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Uncle Sam Macaroni or Egg Noodles, 3 packages 25c.  
Wafers sliced dried beef, per half pound, 15c.  
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Jello, all flavors, 3 packages 25c.  
Fancy sugar corn, 3 cans 25c.  
Fancy California cherries, per can, 18c.  
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Cup quality and best value obtainable for the money. Try our 50c teas and be pleased.  
Select Java and Mocha coffee, per pound, 25c. The coffee that satisfies.  
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Best Roasted Peanuts, per pound, 10c.  
Fancy Head Rice, 3 pounds 25c.  
Choice Manzanilla Olives, fine Flavor, good size fruit, pint 30c.

At the Busy Store of

## FREEMAN BROS.

## DECORATION DAY'S DOINGS

### MEMORIAL SERMON SUNDAY

To Be Held at The Congregational Church—By Rev. M. L. Grant—Silk Flag to Be Presented.

The members of R. C. Carpenter Post, No. 41, G. A. R., and the W. R. C., will attend the Congregational Church, Sunday morning, May 27, at 10 o'clock, and Rev. M. L. Grant will deliver the annual memorial sermon. At the close of the sermon the W. R. C. will present to the church an elegant silk flag. Last year the W. R. C. presented a similar one to the M. E. Church. The ladies will in turn, as the years go by, continue to present a flag each year until all of the churches in Chelsea have been given one.

Decoration day the G. A. R. and W. R. C. will meet at their hall at 1 o'clock p. m., and march to the cemetery, where the graves of the departed members of both corps will be decorated, and at 2 o'clock the regular services of the G. A. R. and W. R. C. will be conducted in front of the soldiers' and sailors' monument.

The graves of all departed soldiers, who are interred in the cemeteries near Chelsea, will be visited by members of the Post and strewn with flowers.

Those who have flowers they wish to contribute for the use of the G. A. R. and W. R. C. are requested to leave them at the hall on decoration day at 9 o'clock in the forenoon.

### MILLEN vs. WHITE CASE.

Mrs. Millen, of Four Mile Lake, Suing W. J. White for \$20,000 Damages—Claims She Has Heart Trouble.

The case of Mrs. May Millen, of Four Mile Lake, against Wm. J. White, president of the White Portland Cement Co., is occupying the attention of Judge Kinne and twelve jurymen in the circuit court at Ann Arbor. The case was called Monday, and locally it is attracting considerable attention.

The attorneys in the case took two hours to select the jury.

For Mrs. Millen the attorneys are M. J. Cavanaugh, Hon. W. W. Wedemeyer, of Ann Arbor; M. J. Lehman and E. T. Lodge, of Detroit.

Mr. White is represented by A. H. Goddard, of New York; C. H. Haskins, of Cleveland; Fred Whitting, of Detroit; Frank A. Stivers, of Ann Arbor, and John Kalmbach, of Chelsea.

Mrs. Millen is suing Mr. White, and claims \$20,000 as personal damage.

Mrs. Millen claims that she deeded 80 acres of land to the White Portland Cement Co., in which Homer C. Millen, her husband, was general manager at \$5,000 a year. She says they were to have a home for at least ten years, lighted and heated free; a month later White discharged her husband and served a notice for them to move. Mrs. Millen got out an injunction restraining White from molesting her in her occupancy of the home. White came on the premises with men, tore down a wire fence and destroyed her sweet peas. Armed with a small pistol, she says she ordered White away, but did not point the weapon at him. She says that White grabbed her, threw her to the ground, took the pistol away from her and held it to her forehead.

She says she has since been affected with heart trouble.

White claims that he acted in self-defense.

### Baseball at Jackson.

Although President Burkhardt had planned to open the baseball season at Jackson, Monday of this week, he had to put off the opening until Tuesday on account of wet grounds, but Tuesday was worth waiting for and everything but the final outcome of the game was ideal.

The management had opening parade, under direction of Ralph Holden, led by Boos' band, comprising Jackson and Mt. Clemens teams and about thirty carriages of prominent citizens. The program opened at the Ball Park by parade by two teams, the Jackson team being led by Mascot Meyers, a son of Manager Meyers and about as big as a pint of cider. The mascot was there with the goods all day, having charge of the properties for the Jackson club, and no matter how the fortunes of war went against the home team, the bats were properly taken care of.

After Old Glory had been hoisted by John McGraw, president of the city council, to music by the band, accompanied by the cheers of 1,500 people, Mayor Todd and Judge Robert Smith made short speeches and the game was on. Todd in the box.

If Todd can't run for Congress any better than he can pitch, Townsend can take a vacation after adjournment of Congress and need not come home until Christmas festivities are on. The November affair will take care of itself.

Todd, however, seemed to be after the

judge rather than the batter, but, although he made three foxy tries to have an error scored against the judge, he was not successful, as the judge, who was on to his curves, correctly gauged his high ones and, by hard running, got under everything until the batter struck and, resisting all coaxing, laid down in the mud until Deneau went into the box.

The game was baseball all the time, the work in the field of the Jackson club being excellent. The pitcher for the visiting team got over his stage fright after two innings and pitched good ball.

Mt. Clemens scored her winning run by making bases after long flies were caught, and it was satisfactory ball from start to finish, no better umpire having ever been on the ground, and not one dispute or chance for disputes anywhere during the game.

President Burkhardt is to be congratulated on his opening and should be supported by lovers of the game in this locality.

Chelsea was represented by Betelle, Cook, Parker, Lehman, Carringer, Wilkinson, Van Riper, Pullen and other baseball cranks.

### Exhibit of Michigan's Minerals.

The several high schools of this county have recently received a communication from the Michigan College of Mines at Houghton, the center of the copper country in the upper peninsula, stating that this very important educational institution of Michigan has undertaken to make up a number of collections or sets of mineral specimens to be loaned to the schools. One of these sets is to remain for a definite time in a school, after which it is to be passed on to another school that may have filed an application for it.

The Michigan College of Mines is required by law to keep a collection of the rocks and minerals of the State, and these subordinate sets which are to be circulated among the high schools are prepared auxiliary to the parent collection at Houghton. By this means the college proposes to do what it may to stimulate among the people an interest in minerals and rocks, especially as they occur in Michigan.

These collections, which will rotate among the high schools, are not for the use of the pupils alone, by any means. On the contrary, it is the desire to get the citizens outside of the schools interested in them, and to have the public as widely as possible examine them and become familiar with them. It is recognized that the more the people in general are interested in mineral resources of the State, the more likely such resources are likely to be developed.

### Chelsea Schools.

The Chelsea school board at a recent meeting engaged Ed. E. Gallup, of Ann Arbor, as superintendent of the public schools for the coming year. Mr. Gallup is at present a student at the U. of M., but will graduate in June, and comes with high recommendation from the university as a thorough student.

The board also extended an invitation to the Misses Shaw, Benl, Wilson, Depew, Elder, Haines, Ross, Nimes and Mrs. Howlett to remain for another year. There are yet three vacancies in the corps of teachers to be filled.

### Those Who Take Part.

"A Silent Slave" will be presented at the opera house, one night only, tomorrow (Friday), May 18, under the auspices of the Eastern Star. The cast of characters is as follows:

James O'Neill.....Roland Waltrous  
Gerald Stone.....Thomas Spear  
Horace Sinclair.....Rolla Beckwith  
"Stub" West.....Tom Hughes  
Robert Sinclair.....Frank Penn  
"Jerry".....Lizzie Hammond  
Mabel West.....Edith Boyd  
Florence Sinclair.....Mrs. A. O. White

### Husband Keeps It.

The case of Charles McLean, administrator, vs. George S. Beach, of Lima, was finished in the circuit court at Ann Arbor, Saturday. Mr. Beach claimed that his wife gave him \$500 in money two weeks before she died and that it belonged to her personally, Chas. McLean, the administrator, claims that it belonged to the estate, and that it was not given to the husband as a trustee. That caused the law suit. The jury was out but a short time and returned a verdict in favor of Mr. Beach.

Have you weakness of any kind—stomach, back, or any organs of the body? Don't dose yourself with ordinary medicine. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea is the supreme curative power. 35 cents, tea or tablet at the Bank Drug Store.

"I have been somewhat constipated, but Don's Regulato gave just the results desired. They act mildly and regulate the bowels perfectly."—George Krause, 306 Walnut Ave., Altoona, Pa.

The annual May party at the Dexter Opera House will be held Friday, May 18, Fischer's orchestra. Bill 75 cents.

## DRAWING SCHOOL MONEY

10,543 CHILDREN

Of School Age in Washtenaw County—Report of Superintendent of Public Instruction to the County Clerk.

A report from the state superintendent of public instruction on the number of school children in the county entitled to figure in the primary school census has been received by County Clerk Harkins. The apportionment will be about \$1 per capita. The report is as follows:

Ann Arbor.....	164
Ann Arbor city.....	3,276
Augusta.....	484
Bridgewater.....	189
Dexter.....	80
Freedom.....	332
Lima.....	252
Lodi.....	284
Lyndon.....	55
Manchester.....	570
Northfield.....	173
Pittsfield.....	258
Saline.....	85
Saline.....	489
Seio.....	540
Sharon.....	146
Superior.....	246
Sylvan.....	634
Webster.....	85
Ypsilanti.....	494
Ypsilanti city.....	1,615
Total.....	10,543

### CONDITIONS OF FACTORIES.

As Reported by Inspector—Other Interesting Statistics Gleaned From the Labor Commissioner's Report.

Ray E. Hart of Battle Creek, deputy factory inspector of the second district which comprises Washtenaw and eight of the surrounding counties, gives a very encouraging account of conditions in his report to Commissioner of Labor McLeod, as published in the annual report of the Michigan Bureau of Labor and State Factory Inspection. The total population of the nine counties is 348,000 and there are 804 factories in operation, 18 more than last year. There are employed in the factories 20,946 persons, an increase of 809 from a year ago. There are only 180 children employed in the entire district, or six-sevenths of one per cent of the entire number employed in the state. There have been very few violations of the child labor laws and the manufacturers are ever ready to meet all requirements. The conditions of the factories in general is greatly improved over that of last year. They are in a prosperous condition, many making a decided increase in the capacity of their plants, and the best of feeling prevails between employer and employee.

Ninety-three factories were inspected in Washtenaw county: Ann Arbor, 41; Chelsea, 7; Manchester 5; Milan, 7; Saline, 2; Ypsilanti 30. 1740 people are employed in the county, 685 in Ann Arbor, 175 in Chelsea, 186 in Milan and Ypsilanti 719. The average daily wages varies from \$1.50 to \$1.80. The industrial outlook is reported as good or fair and as better or the same as the preceding year. Most of the factories in the county report a scarcity of labor.

### To Vote On Referendum.

Latest returns from county clerks and the secretary of state show that a referendum on the new primary election law among enrolled republicans is practically assured in 31 representative districts, with 17 districts to hear from. Democrats will have a referendum in six representative districts. Wayne, Kent and Alpena will nominate 20 representatives under their own direct voting laws. As previously reported, republicans in 11 and democrats in three senatorial districts will vote on a referendum. Wayne and Kent will nominate in all six senators by direct vote. The vote on referendum will be taken June 12 to decide whether those districts will use the direct system. Only those who enrolled with their respective parties April 2 can vote on referendum.

### Among the Best.

President Roosevelt's service to the country in making clear and definite charges against the Standard Oil company in connection with its participation in violations of the anti-trust laws, and in making them so direct and emphatic that vague denials or general protests will not avail, is among the best he has performed. The Standard Oil company deserves no more and no less consideration than any ordinary individual or person charged with a criminal offense, and after a long time it seems now that conditions exist which will provide for it just such consideration.

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## Don't Forget

That we save you from 10 to 25 per cent on Wall Paper.

