. The ape refuses to leave Jack despite his trainer. Tarzan appears and is joyfully recognized by the ape, for Tarzan had been king of his tribe. Tarzan agrees to buy Akut, the ape, and send him back to Africa.

CHAPTER III—Continued.

Tarzan visited Akut the following day, but though Jack begged to be allowed to accompany him, he was refused. This time Tarzan saw the pockmarked old owner of the ape, who he did not recognize as the wily Paulvitch of former days. Tarzan, influenced by Akut's pleadings, broached the question of the ape's purchase, but Paulvitch would name any price, saying that he would consider the matter.

When Tarzan returned home Jack was all excitement to hear the details of his visit, and finally suggested that his father buy the ape and bring it home. Lady Greystoke was horrified at the suggestion.

The boy was insistent. Tarzan explained that he had wished to purchase Akut and return him to his jungle home, and to this the mother assented. Jack asked to be allowed to visit the ape, but again he was met with flat refusal.

He had the address, however, which the trainer had given his father, and two days later he found the opportunity to elude his new tutor—who had replaced the terrified Mr. Moore—and after considerable search through a section of London which he had never before visited he found the smelly little quarters of the pockmarked old man.

The old fellow himself replied to his knocking, and when Jack stated that he had come to see Ajax, opened the door and admitted him to the little room which he and the great ape occupied.

At sight of the youth the ape leaped to the floor and shuffled forward. The man, not recognizing his visitor and fearing that the ape meant mischief, stepped between them, ordering the ape back to the bed.

"He will not hurt me," cried the boy. "We are friends, and before, he was my father's friend. They knew one another in the jungle. My father is Lord Greystoke. He does not know that I have come here. My mother forbade my coming, but I wished to see Ajax, and I will pay you if you will let me come here often to see him."

Paulvitch encouraged the boy to come and see him often, and always he played upon the lad's craving for tales of the savage world, with which Paulvitch was all too familiar. He left him alone with Akut much, and it was not long until he was surprised to learn that the boy could make the great beast understand him—that he had actually learned much of the primitive language of the anthropoids.

During this period Tarzan came several times to visit Paulvitch. He seemed anxious to purchase Ajax, and at last he told the man frankly that he was prompted not only by a desire upon his part to return the beast to the liberty of his native jungle, but also because his wife feared that in some way her son might learn the whereabouts of the ape and through his attachment for the beast become imbued with the roving instinct which, as Tarzan explained to Paulvitch, had so influenced his own life.

"The Russian could scarce repress a smile as he listened to Lord Greystoke's words, for scarce a half hour had passed since the future Lord Greystoke had been sitting upon the disordered bed, jabbering away to Ajax with all the fluency of a born ape.

It was during this interview that a plan occurred to Paulvitch, and as a result of it he agreed to accept a fabulous sum for the ape and upon receipt of the money to deliver the beast to a vessel that was sailing south from Dover for Africa two days later.

Everything played into Paulvitch's hands. As chance would have it, Tarzan's son overheard his father relating to the boy's mother the steps he was taking to return Akut safely to his jungle home, and, having overheard, he begged them to bring the ape home that he might have him for a playfellow. Tarzan would not have been averse to this plan, but Lady Greystoke was horrified at the very thought of it.

must be returned to Africa and the boy to school, from which he had been absent upon a vacation.

He did not attempt to visit Paulvitch's room again that day, but instead busied himself in other ways. He had always been well supplied with money, so that when necessity demanded he had no difficulty in collecting several hundred pounds.

Some of this money he invested in various strange purchases, which he managed to smuggle into the house undetected when he returned late in the afternoon.

The next morning, after giving his father time to precede him and conclude his business with Paulvitch, the lad hastened to the Russian's room. Knowing nothing of the man's true character, the boy dared not take him fully into his confidence for fear that the old fellow would not only refuse him aid, but would report the whole affair to his father.

Instead, he simply asked permission to take Ajax to Dover. He explained that it would relieve the old man of a tiresome journey, as well as placing a number of pounds in his pocket, for he had purposed paying the Russian well.

"You see," he went on, "there will be no danger of detection, since I am supposed to be leaving on an afternoon train for school. Instead I will come here after they've left me on the train. Then I can take Ajax to Dover, you see, and arrive at school only a day late. No one will be the wiser, no harm will be done, and I shall have had an extra day with Ajax before I lose him forever."

