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January Clean-Up Sale PRICES DROP All Over the Store

Dry Goods Department.

All Women's Suits	-	-	-	1-2 Price
All Cloaks	-	-	-	1-3 Off
All Furs	-	-	-	1-3 Off
All Dress Skirts	-	-	-	1-4 Off
All Dress Goods	-	-	-	1-4 Off
All Silks	-	-	-	1-4 Off
All Children's Dresses	-	-	-	1-4 Off
All Knit Goods	-	-	-	1-4 Off
All Lace Curtains	-	-	-	1-4 Off
All Kimonos	-	-	-	1-4 Off
39c Short Outing Skirts	-	-	-	25 Cts
Flannelette Nightgowns	-	-	-	Reduced
Women's 35c Underwear, now	-	-	-	25 Cts
Outing Prices	-	-	-	Reduced
All Bed Blankets	-	-	-	Reduced

Clothing Department.

All Men's and Boys' Suits and Overcoats and Odd Pants, now	-	-	-	1-4 Off
All Caps	-	-	-	1-4 Off
Men's 10c Underwear, now	-	-	-	75 Cts
Men's Flannel Over Shirts, now	-	-	-	1-4 Off
All 50c Neckwear, now	-	-	-	39 Cts
All Sweaters,	-	-	-	1-4 to 1-3 Off

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We still offer bargains in our Furniture Stock, and will continue to do so all this month. Now is your opportunity to buy good Furniture cheap. We have a good stock of handled axes and cross-cut saws. Special prices on Harness, Blankets and Robes.

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All Woolens of exceptional quality and style, all in suitable quantity to judge style and weave. No Sample Book or Cards.

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Of Suits, Trousers, Fancy Vesting, Top Coats and Overcoats. Our assortment of odd trousers ranging from \$4.00 to \$6.00 is the largest ever shown in any city compared to ours. We are also showing a fine line of Woolens suitable for

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Yours for Good Clothing and Home Industry.

RAFTREY, The Tailor.

THE NEW FLOUR MILL

IN FULL RUNNING ORDER.

The Stockholders Held Their Annual Meeting Last Thursday Afternoon—Elected Officers.

The White Milling Co., held their annual meeting in the town hall, last Thursday afternoon. Most of the stockholders were present and the following directors were elected for the coming year: D. C. McLaren, E. K. White, Geo. W. Coe, D. E. Beach and John Kalmbach.

The board of directors held a meeting Friday and elected the following officers: President, D. C. McLaren; secretary, Geo. W. Coe; treasurer and manager, E. K. White.

The White Milling Co., has settled with the contractors, who built and equipped the mill and they are in a position to grind flour and feed for all who may require their services for this kind of work.

The new mill has been fitted out with all the modern machinery and is one of the best millings plants in Washtenaw county. The stockholders at their meeting voted to raise sufficient funds to buy grain to be placed in stock, and Manager White is in position to handle all the business that may come to the mill from his former out-of-town customers.

As Chelsea has the only flouring mill on the line of the M. C. railroad between Ann Arbor and Jackson that is grinding wheat the new mill undoubtedly receive a liberal patronage.

Inspiration Institute.

A teachers' institute will be held in Saline Friday evening and Saturday, January 10 and 11. The Friday evening session will be held in the M. E. church, and the meetings Saturday will be held in the high school building. Prof. Laird, of the Normal College, Ypsilanti, will have charge of the institute.

PROGRAM.

Friday Evening—7:30 o'clock.
Male Quartet. Messrs. Bassett, Clark, House and Herbert.
Invocation. Rev. Goldie.
The Child, Physically and Mentally Considered. Prof. Laird.
Saturday Morning—10 o'clock.
Piano Duet. Misses Fairbanks and Davenport.
Corrective Discipline. Prof. Laird.
Vocal Solo. Miss Burkhardt.
Essential Features in U. S. History. Prof. Laird.
Saturday Afternoon—1:30 o'clock.
Piano Solo. Miss Vera Reeves.
Grammar Grade Reading. Prof. Laird.
Vocal Duet. Misses Eda and Ella Clark.
Language in the Grades. Miss Matilda Blases.
Educational Waste. Prof. Laird.
Music. Male Quartet.

Society Officers.

At the regular meeting of St. Joseph's Sodality of the Church of Our Lady of the Sacred Heart held last Sunday, January 5, 1908, the following officers were elected for the present year.

Spiritual Director—Rev. W. P. Conside.
Prefect—William Wheeler, jr.
First Assistant—Mathias Schwikerath
Second Assistant—Philip Keusch.
Secretary—Max M. Kelly.
Assistant Secretary—Vincent Burg.
Treasurer—Galbraith Gorman.
Marshals—Leo Merkel and Arthur Keelan.

Standard Bearer—Justin Wheeler.
Consultors—John Kelly, Peter Merkel, Charles Neuburger, Gottfried Weick, Hubert Schwikerath and John Walsh.