We are showing a very complete line of the best and most popular designs from several of the largest manufacturers in this country.

## Don't Fail

To see our line of Hammocks, Croquet Sets, Baseball Goods and Fine Fishing Tackle. Our prices are low.

## Our Drug Dept.

Is becoming more popular every day; particular people cannot be disappointed here; everything is fresh and first-class. We anticipate your wants and are prepared to serve you satisfactorily.

We Are Selling:

Cuticura Soap, 1 bar 18c.  
Mennen's Talcum Powder, 1 box 13c.  
Pompeian Massage Cream, 1 box 50c.  
Kosmo Toilet Cream, 1 box 50c.  
Champlain's Liquid Pearl, bottle 25c.  
Pure Witch Hazel, pint 25c.  
The very best imported Olive Oil, guaranteed strictly pure, pint 60c.  
Efferescing Phosphate Sodium, bottle 25c.  
Formaldehyde, pint 35c.  
Zenolium disinfectant, gallon \$1.25.  
Kresol Stock Dip, gallon \$1.25.  
Black Diamond Sheep Dip, \$1.00 gallon. One gallon dips 150 sheep. It kills ticks.  
6 pounds Sulphur for 25c.  
8 pounds Copperas for 25c.  
8 pounds Glauber Salts for 25c.  
10 pounds Sal Soda for 25c.

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## Bank Drug Store.

## HAMMOCKS

The largest line to select from ever shown in Chelsea.

Hot Weather Goods of all kinds. The White Frost Refrigerators, Ice Cream Freezers, Lawn Mowers, Lawn Hoes, Window Screens, and Screen Doors.

## Iron Age

## Cultivators



We have the only genuine Oliver and Burgh Plow Repairs in Chelsea.

In Our Furniture department we have some things that will please you. Everything new and up-to-date.

Builders' hardware a specialty. We have the best line of house collars in Chelsea.

The best paint, lead and oil, Guaranteed for five years.

We have the Champion binders, mowers, rakes and tedders. There are no better tools made.

### Bazaar Department.

See our hand painted china, silverware for 10c that you have paid 25c for. Croquet sets of all kinds.

Lamb woven wire fence, the best along the pike, always on hand.

## HOLMES & WALKER.

WE TREAT YOU RIGHT.

## We Sell the Best of Shoes FOR MEN.

At prices that cannot be duplicated at any other store in Chelsea, and the quality cannot be excelled. I can save you money.

A Few Choice Groceries, Fruits and Candy At the right prices to sell them.

## Farrell's Pure Food Store.

The Chelsea Standard-Herald and The Ann Arbor Daily News, to Rural Subscribers, only Two Dollars per Year.



## Rural Water Supply.

When such great sums of money are being expended by city governments that the inhabitants of towns may have a sanitary water supply, it seems strange that the supply in rural towns should receive little or no attention. This latter population may seem relatively insignificant, but according to the last census it comprises about 40,000,000 souls. This means that 40,000,000 people are drinking the water most available, without a thought of its sanitary condition. These various sources of supply, whether wells, springs or small streams, are similarly unreliable for furnishing drinking water. The statistics of mortality in the country are very indefinite, but even these show that the rural population is not as free from illness as it should be. And though everywhere the rural death rate is lower than the urban death rate, yet the lowering in the country has not been as great as in the city. An examination of typhoid statistics shows that the death rate of other diseases is generally lower in the country than in the city, but the prevalence of typhoid is almost equal to if not greater in the rural districts than in the cities. Several instances have been reported which show the rural typhoid rate to be ten times greater than the urban rate for the same district. To particularize, a certain district in central Pennsylvania proves this fact. It is made up of a rural population with 100 inhabitants to the square mile. It is a region of fine farms, wild mountains and woods, country residences and picnic groves. And in this valley there has been as much typhoid fever as in the city of Philadelphia. Sad as this condition is, there seems to be no remedy for it. The sources of a city water supply are few, and the city government easily controls the conditions affecting it. But what can be done when the sources of supply are numbered by the thousands. A mint of money and an army of chemists would not be sufficient to give the same care to the country supply that is given to that of the city.

## Illiterate Immigrants.

Discussing the immigration bill now before congress to raise the tax from two to five dollars a head, the Philadelphia Record says a chief complaint of the petitions is not that the immigrants are physically weak, but that they are too strong. It goes on to say: "As for the educational test, which prescribes that every immigrant over 16 years shall be able to read, long experience shows that this small degree of culture is not necessary for labor in the fields, in railroad grading, tunneling, street cleaning and other pursuits with which the masses of immigrants begin life on these shores. To ward off the political evils of illiteracy the states most effected by them (Pennsylvania, for example), have only to provide, as Massachusetts and most of the southern states have done, against putting the ballot in the fists of people who cannot read it. But by a curious contradiction the utmost facilities for enabling ignorance, native and naturalized, white and black, to exercise the suffrage are afforded by Pennsylvania and other states in which most of the illiterate immigrants find lodgment. If these states should apply the educational test to the elective franchise there would be little cause for complaint concerning the immigration of illiterates from Europe."

## Our Army Is Small.

In the sense in which the term is used in Europe, this country has no military reserve. The two military forces recognized by law and custom are the regular army and the militia. The regular army is a comparatively small force. Taking into consideration its size, population and position among nations, this country has the smallest standing army in the world. For many years preceding the war with Spain our regular army numbered only about 25,000 men. With the outbreak of hostilities with Spain came a very large increase. After the close of the conflict, however, there was a steady, radical reduction, until the American standing army to-day numbers only about 60,000 men. Of these, about one-fourth, or in the neighborhood of 15,000, are in the Philippines. A small force is maintained in Alaska, and a still smaller in Hawaii, leaving in round numbers, 40,000 soldiers of the regular army in this country, or an increase of only about 15,000 since the days preceding the conflict with Spain.

Rev. Thomas F. Millar, a preacher of Cainesville, Mo., announced to his congregation last Sunday morning that a collection for foreign missions was about to be taken up, but that he wanted no member to give a cent unless he had already paid his butcher, baker, grocer and printer. "Pay your local debts first," he said, "and then pay the debt you owe to the heathen." Report has it that the missionary collection was small, but the respect of the congregation for the preacher was large.

## MICHIGAN EVENTS NOTED

## TERRIBLE TRAGEDY CAUSED BY PLAYING WITH A LOADED GUN.

## BOY KILLS HIS SISTERS.

## A Severe Storm and the Damage It Caused in Various Towns—Onsted's Heavy Loss.

## Killed His Sisters.

With his 6-year-old girl dead in his arms and his 4-year-old daughter, wounded and dying, grasping him around the knee, Andrew Lumsden, of Alpena, ordered his 8-year-old son, Arthur, who accidentally shot them, to go for help. Lumsden left a loaded musket in a corner of the bedroom to shoot crows. The mother was at the home of her parents Saturday afternoon, and, unbeknown to the father, the children entered the house. While working in the garden Lumsden heard the report of a gun in the house. He rushed in, and Vina, the oldest girl, dropped dead in his arms, while Tena, aged 4, circled her little arms about his knee.

## Death and Damage by Storm.

The storm which passed over Lenawee county at an early hour Saturday morning did a great deal of damage by lightning. The chief damage was done at Onsted, where lightning followed the wires into the telephone exchange and caused a conflagration that burned up six business blocks and did \$10,000 worth of damage. The fire occurred at about 5 a. m., and the village, being without fire protection except a bucket brigade, all business places on the east side of Main street, with the exception of a blacksmith shop, were completely destroyed. Not over a third of the loss of about \$10,000, is covered by insurance.

James Drummond, 32 years of age, residing on a farm northwest of Elkton, was instantly killed by lightning. The barn was not burned and his assistant, standing within six feet of him, was not injured. The barn was full of live stock, but was uninjured. During the electric storm Saturday night lightning struck the house of Otis Dewey, on Washington Heights, Battle Creek. Mr. Dewey was seriously injured, and was in an unconscious condition when the neighbors arrived, but will recover. Five other members of the family were shocked, but not seriously.

With disaster to life and property a sharp electrical storm swept over Muskegon early Saturday morning. Very little damage is reported from the city, but advices from the country place the loss at several thousand dollars. A barn belonging to Mrs. William Nester, with a horse and two cows, was burned, the loss being \$1,000. Mathew Hack, night foreman, and Edwin Mason, city editor of the local morning paper, narrowly missed being crushed, a twenty-foot beam falling at their feet. The steeple of the First Methodist church was demolished; loss, \$1,000.

The home of Joseph Tyson, in Port Huron, was struck by lightning. The bolt miraculously missed Mr. and Mrs. Tyson, who were standing in the kitchen at the time, and killed the family dog lying at their feet. Part of the house was shattered. Hallstones an inch in diameter fell in Lansing during the severe storm. Considerable damage was done to greenhouses. Lightning struck two barns of Fred Oppenlander, killing a horse and damaging the barn. At Shafter, the Congregational church was struck and set on fire, burning it to the ground, and causing a loss of about \$3,000, with \$2,000 insurance. At Pine Lake slight damage was done to the schoolhouse.

The large barn of Ed Upright, of Benton, was burned Saturday morning by lightning. E. Krebs, of Walton, lost three horses and Allen Whelan, of Chester, several head of stock. The residence of Carl Nye, of Walton, was struck, the juice shattering the bed, in which he was sleeping, to splinters.

Lightning did considerable damage in Eaton county Friday night, several farm buildings being struck. One, owned by Ed Upright, of Benton, was destroyed with all its contents. Archie Krebs and Allen Whelan, farmers, living near Charlotte, lost several cattle. Lightning struck the home of Earl Nye and the bed in which he and his wife were sleeping was torn into bits, but both escaped injury. The home was badly damaged.

Ann Arbor has 36 saloons. The boiler exploded in a portable mill near Standish, wrecking the mill and scalding Otis Finner so badly that his life is despaired of. The other workmen escaped unhurt.

Otto J. Seeman, of Saginaw, died while asleep in bed, of neuralgia of the heart.

The Saginaw postoffice is the only one in the state that furnishes an all-night service, and a night delivery to hotels and other business places at 10 p. m., a convenience introduced by Mr. Linton and much appreciated by the traveling public.

**Strike Was Costly.**  
The longshoremen's strike, while of short duration, has caused a total loss nearing the \$2,000,000 mark. Of this sum vessel men are down for half a million in freights; longshoremen and other workers who were forced out by the embargo on traffic contributed over \$600,000, and the rest is made up of losses from diversion of traffic and demoralization of business from which it will take commerce a long time to recover. Millions of bushels of grain have gone to the Gulf of Mexico or direct to the Atlantic seaboard, which under ordinary conditions would have gone down the lakes. The merchandise lines have suffered in the same way, and it will take a considerable period before the traffic will flow back in the old channels. Some of it will never come back, the loss being permanent.

## MICHIGAN IN BRIEF.

H. W. Rugg, of Benton Harbor, aged 76 years, dropped dead while chopping wood.

Fred Crain, of Lapeer, lost a thumb and injured his fingers while sharpening a lawn mower.

Mrs. Catherine Hallock, of Galesburg, widow of an 1812 veteran, is hale and hearty at 100.

Ed Dillard, of Grand Rapids, was found guilty of murdering Mary Burden after the shortest murder trial on record.

The total number of names on Gov. Warner's petitions filed with the secretary of state up to Tuesday night was 1,332.

Peter Revor, aged 70, and Miss Viola Smith, aged 22, both of Arcadia township, were married by Justice Wright, of Lapeer.

Three thousand dollars of Mason's sinking fund, which has been lying idle in a bank will be invested in 4 per cent school bonds.

H. H. Applin says that he has no intention of trying for the state senate, but he has no objections to the Bay county treasurer.

Two boys and a girl were born to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Steltzer, living near Saginaw. The mother and her brood are doing nicely.