That afternoon Lord and Lady Greystoke bade their son good-bye and saw him safely settled in a first class compartment of the railway carriage that would set him down at school in a few hours. No sooner had they left him, however, than he gathered his bags together, descended from the compartment and sought a cab stand outside the station. Here he engaged a caddy to take him to the Russian's address.

It was dusk when he arrived. He found Paulvitch awaiting him. The man was pacing the floor nervously.

"The ape was tied with a stout cord to the bed. It was the first time that Jack had ever seen Ajax thus secured. He looked questioningly at Paulvitch. The man mumbly explained that he believed the animal had guessed that he was to be sent away and that he feared he would attempt to escape.

Paulvitch carried another piece of cord in his hand. There was a noose in one end of it, which he was continually playing with. He walked back and forth, up and down the room. His pockmarked features were working horribly as he talked steadily to himself. The boy had never seen him thus. It made him uneasy.

At last Paulvitch stopped on the opposite side of the room far from the ape.

"Come here," he said to the lad. "I will show you how to secure the ape should he show signs of rebellion during the trip."

The lad laughed. "It will not be necessary," he replied. "Ajax will do whatever I tell him to do."

The old man stamped his foot angrily. "Come here, I tell you," he repeated. "If you do not do as I say you shall not accompany the ape to Dover. I will take no chances upon his escaping."

Still smiling, the lad crossed the room and stood before the Russ.

"Turn around, with your back to me," directed the latter, "so I can show you how to bind him quickly."

The boy did as he was bid, placing his hands behind him when Paulvitch told him to do so. Instantly the old man slipped the running noose over one of the lad's wrists, took a couple of half hitches about his other wrist and knotted the cord. The moment that the boy was secured the attitude of the man changed. He had known and bitterly hated Tarzan in Africa years before, for Tarzan had broken up his business as a slave dealer. Now, with an angry oath, he wheeled Tarzan's son about, tripped him and hurled

him violently to the floor, leaping upon his breast as he fell. From the bed the ape growled and struggled with his bonds.

The boy did not cry out—a trait inherited from his savage sire, who during years in the jungle following the death of his foster mother, Kala, the great ape, had learned that there was none to come to the succor of the fallen.

Paulvitch's fingers sought the lad's throat. He grinned down horribly into the face of his victim.

"Your father ruined me," he mumbled. "This will pay him. He will think that the ape did it. I will tell him that the ape did it; that I left him alone for a few minutes and that you sneaked in and the ape killed you. I will throw your body upon the bed after I have choked the life out of you, and when I bring your father he will see the ape squinting over it," and the twisted fiend cackled in gloating laughter.

His fingers closed upon the boy's throat.

Behind them the growling of the maddened beast reverberated against the walls of the little room. The boy paled, but no other sign of fear or panic showed upon his countenance. He was the son of Tarzan. The fingers tightened their grip upon his throat. It was with difficulty that he breathed—gaspingly.

The ape lunged against the stout cord that held him. Turning, he wrapped the cord about his hands, as a man might have done, and surged heavily backward. The great muscles stood out beneath his shaggy hide.

There was a rending as of splintered wood—the cord held, but a portion of the footboard of the bed came away. At the sound Paulvitch looked up. His hideous face went white in terror—the ape was free!

With a single bound the creature was upon him. The man shrieked. The brute wrenched him from the body of the boy. Great fingers sank into his flesh. Yellow fangs gasped close to his throat—he struggled futilely—



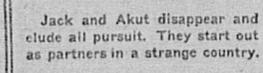
His Hideous Face Went White in Terror—The Ape Was Free!

and then they closed, and the soul of Alexis Paulvitch passed into the keeping of the demons who had long been awaiting it.

The boy struggled to his feet, assisted by Akut. For two hours, under his instructions, the ape worked upon the knots that secured his friend's wrists. Finally they gave up their secret, and the boy was free.

He cut the cord that still dangled from the ape's body. Then he opened one of his bags and drew forth some garments.

His plans had been well made. He did not consult the beast, which did all that he directed. Together they slunk from the house, but no casual observer might have noted that one of them was an ape.



Jack and Akut disappear and elude all pursuit. They start out as partners in a strange country.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Curious Weapons.

A member of the St. Louis bar tells the following story: A lawyer of Missouri, who shall be called Smith, was seized suddenly with an attack of temporary insanity while traveling across that state.

