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GAS COMPANY PURCHASED BY NEW-YORK FIRM

The American Light & Traction Co., New York city, has purchased the controlling interest in Washtenaw Gas Co., according to an announcement last Thursday by Charles R. Henderson, manager of the Ann Arbor organization.

The New York concern owns the Detroit City Gas Co., Grand Rapids Gas Co., and similar establishments in Milwaukee, Wis., Elmira, N. Y., and southern cities. The transaction completed Wednesday becomes effective September 10. No announcement as to the amount of money involved was made.

The personnel of the Washtenaw Gas Co. will remain unchanged; the manager, assets, and several members of the present local board of directors will retain their connection with the new board.

The Ann Arbor company has been in business since 1859. The late Henry W. Douglas was appointed manager in 1889 and after his death in August, 1924, he was succeeded by Mr. Henderson.

RURAL SCHOOL TEACHERS WILL HOLD MEETING

Arrangements are being made at the county school commissioner's office for the first rural school teachers' institute of the fall to be held September 10, probably in the court room of the county building.

At this time, supplies will be distributed among the rural instructors and the general program of the county school commissioner's office outlined to them. Teachers also will be instructed regarding uniform policies for their classroom work.

While rural schools have no certain dates on which they are opened in the fall, the majority of the county institutions will begin their year's work the Tuesday following Labor Day.

CAVANAUGH LAKE CAMP FOR GIRLS CLOSED MONDAY

The Blue Triangle camp for girls, which was conducted during the summer under the auspices of the V. W. C. A. of Ann Arbor, at Cavanaugh Lake, closed Monday after a successful season of eight weeks. The registration for the period consisted of 82 different girls who spent from a week to a month at camp, coming from Detroit, Dexter, Jackson, Clinton, Royal Oak, Milan and Ann Arbor.

It is said that this successful season has proved the need of a larger and better equipped camp for girls, and a committee has been investigating new sites during the summer. Plans are being made to have the new camp in operation next year, if it is possible.

JENSEN PITCHES NO HIT GAME FOR CHELSEA

Chelsea defeated Highland Lake in the game played Sunday, Jensen pitching for Chelsea, striking out 19 men. Only one Highland Lake man reached first base, and that was due to an error. The final score was 15 to 0 in favor of Chelsea.

PAT FAMILIES REUNION

The annual reunion of the Paul family was held Sunday in Eisenhower's grove, North Lake. There were 140 members of the family present. The day was spent in various forms of amusement and a jolly good time was enjoyed by all present.

Members of the family were present from Florida, New York, Lansing, Bath, Chelsea, Detroit, Burlington, Chelsea, Manchester, Ann Arbor, Bridgewater, Dexter and Whitmore Lake.

At the business meeting the following officers were chosen for the coming year:

President—Albert Paul;
Secretary—Frederick Arthur Paul;
Entertainment committee—H. P. Paul, Arthur Paul and Mrs. Clara Hutzel.

HAESCHLE FAMILY REUNION IS HELD

The tenth annual reunion of the Haeschle family was held at Wampum Lake Wednesday of last week, with a pot luck dinner at noon. Sixty-two residents of Norvell, two from Chelsea, and one from Jackson attended the dinner. The meeting was called to order by the President, Mrs. Will Haeschle, of Jackson.

The following officers were elected: President, Clayton Gieske; vice president, Mrs. Charles Beck; secretary, Mrs. Jake Maurer; treasurer, Mrs. Fred Heineyding; grounds committee, Ben Maurer, Otto Davdter, and Fred Maurer; table committee, Mrs. Ben Maurer, Mrs. William Maurer, Mrs. Fred Heineyding, sport committee, Mrs. Charles Maurer, Mrs. Clayton Gieske and Mrs. Herman Haeschle. It was decided to hold the next reunion at Wampum Lake the second Wednesday, 1928.

ATTENTION, I. O. O. F.!

At the regular meeting last Wednesday, it was decided to change the meeting night to Thursday night of each week, beginning September 1st.

VILLAGE TAXES MUST BE PAID BY SEPTEMBER 15TH

At the council meeting on Monday, August 15th, the final date for payment of taxes was set as September 15th, 1927. All taxes should be paid on or before that date.

Ride in the new Dodge—Call Taxi phone 75.

PRISONER ESCAPES FROM STATE CEMENT PLANT

Waterloo Store Clerk Furnishes Information Which Leads to Capture of Runaway Inmate; At Liberty Few Hours Only.

Russell Chubb, 24 years old, inmate of the Michigan State Prison cement plant at Four Mile Lake, escaped from that institution early Tuesday morning. Prison guards and state police scoured the country near the cement plant with bloodhounds during the forenoon, but were unable to find any trace of the escaped convict in that section. Local officers were notified and a complete search was made in the railroad yards and other possible hiding places here.

While returning to his home in Waterloo from Jackson, about noon, Chubb picked up a man who was walking along the road and took him to Waterloo. Upon his arrival there, the stranger entered the Gorton store, purchasing several articles of clothing. Bunce Marsh, clerk in the store, suspected the man of being the escaped prisoner, as the description had been posted at the store after the escape here in the morning. After he left the store, prison officials were called and asked to hurry to Waterloo before he could make a getaway. Chubb started down the road, Chas. Daly drove along and again picked him up, driving slowly to the home of a neighbor, where he stopped, and telling the man to wait for him, went into the house.

While thus killing time, officers arrived, and the man was taken into custody to be returned to the more strenuous task of assisting in the manufacture of road construction material at the cement plant.

Chubb, whose home was given as Ashley, Michigan, was sentenced on July 9, 1926, to serve 7-12 to 15 years for burglary.

This was the first escape from the cement plant for twenty-two months.

Miss Marsh will receive the customary reward of \$100, which is paid for information leading to the capture of escaped prisoners.

LIMA COUPLE MARRIED AT TOLEDO, OHIO

Announcement is made of the marriage of Miss Ella C. Finkbeiner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Finkbeiner of Lima, and Ralph J. Steffer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Steffer of Dexter, which was solemnized at 1:15 o'clock Monday afternoon, August 15, at the Ashland Avenue Baptist church, Toledo, Rev. Jas. S. Kirtley, officiating.

Miss Rowena Finkbeiner and Floyd Finkbeiner, sister and cousin of the bride, acted as attendants. The bride was charmingly gowned in old rose silk crepe, with a hat to match, carrying a bouquet of cream colored roses, and lilies of the valley. Her bridesmaid wore a gown of beige crepe and carried pink rose buds.

The bride is a graduate of Chelsea high school and has for some time held a position as stenographer in an office at Ann Arbor. The groom is a successful farmer in Lima.

After a wedding trip through northern Michigan, the young couple will be at home to their friends, at the home of the bride's parents.

MRS. CARL BARTH PASSED AWAY FRIDAY, AUGUST 19

Gladys Lucinda Harper was born April 10, 1886, and died in the U. of M. hospital, Ann Arbor, Friday, August 12, 1927, following an illness of one day.

She was united in marriage with Carl Barth, January 17, 1922, and for a few years they have resided in the vicinity of Sylvan Center.

She is survived by her husband, two small daughters, Evelyn, 3 years old, and Ernestine, 1 year old, two daughters by a former marriage, Edna, 12, and Viola, 10, her mother, Mrs. Alonzo Harper of Norvell, two brothers, Ernest Harper of Syracuse, Ind., Robert Harper of Norvell, four sisters, Mrs. Lissa Mae Harris of Norvell, Mrs. Averil Fisk of Chelsea, Mrs. Norma Pittman and Mrs. Viola Lemmon, both residents of Norvell. Her father died five years ago.

The funeral was held at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon from Mapes & Plankell funeral home, Rev. A. E. Potts conducting the services. Burial at Norvell.

BASEBALL SCHEDULE

Teams	Won	Lost	Pct.
I. O. O. F.	3	0	1.000
Congregationalists	1	0	1.000
Masons	2	1	.667
K. of P.	0	1	.000
St. Paul	0	1	.000
Methodists	0	2	.000

Results of last week's games:

Thursday—K. of P. vs. St. Paul—Postponed.
Monday—I. O. O. F. 6, St. Paul 2.
Tuesday—Masons 5, Methodists 2.
Final game 2nd Series play-off.
Friday—I. O. O. F. 4, Methodists 0.
Schedule for next week:

Thursday, August 18—K. of P. vs. Congregationalists.
Friday, August 19—Congregationalists vs. Methodists.
Saturday, August 20—I. O. O. F. vs. K. of P.
Sunday, August 21—Methodists vs. St. Paul.
Thursday, August 25—Masons vs. Congregationalists.

BROTHERHOOD TO MEET AT DEXTER NEXT SUNDAY

The regular monthly meeting of the County Brotherhood of Washtenaw County, which is an interdenominational organization, will be held in the new M. E. church at Dexter, Michigan, next Sunday, August the 21st, 1927.

The meeting commences at 4:30 p. m. with song service lead by Forrest Tefft. Speakers selected for the afternoon are F. H. Nisley and Leon Hathaway of Ypsilanti, and W. E. Golings of Willis. After the afternoon session a light luncheon will be served at about 6:30 to which all present are cordially invited to participate.

The evening session commences at 7:30 with song service and followed by preaching at 8 o'clock by Rev. N. E. Nusser of Ypsilanti. Some selections will be given by Mrs. Mysser Little of Pontiac, who has at various times in the past broadcasted over various radio stations. A treat for all and everybody welcome.

"FRED'S PIGS" AT WASHTENAW COUNTY FAIR

"Pigs" is Pigs" and are generally supposed to be the dumbest of all dumb animals, but this theory is proven to be a fallacy by the intelligence displayed by Fred's Pigs, one of the novelty attractions that has been booked for presentation at the Washtenaw County Fair commencing August 30th, to September 3d.

Fred's Pigs comprise a troupe of real ham actors. Whatever may be said, there is no getting away from that! And what's more they don't object to being called "hams." You know, there are some performers who really do.

Fred's Pigs represent the very last word in animal training. If you have ever stood in a back yard and looked over the fence at a neighbor's backyard, perhaps it has been your privilege to watch one or two or maybe several pigs—even hogs—munching away at foodstuffs thrown their way. And then you ever stop to think how dumb those pigs seemed? And how utterly impossible they seemed, even to their eating?

However, Mr. Fred, who presents this unusual attraction decided some time ago that pigs could be made to perform, and so he has at last brought before American audiences a truly wonderful act of intelligence with half a dozen trained pigs as the whole show.

As a laugh getter this act certainly brings home the bacon!

DAIRY SPECIALIST GIVES CLUB MEMBERS INSTRUCTION

Mr. Hayes, dairy specialist, Michigan State College, gave the Washtenaw county 4-H dairy club members some intensive training in dairy judging Friday, August 12th.