Charles Brabant, aged 26, of Alpena, an inventor, was caught in a cutting machine at the Fletcher paper mill, and his right arm severed.

Erastus N. Bates, of Moline, member of the house of representatives in 1885 and 1887, has announced his candidacy for the state senate.

Ben Thorne, of Lapeer, while cleaning up the back yard at his home, unearthed a German two-penny piece dated 1875, the year of his birth.

Charles Jewel and Percy Thomas, of Pontiac, were seriously injured when the load of hay on which they were riding upset because of a broken axle.

Some weeks ago it was reported that the federal authorities were about to remove the Marine hospital from Saginaw to Bay City, but the idea has been abandoned.

Sufficient primary election petitions have been submitted from 10 state senatorial districts to warrant the submission of the proposition on June 12 in those districts.

With a jackknife Ira O. Clark, a Jonesville milkman, slashed his wrists and throat in a cemetery in an attempt at suicide. It is thought that he will die. He has been ill.

Mrs. Lena Schroeder, 55 years old, living in Rome township, was burning rubbish on her small farm, when her clothes caught fire, and she was so badly burned that she died next morning.

David Young is a hermit who has been living much after the manner of wild beasts in the woods near Rudyard. He has been reduced to a mere skeleton and was trapped and taken to the county jail.

A small whirlwind started up west of the State Fair grounds in Detroit early Saturday afternoon and struck one of the partly completed barns, lifting it up in the air and bringing it down in a heap 15 feet away.

While entertaining a party of friends at a dinner in a Detroit cafe Friday night, Charles L. S. MacNair suddenly arose from his chair, took an unceremonious step toward the door and fell to the floor dead, without uttering a word.

James M. Moorberger, aged 62, a rural mail carrier out of Hart, has been arrested by the United States authorities, who allege that because of the infirmities of age he was unable to accomplish his work and would destroy what mail he had left over.

Jacob Osterhout, of Battle Creek, will probably lose his sight as the result of a gasoline stove explosion Saturday morning. Jacob tried to carry a flaming stove out of doors, and the upper half of his face was horribly burned. The fire damaged the residence about \$500.

Climbing into the corn bin at the Coughy & Carran elevator in Standish to get a scoop, Ray MacCauley, aged 18, was smothered to death on Friday. The corn was shelled and completely covered him. In attempting to rescue the youth, several men narrowly escaped suffocation.

The St. Clair Flats cases will be heard in the supreme court May 28. E. W. Sparrow and others have begun mandamus proceedings to compel the state to grant them patents for a large portion of the St. Clair Flats in exchange for swamp land scrip issued many years ago for the construction of a state road in the northern part of the state.

Plymouth church, Lansing, will open parlors every Sunday afternoon for social purposes.

Ervin Vauter, of Jackson, has been sentenced to 65 days in the Detroit house of correction for forging a check for meals. Herbert Brosius, the boy whom he enticed away from home, will earn his fare back to Indiana.

Marquette, Ishpeming and Norway are being considered for the location of a military company to take the place of the Ironwood company recently mustered out. Ironwood, however, may make a showing and get back in the ranks.

## CAUGHT IN THE ACT!



## PAPER TRUST SURRENDERS

## MEN WHO REFUSED TO TESTIFY OBEY THE COURT.

## Decree Is Entered for Government in Proceedings Against the General Company.

St. Paul, Minn.—The United States government Friday secured an unconditional surrender of the paper trust in the United States circuit court, before Judge Sanborn.

The attorney general began a suit December 27, 1904, to dissolve a combination between the General Paper company and 23 other defendants on the ground that an agreement and been entered into by them in restraint of interstate commerce.

Attorney Kellogg, for the government, and Attorney Flanders, for the defendants, appeared before Judge Sanborn sitting as a circuit judge, and Mr. Kellogg moved that the mandate from the United States supreme court affirming the order that the witnesses must testify be filed. Judge Sanborn ordered the mandate filed. The witnesses then appeared before the United States examiner and offered to testify.

The defendants then withdrew their answers. Mr. Kellogg announced that the government did not care to examine the witnesses and moved for a decree in favor of the government.

Judge Sanborn ordered that the decree be entered for the government for the relief prayed and that the decrees be settled June 16. The proceedings before the court and the examiner were then adjourned.

The three witnesses who refused to testify, C. I. McNair of the Northwestern Paper company, A. C. Board of the Itasca Paper company, and B. F. Nelson of the Hennepin Paper company, paid into court \$100 fine assessed against them for contempt of court for refusing to answer questions put to them at a former hearing.

As a result of the smashing of the trust the price of white paper has fallen from \$2.35 per 100 pounds to \$1.85. Competition has been restored, but it is understood a new combine will be formed which threatens to increase the price to \$2.50 per 100 pounds.

## WHOLE FAMILY POISONED.

## Daughter Dies and Others Are in Precarious Condition After Supper of Beefsteak.

Rochester, N. Y.—A whole family named Oppenheimer was taken violently ill Friday, after eating supper. Earnie, the eldest daughter, aged 24 years, died. The father and another daughter and two sons are in a precarious condition. The family had beefsteak for supper, and it is believed this contained some poison.

Big Lake Strike Ends. Cleveland, O.—Following conferences between President Keefe, of the Longshoremen's union and allied labor interests and representatives of the dock managers, it was announced Wednesday night that the strike of the longshoremen on the lakes has been settled. The men will go back to work on the basis of last season's wages, pending another conference.

Fairbanks' Birthday. Washington.—Vice-President Fairbanks was 54 years old Friday. He spent his time presiding over the senate in one of the busiest days of the session. He received many messages from friends throughout the country.

Treasurer Admits Shortage. Newburyport, Mass.—James B. Fekker, treasurer of this city, who was arrested Thursday night charged with embezzlement from the city treasury, admitted Friday that his accounts are short not less than \$25,000.

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No Mention of Amnesty Made—Memorable Event Passes Off Without Hitch.

St. Petersburg.—Without a single hitch and with only a minor incident to mar the memorable day, the Russian parliament was inaugurated Thursday. The weather was superb, and the stage management of the impressive ceremony at the winter palace, where Emperor Nicholas, surrounded by courtiers and all the pomp and panoply of power, delivered the speech from the throne to the mem-



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bers of the two houses, was perfect. Such a spectacle perhaps never before has been witnessed on the earth's stage.

The delegates to the duma had assembled at the winter palace, where standing in the center of a pageant of bewildering splendor the workmen and peasants heard the czar read his speech from the throne.

The speech promised little. The emperor pledged himself to maintain the parliament and asked it to labor for the uplifting of the peasantry and the education of the people.

There was not a word about land for the people or of amnesty for political prisoners.

The message in reality was less a throne speech than a greeting, and required only three minutes for its delivery. Emperor Nicholas read slowly. The admirable and even cordial tone of the sovereign in renewing his pledges and asking the cooperation of parliament for the regeneration of the country was only negatively satisfactory.

Dispatches received here from all parts of Russia indicate that the opening of the parliament was celebrated everywhere.

St. Petersburg.—The hope of the establishment of friendly relations between the emperor and the national parliament was further strengthened Friday by the audience granted by Emperor Nicholas at Peterhof to Prof. Mouroumstef, president of the lower house.

Prof. Mouroumstef returned to St. Petersburg from the audience apparently much impressed by the emperor's earnest interest in the problems of the country. Though the radical hotheads had been praying that Prof. Mouroumstef would lay down the law to the emperor and make a scene, the half hour's conversation was skillfully guided by the sovereign and the parliamentary chief so that friction was avoided.

## MAY SETTLE MINE TROUBLE

## Joint Meeting of Illinois Operators and Miners to Be Held at Springfield.

Springfield, Ill.—By long distance telephone Friday William D. Ryan, state secretary of the United Mine Workers of America, arranged with Col. Randolph Smith, president of the Illinois Coal Operators' association, whose headquarters are in Chicago, for a joint meeting of coal operators of the state and delegates from various local unions of miners to be held in Springfield next Thursday morning, when an attempt will be made to settle differences between operators and miners over the wage scale.

Flays Salvation Army. Philadelphia.—Before the national conference of charities and corrections Thursday a paper "Relief Work of the Salvation Army" was read by Edwin D. Solenberger, general manager of the Associated Charities of Minneapolis. He declared that the social relief work of the Salvation Army, as carried on through its homes, lodging houses and other agencies, is poorly administered, and that the so-called charitable work of the army is largely subservient to financial interests.

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Zion City, Ill.—John Alexander Dowie is near to death. Reports from Shiloh house Friday night were that the end may come at any time, and at the outside the deposed first apostle will not survive a week. He has suffered another attack of valvular disease of the heart, his body in the cardiac region is swollen and distended, and when the slowly creeping ailment reaches the vital organ death will come.

Chicago.—Mrs. Ruth Cantell, wife of Overseer Harry Eugene Cantell, died Thursday night at Zion City in childbirth. No medical services were given the suffering woman, who expired in agony, surrounded by praying elders. Overseer Cantell and his wife came to Zion City last February from England, where he had general charge of Zionites on the British Isles. It was the desire of Mrs. Cantell that the child should be born in the United States, and arrangements were made forthwith to take up a residence in Zion City.

Chicago.—Deacon Alexander Granger, commissioner for Voliva, and Deacon John A. Lewis, commissioner for Dowie, after a conference Thursday failed to agree upon a third commissioner, who, with themselves, is to administer the affairs of Zion during the pending of the suit brought by the first apostle to oust the present masters of Zion church and Zion industries.

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## Republican State Convention.

To the Republican Electors of the State of Michigan:

The State Convention of the Republicans of Michigan is hereby called to meet at the Light Guard Armory, in the city of Detroit, Wednesday, August 8, 1906, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of nominating candidates for State offices, for the selection of a State Central Committee and a chairman thereof, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the convention.

In accordance with the provisions of law and the action of the Republican State Central Committee, every county will be entitled to one delegate for each three hundred of the total vote cast therein for the Republican candidate for Governor at the last election and one additional delegate for a moiety of 151 votes or more.

Pursuant to law, Monday, the 18th day of June, 1906, is hereby designated as the day on which shall be held in each county, the County Convention of the Republican Party for the election of delegates to the Republican State Convention herein called.

Under the resolutions of 1853, no delegate will be entitled to a seat in the State Convention who does not reside in the county he purports to represent.

The delegates from the several counties in each Congressional District are requested to meet in district caucus at 9:30 o'clock a. m. on the day of the State Convention, and select officers as follows, to be presented to the State Convention for confirmation:

- 1—One Vice-President.
- 2—One Assistant Secretary.
- 3—One member of the committee on "Credentials."
- 4—One member of the committee on "Permanent Organization and Order of Business."
- 5—One member of the committee on "Resolutions."
- 6—Two members of State Central Committee.

In compliance with the resolutions adopted in Detroit, June 23, 1890, the secretary of each county convention is urged to forward to the Secretary of the State Central Committee at Clare, by the earliest mail after the delegates to the State Convention are chosen, a certified list of delegates to the State Convention from his county, and the chairman of each county delegation is requested to deliver the credentials of his delegation to the member of the Committee on Credentials chosen at his district caucus.

By order of the Republican State Central Committee.

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DENNIS E. ALWARD, Secretary.  
Lansing, May 1, 1906.

If you enjoy local talent play and want to spend two hours of your time, go to the opera house next Friday night and see the four act drama entitled "A Silent Slave," given under the auspices of the Eastern Star of Chelsea, under the direction of Mr. and Mrs. Allen O. White. Prices 15 and 25 cents, reserved seats 35 cents.

Thos. Wilkinson has commenced a suit in Justice Wood's court against the D. Y. A. A. & J. to compel the company to lower the tile on the defendants' right of way. The tile at present is considerably higher than the natural water way, and whenever there is a heavy rain fall, the water backs up and floods the land of the complainant.