Stepping off the train at a county seat where he was quite unknown, he walked into the bank and requested the cashier to grant him permission to warm himself by the stove. The cashier, noticing that Mr. Smith was a stranger of culture and refinement who seemed confused about something or other, invited him back of the railing. Inside the railing, Smith savagely attacked the cashier with his fists and gave him a beating. Smith was arrested and then indicted by the grand jury (at the time in session) for assault with dangerous and deadly weapons.

Texas Once Was Larger.

Before its annexation to the United States, in 1845, Texas was an independent republic with a much larger area than the present state, though it is still the largest state in the Union. Its area as a republic was 376,103 square miles. In 1850 the state ceded to the United States all territory beyond its present limits of 274,356 square miles, in consideration of \$10,000,000 in bonds, with the proceeds of which Texas paid off her state debt.

INCREASE IN SWINE

Meat Problem Is Most Important Problem of War.

FOOD ESSENTIAL FOR ARMIES

Breeding Animals Must Reproduce Themselves So Offspring Will Be Available for Slaughter—Market Grain on Hoof.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

To raise more hogs, to get more meat to help win the war, is one of the important food problems of the country now. To supply this need, hog breeding must be increased materially throughout the country, federal officials declare, and in certain states an increase of 25 to 50 per cent in the number of hogs on farms is recommended by the United States department of agriculture.

The situation is of great importance. We must have plenty of meat for our armies and the armies of the allies in the field, and sufficient meat for our civilian population and the civilian population of the allies at home.

To have this meat, breeding animals must reproduce themselves, so the offspring will be available for slaughter in the future.

Hogs can be increased quicker than any other kind of live stock.

Therefore a larger number of sows must be bred now, than in recent years.

Abundance of Feed Crops.

In addition to the fact that there is an imperative demand for more meat as a war measure, it should be taken into consideration that we now have an abundance of feed crops—corn, oats and barley—with which to produce this necessary increase in the number of hogs. The demand for meat

is certain and it will be profitable to the farmer to market some of this heavy grain supply on the hoof.

The increase in the number of hogs for various states, as recommended by the department, is as follows: Missouri, 50 per cent; Alabama, 30; Iowa, 25; Kansas, 25; Indiana, 20; Illinois, 20; Mississippi, 20; Arkansas, 20; South Carolina, 15; Ohio, 15; Kentucky, 15; Tennessee, 15; Maryland, 10; North Carolina, 10; Michigan, 10; Nebraska, 10; West Virginia, 5, and Georgia, 5. The increase needed for the entire country is 15 per cent, and is covered by the above schedule. Other states than those named should breed no fewer sows than last year.

The result of these increases will be to provide sufficient animals to make the meat that is absolutely essential to the feeding of our armies.

Pork Easy to Transport.

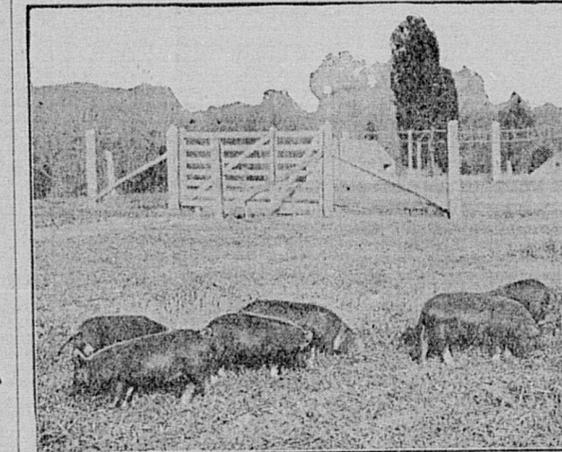
Pork can be transported more readily and economically to troops in the field than can any other meat. Great supplies of bacon must go to the boys in khaki at the front. Unless now a larger number of sows are bred, the amount of meat we will require next year will not be available.

The estimated number of hogs is 4,000,000 less than it was a year ago in this country; and in the face of this we need more hogs than ever before. How can we get them? By breeding sows at once.

The exportation of pork products has increased since the war began and will continue to increase during the length of the war. The foreign countries are devoting their farming energies to food and feed rather than live stock production, but they must have meat and they must get a large part of this supply from us.

Price Is Doubled.

During the last three months the price of hogs in the United States has been, on the average, more than twice as much as the average price for the five years from 1911 to 1916. In view of the large crops of feedstuffs in sight, however, it believed that farmers will see the wisdom of taking every reasonable step to increase the supply of hogs and hog products.