The meeting began at the farm of Robert Koch, Salline-Ann Arbor road, at 10:30, where Mr. Hayes gave the boys a judging demonstration and the boys judged two classes of Yorkshire cows.

At 1:30 they all went to Frank E. Stewart's farm, near Lima Center, where two classes of Guernseys were judged, and one class of Guernsey calves was judged over.

Holstein judging practice was held at the home of Edwin Latson, north of Ann Arbor, where the boys compared the merits and demerits of several cows with each other.

The final meeting was held at the Oaklands where a very difficult class of Jerseys was led out for their placing.

There were two objects in holding this meeting. One was to give every dairy calf club member who wished to avail themselves of the opportunity, a chance to learn to judge dairy cattle; the other was to select a few boys who did outstanding work, to go to the live stock tours at Michigan State College, August 26-27. The following boys were selected by Mr. Hayes: Cyril and Lowell Spike, and Mac Ross of the Lincoln calf club; Wm. McTaggart, Herbert Teichert, and Gerald Cramer of the Blue Ribbon calf club; and Edmund Stuart of the Korroet Kare calf club.

These boys will be given additional training at the college, which will be followed by another elimination contest. The three highest scoring individuals from this county will compose the Washtenaw county judging team. If this team scores high enough in the contest they will enter the state judging contest at the Michigan State fair.

E. C. Duncel, principal of the Manchester schools, met with all of the potato and corn club members in the Chelsea area at the Chelsea town hall Wednesday afternoon, August 17. He gave them some training in judging corn, potatoes, and alfalfa. A test which will be held August 24. A similar meeting was held at the Farm Bureau and Extension office, Court House, Ann Arbor, at 7:00 p. m. of the same day, for all of the potato and corn club members in the eastern part of the county.

The winners of the county contest on Wednesday, August 24, will go to East Lansing Friday, August 26-27, where they will receive additional training and enter another contest for the privilege of entering the crops judging contest at the Michigan State fair at Detroit.

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Acting upon inspiration, she had her husband place the burners of the stove on a kitchen table and then lift the oven up beside them. This was indeed a humble ancestor of the sparkling white enamel cabinet gas range that we have today, but upon this kitchen-table model all later improvements have been based.

This important invention was never patented, hence Mrs. Miller made no fortune from it, but she has had the satisfaction of having given this great labor-saver to the housewives of America. The debt of gratitude which they owe to her, could never have been paid in gold.

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Editorial

FARM LIFE IS DIFFERENT

The farmer knows that life in the country has not always been the idyllic existence country-hungry city folks have pictured it. Only the "new farmer" can not remember the struggle against nature and the days of sun-up to sun-down toil once the lot of the men and women on the farm. The modern farm is as unlike its antecedents as the modern factory is unlike its prototype and as the modern city home is unlike the home of two decades ago.

On the farm today are found the automobile, tractor, telephone, electric lights and power, milking machines, harvesting and planting machinery performing several operations simultaneously, the radio, the household comforts and conveniences of the city home and even leisure and recreation. The prodigal son wouldn't know the old farm if he returned today after an absence of two decades.

True it is that some farmers still employ primitive methods of agriculture and refuse or are unable to emancipate themselves from their slavery to the soil by adopting labor-saving devices. And it is just as true that agriculturists as a class have been slow to adopt modern methods.

The time is not long past when "newfangled notions" were exceedingly distrusted on the farm. The "old way" was good enough for the fathers and what was good enough for the fathers was good enough for the sons when they succeeded to the management of the farm. It was not vanity nor obstinacy which caused good farmers to scoff at scientific methods in those days. The best of farmers sincerely believed they could get out of the soil only what the soil yielded of its own volition.

The change on the farm has been nothing short of revolutionary and the revolutionists have been the men and women who for generations had stubbornly resisted change and impeded progress.

INDISPENSABLE TO BUSINESS

"Advertising pays!" That epigrammatic declaration is questioned by no one informed in the history of business and commercial development. It is a statement of fact, obvious and indisputable.

Quality and service have built vast commercial and industrial institutions, but with their handmaid, advertising, greater institutions have been built in far less time and at far less cost. Advertising brings buyers and quality service into advantageous price-keeping them.

One can point to several automobile manufacturers who owe their exceptional success not to building a better car, but to using more and better advertising than their competitors. And several manufacturers have learned too late that success in this huge industry depends upon more than making a good car.

It is significant that the makers of those products whose copyrighted names are synonymous with the product itself have all been large-scale advertisers. Making a "better mousetrap" wasn't enough. Just a few illustrations are the Kodak, Victrola, Uacella Biscuit, Pianola, Steinway, Coca Cola, Keds and Parker pen. Advertising helped these products make a name for themselves.

What these famous national advertisers have accomplished for the trade names of their products has been done by merchants for their business. One store synonymous with clothing, another with furniture, another with meats and groceries, and another with music.

In every business and community there is some far-seeing and enterprising manufacturer or merchant who raises his product and business name above the common level by making advertising work for him.

THE BUSY MAN

Modern business has engendered several axioms which rival the wisest bits of wisdom of the ancients. Among the most frequently quoted is, "If you want something done take it to the busy man." A companion epigram reads: "A good workman never wants for a job."

Axioms and epigrams that endure don't just happen. To go down through the generations they must express in a concise and vivid manner an obvious truth. The axioms of the busy man and the good workman are all this.

There is a reason why one should patronize the busy man and workman who has a job. The busy man is busy because he has earned a reputation of giving service expeditiously and satisfactorily. The best recommendation a workman can desire is the fact that he is not out of work. Very often employers are forced through a labor shortage to accept workers who do not come from another job; but when allowed to choose between the employed and the unemployed they always pick the former.

The axiom of the busy man applies to the professional man, store, hotel, factory, office and every other branch and phase of business. The axiom of the good workman is applicable to all classes of labor. The world wants more busy men and good workmen.

Little Robert Beggs, who wouldn't put tobacco in his mouth, may be the father of the modern cigaret holder.

"THE BETTER 'OLE' PROMISES STORM OF HEARTY LAUGHS

The coming of Syd Chaplin in "The Better 'Ole'" to the Princess Theatre on Wednesday and Thursday, August 24 and 25, has been preceded by a barrage of critical enthusiasm that indicates the Warner Bros. have about as sure-fire entertainment as the screen affords.

"The funniest, most uproarious stuff that has been brought out of the benches and the war villages of France," said Quinn Martin, writing in The New York World. "When you get a film that sets audiences howling with glee, you have indeed something of a film."

"The film is funny, uproariously, almost hysterically so," said Roscoe McGowan in The New York News. "A comedy classic," said Palmer Smith in The New York Evening World. "It has laughs galore, touches of pathos to emphasize the laughter, and more than passable drama."

"A tornado of such excellent and sustained entertainment as is all too rarely swept into Broadway," according to Katherine Zimmerman in The New York Telegram, and she adds: "Syd Chaplin will exalt the sternest critic from gloom to glory."

"Mr. Chaplin contributes a finished bit of broad humor," said John S. Cohen, Jr., in The New York Sun. "The picture is full of unloosening laughter."

"You'll simply shriek at the antics of the old Cockney who 'elped win the war. 'The Better 'Ole' is a gloom-chaser that sent the audience into gales of laughter. Mr. Chaplin's performance was priceless," according to Regina Cannon in The New York Graphic.

Los Angeles greeted the picture as follows: "Without doubt the most sensational laughter-making production of the year," said The Examiner. "Unalloyed entertainment, in which Syd Chaplin proves conclusively that he ranks right at the top as a comedian," according to The Herald. "Proves hilariously entertaining and sets the seal of approval upon Chaplin as one of the stellar comedians. He has never done anything near approaching his Old Bill," said The Record. And The Times said: "Chaplin has made a rip-roaring comedy. By all odds his best and cleverest, and don't be misled by his previous ones in underrating the bigness of the new one."

Sharing honors with Mr. Chaplin in the success of "The Better 'Ole'" is the director, Chas. F. Reisner, who used to devise the gags for Charlie Chaplin's pictures. Reisner emerges from "The Better 'Ole'" as a comedy director of the first water.

The picture, of course, is founded upon Bruce Bairnsfather's play.

Duck's Long Life

A pintail duck banded by a member of the United States biological survey at the mouth of Bear river, Utah, on September 16, 1914, was captured near Brawley, Calif., on October 18, 1926. The longest previous record of a banded bird's life was that of a white stork that carried a band of the Rossiter bird observatory in Germany for 11 years.

RECORDS IN DANGER AT MICHIGAN FAIRS

New records in horsepulling contests will be made at Michigan fairs this year if entries in these events are any indication, according to the statement of H. J. Gallagher, specialist in agricultural engineering at Michigan State College.

The present record for Michigan teams weighing over 3,000 pounds was made by a team owned by Allen Hoskins, Ionia. This team of Belgians pulled 3,100 pounds, and only one team in the United States bettered the record last year.

Honors last year for light-weight teams in Michigan went to a pair of Percherons owned by John Strough, Saginaw. This team weighed 2,970 and exerted a pull of 2,750 pounds.

Contests will be held at 10 county fairs in the State and at the State Fair at Detroit this year. Officials in charge of the management of fairs say that the horsepulling event is one of the most popular features on their programs.

The complete schedule for the Michigan fair circuit this year is: Ionia, August 16 and 17; Caro, August 25 and 26; Bad Axe, August 30 and 31; Ann Arbor, September 2 and 3; Detroit, September 6 and 7; Howell, September 7; Sandusky, September 8 and 9; Gaylord, September 21; Traverse City, September 22 and 23; Hillsdale, September 27 and 28; and Alpena, September 28 and 29.

Facts About the Telephone

The new Stevens Hotel in Chicago has a switchboard sufficient for a city of 15,000 inhabitants.

It is estimated that well over \$800,000 people have money invested in the telephone companies of the United States.

Over 1,000,000 miles of copper wire are used to carry the daily telephone conversations in the city of Rochester, N. Y.

Less than twenty years ago El Paso had but four telephone operators. Now 175 girls are needed to take care of the city's telephone calls.

In Arabic, when you give a telephone number, you don't say, for example "2466." Instead, the usual method is to say "4 and 20; 6 and 50."

The London Correspondent of the Danish newspaper "Politiken" recently completed the first telephone call between London and Copenhagen, when he spoke to his head office.

English Cathedral City

Rochester is a cathedral city of Kent, England, on the right bank of the Medway. It really forms one large town together with Chatham and Strood. Charles Dickens, who lived at Gad's Hill, three miles from Rochester, frequently intruded the city into his novels.

STATE FARMERS REPORT RECORD WHEAT YIELDS

The "I remember when" class will have to go far back in their memories to find wheat yields larger than the ones reported by Michigan farmers this year, according to an announcement by Howard Rafter, secretary of the Michigan Crop Improvement Association.