Mrs. Oron Bury, of Ann Arbor, was taken to the private hospital of Dr. Lynds in that city, Monday, where she underwent a surgical operation, and died yesterday morning, after an illness of about fourteen weeks. Funeral services will be held from her late home, No. 617 Spring street, at 2:30 o'clock to-morrow (Friday) afternoon, May 18.

The revised law provides that the proceedings and financial statement of every graded school district be published in a newspaper before the first Monday of August in each year. Failure to do so makes each member of such school trustees liable to a payment of ten dollars.

E. Farmer, the live piano dealer, of Pontiac, was in town Monday and Tuesday, delivering some pianos. He is selling to some of the best people in Chelsea and is surely getting the business.

Insure your buildings against cyclones and wind storms in the State Mutual Cyclone Insurance Company, ex-Gov. Rich president. J. P. Wood, agent.

A Mountain of Gold.

Could not bring as much happiness to Mrs. Lucia Wilke, of Caroline, Wis., as did one 25c box of Bucklen's Arnica Salve, when it completely cured a running sore on her leg, which had tortured her 35 long years. Greatest antiseptic healer of piles, wounds, and sores. 25c at the Bank Drug Store.

## PERSONAL MENTION.

W. P. Schenk spent Tuesday in Detroit.

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B. B. Turnbull was a Jackson visitor Monday.

Rice Howell was a Detroit visitor Wednesday.

Jas. Smith, of Ann Arbor, was a Chelsea visitor Monday.

O. T. Hoover and wife were Detroit visitors Wednesday.

Rox Jones, of Ann Arbor, spent Sunday with Chelsea friends.

H. Pullen and his mother spent Sunday with Ann Arbor friends.

R. C. Glenn and wife returned from Florida last Thursday evening.

Geo. B. Klink spent Sunday at the home of his parents in Manchester.

Floyd Ward, who is with the "Isle of Spice Co.," has returned to his home here.

Harry White and wife and C. Haskins, of Cleveland, are spending this week in Chelsea.

Frank Jacquemane and wife, of Manchester, were guests at the home of L. P. Klein Sunday.

Mrs. G. B. Thompson, of Jackson, spent the past week at the home of Dr. W. H. Hamilton.

Fred Tomlinson, wife and child, of Bannister, spent the first of the week with Chelsea relatives.

C. D. Potter, editor of the Clayton News was a caller at The Standard-Herald office Tuesday.

M. Stillwell and wife, of Jackson, were guests at the home of Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Hamilton Sunday.

John Gregg and wife, of Detroit, were guests at the home of Mrs. Sarah Shaver several days of the past week.

Mrs. John Quirk, of Detroit, visited her mother, Mrs. Catherine Doll, of Dexter township the past week.

Harold Gage and family, of Jackson, visited at the home of Ed. Savage and family several days of the past week.

Mrs. Dick Clark and grandson, of Lyndon, visited at the home of her cousin, Mrs. Wm. Bury, of Ann Arbor Sunday.

Miss Nellie Vincent, of Flat Rock, and Miss Anna Belasol, of Detroit, spent Saturday and Sunday with the latter's parents.

Lewis Eppler, of Concord, called on his brother, Adam Eppler Saturday. Mr. Eppler was on his way home from Detroit, where he purchased a fine touring car.

Mrs. Delia Etta Sparks.

Delia Etta Burchard, daughter of Seborn and Mary Burchard, was born in the town of Sylvan, on the 10th of July, 1850. In 1867 she was united in marriage with Plutemon E. Sparks. In 1879 they came to Chelsea, where Mr. Sparks died in 1895. In 1897 Mrs. Sparks, with her four children—Burchard, usually called Burt; May P., now Mrs. Merle Moon, of Chicago; Daniel Burnett, also of Chicago; and Emma Belle, but a child at that time, moved to Detroit, where she has since resided, and where she passed into the higher, better life, on the 15th of May, 1906. Her demise came from an affection of the heart, without a moment's warning.

Mrs. Sparks was a woman of most excellent traits of character, highly esteemed by all who knew her, a worthy member of the Congregational Church while she resided in Chelsea, and has left many pleasant and comforting reminiscences in the minds and hearts and lives of those who were most intimate with her. Besides more distant relatives, she has left in deep and sincere mourning her mother, one sister, Mrs. H. E. Pomeroy, of South Haven, and three of her four children, Bert, the eldest, passed away in 1899. "Blessed are the dead, who die in the Lord."

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## CORRESPONDENCE

FRANCISCO.

Rudolph Hoppe is on the sick list.

Ella M. Schweinfurth is visiting in Jackson this week.

Services at the M. E. church at Sylvan, next Sunday at 2:30 p. m.

The German M. E. church will not be reopened until Sunday, May 27.

Mrs. W. Snow, who has been ill for some time is able to be out again.

Mrs. Frank Gleske and children spent Sunday at the home of Peter Forner of Sharon.

Rev. H. W. Lenz and wife were guests at the home of Ed. Riemschneider, of Chelsea Sunday.

George Schweinfurth, of Rockford, Ill., was the guest of P. Schweinfurth and family, the first of the week.

The next regular meeting of Cavanaugh Lake Grange, No. 998 will be held at Dwight's hotel on Tuesday evening, May 22. Let all members make a special effort to be present.

A specific for pain—Dr. Thomas' Eclectic Oil, strongest, cheapest liniment ever devised. A household remedy in America for 25 years.

The Standard-Herald want-ads bring results. Try them.

## SHARON.

Rev. Graber and wife visited Mrs. Brunce last Friday.

Jacob Lehman and family spent Sunday in Bridgewater.

The W. H. M. S. met with Mrs. C. Heelschwerdt Wednesday.

Born, Thursday, May 10, 1906, to Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Gage a daughter.

The Ladies Missionary society of the German Lutheran church met with Mrs. Faust Thursday, May 17.

## JERUSALEM.

Fred Koch spent Sunday at home.

Chas. Jenks was in Ann Arbor Sunday.

Fred Hinderer, of Chelsea, visited here over Sunday.

August Schallmiller spent Sunday and Monday in Ann Arbor.

Chris Klein and family spent Sunday at the home of Fred Klein.

Miss Rose Barth, of Ann Arbor, spent Sunday with her parents here.

Fred Halst and wife entertained friends from Freedom Sunday.

Chris. Koch and wife, of Chelsea, spent Sunday with relatives here.

Mr. Koch, of Ann Arbor, was a guest at the home of Chris. Trinkle Sunday.

Miss Ida Elsenman, of Freedom, was the guest of Mrs. Emanuel Loefler last week.

John Schanz and family entertained company from Ann Arbor and Clinton Sunday.

## LIMA CENTER.

Fred Staebler was in Ann Arbor Monday.

Charles Jenks was in Ann Arbor Monday.

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John Steinbach was in Ann Arbor Monday.

Will Coe is attending the Millen White trial.

Siowell Wood and wife were Sylvan visitors Sunday.

Mrs. E. Keyes was in Ann Arbor on business Tuesday.

Nelson Freer and wife, of Detroit, have been spending a few days at the home of E. B. Freer.

Mrs. Bertha Schantz has been spending a few days in Detroit with Fred Vogelbacher and wife.

Glady Whitlington celebrated her 11th birthday last Sunday afternoon. There were about 25 present and all had a very pleasant time.

## SOUTHWEST MANCHESTER.

Ralph Noggle is out again after two weeks' illness.

and Mrs. Lewis Askell have a little daughter.

Miss Georgia Rushton is visiting in Detroit this week.

Miss Ruth Herman is spending this week with friends here.

J. C. Matteson's father died in Napoleon last Thursday night.

Mrs. J. Holmes and children were the guests of Mrs. Seymour Clark last week.

Ed. Schaffer and wife attended the funeral of a relative in Manchester Thursday.

Robert Green and wife returned home Saturday from a visit with their daughter in Vandalla.

Mrs. George Kirkwood and children of Sharon, called at the home of Ben Matterson Thursday.

Porter Brower had a serious runaway this week, which resulted in one of his horses being badly cut with barbed wire.

## NORTH LAKE.

Mahlon Griffith is regaining his health.

Mrs. L. M. Wood arrived at her home Sunday afternoon.

David Chalker—Putnam's big man—has moved to Lansing.

A large flock of loons passed over here one morning last week.

Warren Daniels has procured a carriage horse from Geo. Webb.

A poor cow kept good yields better returns than a good cow kept poor.

Wm. Lewick's children spent Thursday afternoon with Golden Griffith.

A few have planted corn, but more are waiting for warmer weather and rains.

A man makes a poor trade when he sacrifices health for wealth or so-called pleasure.

Housecleaning is in full swing, and all married men should "govern themselves accordingly."

Frost last week injured some of the early strawberries. There will be a fair crop of later berries.

Mrs. O. P. Noah and Miss Mary Whallan called here Sunday. Miss Mary's school will close in about a month.

All the sick people living near the lake are gradually recovering and hope soon to resume their usual labor.

Mrs. John Webb spent Thursday, May 10, with her only sister, Mrs. W. H. Glenn, in being the latter's birthday anniversary.

Your correspondent desires to return thanks and good wishes to all the kind friends who contributed buttermilk, jellies and other good things, as well as offered to help and tendered their sympathy during his recent illness.

Monday builders began work on E. C. Glenn's barn, and expect to have it all completed by July 4. Nineteen tons of cement for the walls and floors are on hand, and timber enough for three or four more barns after this one is built.

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Miss Helen Kern spent Saturday at Plymouth.

Edward Flak is now working for Geo. Foster of Chelsea.

Mrs. John Boyle spent Sunday with her daughter, Agnes.

Misses Lena and Clara Merkel spent Sunday with Agnes Cook.

Theodore Weber attended the athletic meet in Plymouth Saturday.

Milo Updike and wife spent Sunday with B. Smith of Grass Lake.

Miss Stella Miller gave her pupils a trolley ride to Ann Arbor Saturday.

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## THE MARKETS.

Chelsea buyers offer today, the following prices:

Wheat, red or white.....	80 to 82
Rye.....	60
Oats.....	32
Beans.....	1 20
Wool.....	20 to 26
Steers, heavy.....	4 00 to 4 50
Steers, light.....	3 00 to 3 50
Stockers.....	2 50 to 3 00
Cows, good.....	2 00 to 3 00
Cows, common.....	1 50 to 2 00
Veals.....	5 00
Veals, heavy.....	4 00
Hogs.....	6 00
Sheep, wethers.....	3 50 to 4 50
Sheep, ewes.....	2 00 to 3 00
Lambs.....	5 00 to 5 50
Chickens, spring.....	10
Fowls.....	10
Butter.....	14 to 17
Eggs.....	13

It pours the oil of life into your system. It warms you up and starts the life blood circulating. That's what Holter's Rocky Mountain Tea does. 35 cents, tea or tablets at the Bank Drug Store.

Any skin itching is a temper-tester. The more you scratch the worse it itches. Doan's Ointment cures piles, eczema—any skin itching. At any drug store.

## My Hair is Scraggly

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FOR SALE—3000 gallons first class cider at 10 and 12 cents per gallon. Inquire of Chas. W. Meinhold, Jerusalem Mills. 15

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Stivers & Kalmbach, Attorneys.

Probate Order.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw, ss.: At a session of the Probate Court for said County of Washtenaw, held at the Probate Office, in the City of Ann Arbor, on the 16th day of May, in the year one thousand nine hundred and six.

Present, Emory E. Leland, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of DeLancey Cooper, deceased.

Of reading and filing the duly verified petition of Jane Cooper, praying that administration of said estate may be granted to Edward L. Cooper or some other suitable person, and that appraisers and commission be appointed.

It is ordered, that the 29th day of June next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate office, be appointed for hearing said petition.