SUCCULENT PASTURE FOR PIGS AFTER WEANING.

PLANTING OF TREES SHOULD BE DELAYED

Little or No Root Action Takes Place Until Surface of Ground Begins to Freeze.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Because of probable injury by loss of vitality full planting of fruit trees should be delayed until late November or early December. In sections of the North where cold weather prohibits planting at that time it is usually best to wait until spring. Apple trees can be set out with safety in the fall farther north than peach trees and other less hardy kinds.

At the Missouri experiment station it recently has been shown that little or no root action takes place with fall-planted trees until the surface of the ground has begun to freeze, and the trees planted early in the fall may lose considerable vitality before they begin root action.

SODA LYE IS NOT A GOOD WORM REMEDY

Has No Value as Cure or Preventive, According to Government Specialists.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

That soda lye has no value either as a remedy for, or a preventive of, worms infesting hogs is the conclusion of specialists of the department of agriculture based upon investigations recently made. It is also said that this material is not likely to be of value against similar intestinal parasites in other animals.

In the tests that were made by department specialists, hogs were fed daily with the soda lye mixed in their food in accordance with the directions printed on a label of a commercial sample tested.

As a result it was found that the hogs remained infested throughout the period of treatment—2½ months—and that the extent of infestation was increased rather than decreased.

While the efficacy of soda lye

BETTER PROTECTION FOR GAME IS URGED

Number of Shooting Seasons Shortened and Killing of Many Birds Prohibited.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

The perpetuation of migratory birds and game was made the subject of over 200 separate state and other laws passed in 1917, according to the summary of game laws of that year issued by the bureau of biological survey, United States department of agriculture. Thirty-eight of the forty-three states which held legislative sessions made more or less extensive changes in their game laws. Several codified their statutes and effort to bring open seasons for migratory birds to conform to the federal regulations was widespread. A number of shooting seasons were shortened and in some states the killing of such birds as sage grouse, quail, prairie chickens, wild turkeys, doves and shore birds was prohibited in certain localities for several years. The Mount McKinley park in Alaska was made a federal game reservation. Forty state game preservers were established by state action in ten states as follows: Sixteen in California, six each in Montana and Wyoming, four in Arizona, three in Idaho and one each in Oklahoma, Oregon, Tennessee, Washington and Wisconsin.

Changes in laws affecting big game were largely directed toward protecting deer, elk, antelope and sheep.

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Improving One's Good Points.

The art of posing lies in one's ability to acquire it without appearing affected. To make those with whom one comes in contact weary with unnecessary affectation is of course a thing to be deplored. If the individual, however, realizes the importance of eloping nature's endowments, she will appear perfectly natural in always striving to look her very best. Learn to know your own good points and make the trouble to cultivate them. You will find that it will pay.—Exchange.

See Only Good in People.

It is a mistake to grow tired of people or their efforts to please. The vast majority of us are trying to do our best. True, some of our number make a brilliant showing, while others do not cause a ripple of comment. But if we are going to get any real satisfaction out of life we cannot stop to weigh people's capabilities or attainments, but should, on the other hand, be grateful for whatever consideration they show us, and only see in them all that is splendid and good.—Exchange.

Live for Something.

Live for something. Do good, and leave behind you a monument of virtue that the storms of time can never destroy. Write your name in kindness, love and mercy on the hearts of thousands you come in contact with year by year, and you will never be forgotten. Your name and your good deeds will shine as the stars of heaven. Chalmers.

Just Wanted One Look.

Dorothy went to spend a few days with her little cousin, but got home late before night. Her aunt's house, though really only in the next block, seemed a good way off to Dorothy. She had a good time playing with her little cousin for awhile, then she said to her aunt: "Aunt Mary, if you'll please take me home and let me look at mamma for a minute I'll come right back with you."

Think Before You Speak.

When we are tempted to do a mean act, to speak the unkind word, to be grasping and selfish, let us set our imaginations to work and picture next year, next decade. How will our act look then? What shall we think then and wish we had done?—Exchange.

Bored Children.

Strange as it may seem, children do get bored by uninteresting things, such as stupid auditorium exercises in which they have to sit still for an hour, and do get weary by an excessive amount of time given over to directed play.—William H. Maxwell.