Although reports of yields by members of the Association have not all been received at the office of the secretary, it is doubtful if late reports will show yields larger than the 50.8 bushels per acre of American Banner on the James Campbell farm in Clinton county; the 50 bushel yield of Red Rock reported by C. P. Kinkbein, Clinton; or the production of 46.5 bushels per acre on 40 acres of Red Rock obtained by Ralph Abrogast, Union City.

Prohibition is proclaimed a success in British Togoland. The natives haven't yet cultivated a taste for liquor.

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BREVITIES.

JACKSON—Dr. Newbury, of Homer, and Dr. Armstrong, of Concord, have been employed by the state to assist in the testing of cattle in the country and clean up.

NORTHVILLE—Arrangements are nearly completed for the centennial celebration which is to be held here August 26-27. It is expected that a large crowd will be in attendance.

SOUTH LYON—Wardley & Son have just received a shipment of 435 bushels of American Hammer wheat from 10 acres of land. This would appear to be one of the best crops of wheat in this section.

ANN ARBOR—The members of Ross Granger camp, United Spanish war veterans, are making arrangements to attend the National Convention of Spanish war veterans to be held in Detroit, August 28 to September 1.

ANN ARBOR—Glen Leverette, 21, R. P. D. No. 3, Chelsea, was taken into custody at Galesburg, Thursday by Deputy Sheriff George H. Goodrich and returned to this city to face a charge on a statutory offense.

FREEDOM—Work on the improvement of the Pleasant lake road is going on rapidly. As the grading is considerably ahead of the gravel-laying, lights have been installed at the pit east of Pleasant lake and a night gang is at work hauling gravel.

ANN ARBOR—The Ann Arbor Dairy Co. has broken ground in the rear of their present plant in Ann Arbor for an addition, 60x60, two stories and basement. Carpenters are at work on the new building and the work is expected to be completed by January 1st.

SUMMERSET CENTER—Genevieve, 19 years old, a Ypsilanti school teacher, was instantly killed in an automobile accident on U.S. 112, a half mile east of Somerset Center Friday morning. The accident occurred, according to witnesses, when the car in which Miss Shock was riding, turned out to go around a stalled truck.

POWELLVILLE—The state highway department is advertising for contractors to build slightly less than half a mile of new paving in this county. This new strip will straighten the road at Roche's corners about 2 miles east of here. There is one direct corner and two curves which will be taken out. Quite a large number of accidents have occurred there.

NORTHVILLE—By the end of another month, Northville will have one of the finest airports in the central west. Work, which was started on the field last week immediately following the completion of the successful campaign to purchase it, has progressed rapidly and prisoners from the Detroit House of Correction have removed many tons of stone that littered the field.

TECUMSEH—At a meeting held last Wednesday night at the Friends church, preliminary plans were made for the erection of a parsonage on the church property. The finance committee composed of J. Newton, Satterthwaite, Mrs. C. P. Avey, Mrs. Perry Hayden and Russell, Comfort has been instructed to solicit funds from members and friends of the church.

TECUMSEH—Our handsome little neighbor city to the north, located on the busiest thoroughfare in the north, is becoming notorious from the frequent reports of capture of bootleggers and confiscation of loads of liquor. Chester Harvey, the deputy sheriff and motor cop, stationed at Clinton is rapidly becoming the county champion, for very few days go by that he does not add another trophy to his record.

DENTON—The regular meeting of the O. E. S. was held Wednesday evening with a good attendance. Plans were made for a silver jubilee to be held October 5, commemorating the twenty-fifth anniversary since receiving their charter. The jubilee will consist of a banquet followed by an entertainment. Plans also were discussed for the County Association of O. E. S. to be held here November 14.

PINCKNEY—The light, figured gentry were very prominent in this section last week. Bert Hooker lost about 50 chickens to them and the basement of Reason & Reason's store was entered and a quantity of merchandise stolen. Attempts were also made to force the door of the residence of John Dinkel one night while he and his family were camping at Hi-Land Lake but they were unable to get in.

GRASS LAKE—Lieut. Hansen of the State Police was in Grass Lake the past week and conferred with Justice Crafts relative to taking action against speeding motorists in the village. Lieut. Hansen promises a clean-up here. Justice Crafts states that particular attention is to be paid to residents of this community who exceed the speed limit and he asserts these will receive a fine double that imposed on outsiders who violate the speed law.

MANCHESTER—The men who were here making soundings at the ends of Exchange Place bridge last week as a preliminary to putting in foundations for a new bridge completed their work on Friday. After drilling down 23 feet to gravel and hardpan on the east end they moved to the west end and went down nearly 15 feet when they came to solid gravel which is deemed sufficient support for the new abutments. Mr. Cameron, who supervised the work, seemed to doubt that quicksand was discovered on the east side of the river when the present bridge was built in 1886.

COUNTY 4-H CLUB GIRLS ENJOY WEEK OF CAMP LIFE

From the time of the ceremony of "Burning Old Man Grouch" on Monday evening, August 1, until the Indian goodbye on Saturday, August 6, the program of the Washington county 4-H club girls who attended Camp Birkett was chock full of education and pleasure.

Miss Green, assistant state club leader, Michigan State College, spent the week at the camp giving the girls lessons in how to make toys, super, visiting, the swimming, teaching table etiquette, and table service, and conducting demonstrations, etc.

Miss Ives and Mr. Stewart, garden supervisors of the recreational department of Detroit, and Maurice Huberman and Burton Selio, 4-H club members, and bird club members of the city of Detroit, spent Tuesday evening at the camp when each one of the four gave a short talk on birds. Maurice and Burton entertained the girls with a number of bird calls. This same group took the 4-H campers out on a five o'clock bird tour, Wednesday morning. A total of twenty-seven different birds were identified by the bird club members for the girls.

Miss Buchanan, of the Victor Talking Machine Company, spent Friday at the camp teaching the girls how to appreciate good music, how to lead singing, and several new 4-H club songs, among which were "Dreaming" and the "Plover Song," two of her recent compositions written especially for 4-H clubs.

Miss Cora Haas, county school commissioner, also gave the girls some training in music on Thursday afternoon. Her class was concluded with a music memory contest in which the girls in the Chippewa tribe won first place.

About twenty visitors attended the Council Fire of Service, and the candle lighting ceremony, Thursday evening. Each evening program was conducted according to Indian fashion, and each hut of girls was organized as an Indian tribe. The Chippewa tribe occupied hut number one; the Ojibwa tribe, hut number two; the Mohawk tribe, hut number four; the Sioux tribe, hut number five.

Any girl having done a good deed during the day could be "recognized" by one of the other campers, and if the recognition met with the approval of the group they would respond in Indian fashion by saying "how-how." Each "recognition" that the girls received counted one point. During the last evening of the camp the leaders held a council and voted on the different girls that they felt were deserving of special recognition. The leaders' vote counted for one-half point. After totaling both scores Agnes Hoey and Josephine Crocker were awarded the two highest honors, which was a large four leaf clover.

Pauline Hammond, Dorothy Gordon, Leona Gale and Ruth Adiska won the next four places and received a small four leaf clover. The next twelve highest scoring girls received a large H as their reward. All of the others received small H's as a token of appreciation of their cooperation in making the camp a success.

Literary Fame Came Slowly to Johnson

Samuel Johnson gained little money when he compiled an English dictionary, but the work served to make his reputation secure. He had been in London ten years, living obscurely as a hack writer and slowly winning a reputation when he was given a chance to prepare the dictionary, for which he was to receive \$3,000. It took him seven years to complete the tremendous work and he had to pay several assistants. The work is remembered not because of its merits, but largely because of Johnson's letter to the end of Chesterfield, who had rebuffed the editor until he heard the dictionary was nearing completion and then hoped to be regarded as one of the benefactors of the scholar.

Upon the publication of the dictionary, Johnson was given recognition as the greatest living figure in English literature. Fielding was dead, Richardson was living in retirement, Gibbon was in Switzerland, Gray and Cooper were publishing little. Johnson was hailed as England's greatest scholar. The honor had been slow in coming, for 18 years had passed since he had left Lichfield to make his fortune in London.

Famous "Last" Names on Pages of History

"Last of the Fathers" was a title given by the Latin church to St. Bernard, who lived from 1001 to 1153. "Last of the Goths" was the title given to Roderick, the thirty-fourth and last of the Visigothic line of kings, who filled the throne of Spain from 414 to 711. To Philipomeno, who lived from 253 to 183 B. C., a native of Arendia, was given the appellation "Last of the Greeks"; and he was the last really great and successful commander of the ancient Greeks. "Last of the Mediceans" is the title of Cooper's novel of the same name, under which title the Indian chief Chien is portrayed. The general Aetius has been called the "Last of the Romans." He checked the first invasion of Attila by the Huns in the year 452 A. D. With his death, which occurred in 454, the last support of the western empire fell.

PLYMOUTH—Work on the new women's prison, which is being built by the City of Detroit, as a part of the Detroit House of Correction, on a site nearly opposite the House of Correction farm near this village, is fast nearing completion. The prison is located upon what was formerly the F. L. Becker farm in Northville township, which was purchased by the city for this purpose about a year ago or more. The prison buildings are located on a high elevation, well back from the Plymouth and Northville town line concrete highway, and command a splendid view of the surrounding country.

Ran Away From an Engagement

By H. IRVING KING

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EDITH JAFFREYS had two admirers—that is, two that counted—William Lester and George Culton. As a rule Lester was away ahead of Culton in the race, but just now Edith's reaction to a quarrel she had had with William had brought George within measurable distance of the winning post.

The quarrel was about—well, several things—one thing leading to another, as they will when two positive characters get to arguing—smoking by women, gibbeted hair, "ships and signs and sealing wax and cabarets and kinks."

The first time Edith had refused George Culton, George felt that life had turned to dust and ashes. Each subsequent refusal left him less and less afflicted.

The evening after Edith's great flare-up with William, George made his semi-annual proposal. "This time it went," Edith, when are you going to throw over Bill Lester and marry me?"

"Mr. Lester and I, with my consent, will never meet again," she answered. "And, George, I will marry you at any time."

George was amazed at his own sensations. He knew that he ought to be deliciously joyful; but subconsciously he had a feeling of dismay.

But why this curious complexity of emotions? And the answer flashed across him as a dazzling meteor flashes through the murky night. Helen Marlowe! Yes, "hang it!" he was in love with Helen Marlowe and engaged to Edith Jaffreys. George groaned as deeply on this, the first night that Edith had accepted him, as he had on the first night she had rejected him. He must think this puzzle out.

Edith, after George had gone, at first fairly glowed over the hopeless agony that William Lester would suffer when he learned of her new engagement. Then she began to be sorry for him, and by the time she turned off the light and got into bed she was crying and saying to herself: "What have I done? What have I done?" Next morning she thought: "If William will only apologize for his outrageous conduct perhaps I might—but I'm engaged to George!" She was moody and irritable all day.