And it is further ordered, that a copy of this order be published three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Chelsea Standard-Herald, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Washtenaw.

EMORY E. LELAND, Judge of Probate. J. W. HUNT, NEWBORN, Register. 18

# SPECIAL DRESS GOODS SALE.

Saturday Morning, May 19

we shall open our annual spring clearing sale of Dress Goods and continue the sale until Tuesday evening, May 29.

We have marked down every piece of Dress Goods on our shelves and marked them at prices that will move them quick. We do not believe in carrying over any goods from one year to the other.

Read These Prices and Then Come and See.

- One piece of Black Mohair worth \$1.35, sale price **\$1.12**
- One piece of Black Mohair worth \$1.25, sale price **94c.**
- One piece of Black Mohair worth 69c, sale price **50c.**
- One piece of Black Sicilian worth \$1.25, sale price **88c.**
- One piece of Black Bourette worth \$1.25, sale price **88c.**
- One piece of Black Asplan cloth worth \$1.25, sale price **88c.**
- One piece of Fancy Panama worth \$2.00, sale price **\$1.25.**
- One piece of Black Melrose worth \$1.25, sale price **98c.**
- One piece of Crepe Melrose worth \$1.25, sale price **98c.**
- One piece of Black Cheviot worth \$1.25, sale price **85c.**
- One piece of Black Cheviot worth 98c, sale price **75c.**
- One piece of Black Wool Crepe De Chine worth \$1.00, sale price **75c.**
- One piece of Blue Mohair worth 59c, sale price **39c.**
- One piece of Red Mohair worth 59c, sale price **39c.**
- Fancy Mohair in Blue and White worth 65c, sale price **45c.**
- Two pieces Grey Suitings, **SPECIAL**, worth 69c, sale price **50c.**
- One piece Wool Taffeta, "Alice Blue," worth \$1.25, sale price **98c.**
- One piece of Wool Taffeta, "Nicholas Green," worth \$1.25, sale price **98c.**
- One piece of Grey Suiting, **SPECIAL**, 54 inches wide, worth \$1.25, sale price **94c.**
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After doing the largest spring dress goods business we have ever done, we find we have more remnants than ever. These are mostly in lengths from two to four yards, and some as large as seven yards. They are now marked at about **1-2 off** the regular prices when sold by the yard. During this sale we shall give them another cut in price.

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## Special for Saturday Only.

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## LOCAL HAPPENINGS

E. R. Dancer is reported as being ill.

Wm. Schatz is having his barber shop redecorated.

Born, Monday, May 14, 1906, to Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Weber, of Marshall, a son.

Mrs. R. B. Gates has sold the onion marsh on her farm to Dr. G. W. Palmer.

H. Lighthall has taken the contract to build a cottage at Cavanaugh Lake for L. T. Freeman.

Services will be held at St. Paul's church, at the usual hour, on Ascension day, Thursday, May 24.

Wm. Caspary, the baker, has had the salesroom of his place of business redecorated during the past week.

E. E. Shaver, the photographer, has opened a branch studio at Manchester. The gallery is in charge of Roy Williams.

A number of Chelsea residents took advantage of the excursion on the M. C. Sunday to visit out-of-town friends.

The Young People's Society of St. Paul's Church will hold their meeting at the church next Sunday evening at 7 o'clock.

A number of the friends of J. A. Palmer met at his home on Railroad street, Saturday evening, and gave him a surprise.

Warren Geddes is spending some time in Detroit, where he is taking medical treatment.

There are some people in Chelsea who may not be aware that there is an ordinance that prohibits "spitting on the sidewalks."

H. D. Reed is building the foundation for a house that will be built by the Wm. Bacon-Holmes Lumber Co. on North street.

Floyd Ward is on the list for specialties for next Friday night at the town hall in the four act drama entitled "A Silent Slave."

H. G. Spiegelberg, who has been employed at the Bank Drug Store for some years, has resigned and will take up an outside position.

R. A. Snyder is having a portion of his farm laid out into building lots. M. J. Noyes is making the plat for the new addition to Chelsea.

Frank Shaver recently visited Geo. Cross, who is in the hospital at Ann Arbor. Mr. Shaver reports that the patient is slowly failing.

Verne Riemenschneider, who has been attending the Ohio college at Columbus for the past four years, graduated as a dentist, Tuesday of last week.

The summer residence of Mr. Shaw at Cavanaugh Lake is completed and being furnished, preparatory for occupancy by Mr. Shaw and his family.

Several of the residents of Chelsea have been fortunate enough to gather a liberal supply of the toothsome sponge mushroom, during the past week.

Mrs. Jacob Shaver, of west Middle street, gave a dinner to her children, Sunday of last week, the occasion being the 90th anniversary of her birth.

George Kirkland died at his home in Iosco, May 8, 1906, aged 90 years. His daughter, Mrs. J. C. Taylor, of Chelsea, attended him during his last illness.

Chas. Samp left Tuesday for Detroit where he has accepted a position with a real estate firm. Mr. Samp expects to move his family to the city in about two weeks.

H. D. Reed was in Jackson, Monday, and while there he purchased a \$225 Coltrine cement block machine. Mr. Reed expects to open a yard and manufacture cement blocks of all kind.

W. E. Smith, of Wayne, spent Sunday with W. T. Glaque and family. Mr. Smith was a former employe of the M. C. at the freight house, and was transferred to Wayne by the company last fall.

A regular meeting of Columbian Hive, No. 284, L. O. T. M., will be held next Tuesday evening. Initiation. Every lady is requested to be present and bring something, as a scrub lunch will be served.

Koch Bros. received a carload of cut sandstone the first of the week, which will be used in the construction of the new parochial school building that they will erect for the Church of Our Lady of the Sacred Heart.

LaMonte DeGole at present is using a pair of crutches to aid him in his trips about town. LaMonte went to Adrian last Saturday to play baseball and during the game he slipped and put his left knee out of joint.

Christian Science services are held regular in the G. A. R. hall Sunday at 10 a. m. Subject for May 20, "Ancient and Modern Necromancy, or Mesmerism and Hypnotism." Golden text: Revelations, 8:10. Testimonial meeting Thursday at 7:15 p. m.

Dr. H. H. Avery has had an auto garage built on his residence property.

The German M. E. church at Francisco will not be reopened until Sunday, May 27.

Chris Klein is having extensive repairs made to his residence on south Main street.

Quite a number of the farmers in this vicinity report that they have their corn planted.

Rural Mail Carrier Ed. Weiss has been confined to his home for several days of the past week with illness.

Theo. Mohrlock, of Lyndon, recently sold to Henry Messner, of the same township, a tract of 40 acres of land.

B. B. Turnbull is getting the material on the ground for the new residence that he will have built on Garfield street.

Fred Wyman, of Dexter, has taken the contract for the cellar walls for the new residences of M. J. Howe and Adolph Albor.

The Washtenaw Pioneer society will hold their next annual meeting in Chelsea, June 2. The Standard-Herald will print the program when it is issued by the executive committee.

Rev. M. L. Grant is at Flint, where he is attending the sessions of the Michigan Association of Congregational churches. The association opened its sessions Tuesday and will adjourn this evening.

Chas. Whitaker, one day the past week, sold forty-three very fine Black Top ewes to D. C. Delamater, of Detroit. The sheep were delivered to the large stock farm owned by Mr. Delamater near Brooklyn.

The barn on the farm of the Abraham Wallace estate of Lodi was struck by lightning Sunday evening and slightly damaged. The building is covered by insurance in the Washtenaw Mutual Fire Insurance Co.

Get your seats early at the Bank Drug Store for "A Silent Slave" production given under the auspices of the Eastern Star of Chelsea. Prices for reserved seats 35 cents, general admission 25 cents, children 15 cents.

It is claimed that musically the May festival at Ann Arbor was a great success, but financially it was a failure. The citizens of the university town were not liberal patrons of the greatest musical event of the year in their city.

In the circuit court at Ann Arbor Judge Kinne has granted an order for sale in the cases of Charles H. Kempf vs. Charles Kendall and Estella Raymond, and Charles Kempf vs. Charles Kendall, Estella Raymond and Elmer Raymond estate.

Harvey Seney, of Jackson, was a Chelsea visitor last Friday and reported that his father had died recently. Some years ago the Seney family were well-known residents of Lima and owned the farm at present occupied by Ralph Bierce.

M. Boyd received a telegram Monday announcing the sudden demise of Orrin Friable, at his home in Fruitvale, California, last Sunday evening. Mr. Friable was in Chelsea last fall and spent several days visiting with relatives in this vicinity.

U. D. Streiter, of Fowlerville, a former resident of Chelsea, has sold his property in his present home town and has contracted with J. A. Maroney for a residence that will be built on Jackson street. Mr. Streiter will take possession as soon as the carpenters can complete the new house.

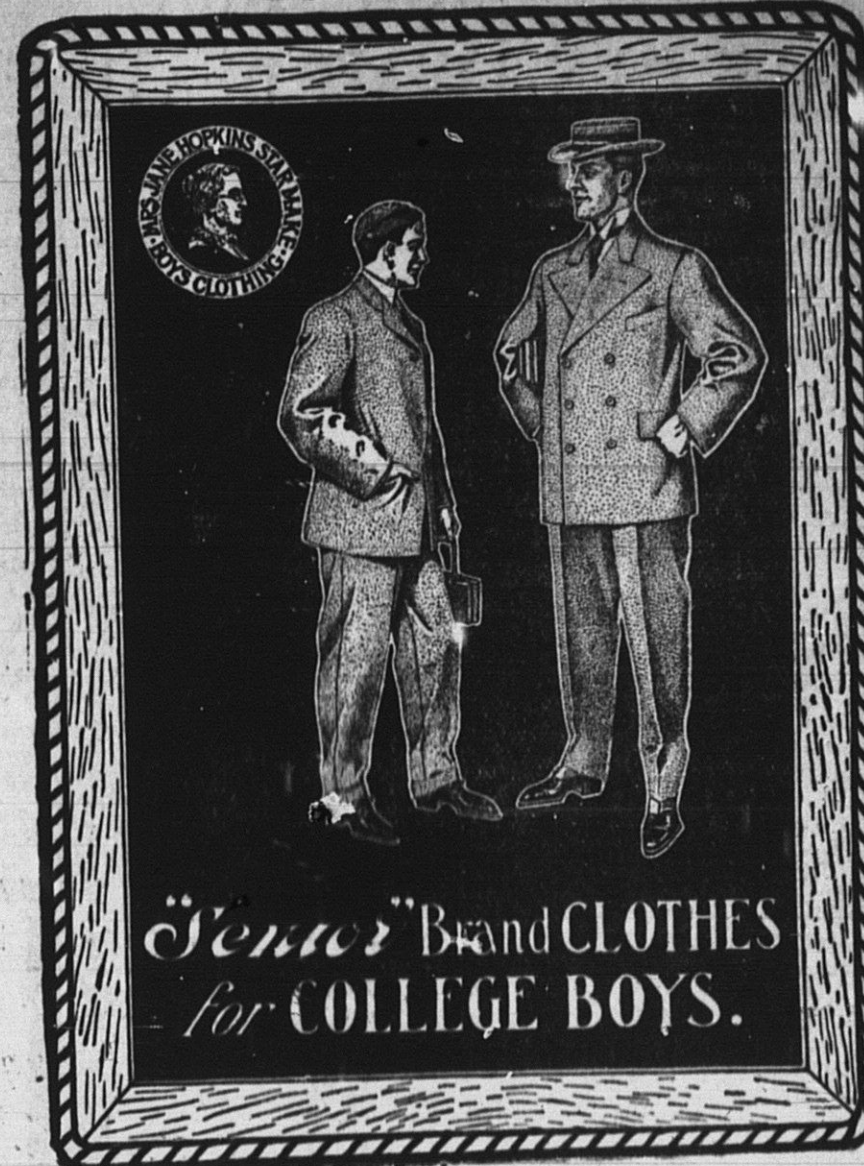
"An Outward Look" will be the subject of Rev. M. L. Grant's sermon at the Congregational church next Sunday morning. The evening lecture will be "John Huss, the Martyr of Bohemia." This lecture was to have been delivered last Sunday evening, but was postponed one week on account of the heavy rain storm.