Garrick

Eugene Walter, author of "The Esoteric Way" and other successes, will offer his new melodrama, "The Knife," at the Garrick, beginning Monday evening, with a cast headed by Norman Hackett, the Detroit actor. The absorbing story has to do with Dr. Robert Manning, a famous physician, engaged to one Kate Tardion. Kate has a weakness for having her fortune told, and when she goes to New York to buy her trousseau, she falls into the clutches of "Second-Sight Jimmy," and Stella Hill, his confederate. After the girl has been spirited away some hours, Dr. Manning seeks the aid of William Meredith, a lawyer and former college roommate. Kate is finally traced to "Second-Sight Jimmy's" house. That night the searchers break into the house to rescue Kate, and find Kate dragged in the upper room and the victim of brutal assault. Dr. Manning starts to kill Jimmy and the Hill woman, but stays his hand suddenly.

ADAMS.

A sweet, wholesome dramatic play carrying a strong lesson against selfishness is "When Fran Came Home," the offering announced for the week commencing Monday night, December 2.

The play tells the story of a pretty, refined circus rider who marries a wealthy but wild young college man. She soon is deserted, and after little Fran is born, struggles to provide for her through circus, stage and cabaret engagements. As Fran grows into young womanhood, her mother dies. On her death-bed Fran's mother tells her father is and bids her go to him for protection. Fran, cloaking her identity, finds her father married and active in moral movements, but despite his "uplift" prominence he is enamored of a young woman secretary. Fran exposes him, bringing to herself great trouble.

This should prove one of the best plays the Gaiser-Courteney combination will offer during the Detroit engagement.

Use of Classics Declining.

The use of Greek, Latin and mathematics in the higher education of America is declining. In a few years it will be as rare for a student to know Greek as today it is for him to know Hebrew; and it will not take more than a generation or two for Latin to follow the same course. How long the higher reaches of mathematics—those noble and inviting reaches in which philosophy, poetry and imagination combine to play with the intricacies of space and the notations of time—will continue to find extensive educational use is also a question.—The Youth's Companion.



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CONGRESS MEETS FOR WAR SESSION

AFTER AN EIGHT-WEEKS REST, MEMBERS OF BOTH HOUSES ARE BACK AT WORK.

HAVE BIG PROBLEMS TO SOLVE

Must Decide Methods of Raising Billions of Dollars to Carry On War—Bitter Fights Loom.

Washington—The second war session of congress is under way. After an eight-weeks' rest members of both houses got back into the harness Monday, prepared to buckle down to a session that will in all probability be a lengthy one.

Immediately after convening and appointing committees to formally notify President Wilson and each other that the second session of the sixty-fifth congress was in readiness, adjournments were taken out of respect to members who died during the recess—Senator Hastings, of Wisconsin, who was accidentally shot, and Representative Martin, of Illinois.

Another feature of the opening day was the receipt of appropriation estimates, aggregating many billions of dollars, for war and governmental purposes for the next fiscal year.

Politics Will Crop Out. Partisan politics is apt to crop out more persistently during the coming session than in the extraordinary session of the past summer. The biennial congressional elections come next November and as campaign time approaches congressmen will be looking for issues.

There will be a prolonged contest over the manner of raising the money to meet the enormous war costs. Out of the \$21,000,000,000 of the current fiscal year about one-fourth will be raised by taxes of various sorts and three-fourths by bond issues. Speaker Clark and others believe the taxes and bond issues should be divided on a 50-50 basis.

The war tax bill is designed to raise something less than \$3,000,000,000 annually. There will be pressure to amend it especially by increasing the taxes upon excessive wealth and war profits.

Third Loan in Prospect. The two Liberty loans thus far floated totaled less than \$6,000,000,000. Secretary McAdoo stated recently that he thought it would be necessary to raise to meet expenditures of the current year not more than \$10,000,000,000 additional by the issue of bonds, war savings certificates and treasury certificates of indebtedness.

It is supposed there will have to be another Liberty loan late in the winter, but no congressional action is necessary. Congress will have to decide, however, on bond issues for loans for the next fiscal year.

PLANES BUILT IN GRAND RAPIDS

Furniture Men Organize Company—To Make City Aero Center.

Grand Rapids.—The furniture manufacturers of Grand Rapids have mobilized their industrial facilities for the manufacture of airplanes. As a result this city will become one of the chief air-craft producing centers.

The Grand Rapids Airplane company was organized a few days ago at a meeting of Grand Rapids manufacturers. The capital is \$200,000, all subscribed by manufacturers. The company will not be an operating company but will serve as a medium between the government and manufacturers in distributing contracts.