George had proposed and been accepted on Wednesday. Thursday he did not show up. Friday afternoon Helen packed her bag. She had a great-aunt living out on Long Island. Meantime George had been going through the same mental processes as Edith. "I shall go crazy if I think of this much longer," thought he. "I can't face the girl! I'll disappear for awhile; that's what I'll do. Something may turn up in the meantime."

He packed his bag and bought a ticket for Champlain, N. Y. It was a small town. He had never been there; but he had heard it had a good hotel which was open the year round. At this season the hotel would not be likely to have many guests and there was hardly a chance of encountering anyone he knew.

Five persons got off the train at Champlain. Three of them hurried through the little station to waiting automobiles. Two stood on the platform and stared at each other in consternation. The two were George and Edith.

"Why George?"

"Why Edith?"

"Silence for a minute and then—"

"Where you going somewhere?" from George.

"Oh, no," said Edith, "were you?"

"Of course not," replied George, "trying to assume a look of childlike innocence."

Just then an automobile came pushing up to the station on the further side and two familiar voices were heard in the waiting-room.

"I knew we should not get here by the time the train did," said the voice of Helen Marlowe.

"What's the difference?" replied the voice of William Lester; and then he and Helen saw George and Edith staring at each other.

With a joyful cry Helen rushed out, William following more cautiously, as not entirely sure of his reception. "When you got Jack Huntington's wire all right?" cried Helen. "You see, in making up his house party, he quite forgot to include you two. But as soon as William and I arrived he was filled with remorse and wired at once. But gracious! how did you make the trip? He only wired him an hour ago. Quick work and sweet of you both to come. We motored over to meet the Merrells but missed 'em. It seems. However, Jack sent a car for them. Edith, where are your trunks? Come astray? Phone at once and find out about them. But first, William, you drive Edith over to Soundage in the two—"

and send back a car for George and me. George is going to get a wigging in the meantime. He has avoided me for two days."

Edith had never been so glad to see anybody in the world as she was to see William. They made it all up on the spot. Soundage. Before she got into the car she said: "Why the way, George, you remember what I said to you Wednesday night? Of course you understood I was only joking."

"Oh, perfectly," replied George with beaming face.

Papal Tiara

The pope's tiara, or the papal crown, is ornamented with precious stones and pearls and shaped like a beehive; it has a small cross at its highest point and is also equipped with three royal diadems. According to authentic descriptions of the papal tiara, no lettering appears on the crown.

He Who Risks Nothing
He who risks nothing gains nothing.—Bishop William Juxon

Great Age in Sight

The next 50 years will probably be a great epoch of invention greater than the past 50 years because of the number of trained men and laborers who will then experiment on scientific problems. American Magazine.

Founded by Columbus

The first known town in the New World named San Juan, was founded by Christopher Columbus in December, 1493, on the northern shore of Puerto Rico, about 25 miles west of the present town of Puerto Plata.

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One of the finest importations from Europe this season is the famous Parker family, who will appear at the Washenaw County Fair which starts August 30th and runs until September 3d.

In this company there are five girls, and two men who excel in their particular line of work. They present to the public two big feature acts, consisting of gymnastic stunts on aerial rings and aerial bars, sensational acrobatics, including shoulder to shoulder work, tumbling and winding up their presentation with a picturesque and thrilling exhibition of dangerous stunts on the famous Rpm Ladders. The act is excellently costumed and they use beautiful nickel-plated apparatus.

This attraction is entirely new for America, and promises to be one of the greatest hits ever seen on the fair.

The appearance of this sensational attraction on the Washenaw County Fair grounds is wonderful proof for the progressive policy of the fair management, who have spared no expense in an effort to bring to the fair this season, an accumulation of the very best attractions that can be secured.

There is no doubt but that the visitors to the Washenaw County Fair will greatly enjoy the performance of this wonderful troupe, which is a stellar attraction.

Human Life Held Cheap

At one time the death penalty was prescribed for more than 100 offenses in the United States.

LIMA NEWS

A number from this vicinity attended the Bellinger and Zahn reunion which was held at Pleasant Lake, Sunday.

Frank McMillan returned home Saturday from a four weeks' trip in the northern part of the state.

Mr. and Mrs. John Schanz and daughter Dorothy, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ziegler at Dexter.

Mrs. Martin Koch is confined by illness at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Albert Schiller.

Frank MacMillan lost a valuable horse last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Triplett entertained a number of friends at dinner, Sunday.

Mrs. John Schanz and daughter, Dorothy, were in Ann Arbor on business, Tuesday.

A number from this vicinity attended the funeral of Mrs. Carl Barth, which was held at Mapes & Plankell Funeral Home, Sunday.

NORTH SYLVAN GRANGE

The North Sylvan Grange will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Skinner, 603 E. University, Ann Arbor, Friday, August 26. Program:

Song—Grange.
Roll call—Miscellaneous.
Reading—Mrs. N. Laird.
Solo—A. B. McClure.

Discussion—Is it more practical to thresh out of field than in barn or stack?—Lead by Mr. Wahl.

Question box.
Song—Grange.

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PERSONAL AND LOCAL

Mason Gibson, Jr., spent over the week-end in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Van Gieson spent Sunday with relatives in Clinton.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Chapman spent the week-end with relatives in Detroit.

Scott Shell is having his residence on South Main street redecorated and painted.

Geo. Wheelock is enjoying a week's vacation from his duties at the Trojan Laundry.

Harold Luick spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Luick of Lima.

Mrs. Fred Roedel returned home Sunday from a week's visit with her sons in Detroit.

Miss Martha Bristle of Ann Arbor, has been spending the past week with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hinciver.

Miss Estelle White of Maple, Ind., is a guest at the home of her sister, Mrs. Howard Holmes and family.

Born, on Tuesday, August 16, to Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Fink of Park street, a daughter, Kathleen Jean.

Misses Emily and Vera Hofer and Augusta Neke of Cadillac, were guests of Miss Eda Sweeney, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Satter and family are spending a few days at the Bass Lake cottage, home of D. H. Webster.

Harold Luick is taking a week's vacation from his duties in the office of the State engineer at Four Mile Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Schanz, who spent a few days in the past week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Schanz, returned home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Serviss returned home Sunday from a two weeks' vacation in Wisconsin and northern Michigan.

Mr. and Mrs. M. H. McGaffigan entertained at their home over the week-end, Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Swarth of Hillsdale.

Mrs. Herbert Paul and daughter, Ruth, returned home Saturday from Freeville, Indiana, where they had relatives.

Wm. G. Kolb, accompanied by a friend from Ypsilanti, left Sunday on a trip through western and northern Michigan.

The Miller Sisters returned home the first of the week from the east, where they purchased a new stock of fall millinery goods.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur J. Fallon and family of Martins Ferry, Ohio, are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Young of Lyndon.

John Roller of Sharon, aged about 63 years, while at work as a carpenter near Saline, died suddenly about 9 o'clock Tuesday forenoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Carpenter of Highland Park, were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Forner, several days of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Winans, accompanied by Leona Gieske, of Detroit, left Sunday for a week's auto-trip through northern Michigan.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Freeman and daughters, Ruth and Enid, and Miss Minnie Schumacher, were in South Bend, Indiana, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Harris and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Boyd were week-end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Vosler of Kalamazoo.

Miss Dorothy Cavanaugh entertained a party of friends at a 7 o'clock dinner party Tuesday evening, in honor of her birthday anniversary.

Miss Maude Fahrner, who spent last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Fahrner, returned to her home in Dexter township, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Chase and daughter, Dr. Jennie Chase of Philadelphia, were guests Monday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Hammond.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lawrence of Detroit, and Charlotte Dodd of Louisville, Ky., spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Lawrence.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. John Sullivan of Lyndon, was slightly damaged by a fire which broke out in one of the bedrooms of the residence on Tuesday.

Mrs. Jennie O. Stevens of Bannock, was a guest at the home of Jas. W. Speer and family over the week-end. She was enroute to Limon, Colorado, to visit her son.

Mrs. Geo. H. Brown and children of Washington street, are spending the week as guests of Mrs. John P. Cook, at the "Glad-oo-Kum" cottage at Estril Beach, Lake Erie.

Wm. Cook, superintendent of the local plant of the Cooper Steel Spring Co., was called to Amsterdam, New York, last Saturday, by the death of his mother, and the spring shop will be closed for about ten days.

Many persons in Ann Arbor have been exposed to smallpox, according to Dr. John A. Wessinger, city health officer. A case has been found in the city in which the nature of the disease was not known until several days after the rash appeared.

Mr. and Mrs. John Buttner and daughter, Florence, Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Mann of Saline, M. L. Burkhardt and daughter Olive, and Miss Clara Feldkamp of Lima, were guests Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Feldkamp of Park street, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Stierle, daughter, Barbara Jane, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Frey, daughter, Lillian, of Ann Arbor, Mr. and Mrs. Christ Koch and family, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Schiller and family, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Vail, Waldo Elsemann, and Miss Norma Messner of Chelsea, were entertained Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Schiller of Lima.

Dr. J. W. Travis of Toledo, recently visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Brower. In addition to eminence in his profession, Dr. Travis has acquaintance with many countries.

After spending four years in the Philippines, he visited China, Japan, Africa, the countries of Western Europe, the Bermudas, Porto Rico, Haiti, and practically every state in the United States, and will soon take a water-rail tour via Spanish America, to Los Angeles, returning thence by rail.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. E. Clayton were month visitors Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Wals spent over the week-end touring in northern Michigan.

Mr. and Mrs. James Dunn left the first of the week on a trip through northern Michigan.

Mr. and Mrs. L. K. Taylor of Dearborn, spent the week-end with their mother, Mrs. J. C. Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. S. Bacon and family of Fort Wayne, Indiana, are spending a few days with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Luick returned to their home at Lima Center Friday, from Hart, where they visited at the home of Dr. and Mrs. O. G. Wood.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. E. Cox of Jackson, and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Backstrom of Henrietta, were entertained on Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. E. Clayton.

Mrs. Oliver Leech is suffering with a severe burned hand. The accident happened on Wednesday of last week and she is recovering from its effects quite rapidly.

The management of the Princess Theatre has installed a new alternating light system in the arches in front of their theatre. The new lights are a decided improvement to the appearance of the place.

M. J. Dunkel, who recently purchased the Winters home on East Summit street, has had some of the old landmark fruit trees cut down, which is a decided improvement to the appearance of the property.

The Standard has received a card from Mr. and Mrs. Geo. T. English, under the date of August 15, in which they state they washed their car in Thunder Bay on that day. They expect to reach their home here the last of this week.