Married, Wednesday morning, May 16, 1906, at 9:30, in St. Rose Church, Hastings, Mich., Miss Helena N. Davis to Mr. Leo J. Smith, of Dansville, Ill., the Rev. Fr. Thornton, of Howell, officiating. The bride is a daughter of Geo. S. Davis, of the Standard-Herald office. The young couple will make their home at Dansville, Ill.

Thursday, May 24, will be the Feast of the Ascension of Our Blessed Lord into Heaven, commonly called Ascension Day. It is a holiday of obligation in the Catholic church. Special services will be held on that day in the Church of Our Lady of the Sacred Heart—first mass, at 6 o'clock a. m.; high mass, at 9:30 a. m.; rosary and benediction, 7:30 p. m., local time.

Sunday morning, at the M. E. Church, Rev. Joseph Ryerson will speak on "Christianity and World Movements." In the evening Miss Barge, the national secretary of the Woman's Home Missionary Society, and Mrs. Haller, of Ann Arbor, will be present and speak. Miss Barge is a lady who has traveled in every state of the Union in the interests of the church and of uplifting the emigrants that land upon our shores.

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# IN PRISON AT CHIHUAHUA THREE MEN AWAIT DEATH

## HURLBERT, MITCHELL AND HARLE UNDER SENTENCE FOR COLD- BLOODED MURDERS.

### WERE GANG OF LIFE INSURANCE SWINDLERS

#### Killing of Their Victims a Part of the Scheme by Which They Had Made Large Sums— Had Another Victim Marked for Death.

Chihuahua, Mexico.—Through a skein of plot and counter plot, that, if evolved by a writer of fiction, would have been considered extravagant, the story runs of the crime of the three men, Hurlbert, Mitchell and Harle, now under sentence of death here.

The crime for which these three men are to die is murder, an incident of their series of carefully planned life insurance swindles.

The particular company victimized in one of the greatest in the world, and only carelessness on the part of the plotters, resulting from over-confidence, saved it from a heavy loss.

Practically in its entirety the affair is as follows:

Commenced in 1902. It was in the spring of 1902 that a life insurance company was called upon to pay two death claims in Chihuahua, the first on the life of Harry M. Mitchell for \$15,000 under a policy assigned to his sister, Helen Richardson, and the second on the life of James Devers for \$10,000 under a policy of which one Willis Meredith was the beneficiary. Mitchell had died on February 11 of that year, and Devers on March 23, and the agent in both cases had been C. T. Richardson, who had formerly been in the employ of the company at Chihuahua, but was now living in Dallas, Tex.

Now, life insurance agents in Chihuahua, Mexico, even those who subsequently move to a town like Dallas, do not, as a rule, support private teams, nor drive out in style with negro coachman and a footman or two. All these things were included in Richardson's establishment in Dallas, to the great amazement of a representative of the life insurance company, who went down from the El Paso office, where the check for the Devers policy had been forwarded, to

the Fort Worth office at the request of Meredith, and when it came back after collection through a Fort Worth bank it bore Meredith's indorsement for deposit. Inquiry at the bank in question developed that soon after the claim had been filed on Devers' death Meredith had called at the bank in company with Richardson, and had obtained there a loan of \$8,000 upon Richardson's assurance that the company had admitted the claim under the policy and was about to pay the money. This loan was paid in part in cash and in part by a draft on the Seaboard National bank, of New York, and it was this draft for \$7,000, together with its indorsement to Richardson, that forms the first link in the chain of evidence that was to connect him with the crime.

So the search led back to Chihuahua, and when more light was sought on the manner of the deaths of Harry Mitchell and Devers it was found that in the first case death had occurred in the house in which Richardson and his wife lived and within half an hour after Mitchell had talked with a friend in the street, apparently in perfect health. This was hardly consistent with the theory of spinal meningitis advanced by Dr. Harle, the physician signing the death certificate, who happened to be also the physician who had examined each applicant for insurance upon his admission to the company. In the case of Devers it appeared that death was due to dysentery, as might easily have occurred with a man of Devers' dissolute manner of living. Of Richardson nothing could be learned, except that he had appeared in Chihuahua in the summer of 1901, with his wife, Helen Richardson, as an American looking for business opportunities in Mexico, and had secured an appointment as

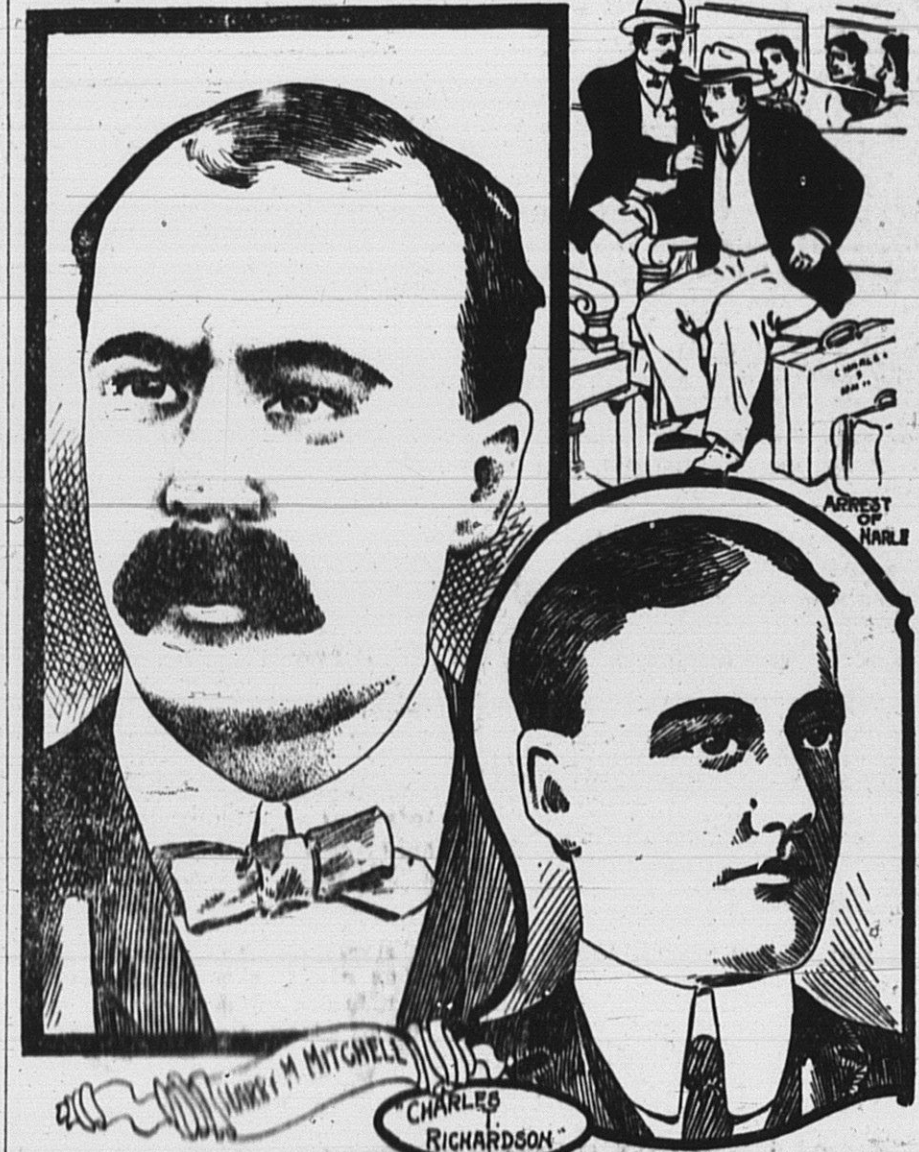
issued on the life of this unfortunate brother-in-law as security for some money he (Gray) had advanced, he might contemplate with more equanimity his relative's approaching end. Richardson thought he could fix it, and the brother-in-law was sent for from St. Louis.

Now, the convenient brother-in-law was about as much a relative of Gray's as Gray was himself a lumber merchant, but he was indeed suffering from consumption and diabetes and was so ill when Richardson wrote his \$50,000 policy that he had to be propped up in bed in order to sign it. Richardson announced that he had bribed a couple of doctors to sign the physical examination papers, and the sick brother-in-law was shipped back to St. Louis, whence he went out to Arizona a year later to die.

Dallas Made Headquarters. Greatly did Gray admire the skilled manipulation of the brother-in-law case by his friend Richardson. So when the latter suggested that there was plenty of easy money to be made by similar undertakings down in the border country where people are not watched too carefully, Gray fell in with the game at once, and the two went back to Dallas, where Gray's lumber office became shortly their

brother of Devers, William Meredith. Harle was not cross-examined, and he left the stand thinking he had "got away with the goods."

Confession from Harle. At this point Bottomo from El Paso telegraphed Harle that he was coming to Chihuahua and wanted to see him. Harle thereupon started for El Paso, and Bottomo, when he was well on his way to the Mexican town, got a wire on his train that he would pass the train on which Harle was traveling in mid-route. Bottomo left his train at a convenient station and boarded the other. Then, as he did not know Harle, he sent a porter through the car with a Western Union telegraph envelope addressed to the doctor, and Harle tumbled into the trap. Bottomo and a detective led Harle into the smoking compartment and started a quiz of the "third degree" order that would put that night with a 50-page confession implicating Harle in the death of Devers, and telling enough of the circumstances of Harry Mitchell's death to indicate how his "suicide" had been arranged. Harle said that Devers had been brought from Chihuahua from El Paso by Richardson in December of 1901, and that Richardson had said that he had explained to Devers that Devers



headquarters. Gray used to hear from Richardson how it wasn't really necessary to bribe a doctor in an insurance case, but simply to take a dummy before the medical man to pass the physical examination, and Richardson had just the dummy that filled the bill, a young fellow named Mason, once a miner in Chihuahua.

So the months went on, and it was in October of 1902. The Gray-Richardson-Mason combination was now in good running order, and it was planned that they should go to El Paso, where Mason would take out \$100,000 insurance in the name of Marshall D. Sanguinetti, an individual whom Richardson said he knew to be dying of consumption in Mexico. They were to make Gray the beneficiary of the policy, wait until Sanguinetti died, and then collect the \$100,000. But a hitch arose. Richardson remembered one day that his friend Sanguinetti was a young man of middle age, whereas Mason was but a youngster of 23. Why not, then, have Gray take out the policy as Sanguinetti, making Mason the beneficiary, and then collect in the usual way?

Gray Marked for Murder. Gray was not overanxious to make his death a possible source of profit to Richardson and Mason, but he consented to be Sanguinetti for the purposes of the policy, and to own Mason as David Sanguinetti, his son and heir. After various introductions the policy was made out and the deal closed—apparently. What introduced a new element into it that Richardson and his friend Mason had not counted on was the fact that Harry Bottomo and a couple of detectives had been keeping in nightly touch with Gray and incidentally had been doing a little work on the side, listening to conversations between Richardson and Mason when Gray was around. It was in one of these conversations that Richardson gleefully remarked that Gray had been the easiest thing imaginable in the Sanguinetti case, and added:

"We won't do a thing to him when we get him over the border."

Bottomo and his men decided that matters had gone far enough. They laid their information before the district attorney of El Paso county, and warrants were issued for all three, including Gray, for it was inexpedient just then to have an exposure of the part which the lumberman-detective had played in the case. Gray, however, was soon released and the next step was a charge filed in the City of Chihuahua accusing Richardson and Mason of the murders of Mitchell and Devers.