A large contract on a cost basis, plus 15 per cent, has been awarded the company by the war department. The airplane has about 1,500 parts and with the parts carefully standardized the orders will be distributed as received among the factories and it is expected practically every factory in town will have a share of the work. Actual work will start as soon as the lumber is delivered.

NEGRO IS BURNED AT STAKE

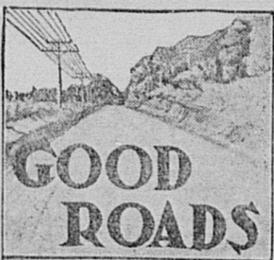
Taken From Sheriff By Mob—Alleged to Have Attacked Woman.

Nashville, Tenn.—A dispatch from Dyersburg, Tenn., Sunday night says that Ligen Scott, a negro who is alleged to have attacked a white woman in Dyer county, was burned at the stake near the public square there.

The negro was arrested in Jackson, Tenn., late Saturday, and was being taken to Dyersburg in an automobile by the sheriff and his deputies when a mob met the officers and relieved them of their prisoner. The entire county soon knew of the capture and thousands flocked to town. Scott is said to have confessed his guilt.

Wet Beans Can Be Canned.

Langsue—Herbert C. Hoover, federal food administrator, and the department of agriculture have notified the state food authorities that Michigan bean men this year may can "wet" beans, which were so large a part of the season's yield. Weather was responsible for the large number of "wet" beans, which are those containing more than 20 per cent of moisture. Federal authorities also offer hope of getting tin from England. The shortage had made the canning outlook poor.



ROAD BUILDING LARGE TASK

President of National Highways Association Tells How a Great System Can Be Built.

Thanks to the pushful, pervasive motor car, American road building has "got a move on" at last. There is everywhere the cry for roads. The drawback has been that, as yet, there has been no co-ordination of these multitudinous enterprises. The president of the National Highways association, Charles Henry Davis, in a recent paper stated that we spent last year \$249,955,967, or more than two-thirds the total of money expended so far on the construction of the Panama canal—for road improvements throughout the country. Mr. Davis' contention is that good roads, roads that run for thousands of miles through state after state, are, properly, not the responsibility of the state, but of the nation. He would have the federal government build a system of national roads joining the West with the East, the North and the South, connecting every part of the country, as is the case with the national highways of Europe, and, as history shows, such as was the essential equipment of every first-class power of the past, according to the Boston Evening Transcript.

How would such an enormous construction be paid for and kept up? "Suppose," asks this eminent engineer, "the government built 100,000 miles of properly planned roads, and at the same time purchased, say, 300



Good Road Needed.

feet of land on either side? This land would so continually increase in value and in demand for leasing on long rental, that the cost of the road and the land purchase would soon be paid. A rental rate of \$0.66 per acre would pay the interest on the cost of construction. But such would rent at vastly higher rates in cities and towns, high enough to give the nation an income equal to its total annual expenditures, from these national highways alone!"

GOOD HIGHWAYS IN ONTARIO

Approximately 55,000 Miles of Road in Province—43,000 Miles in Fairly Good Condition.

The province of Ontario has approximately 55,000 miles of road. More than 43,000 miles have been treated and are in fairly good condition. About 20,000 miles are well-graded earth roads; about 3,000 miles are surfaced with broken stone and about 19,000 are surfaced with gravel. In the city of Toronto there is one motorcar to every twenty-five inhabitants.

INCREASED VALUE OF FARMS

Influence of Road Improvement on Rural Property Is Described by Baltimore Financier.

The influence of road improvements on the value of rural property was described in a letter recently sent to the Manufacturers' Record by the president of the Baltimore Commercial bank, who wrote: "Around my home town in Virginia property could be bought three years ago for \$20 to \$80 an acre. We put a fine road several miles through that county, and today you cannot buy anything for less than \$100 and some is held at \$150 per acre."

Net-Work of Good Roads.

This whole country will some of these days be a net-work of good roads, which will have a place on the maps along with the railroads. The Lincoln highway linking the East and the West, the Jefferson highway, linking the lakes and the gulf, and the Dixie Overland highway, are a beginning.

Georgia's Good Roads. Between the years 1909 and 1914, Georgia surfaced 6,364 miles of state roads.

TOO MUCH BALLAST FOR AUTO

Youngster Adds Heavy Bowlder to Already Taxed Car; Suggests Holding It to Lighten Load.