Miss Anna Tichenor had the misfortune to fall down stairs at her home Monday. While she was fortunate enough to escape without any broken bones, she is so badly bruised that she will be confined to her bed for several days. Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Tichenor of Jackson, are here attending Miss Tichenor. Mr. Tichenor is also engaged in giving the residence a fresh coat of paint.

Trace All Alphabets to Symbolic Pictures

While printing, of course, has unlocked the intelligence of the world, still even before printing there were records and communications. At first, these merely consisted of pictures. Then the pictures were arranged in series so that there was narration. Next through use, these pictures became symbols, that is, they were given a phonetic value. For example, the circle which the Egyptians used to represent the sun, in time became a symbol.

It was the Assyrians, however, who were first to take these various symbols and give them arbitrary values phonetically. They were still pictures, but they conveyed sounds.

Thus was formed the basis of all alphabets, Roman, Hebrew, Greek, Russian, Turkish, Armenian and Arabic. Different these may seem, but all can be traced back to the common origin.

Take the letter "A" of today. In the Hieroglyphic-Assyrian alphabet that letter represented an ox and was designated by a conventional ox's head. The Greeks took it and turned it upside down, refined it and made it more graceful. In Hebrew, the word Beth is very common. Originally, it was an upright rectangle with a cross stroke in the center. In other words, a drawing of a house, which is what it means in Hebrew. Now the old rectangle with the corners rounded is B, but also being due to Greek influence, the Greeks favoring the curved line of beauty rather than the rigid rectangle.

"Mashers" Worsted by Girls' Clever Scheme

Pittsburgh's young women have various ways of dealing with "mashers," "aspit-arses," "whoo-wee-wee-wee" they may be called. They are not lacking in the art of refusing unsolicited ice cream sodas or buggy rides. But this little tale is handed on for what it may be worth in an emergency.

The two girls had been visiting in a rather lonely neighborhood and were walking to their homes. "The street was deserted except for two men who blind them. After a time of doubts and apprehensive shivers, the young women realized that they were being followed.

They hastened their steps, but to no avail. Gradually the pursuers gained, and at last were almost within speaking distance. The young women were at a loss as to what to do. Suddenly one raised her hands toward the other and began making strange gestures. The other did the same.

At this unusual procedure the men stopped in their tracks and stared. Then they turned and retraced their steps. Neither, apparently, knew the sign language of the deaf.

Neither did the young women, who continued in giggling triumph to their homes. Pittsburgh Post.

Fighting the Mississippi

The levees on the Mississippi river have been in existence from the eighteenth century. Formerly under the slave system each planter along the river had dikes erected for himself. The towns then took action, finally the counties, and the states building levees. Then congress in 1870 appointed the Mississippi river commission, but made no provision for the actual building of levees or protection of the lands from overflow. In 1890 congress made the first appropriation for the improvement of the Mississippi river. From 1870, under the commission, the federal government has expended more than \$50,000,000 in the improvement of the Mississippi river and the protection of lands from overflow.

August Clearance!

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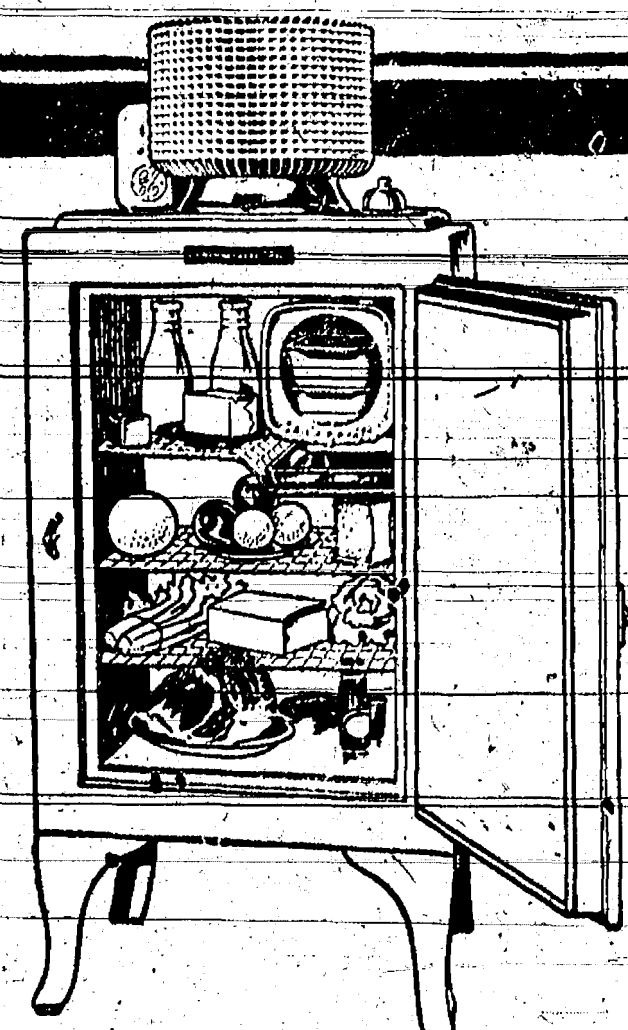
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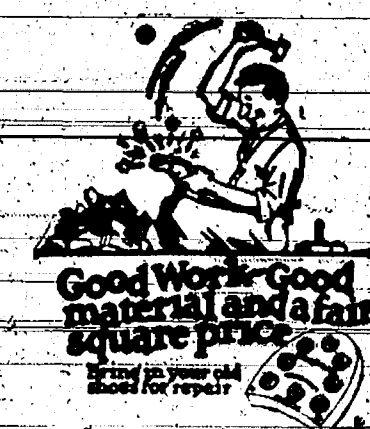
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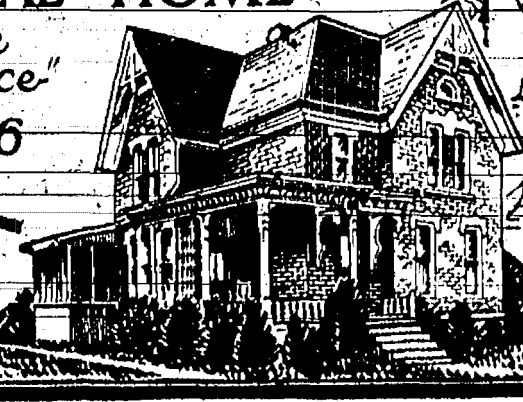
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PRISONER ESCAPES
UNIVERSITY HOSPITAL
 A prisoner, 24, Manchester, who was in night attire, escaped from the University hospital where he was being treated for a leg wound, according to a report by hospital officials. The prisoner, who was in night attire, slipped out of the hospital and walked out of the back door. The report to officers says that the prisoner was seen by a police officer and was taken into custody. The prisoner is being held in the police station and is being treated for his leg wound. The prisoner is being held in the police station and is being treated for his leg wound.

NOTTEN ROAD
 George Schumann and family of Detroit, called on friends here Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Riemenschneider and son Lawrence, Miss Ricka Kalmbach, Mrs. Rudolph Herzog and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Notten were at North Lake, Sunday.
 Mrs. Mary Havens, of Schultz, is spending some time with her daughter, Mrs. John Miller.
 Mr. and Mrs. Carl Beuter of Jackson, and Mrs. Albert Tefft and daughter of Denver, Colorado, visited Mrs. Louisa Schweinfurth, Tuesday.
 Carl Moen was in Toledo last Sunday.
 Chas. Lee and wife of Jackson, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Heydlauff, Monday.
 Mrs. Anna Amson and daughter returned to her home in Chicago, Wednesday, after visiting for several days at the home of Mrs. Liha Whitaker.
 Mrs. Lina Whitaker and daughter, Mrs. Kenneth Rowe, were in Ann Arbor, Tuesday.
 Tuesday, Carl Moen had a collision with an automobile while taking a load of feed to mill for Fred Notten. A badly demolished wagon, and some badly skinned knees and elbows were about all the damage done.
 The Arts reunion will be held at Pleasant Lake, Saturday.
 Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kalmbach were called to Ann Arbor, Tuesday, to visit their daughter, Mrs. Chester Notten, who is seriously ill at the U. of M. hospital.
 Mr. and Mrs. Fred Notten, Mrs. Rudolph Herzog and Miss Ricka Kalmbach, Miss Leona McGee were in Ann Arbor, Tuesday.
 Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Kalmbach entertained Mrs. Rudolph Herzog, Miss Ricka Kalmbach, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Kalmbach from Hillsdale, Mr. and

Mrs. Fred Kalmbach of Chelsea, on Sunday.
 Walter Osterle and family of Webberville called on his parents here, Sunday.
 Mrs. Kate Gramer of Webberville, is visiting relatives in this vicinity.
NORTH FRANCISCO
 Mrs. Nelson Peterson and children and mother spent Saturday at Ann Arbor.
 Morris Hammond and Herbert Harvey and son attended the circus at Ann Arbor, Saturday.
 Mr. and Mrs. William Lehman and children and Mrs. Clarence Lehman and daughter attended the homecoming at Waterloo, Sunday.
 Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Harvey and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mushbach were Sunday callers at the home of Herbert Harvey.
 Mr. and Mrs. Warren Eckert and son and Mrs. Rebecca Dill of Leslie, called at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Main, Sunday.
 Leonard Loveland and family spent Sunday at the Irish Hills.
 Mrs. Chester Notten is a patient at the U. of M. hospital, Ann Arbor.
Plants Given New Life
 Faded flowers and plants are being revived by artificial sunlight in London. One restaurant has a "sunlight lamp" for the benefit of sickly plants and bouquets of flowers are refreshed while they live. A wild orchid returned to bloom after eight hours of the healing rays.
First Large Mirrors
 It is said that the secret of making large mirrors from cylinders of blown glass, silvered with an amalgam of tin and mercury, was discovered in Murano in 1507. For more than a century afterward Venice supplied the world with such mirrors.