In the preliminary hearing Dr. Harle was called as a witness, and testified that Mitchell did die of strychnine poisoning instead of spinal meningitis, but that Richardson had told him that the case was one of suicide, and wanted to have things hushed up. Devers, Harle said, died of dysentery. Harle said that he had been called in to attend him by a half-

## Truth About Packing Industry

### Upton Sinclair Tells of Conditions Existing in the Stock Yards at Chicago.

In a recent issue of the Saturday Evening Post Mr. J. Ogden Armour makes the assertion that the government inspection of the beef trust slaughter-houses is an impregnable wall protecting the public from impure meat, and that not an atom of diseased meat finds its way into the products of the Armour's. Mr. Upton Sinclair, author of "The Jungle" (a terrific statement of packing house conditions) studied the meat industry for two years, including much time spent in the Chicago stockyards as a workman; he is the best equipped outside authority on stockyard conditions. In Everybody's Magazine for May Mr. Sinclair makes a startling and convincing answer to Mr. Armour's assertion. Commencing with the statement that J. Ogden Armour is the absolute and not the nominal head of the great packing house industry which bears his name Mr. Sinclair says: "I know that in the statements quoted, Mr. Armour wilfully and deliberately states what he absolutely and positively knows to be falsehoods."

That he might be properly equipped to describe conditions in "Packing-town" Mr. Sinclair worked for a period as a laborer in the plant of Armour & Co., and he tells of sights of filth and horror such as he hopes never to see again, but the strongest coincidence of the truth of the claim that meat unfit for human food is put on the market comes from a man far years superintendent at Armour & Co.'s Chicago plant, Thomas F. Dolan, of Boston. Mr. Sinclair in his article says:

"At the time of the embalmed-beef scandal at the conclusion of the Spanish war, when the whole country was convulsed with fury over the revelations made by soldiers and officers (including Gen. Miles and President Roosevelt) concerning the quality of meat which Armour & Co. had furnished to the troops, and concerning the death-rate which it had caused, the enormity of the 'condemned-meat' industry became suddenly clear to one man who had formerly supervised it. Mr. Thomas F. Dolan, then residing in Boston, had, up to a short time previous, been a superintendent at Armour & Co.'s, and one of Mr. Philip D. Armour's most capable and trusted men. When he read of the death-rate in the army, he made an affidavit concerning the things which were done in the establishment of Armour & Co., and this affidavit he took to the New York Journal, which published it on March 4, 1899. Here are some extracts from it:

"For ten years I was employed by Philip D. Armour, the great Chicago beef packer and canner. I rose from a common beef skinner to the station of superintendent of the beef-killing gang, with 500 men directly under me."

"There were many ways of getting around the inspectors—so many, in fact, that not more than two or three out of the 1,000 were condemned. I know exactly what I am writing of in this connection, as my particular instructions from Mr. W. E. Pierce, superintendent of the beef houses for Armour & Co., were very explicit and definite."

"Whenever a beef got past the yard inspectors with a case of lumpy jaw and came into the slaughterhouse or the 'killing-bed,' I was authorized by Mr. Pierce to take his head off, thus removing the evidence of lumpy jaw, and after casting the smitten portion into the tank where refuse goes, to send the rest of the carcass on its way to market."

"In cases where tuberculosis became evident to the men who were skinning the cattle it was their duty, on instructions from Mr. Pierce, communicated to them through me, at once to remove the tubercles and cast them into a trap-door provided for that purpose."

"I have seen, as much as 40 pounds of flesh afflicted with gangrene cut from the carcass of a beef, in order that the rest of the animal might be utilized in trade."

"One of the most important regulations of the bureau of animal industry is that no cow in calf are to be placed on the market. Out of a killing of 2,000 cows, or a day's killing, perhaps one-half are with calves. My instructions from Mr. Pierce were to dispose of the calves by hiding them until night, or until the inspectors left off duty. The little carcasses were then brought from all over the packing-house and skinned by boys who received two cents for removing each pelt. The pelts were sold for 50 cents each to the kid-glove manufacturers. This occurs every night at Mr. Armour's concern at Chicago, or after each killing of cows."

"I now propose to state here exactly

ly when I myself have witnessed in Philip D. Armour's packing-house with cattle that have been condemned by the government inspectors."

"A workman, one Nicholas Newson during my time, informs the inspector that the tanks are prepared for the reception of the condemned cattle and that his presence is required to see the beef cast into the steam-tank. Mr. Inspector proceeds at once to the place indicated, and the condemned cattle, having been brought up to the tank-room on trucks, are forthwith cast into the hissing steam-bollers and disappear."

"But the condemned steer does not stay in the tank any longer than the time required for his remains to drop through the boiler down to the floor below, where he is caught on a truck and hauled back again to the cutting-room. The bottom of the tank was open, and the steer passed through the aperture."

"I have witnessed the farce many times. I have seen the beef dropped into the vat in which a steam-pipe was exhausting with a great noise so that the thud of the beef striking the truck below could not be heard, and in a short time I have witnessed Nicholas bringing it back to be prepared for the market."

"I have even marked beef with my knife so as to distinguish it, and watched it return to the point where it started."

"Of all the evils of the stockyards, the canning department is perhaps the worst. It is there that the cattle from all parts of the United States are prepared for canning. No matter how scrawny or debilitated canners are, they must go the route of their brothers and arrive ultimately at the great boiling vats, where they are steamed until they are reasonably tender. Bundles of gristle and bone melt into pulpy masses and are stirred up for the canning department."

"I have seen cattle come into Armour's stockyards so weak and exhausted that they expired in the corrals, where they lay for an hour or two, dead, until they were afterward hauled in, skinned, and put on the market for beef or into the canning department for cans."

"It was the custom to make a pretense of killing in such cases. The coagulated blood in their veins was too sluggish to flow, and instead of getting five gallons of blood, which is the amount commonly taken from a healthy steer, a mere dark-red clot would form at the wound."

"In other words, the Armour establishment was selling carrion."

"There are hundreds of other men in the employ of Mr. Armour who could verify every line I have written. They have known of these things ever since packing has been an industry. But I do not ask them to come to the front in this matter. I stand on my oath, word for word, sentence for sentence, and statement for statement."

"I write this story of my own free will and volition, and no one is responsible for it but myself. It is the product of ten years of experience. It is the truth, the whole truth, and nothing but the truth, so help me God."

—THOMAS F. DOLAN.

"Sworn to and subscribed before me this first day of March, 1899."

—ORVILLE F. PURDY.  
"Notary Public, Kings County, N. Y."  
"Certificate filed in New York county."

The significance of this statement, as Mr. Sinclair notes, is heightened by the fact that, published as it was in a newspaper of prominence, whose proprietor is a man of immense wealth and could be reached by the courts, Mr. Armour made no move to institute suit for libel, practically admitting that the statement was true.

Summing up the entire facts of the situation, Mr. Sinclair concludes:

"Writing in a magazine of large circulation and influence, and having the floor all to himself, Mr. Armour spoke serenely and boastfully of the quality of his meat products, and challenged the world to impeach his integrity, but when he was brought into court charged with crime by the commonwealth of Pennsylvania, he spoke in a different tone, and to a different purport; he said 'guilty.' He pleaded this to a criminal indictment for selling 'preserved' minced ham in Greenburg, and paid the fine of \$50 and costs. He pleaded guilty again in Shenandoah, Pa., on June 16, 1905, to the criminal charge of selling adulterated 'blockwurst,' and again he paid the fine of \$50 and costs."

Why should Mr. Armour be let off with fines which are of less consequence to him than the price of a postage stamp to you or me, instead of going to jail like other convicted criminals, who do not happen to be millionaires?"

#### A Stone Barometer.

In northern Finland, so a native paper informs us, is a large stone which serves the inhabitants as an infallible barometer. At the approach of rain, this stone turns black or blackish gray, while in fine weather it is of a light color and covered with white spots. Probably it is a fossil mixed with clay, and containing rock salt, niter, or ammonia, which according to a greater or less degree of dampness in the atmosphere, attracts it or otherwise.—The Sunday Magazine.

#### The Many Virtues of Salt.

Salt puts out a fire in the chimney. Salt in the oven under baking tins will prevent scorching on the bottom. Salt and vinegar will remove stains from discolored tea-cups. Salt and soda are excellent for bee stings and spider bites. Salt thrown on soot which has fallen on the carpet will prevent stains. Salt put on ink when freshly spilled on a carpet will remove the spot. Salt thrown on a coal fire which is low will revive it. Salt used in sweeping carpets keeps out moths.

Differently Expressed. Two groups of people were seated in the waiting-room of a railroad station. One consisted of a young man and two young ladies dressed in the height of fashion, the other, a man and his wife not so fashionably attired.

They had been there only a few minutes when a girl came in whose complexion was as nearly perfect as anything in this world ever is. While she was buying her ticket the young man remarked to the ladies with him: "Isn't Miss Cranford a beauty? Her complexion is as perfect as a rose."

At the same time the other man clutched his wife's arm and whispered: "Lord, Nan, hasn't that gal got purty hide!"—Lippincott's.

#### Age of Honesty.

"Will you sell me a ride on your commutation ticket to Lovelystown?" asked the stranger on the suburban train of the regular passenger, whose status is shown by the packages with which he is surrounded.

"Certainly," answered the commuter, "but suppose you sit beside me and chat as though you were a friend of mine going home with me. Slip the change for the ride in my pocket unobtrusively, and it will be all right."

"But I didn't know one had to be so secretive about it."

"Not formerly, but nowadays we never know when some magazine writer may be planning an expose of the suburban ticket grafting."—Cleveland Leader.

#### Too Obliging.

A passenger alighted at a western Maryland station, leaving a satchel in the seat. As the train got under way another passenger noticed the satchel, grabbed it hastily and, throwing up a window, handed it to one of those on the platform with instructions to give it to the passenger who had just been alighted. This had hardly been done when the train was going at full speed and the owner of the satchel began inquiring for his property. The man who handed the satchel out will be careful hereafter to ascertain the owner of property in such cases.—Baltimore Sun.

#### Italian Cream.

Soak half a box of gelatine in a cupful of cold water for an hour. Heat four cupfuls of milk in a double boiler, and when hot stir into them the yolks of four eggs beaten light with half a cupful of sugar, stir over the fire for two minutes, add the gelatine, and keep stirring until dissolved. Take from the fire, flavor with a teaspoonful of vanilla, and set aside to cool. Beat the whites of the eggs stiff, and add them to the custard when it is cold, but before it has begun to form. Turn into a mold wet with cold water, and set aside to form firm.

#### Furniture Polish.

A good furniture polish may be made with one ounce of beeswax, half an ounce of Castile soap and one pint of turpentine. Pare the soap and put them into a quart bottle and add the turpentine. Let it remain for 24 hours and shake the bottle to mix the ingredients. Next day shake it well again and fill the bottle with water. On the following day it should be of the consistency of thick cream, and is then ready for use.

#### Sulphur and Molasses.

Don't hope to cure red nose by dabbing a lotion on it. Red nose is caused by some obstruction in the circulation. Take plenty of exercise, practice deep breathing, avoid tea and coffee and be careful of your diet in general. Prehaste you notice your nose gets red after a meal. If so, you have eaten too much, or have taken something indigestible into your system. The remedy lies with you.

#### Dwindling Republic.

San Marino, the smallest republic in the world, will soon be without voters if its rate of emigration keeps up. It has only 1,700, including widows, but it is still a good republic. Recently its assembly decided to abolish the executive council, the members of which have been elected for life. Hereafter members will be elected for three years only.