The family had stopped to eat lunch on a steep hill after a long morning's auto ride into the heart of the country. They had a hard time making some of the hills, but they came through. The old bus had brought 'em safe that far, the head of the house proudly said. Just then their attention was attracted to little Oswald laboring up the hill.

"Whatchu got?" demanded the next of Oswald.

"A nice pretty rock," the laborer grunted.

"A nice heavy one," big brother grunted.

They urged the baby of the family to put the bowlder down, but he wouldn't. Then they forgot about him until they started home.

"What are you sitting on, Oswald?" cried the little sister, as they prepared to ramble on. The others looked around. Oswald was exceptionally tall. Of course, for he was sitting on that heavy bowlder.

"Throw it out," said the father. "Mamma, have him throw it out. It's too heavy for this car. We can't have a bit of extra weight because—"

"Well," wailed little Oswald, seeing he was losing his ground, "can't I hold it on my lap then? Then it won't weigh too much, will it?"

How to Keep Your Friends.

It is almost impossible to be genuinely friendly with a person who insists on being too close to you, on knowing all your thoughts, feelings and affairs, and on claiming your time and attention on the excuse of affection alone, says the Woman's Home Companion.

The bonds of true friendship must be easy and its demands must be for something real and vital. The woman who calls on you perpetually because she has taken a sudden fancy to you is a blind and selfish egotist, in a mild way. Her calls may interrupt your work and bore you intensely, but if you are a polite and courteous person you bear with her until she directs her attention elsewhere. She will probably tell the new friend that you are "very unresponsive." Some women clutch at every new acquaintance and then complain that they have so few friends. The reason is that friendship is not built on trivialities and whims, but by giving such valuable things as true consideration, real interest, and manifesting a decent reserve as to the other person's confidences and non-confidences.

Criticism and Progress.

General Gallien, who commanded the Paris garrison at the outbreak of the war, and afterward served as minister of war, once said:

"Don't criticize until you can correct," is his plea.

If everybody acted on this suggestion the world would stand still, says the Des Moines Register. It is criticism which finally brings correction, for even if the first criticism is wholly destructive, it will set men's minds to working, and somebody will find a remedy.

There is poverty in the world, and nobody has yet proposed a plan which will eliminate it. Therefore, shall we keep still about poverty and fail to criticize it? Constructive criticism is better than destructive, but to have neither is fatal to progress.

Such a Name!

A college professor in California has discovered a mineral hitherto unknown to science, which he has called "crestmoreite," because it was found at Crestmore. We are told by way of description, says the Providence Bulletin, that it is "a new hydrous basic of orthosilicate, containing small amounts of other oxides in place of silica," which leaves us altogether in the dark as to whether we shall soon be using crestmoreite as an improved stovepipe material or wearing it as a watch charm.

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Andrew Redpath of Howell was a Chelsea visitor Sunday.

Miss Ida Kusch was home from Detroit over the week-end.

Don Curtis has enlisted in the Ordnance corps of the U. S. army.

Mrs. John Faulkner and Mrs. Ben Kuhl spent Wednesday in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Wood are visiting at the home of their daughter in Holt.

Julius Strieter and William Mayer spent Sunday at Camp Custer, Battle Creek.

Miss Mildred Stipe of Ann Arbor visited Chelsea friends Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. B. B. Turnbull entertained the ladies of the Five Hundred club last evening.

Leon Shutes, Evert Benton and Wilber Riemenschneider were in Detroit, Wednesday.

George Turnbull has been promoted to sergeant of ordnance at the Rock Island arsenal.

Mrs. G. A. Stimpson and children are visiting relatives in Chicago and Bloomington, Illinois.

Mrs. Phoebe Johnson of Detroit, who is visiting her brother, O. C. Burkhardt, is reported ill.

The Bay View Reading club will meet with Mrs. G. W. Palmer, Monday evening, December 10th.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Brewer of Saginaw visited Mr. and Mrs. D. C. McLaren over the week-end.

Rev. and Mrs. A. A. Schoen visited his sister, Miss Pauline Schoen at the sanatorium in Howell, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chauncey Freeman visited Henry Schumacher at the Battle Creek sanatorium, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Roy visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Heleschwerdt in Ann Arbor, Sunday.

Mrs. Ralph Pierce and daughter Margaret, of Williamston, have been visiting Chelsea relatives for a few days.