PERSONAL AND LOCAL
 C. H. Fenn of Detroit, was a Chelsea visitor, Tuesday.
 Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Fenn were Detroit visitors, Sunday.
 Roy Dillon has had his residence and garage newly painted.
 Dancer and Walt report the sale of a Chevrolet coach to Russell Collins. Born on Friday, August 12, 1927, to Mr. and Mrs. Ray Krantz, a son. The Jackson county fair is to be held on September 12 to 17 this year.
 Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Balmittier and daughter were Lansing visitors, Sunday.
 Mr. and Mrs. John Walz spent Sunday at the home of his parents in Leoni.
 Homer Townsend has sold his residence property on North street to J. B. Hamilton.
 Mrs. E. H. Chandler and son, Carl, left Monday for Detroit, where they will visit relatives.
 Fred Prezing is having a furnace installed and a garage built at his home on Chandler street.
 Chris Frey and daughter of Manchester, were guests Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Van Riper.
 Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Ford and family of Munnich, were guests Sunday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Hirth.
 Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Storms and daughter, Katherine Fletcher, and Miss Lillie Wackenhut, were Detroit visitors, Friday.
 Mr. and Mrs. Elba Gage and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Prudden left Saturday on a trip to Niagara Falls and through Canada.
 Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Hoover and daughter, who spent last week at the home of his parents, returned to their home in Akron, Ohio, Sunday.
 Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Heeselschwerdt of Lansing, spent several days of the past week at the home of his mother, Mrs. Margaret Heeselschwerdt.
 Mr. and Mrs. E. Brown have moved from the Stephens house on East Middle street, to the residence of Scott Shell on South Main street.
 Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Turnbull, accompanied by friends, of Detroit, spent over the week-end at the Turnbull cottage at Sugar Loaf Lake.
 Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Kilmer and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hathaway were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Hathaway of Williamston, Sunday.
 Carl Chandler expects to accompany the American Legion delegates to France this fall and will spend a year there taking a course of studies.
 Dr. and Mrs. Albert Reed and family of Albany, New York, spent several days of the past week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Wilkinson.
 Mr. and Mrs. Frank McMillen returned home Saturday from Pierport, Manatee county, where they spent the last four weeks at the summer cottage of Mrs. McMillen.
 Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Grove and son left Friday on a trip to New York. During Mr. Grove's absence, James Grove of Durand, is taking charge of their Chelsea store.
 Mrs. Willetta Richards and Mrs. Walter Boone of Chelsea, and Mrs. Emma Kalmbach of Francisco, left Friday evening for a month's stay in Bay View and Petoskey.
 Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Aldrich, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. T. S. O'Brien, and her grandmother, Mrs. Adelaide Stout of Adrian, were guests of relatives in Plymouth, Sunday.
 Mr. and Mrs. Peter Liebeck and family and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Liebeck and family attended the annual Birch family reunion which was held at Pleasant Lake, Jackson county, on Sunday.
 Mrs. H. W. Hall of Manhattan Beach, California, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Crawford and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Crawford of Detroit, were guests Saturday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Hoover.
 Mr. and Mrs. Ted Bacon and grandchild, and Mr. and Mrs. R. Jones and family of Ann Arbor, and Mr. and Mrs. Reynolds Bacon and family of Detroit, were guests Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Bacon.
 Harris Fletcher and daughter Mary, of Urbana, Ill., Elizabeth Fletcher of Ypsilanti, Mr. and Mrs. T. V. Phelps of Dexter, and Norman Phelps Jr. of Coldwater, were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Bacon, Sunday.
 Mr. and Mrs. John Brosamle and daughters, Mrs. Louise Young, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Gentner and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd E. Gentner and son attended the Brooks-Hastings reunion at Potter's Park, East Lansing, on Wednesday.
 Mrs. F. C. Klingler, accompanied by her sister, Mrs. D. Kitchen of Sarina, left the first of this week for Kipawee, upper Canada, where they will visit at the home of their brother. Mrs. Klingler has not seen her brother for twenty years.
 A. G. Paist, while assisting his son-in-law, Alfred Lindauer, at his farm in Lima last Thursday afternoon, fell from a load of grain and badly wrenched his neck. He was taken to the hospital in Ann Arbor, and returned home Friday.
 Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Eisen and daughters, Margaret and Elizabeth, and son Robert, were guests Sunday at the home of J. G. Wackenhut. Miss Margaret remained for a week's visit at the home of her grandfather, and his daughter, Miss Lillie.
 The following were entertained at Sunday dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Seitz of Lima, in honor of Rev. and Mrs. Pfeiffer and family of Iowa: Mr. and Mrs. Philip Seitz and family, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Seitz and family of Chelsea, Mr. and Mrs. Joan Seitz and family, Miss Rose Seitz of Ann Arbor, and Mr. and Mrs. John Seitz of Ypsilanti.
 Judge Sample of the Washtenaw county circuit court on Saturday fined Fred Brown of Ann Arbor \$1,000 and costs of \$100, the charge being violation of the prohibition law. The sentence also included five years probation and the premises and vehicles in possession of Mr. Brown will be subject to search at any time. In default of payment of the fine and costs, six months to one year must be served in Jackson prison.

Jack Ballard returned to his work at the Chelsea Greenhouses Wednesday evening, after spending a week with relatives at Algonac, Michigan. Gifts valued at approximately \$1,000,000 were received by the University during the academic year 1926-1927, not including donations for the Women's League building, according to Dr. Frank E. Robbins, assistant to the president. This total includes \$282,483.26, the residue of the estate of the late Regent Levi L. Barbour, which has been added to the Barbour scholarship fund for oriental girls.
 Recent additions to A. E. Winans and Son's Readmore Lending Library include: "The Trail from Devil's Country," by Albert M. Treynor; "Kneel to the Prettiest," Bertha Ruck; "The Wolf of Wildcat Mountain," by Friend; "Little Ships," by Kathleen Norris; "The Man from Smiling Pass," by Eliot H. Robinson; "Spanish Acres," by Hal G. Everts; "The Devil's Guard," by Talbot Mundy; "The Law of the Lean Lands," by Chas. Pitt; "Mad Marriage," by Geo. Gibbs; "Back of Beyond," by Stewart Edw. White; "The Double Thirteen," Anthony Wynne; "The Inn of the Hawk and Raven," by Geo. Barr McCutcheon; "Stolen Idols," by E. Phillips Oppenheim. In this library you will find the best of the late books, which are rented on a 15-cent minimum basis, 8 cents per day. Adv.

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"George's in Love"

Sunday, August 21

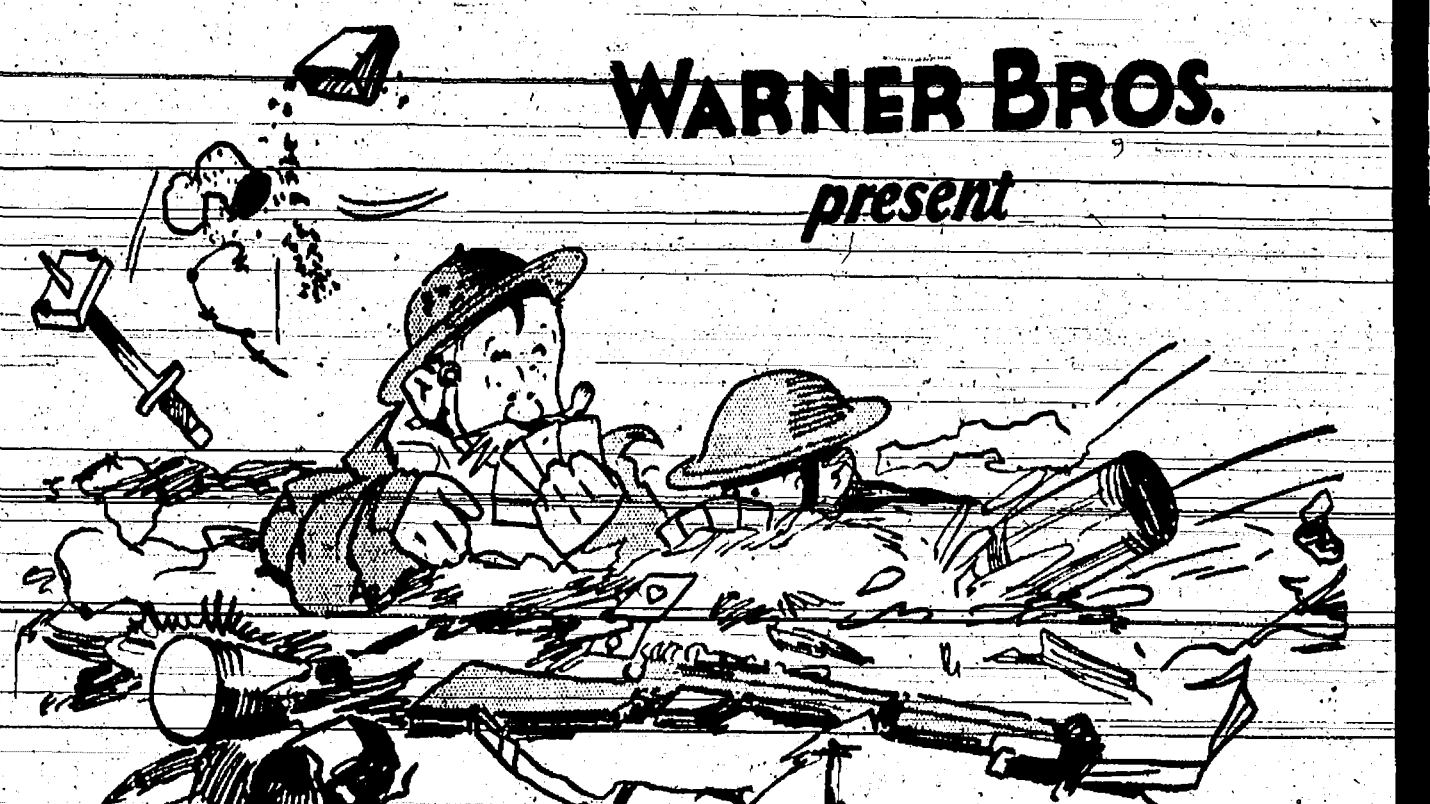
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 A drama of New York's night clubs.
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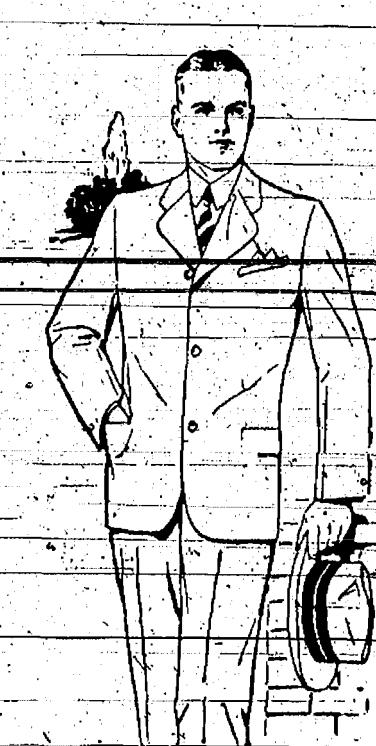