#### Harmless Freckle Remedy.

So many of the freckle removers are very poisonous they are really dangerous to use. For your little girl the solution of lemon and sugar would be very good. Use juice of a lemon in which there is as much sugar dissolved as the juice will hold in solution. It should be applied with a camel-hair brush several times daily.

#### Elbow Sleeves.

The town dress is made almost universally with the elbow sleeve. This seems like a piece of reckless extravagance for we all know that the elbow sleeve will go out of date sooner or later. On the other hand, it is fashionable now and it is exceedingly pretty.

#### Railway Travel Safe.

An amateur statistician in one of the government departments has figured out the interesting fact that it is about seven times safer to travel on the railways of the United States than to stay at home.

#### New Handkerchiefs.

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#### White Handbags.

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From the very first they seemed to strengthen him and by the time all the pills in the box were taken he had been for a long time."  
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**RECRUITING OFFICE.**  
The United States Marine Corps have opened a recruiting station in Saline and have authorized Dr. J. B. Wallace to receive applications and examine any young men who may desire to join the navy. Only sober, healthy men between the ages of 21 and 35 can be enlisted; except that in case of a young man under 21 who has the written consent of his parents or guardian, and is otherwise acceptable, he may be enlisted.—Saline Observer.

**Postmaster Robbed.**  
G. W. Fouts, postmaster at Riverton, Ia., nearly lost his life and was robbed of all comfort, according to his letter, which says: "For 20 years I had chronic liver complaint, which led to such a severe case of jaundice that even my finger nails turned yellow; when my doctor prescribed Electric Bitters, which cured me and have kept me well for eleven years." Sure cure for biliousness, neuralgia, weakness and all stomach, liver, kidney and bladder derangements. A wonderful tonic. At the Bank Drug Store, 50 cents.

**A Good Officer.**  
June 20-23 at Port Huron is the time and place for the annual meeting of the Great Hive of the Ladies of the Modern Macabees and of this order we are proud to say that Washtenaw county has for sometime furnished one of its best officers. Miss Emma E. Bower of Ann Arbor, has for some years filled the office of Great Record Keeper with credit both to herself and the order and it would seem unwise to make any change in such an important and responsible position.

**Fortunate Missourians.**  
"When I was a druggist, at Livonia, Mo.," writes T. J. Dwyer, now of Graysville, Mo., "three of my customers were permanently cured of consumption by Dr. King's New Discovery, and are well and strong today. One was trying to sell his property and move to Arizona, but after using New Discovery a short time he found it unnecessary to do so, I regard Dr. King's New Discovery as the most wonderful medicine in existence." Surest cough and cold cure and throat and lung healer. Guaranteed at the Bank Drug Store, 50c and \$1. Trial bottle free.

**Ancient Shipyard.**  
A shipyard at Ominato, Japan, still in operation, was established 1,900 years ago.  
**Thinly Disguised.**  
"Pa, what is a reprieve?"  
"Oh! merely an insult with its dress suit on, my son."—Stray Stories.

**Transparent Lake.**  
Lake Balkhash in Asia is remarkable for the transparency of the water, the limit of visibility being 60 feet.

**FOR BOTH**  
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**Domestic Animals.**  
The report of the secretary of agriculture for the year 1905 contains some interesting figures with regard to domestic animals in the United States. The value of all these animals in 1904 amounted to nearly three billions of dollars, the exact figures being \$2,995,370,277. The products of these domestic animals for the same year approximated \$2,000,000,000. The total value of farm products in 1905 is estimated at \$4,415,000,000. This would leave the total value of plant products approximately \$4,115,000,000, the ten staple products alone being worth \$3,515,000,000. So the interesting fact is developed that the value of plant products is double the value of animal products, and nearly equal in value to both the live animals and their products. In these estimates are included the value of the products of so-called "farm forests" but not the value of lumber or the virgin forests not on farms, which are conservatively estimated to be worth from three to four billions.

**A Good Law.**  
The law is a good one which seeks to prevent the entrance of contract labor into the United States to compete with the free competitive and higher-priced American labor. But why isn't it just as important to prevent the products of such labor from entering our market as to stop the laborer himself? If he were here he would have to buy American goods for the use of himself and family, and pay American taxes, and share in all our country's burdens to the extent of his ability. But as a foreign producer he could be an equal competitor with no participation in any of the exactions made upon American producers. The good results of both forms of protection to the labor of this country make arguments and pleas in their behalf unnecessary.

**Cotton in Rhodesia.**  
It has been found, through extended experiments, that Rhodesia can produce first-class cotton, which will command the highest price in Liverpool.

**A Growing Trade.**  
We bought from Germany in the last fiscal year \$119,700,000 worth of merchandise, an increase of \$18,000,000 over the previous year.

**Antitoxin Given Away.**  
Free diphtheria antitoxin and vaccine virus is to be furnished the people of Massachusetts by the state board of health.

**German Trade Expanding.**  
British merchants in all the world's ports are showing distress because of the rapid increase of Germany's foreign commerce.

**French Cheese.**  
The French varieties of cheese which are best known and chiefly exported are Gervais, Camembert and Roquefort.

**Have You Pains in the Back?**  
Inflammation of any kind, rheumatism, fainting spells, indigestion or constipation, Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea makes you well, keeps you well. 35 cents at the Bank Drug Store.

**Salt Water Beer.**  
A firm of brewers at Surflet, near Spalding, Lincolnshire, England, has had to destroy 6,000 gallons of beer, it being found that the water used in the manufacture was impregnated with salt. The water was obtained from the River Glen, into which salt water from the River Welland had found its way.

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Decrease in the same ratio that the use of Dr. King's New Life Pills increases. They save you from danger and bring quick and painless relief from constipation and the life growing out of it. Strength and vigor always follow their use. Guaranteed at the Bank Drug Store, 25c. Try them.

**Saves Pet; Made a Cripple.**  
Trying to prevent her pet bulldog from leaping out of a second-story window in Portland, Ore., to answer a challenge from a dog in the street, Miss Ella Wilson, a young actress fell to her knees on the floor of her room, broke both knees and may be a cripple for life.

**Not So Easy.**  
It is easy enough to name a brand of cigars after some great man, but not so easy to keep the quality of it up to a degree that corresponds with his greatness.

**Looks After Children.**  
The Alsatian city of Mulhausen not only provides free baths for its school children, but free medical inspection and dental treatment.

**Deafness Cannot Be Cured**  
By local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out of the tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed for ever; nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces. We will give one hundred dollars for any case of deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free.  
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## NEWSY NUGGETS

**NEARBY NEIGHBORS**  
NEW CEMENT WALKS.  
The village council of Pinckney has let the contract for several blocks of cement sidewalks.

**ANNUAL PICNIC.**  
The Clinton Business Men's Association will hold their annual picnic at Wampole's Lake June 6.

**ANNUAL CONVENTION.**  
The annual Sunday school convention of the White Oak township association, will be held at Milville M. P. church, Sunday 20.

**ADULTERATED BUTTER.**  
Butter containing over 16 per cent of water is "adulterated," in the eye of the law. The government will now prosecute dealers who handle this watery butter.

**RESIGNED POSITION.**  
Sam Gaukrager, of Gregory, after carrying mail on route No. 3 since February 1, has resigned. It is not known yet who his successor will be.—Stockbridge Brief.

**HORSES SCARCE.**  
Horsemen say that good horses are now scarce, and will remain so for some time. This is a result of the fear that automobiles would displace them, which lessened interest in breeding two or three years ago.—Stockbridge Sun.

**PLANS ENDOSED.**  
At the business meeting of the official board of the Methodist church Monday the plans for the annex to the church offered by the Ladies' Aid society were endorsed and the trustees were requested to finance the movement for the erection of the new addition to the church property.—Milan Leader.

**OLD DICTIONARY.**  
Miss M. L. Sprout of Anderson has a Johnson's dictionary published in 1790 which has this definition of network—"Anything reticulated or decussated at regular intervals." Clear, isn't it? The style and workmanship of the book affords quite a contrast to the elegant works of the present time.—Pinckney Dispatch.

**MUST BE GOOD.**  
E. R. Brown, president of the village of Pinckney, has given the following notice in the Dispatch: "The public, and especially the younger generation of our village, are hereby notified that all disturbers of the peace will be promptly punished to the full extent of the law." They must have a lot of youngsters of the "Buster Brown" in that village.

**FOR GOOD ROADS.**  
Frank Rogers of Lansing, deputy state highway commissioner, is here today and this afternoon in company with the township board and R. W. Cole, highway commissioner, is going over the stretch of road east of the village limits to the town line, for which an application was made for state aid some time ago.—Tecomseh News.

**MUCH WANTED.**  
Just at present a novel ailment is much wanted. Appendicitis is becoming demode; many people recover miraculously from it without an operation who a year ago would have been content with nothing less than a surgeon's aid at hospital. There has been a slight attempt to introduce Platonic melancholia, but it is neither contagious nor has a thrill of fatality.—Rochester Era.

**HELP FROM NEBRASKA.**  
The managers of the Continental Sugar company have imported a large number of Basileans from Nebraska, to work in the beet sugar district about Blissfield this state and Fremont and Deshler, Ohio. The company has about 15,000 acres under contract, an area equal to about 25 square miles. So far the conditions for planting have been excellent, but the cold weather has delayed the work somewhat.—Adrian Press.

**HORSE THIEVES.**  
Horse thieves have been working in this county during the past week. A fleet team of Normans were driven from the owner's barn over near Waltz, and at an early hour on Tuesday morning a fine 3-year mare was stolen from the barn of N. S. Johnson at Wyandotte. As yet no arrests have been made. The rascals are evidently good judges of horseflesh, and it will be well for owners of this grade of animals to keep the stable door well locked and barred.—Trenton Times.

**BARN AND HORSES BURNED.**  
A terrific electric storm visited Milan last Friday night, doing considerable damage. A large barn belonging to Abraham Harrington, two miles south of Lake, was struck by lightning and before any assistance could be rendered the barn and contents, including a few horses and a lot of hogs, considerable farm machinery and wagons, were entirely consumed. All the out-buildings on the farm were also entirely destroyed. A huge hay stack four miles south of Milan, belonging to Adelbert Jones, was struck by lightning and also burned.

**ABOUT FORTY LABORERS.**  
About forty Swedes and Poles have arrived in Milan from Pittsburgh to work in the sugar beet fields during the summer.

**AFTER THE JUSTICES.**  
County Treasurer Lulack and County Auditors Stowell, Bacon and Fischer, made an official visit to Ypsilanti Wednesday of last week to examine the reports of the justices of the peace to the city clerk to find out how much the city was owing the county. No funds have been turned over to the county for three years and the amount due is about \$300. At the expiration of the terms of the present justices another examination will be made and the accounts straightened up.

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Present, Emory E. Leland, Judge of Probate.  
In the matter of the estate of Eliza Congdon, deceased.  
On reading and filing the duly verified petition of Grace Congdon, praying that a certain paper in writing and now on file in this court, purporting to be the last will and testament of Eliza Congdon, be admitted to probate, and that herself, the executor named in said will, or some other suitable person, be appointed executor thereof, and that appraisers and commissioners be appointed.  
It is ordered, that the 26th day of June next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, be appointed for hearing said petition.  
And it is further ordered, that a copy of this order be published three successive weeks previous to said time of hearing, in the Chelsea Standard-Herald, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Washtenaw.  
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In the matter of the estate of Jacob Van Huse, deceased.  
Lewis Eschbach, administrator of said estate, having filed in this court his annual account, and praying that the same may be heard and allowed.  
It is ordered, that the 4th day of June next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, be appointed for hearing said account.  
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In the matter of the estate of Catherine Welsh, deceased.  
George W. Palmer and Olive Winslow, co-executors of said estate, having filed in this court their account, and praying that the same may be heard and allowed.  
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