Mrs. Jacob Hinderer and daughters, Mrs. Martha Weinman and Mrs. Clara Haab, were Jackson visitors, Tuesday.

Mrs. Julius Streiter and Miss Alvena Lambert spent Sunday in Ann Arbor at the home of Mrs. Othmar Gerstler.

Mrs. M. Perkins and little son of Detroit have been spending the past week at the home of her father, John Breitenbach.

Herman Fletcher has rented his farm in Lima to Fred Hoffman of Francisco and will give possession March 1st.

Mrs. J. R. Gates left yesterday for Bordentown, N. J., where she expects to spend several months at the home of her sister.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Mayette and granddaughter, Marion, of Jackson, visited their son, F. A. Mayette and family over the week-end.

S. W. Rose moved to Chelsea, Wednesday, from Dexter. He has accepted a position in the drug department at Freeman's store.

Widmayer Bros. of Sharon delivered nine fine hogs to Leach & Downer, Wednesday, for which they received a check for \$500.22. Some hogs and some price!

Wilbur Cobley and his gang of carpenters completed their work on G. T. English's barn, Tuesday, and returned to their homes in Fowlerville, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lockwood of Pontiac visited his mother, Mrs. Arlissa Lockwood, who is seriously ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Rose Letts, over Sunday.

Carl Barth, who was injured in the accident Sunday evening when a Michigan Central train struck the automobile he was guiding, has settled with the railroad company for \$35.

Fred G. Wolff was a sociable caller at the Tribune office Wednesday. He has worked for George Heydlauff during the past summer and says the time passed very quickly and pleasantly.

Miss Helen Pratt, who has been visiting her sister in Philadelphia for the past three months, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Belsler, this week. She expects to leave for the west next week to join her mother in California.

The Sharon-South Sylvan chapter of the Red Cross, recently organized, has a membership of 40. The officers are: Chairman, Mrs. Frank Ellis; vice chairman, Miss Mary Heim; secretary, Miss Emma Leeman; treasurer, James Heim.

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The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is catarrh. Catarrh being greatly influenced by constitutional conditions requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Medicine is taken internally and acts thru the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in the curative powers of Hall's Catarrh Medicine that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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Do your Christmas shopping early.

Bert Thomas has moved from North Lake to Dexter, where he recently built a new residence.

Mrs. Lydia Bronson returned the first of the week from an extended visit with relatives in Salem, Northville, Detroit and Pontiac.

The Christian Endeavor society of the Congregational church will have business meeting in the church parlors Saturday evening at seven o'clock.

Mrs. E. L. Negus died yesterday morning at 10 o'clock. The funeral will be held Saturday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock from the residence on East Middle street.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Hinks of Cleveland, Ohio, expect to spend the holiday season with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Beeler. Mr. Hinks is a licensed officer aboard one of the boats on the Great Lakes and is now making the last trip of the season.

NEIGHBORHOOD BREVITIES

Interesting Items Clipped and Culled From Our Exchanges.

GRASS LAKE—Deputy Sheriff Worden of Grass Lake, after a long chase and a stiff fight, captured Frank Dalton, 26, in Battle Creek and brought him to Jackson, Wednesday, where he is being held in the county jail on a charge of forgery, and also accused of the larceny of some barber tools in Grass Lake.

POWLERVILLE—Two autos came together in a head-on crash about two miles west of this village Thanksgiving evening, and it will cost about \$400 for repairs.—Review.

WILLIAMSTON—Unknown persons entered the barn of Arnold Boardway, north of this place, one night last week, and killed his only cow. Mr. Boardway had no known enemies and is at a loss to know why anyone should commit such a dastardly deed.

YPSILANTI—The annual muskrat dinner was held Sunday at Portage Lake, and nearly 100 from Ypsilanti attended the event. This lake is the favorite resorting place of a majority of the Ypsilanti lake resorters. Ann Arbor and other parts of the county were well represented at the dinner, and a few were present from Detroit.—Record.

THIS WAY OUT.

The Kaiser attempted to take Paris. He failed.

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Those who are afflicted with stomach trouble and constipation should read the following: "I have never found anything so good for stomach trouble and constipation as Chamberlain's Tablets. I have used them off and on now for the past two years. They not only regulate the action of the bowels but stimulate the liver and keep one's body in a healthy condition," writes Mrs. Benjamin Hooper, Auburn, N. Y.—Adv.

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