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NORTH LAKE
 Thursday, August 4, Mr. and Mrs. Perry E. Noah entertained at dinner over fifty of their friends and relatives at their home. The occasion was the thirty-fifth anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Noah. Among the guests present were twelve who attended the wedding. Of interest is the fact that the home of Mr. and Mrs. Noah was the home of Mrs. Noah's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Wood, and it was there the wedding took place. Among the guests Thursday, from away were: Mrs. Elizabeth Walz of Highland, Mrs. Lillian Hause and daughter Helen of Ann Arbor, Mrs. Emma Bratt and children of Ann Arbor, Mrs. Sarah Traver and children of Wayne, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Boyce and family of Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Siple and daughter, Miss Carson City, Mr. and Mrs. Emory Glenn of Stockbridge, and Mrs. Mattie Schultz of San Bernardino, Calif., who is spending the summer with Mrs. Noah.
 Mrs. Homer Stoter is spending this week at Camp Birkett, Silver Lake. Dr. and Mrs. Harvey Pearce and daughter, Deven, and Ruth, left Monday for a motor trip to Niagara Falls and Georgian Bay.
 Mrs. Joseph Yasensky and sons of Detroit, are staying at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Webb during their stay in California.
 Miss Mildred McDaniels was the guest of Miss Elizabeth Koslowsky at Jackson, Wednesday.
 Mrs. Lon Clark spent several days of this week at Camp Birkett.
 Rev. and Mrs. Frank Snooks and son of Detroit, made several calls in the community, Monday.
 Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Boyce and family spent Sunday at the home of P. E. Noah.
 Lynn Eisenbeiser was a Jackson visitor, Sunday.
 Miss Nellie Beaumont and Mr. and Mrs. George Braham of East Lansing, were guests at the home of E. J. W. Daniels, Sunday afternoon.
 The Ladies' Aid Society will hold an ice cream social at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Stoter, Friday evening, August 26. Everyone invited.
 Sunday, August 21: 10:45, Sunday school; 11:45, Morning worship. Sermon by the pastor, Rev. W. A. Johnson.
 Mrs. Peter Wirkner and daughter, Blanche, visited Miss Johanna Hankerg-Tuesday afternoon.
 The Glenn reunion was held Thursday, August 18, in P. E. Noah's grove.

First Indian Newspaper
 The name of the first Indian newspaper published was Shawnee-Sun, which means "The Shawnee Sun." It was published March 1, 1885, and was issued semi-monthly. This is said to have been the first newspaper ever published exclusively in an Indian language. It was edited and published by Dr. Johnson Lykins at the Shawnee Indian mission in Kansas.

Ancients' Good Fortune
 Archeology is always turning up ancient civilizations and pointing out their likeness to the one we are at present enjoying as well as we can. But we have never heard that the excavators have found a clay tablet containing the words and music of a "popular song." Some things the ancients were spared.—Youth's Companion.

The Maccabees
 The Order of the Maccabees was organized in London, Ont., in 1878, by members of the order of Foresters, its purpose being to provide life, accident, sick and disability fraternal insurance. It was reorganized along more permanent lines in 1881 in Buffalo, and chartered. In that year, in Michigan, as the Knights of the Maccabees.

Tactics and Strategy
 Tactics is that branch of military science which deals with the movements of troops when they are face to face with the enemy or actually engaged in battle. It must be distinguished from strategy which deals with the general conduct of a campaign.

Waterfall's Energy
 The naval observatory says that the energy of a waterfall comes from the clouds in the form of rain or snow and these clouds are caused by evaporation which is the result of the sun's energy acting in the form of heat on the surface of oceans, lakes, etc.

Boy With Half-Pant Lost
 Following the disappearance of their son, parents in California recently inserted the following advertisement in a local newspaper: "A boy of fair complexion, dumb, having a half-pant and banion on—is missing from the evening of Tuesday last. His parents will be grateful if any one can give information about him at 210-32 Cornwalls street."

Isolated Island
 Pecan Island lies between White Lake and the Gulf of Mexico and is in Vermilion parish, Louisiana. It extends across the marsh for 15 miles in a general east and west direction. The only means of communication with the outside world which its population of some 400 people have is by means of the mail boat, which makes a trip from Abbeville once a week.

Keep Their Own Counsel
 It has been said that all sensible men are of the same religion, and that no sensible man ever says what that religion is. So all sensible men are of the same opinion about women, and no sensible man ever says what that opinion is.—Samuel Butler, English author.

WANT COLUMN

LAWN MOWERS sharpened at the name old place—304 W. Middle St. C. Schanz, phone 182. 5-197

AUTOMOBILE INSURANCE—For the best protection on your car where you can get full coverage on your loss at reasonable price. See A. G. Faust. 6-2412

TRUCKING—Nothing too big, nothing too small; gravel hauling; wood for sale. I. H. Weiss, phone 217. 12-1017

NOTICE—Ashes hauled, also gravel, stone and sand. Hazen Leach, phone 318-J. 4-2117

HOUSE TO RENT—Newly decorated, with garage. Inquire 317 North Main St. 8-18

WANTED—One of two girls to room and board for coming school year. Mrs. M. L. Knickerbocker. 8-18

SPECIAL FOR YOUR HORSES AND CATTLE—Whiz Fly Spray—95¢ per gal. while it lasts. F. W. Merkel, phone 91. 8-18

AUCTION SALE—Of all kinds of household goods, Saturday, August 10, at 618 Taylor St., Chelsea. 8-18

FOR SALE—High grade Jersey and Guernsey cows, some fresh and others due soon. G. H. Barbour, phone 156-F13. 8-25

FOR SALE—House and lot on W. Middle St. John Klump, Grass Lake, Rte. 1. Phone 4802, Grass Lake. 8-18

FOR SALE—Refrigerator, cheap. O. J. Walworth. 8-18

FOR SALE—5 lots on W. Middle St. James Winters. 8-18

NOTICE—For picnics and reunions, come to Bruin Lake. Tables free. Cottages and boats to rent. Mrs. H. Hadley. 8-25

FOR SALE—About 700 feeding lambs. Pat Linger, phone 180-F5. 8-18

LOST—Friday, Aug. 5, balloon tire, tube and rim between Chelsea and Lyndon Center. Finder please notify John Otto 3-4 mi. east of Lyndon Center. 8-18

WANTED—Locks to repair, keys to make, and shears to sharpen. A. L. Baldwin, 702 corner South Main and Pierce Sts. Phone 226-W. 8-18

WANTED—Active young man to assist at gas station. American Service Station. 8-18

FOR SALE—Dill, for dill pickles. Plenty on hand. Call at 220 W. Middle St. Mrs. Matt. Alber. 8-18

LOST—Pair black shell rimmed glasses, in Taylor's pasture lot north of golf field. Finder please return to Burg's drug store and receive reward. 8-18

FOR SALE—Of Rent—Modern house, two lots, garage, on Washington St. Call phone 116-F50. Mrs. Carr. 8-18

FOR SALE—Catalpa blossoms, 25¢ dozen, at 552 W. Middle St. 8-25

FOR SALE—Ford light delivery, with commercial license; also motorcycle engine. Wm. Thobo, phone 211-F14. 8-25

FOR SALE—1921 Ford coach, in good condition, order closed if taken at once. Can be seen at Mohrlock's garage, Park St. 8-25

FOR SALE—Oliver sulky plow, heavy new—cheap for quick sale. Palmer Motor Sales. 8-25

FOR RENT—Garage room for two cars. 702 So. Main St. A. L. Baldwin. 8-18

FOR SALE—One new milch cow. Inquire of Peter Liebeck, phone 151-F9. 8-18

FOR SALE—One velvet rug, 12x11 1/2; one Wilton rug 5-1-2x8 1/2; two other medium sized rugs, one easy arm chair. J. P. Foster, Madison St. 8-18

FOR SALE—Thirty-six 600-lb. feeding steers and heifers. Floyd Walz, phone 200-F2. 9-1

FOR SALE—Used tires—One 34x4 and two 30x5 1/2, six 28x4 1/2, two 30x4 1/2, balloons, and used tubes in all sizes. F. W. Merkel, phone 91. 8-25

WILL SELL—beautiful figured mahogany player piano to reliable party for small balance due on account. Original price of this instrument was \$1000.00. Plays and looks like new. Terms \$2.00 per week. Will sacrifice this player rather than stand the expense of shipping it back to Detroit, Michigan. Write us for demonstration in your own home with no obligation to buy. P. A. Starck Piano Company, 1540 Woodward Avenue, Detroit, Michigan. 8-25

FOR SALE—Used Buick car with license, insurance and spare tire, in good condition. John W. Schenk. 7-2417

GOLF BALLS—Guaranteed against cutting through for fifty holes—only 50¢. Palmer Motor Sales. 8-18

HUCKLEBERRY marshes open on Gus. Gorman and McLaughlin farms. Call on Ed. Mester, Gorman farm. 7-2817

FOR RENT—Modern apartment, for light housekeeping. 163 Orchard St. 8-417

FOR SALE—35 head of cows and heifers, some with calves by their sides, others due to freshen—soon. Just T. B. tested. McKune & Haselwerth. 7-1417

FOR SALE—Ford chassis with cab, completely overhauled. Warford all flow gear transmission. Chelsea Molding Co. 6-1817

Man of Genius Often in Pessimistic Mood

Some authors have had a sudden revulsion of feeling, usually brought on by overwork, and have been condemned by their publishers to destroy all of their books. Those in the line of literary channels by the process of buying every volume he could find, but found the expense prohibitive. John Ruskin, the English author, artist, critic and social reformer, had a similar morbidly overcome him while sitting for his portrait, a writer in the Kansas City Times recalls. Turning suddenly to Dante Gabriel Rossetti, for whom he was posing, he declared he had lost all faith in revealed religion, that he regarded all he had already written as trash, that he should write nothing for some years (one biographer says ten), and that he should then vigorously pull to pieces all his previous writings.

It is a fact that nearly all of Ruskin's best books were written prior to the time of this alleged change of opinion. In 1892, but the published at least two well known works as soon thereafter as 1893, when "Sesame and Lilies" appeared, and in 1895, when "Praeterita" saw the light. A preface to a book in 1871 gave the first public intimation of his revised ideals.

"Common" Prayer Book Didn't Suit Occasion

The late Dr. C. Dewitt, who died unknown in New York worth \$300,000, did not believe in climbing. He said one day to a New York reporter: "Climbers are always going up, and I am going down." A Sioux City citizen decided to turn this statement into a book, and people in town went to the Episcopal church.

So he visited a bookstore and asked for the hymnals, Bibles and other literature he would need in his new faith.

"The salesman laid a pile of black bound books before him, and as he read the titles he seemed well enough pleased, till he came to the last title of all the books of Common Prayer.

"This volume he handed back to the salesman with a shake of the head.

"This," he said, "is hardly do, brother," he said. "Ain't ye got nothin' a little more selecter?" Minneapolis Tribune.

Moslem Pilgrim Rites

Pious Moslems who make the pilgrimage to Mecca, go seven times round the Kaaba, or tomb of the prophet, reciting prayers and reverently kissing the black stone. They then proceed to the sacred spring of Zem-Zem, which is said to be the fountain of life, and in the desert for Hagar and Ishmael. There each pilgrim dips into the water two white sheets, held together by strings (no pins are permitted for that purpose). These garments must be dried in the court of the mosque, and afterward are laid aside as the sacred clothes of their owners. According to tradition a stream that has been sanctified in the water of Zem-Zem will protect its wearer against the fiery heat of the last Judgment.

To End Church Debt

Amos Skinner had never done any real work in his life, but he had tried to invent something that would bring him a fortune.

Meeting an old friend, he rushed up to him, greatly excited.

"I've got it all right," he shouted. "Made my fortune, sure as eggs."

"What is it this time?" asked his friend.

"Just a little device," said Skinner. "But it will bring me millions. Every church in the country'll buy one. You see, it's a collecting box with different slots for different coins. All silver money falls on velvet, while copper drops on a big bell."

Chinese Legend

One legend of the Chinese willow tree is the love story of Li Chi, the only daughter of a mandarin, and Chang, her father's secretary, who lived in an island cottage at the top of the plate. When the mandarin forbade the match the lovers eloped and lay concealed for a time in the gardener's cottage, from there escaping to the lover's home. The father, pursuing them with a whip, would have beaten them to death had not the gods changed them into turtle doves. At the time of the elopement the willow shed its leaves.

Kerosene Spots

If kerosene is spilled on carpets, books or manuscripts, try removing it by rubbing with turpentine.

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Putting Screws on Tight

By EDGAR T. MONFORT

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BOB FULTON'S heels came down on the pavement with the staccato clip of a man either in haste or suffering from some mental disturbance. From the forbidding scowl on his usually too serene, handsome face, it was obviously anger that was driving him along the street. Anger was right! He was furious at himself—at his dancess, Dorothy Valbright, and more especially at his future mother-in-law. Tired out from a hard day at the office and looking forward to a pleasant restful evening, he had found Dorothy with her blue eyes still dewy from recently shed tears.

"Dearest, what's the matter?" he asked, kissing her eyelids gently.

"Oh, Bob, it's nothing," she said. "I'm so worried about her."

"No, but she isn't getting strong as she should and the doctor said today she needed a complete change. Haven't you—have you enough money to manage it?"

In reply Dorothy only burst into tears. His brain was working rapidly as he comforted her. He had had no idea that his finance and her mother were in such straitened circumstances.

"She'll, dearest. We must do something. Don't cry. It breaks my heart. I can't bear to see you so miserable. Of course we can't let her stay here if there's any danger to her health. But, oh, Dorothy, darling, I haven't saved a cent toward our little home yet. Lord knows where the money goes, and this will mean that I'll have to wait that much longer for you."

"Bob, would you really be willing to help? You're an angel—you're too good!" She was clinging to him now in an ecstasy of joy. A little sigh escaped her, a sigh of deeper relief.

"I've been so worried. If I could only get out and work, it would be different, but that would mean leaving a trained nurse and it would cost more in the end than I could ever earn. I'm no good."

"Hush, Dorothy, don't let me hear you say that again. But this is sort of a blow. How much will it take?"

"If only she could go alone, but there'll be two of us, you see."

"You are going away to leave me? And I'm supposed to put up the money to send you off—to take you away from me?" he asked, stunned. It was the first time he had really taken in the situation.

"Well, dearest, it'll only be a few months and I'll write every day and besides it'll be just as hard on me. One good thing, you won't have me near to spend so much money on all the time in your dear generous way—ten dollars for one evening's entertainment and flowers or candy every day. It's ridiculous."

"But I love to spend it on you. You don't seem to understand," he said, his voice breaking. "I can't let you go, Dorothy. It's asking too much."

When he left that evening and went furiously down the street it had all been settled. He was to send on every cent he could and they would try to make out on it. He laughed harshly as the irony of the situation came more and more clearly to him. He was to work and deny himself every little comfort in order to keep his finance away from him.

The following Saturday he stood under the train shed and watched the limited crawl out of the station with Dorothy and her mother on board. Then he hurried back to the office and worked over a plan for increasing his sales so that his commissions would help meet the added expense. He would not have his future mother-in-law thinking he wasn't able to provide for her week-end night and day until he could double the amount Dorothy had said they would need.

At last a bright stroke came. "I can't ignore you're here," he said at the train. "Let's take your mother home, then take a little spin."

Out on the highway together at last, Dorothy said excitedly:

"Bob, darling, will you be very kind to tell me something?"

"Good Lord," he thought, "I guess he wants to take her mother to Europe this time," but he merely answered:

"You couldn't make me mad if you tried, dearest."

She took a slip of paper out of her bag and held it toward him.

"A certified check for \$2,000," he exclaimed. "Where'd you find it? How'd you get it?"

"I didn't. You did," she laughed. "You see, Bob, I thought you were sending too much and hadn't saved a cent in the six months we'd been engaged, so I practiced a little deception by pretending we needed the money. Mother was furious but she finally consented to help me carry it through."

"You little imp," he said, putting his arm around her. "Why—we can get married right away, can't we?"

"Any time," she answered shyly. "Mother and I made my trousseau in London."

"Dorothy, you're the most satisfactory little person I ever knew. I never saved so much in my life before," he laughed. "You'll certainly have to do our banking in the future."

"I will, but I promise never to put the screws on quite so tight again," she replied happily.

To Remove Musty Odor

In order to remove the musty odor which lingers in the drawers of old furniture, take them out into the sunlight, if possible, wiping out all traces of mold. After the wood has thoroughly dried, paint with a coat of orange shellac.

Butters No Parents

One of the most perfect victors you can achieve over any man is to beat him to politeness.—Josh Billings.

Birds' Food Important

Choice of food by a bird usually is the most important factor in its relation to man. One of the reasons for importing the sparrow was to have it eat dropworms—a shade-tree pest which spun down its silken threads among pedestrians. The dropworm is no longer a pest in cities, and entomologists give sparrows the credit. Not only this pest but almost every injurious insect we have is eaten at times by this ubiquitous alien.

Displaying the Flag

The Sheandoah method of displaying the American flag is as follows: A whole flag is placed in the curb and plugged when not in use. A flagstaff is erected 14 feet 6 inches and the diameter at the base is 1 1/2 inches. A weather-proof American flag, size 4' by 6' feet, is put up. These flagstaffs are always placed near the curb line near the pavement and the gutter and are 122 feet apart.

Oyster Not a Scavenger

Oysters, when feeding open their shells. In shallow creeks where the water is very clear it is often possible to see oysters with their shells open. When oysters are artificially propagated they are fed with minute organisms such as they are accustomed to feeding on in nature. Oysters are not scavengers.

Centipede House Fly Enemy

The centipede is found pretty much all over the world. The species common in the United States, *Scutigera* *Forceps*, was reported over 20 years ago as devouring the night to killing house flies. Later an observer detected one in the act of capturing a butterfly much larger than itself. The insect remains concealed during the day.

No Substitute for Salt

Next to iron the substance most valuable to man is probably salt. Apart from its use as a condiment, salt is essential for preserving foods, and as an antiseptic. Salt, being found even in the blood, seems essential to the health and well-being of man, and without it the human race would probably perish.

Rest Gives Strength

From experiments on 18 college students a Pittsburgh professor reaches the conclusion that the longer one stays in bed the more quietly he rests and the better he withstands the strain of the day's activity, says *Capper's Weekly*.

Spreads as It Flows

The Mississippi river commission says that according to the latest survey the widest point on the Mississippi river at bankful stage was found 77 miles below Cairo, Ill., where the river was 14,420 feet across. It is narrowest near its source, being less than 60 feet between Lake Itasca and Minneapolis.

Pre-Civil War Mints

Previous to the Civil War United States mints were in operation at Charlotte, N. C., and Dahlonega, Ga.

CHURCH CIRCLES

METHODIST EPISCOPAL
Walter Firth, Pastor

Sunday, August 21—
Preaching—10 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.
Sunday school at 11:15.

CONGREGATIONAL
Rev. A. E. Potts, Pastor
No services during month of August.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH
P. H. Grabowski, Pastor.

Due to the pastor's vacation, there will be neither a church service, nor a Sunday school session at St. Paul's for the remainder of August.

THE LUTHERAN MISSION
Rev. C. A. Brayer, Pastor

Regular service with sermon will be held at 3 o'clock in the Wilkinson building on North Main St. to which the public is invited.

ST. MARY CHURCH
Rev. Fr. T. J. Fallon, pastor.

Low Mass at 8 a. m.
High Mass at 10 a. m.
Baptism at 11 a. m.
Mass on week days at 8 a. m.

SECOND UNITED BRETHREN CHURCH, WATERLOO
Rev. Chas. F. Moger, Pastor

9:30—Preaching service.
10:30—Sunday school.
Christian Endeavor every Sunday evening at 8:00 o'clock.

NORTH LAKE M. E. CHURCH

William Johnson, Pastor

Friday evening, August 26, the Ladies' Aid Society will hold an ice cream social at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Stoffer. Everyone welcome.

Sunday, August 21—
10:45—Sunday school.
11:45—Rev. W. A. Johnson has returned from his two weeks' vacation and will preach the sermon. There will be special music.

SALEM METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH
Near Francisco, Mich.

Rev. Fred Ross, Pastor
Sunday, August 21—
Sunday school at 10:00 a. m.
Morning worship at 11:00 a. m.

The Washtenaw County Brotherhood extends a cordial invitation to all for the song service at Dexter, on August 21, at 7:30 p. m.

Our annual conference will be held August 29-30, at Seymour, Ind. Bishop Burns presiding. Lay conference, August 28-29.

I. B. S. A.
Wednesday, 2:30 to 3:30, Harp Bible study. Topic, The Great Ransom. Golden text, Gal. 4:3, 4: 3:30 to 5 p. m., Topic, David Brings the Ark to Jerusalem. 2 Sam. 2:1-4; 5:1-5; 6:1-15; Ps. 24. Golden text, "We shall be satisfied with the goodness of thy house, of thy holy temple." Ps. 65:4. Wednesday, 7:30 to 10 p. m., prayer service. Topic, "The Lord preserveth the faithful." Ps. 31:23. All interested in Bible study welcome, 208 South St.

Against Traffic Rules
A truck ran over an organ and his widow promptly brought for \$75,000 damages. Lawyers based on the unexpected. The jury brought in a verdict for the defendant, holding that the deceased had been getting his organ on the wrong side of the street.

Spanish Sapor
Malaga is the name of a province in Spain bordering on the Mediterranean sea. The principal town also called Malaga. It is a seaport from which are exported the products of the province, which are dry wines, fruits and lead and ores. Malaga is especially noted for its delicious raisins.

All Diamonds Cut Alike
A local jeweler says the cut of diamonds is standardized, and should be no difference in appearance between an American cut and a European cut diamond of the same size. Regulations for a good diamond cut are one-third above girdle (edge of stone) and two-thirds below.—Washington Star.

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