The Sodality is in a flourishing condition, has a surplus in the treasury and voted \$30 as a donation to the parochial school fund. The new officers will be installed on Sunday, February 2.

To Perpetuate Morgan.

The new government breeding station for the perpetuation of the Morgan horse, established at Weybridge, is almost completed. The Morgan horse is, perhaps, the most famous of all the products of Vermont, and one of the most noted types of horse flesh produced in the United States.

Col. Joseph Battell, of Middlebury, the leading champion of the Morgan horse and the most extensive breeder of the animal, fearing that despite his individual efforts the race would gradually become practically extinct through lack of general active interest, consulted with the officers of the department of agriculture at Washington, and having secured their co-operation, presented to that department a tract of 500 acres of pasture and wood land in Weybridge. On this land the department agreed to establish a breeding station for the Morgan horse.

In addition to the old buildings, which were converted to the needs of the station, new buildings have been com-

pleted, and more will be started next spring. A two-story house has been erected for the use of Frederick Hammond, who will act as the superintendent of the station, and his assistants.

About forty Morgan horses have already been placed on the farm. Among these is the stallion General Gates, which was purchased at a cost of about \$4,000. More horses will be secured shortly and within a few months the work of scientific breeding will be in active progress.

Mrs. Warren K. Guerin.

Mrs. Estella A. Guerin, died at her home, Sunday evening, January 5, 1908. The deceased was born in the home where her death occurred 57 years ago last August and her entire life has been spent in this community. For a number of years past she has been a great sufferer from rheumatism, which was the cause of her demise. During the long period of illness her husband and friends did all that lay in their power to relieve her suffering.

The deceased was a daughter of the late Thomas F. Royce, and she was united in marriage with Warren K. Guerin 24 years ago this month. She is survived by her husband, two sisters, Mrs. Susan E. Allyn, of Santa Ana, California and Mrs. Imogene Oriole Decker, of Sturgeon Bay, Wisconsin, who have the sympathy of a large following of friends in their affliction.

The funeral was held from the home at 12 o'clock and from the Congregational church at one o'clock this afternoon, the Rev. C. S. Jones, officiating. The members of Olive Chapter, O. E. S. of which she was a member, attending the services in a body. Interment Oak Grove cemetery, Chelsea.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

(OFFICIAL.)

Chelsea, Mich., January 6, 1908.
Board met in regular session. Meeting called to order by W. J. Knapp, president pro-tem. Roll called by the clerk. Present, trustees, Knapp, Burkhardt, Sweetland, Stimson and McKune. Absent, F. P. Glazier, president, and trustee, Schenk.

Minutes of the previous meeting read and approved.

The bill of Wm. Remnant was then presented and read.

Moved by Sweetland, seconded by Burkhardt, that the bill of Wm. Remnant for \$50 be referred to the finance committee. Carried.

Moved by Knapp, seconded by Stimson that the electric light and water committee act with Mr. Eppler in moving barn back of Merkel Bros. store. Carried.

On motion board adjourned.

W. H. HESELSCHWERDT, Clerk.

A Pleasant Social Gathering.

On January 1st the home of B. C. Whitaker was the scene of a very pleasant social gathering, the ladies of the German M. E. church serving a dinner there that day.

After some very pleasant remarks and hearty New Years greetings by the pastor, Rev. J. E. Beal, about 135 persons partook of the bounteous repast.

The afternoon was spent in pleasant social intercourse, song etc. Nearly every family in the congregation was represented besides many of the friends and neighbors.

Before going home the company gave a hearty vote of thanks to Mr. and Mrs. Whitaker for opening their hospitable home for this pleasant occasion.

Pioneer Resident.

Jacob Buehler died at his home in Lyndon, Sunday, January 5, 1907. The deceased was born in Germany 79 years ago last July. He has been a resident of this country for 45 years.

Mr. Buehler has been a well-known resident of Lyndon township for the past 40 years. He is survived by his wife, four sons and two daughters.

The funeral was held from his late home Tuesday forenoon at 10:30 o'clock, Rev. A. A. Schoen, pastor of St. Paul's church officiating. Interment at John Moore cemetery Lyndon.

Water Spreading Fire.

An amusing instance of ignorance of the properties of carbide of calcium occurred recently on a quay at Algiers. Five tons of carbide had been placed near a quantity of inflammable material, which suddenly caught fire.

The firemen, instead of removing the boxes of carbide with hooks, smashed them, and then turned water upon the contents. The result was a great development of acetylene gas and a destructive fire, which might have been prevented by a little practical knowledge of chemistry.—Youth's Companion.

Time to Rest.

Disraeli: When a man falls into his anecdotal, it is a sign for him to retire.

For any pain, from top to toe, for any case apply Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. Pain can't stay where it is used.

BELIEVE IT WAS MURDER

OFFICERS SECURE EVIDENCE

That the Death of Daniel Corey Was Caused by Foul Means—Unable to Locate His Companion.

That Daniel Corey of this place was murdered in the immediate vicinity of the Peninsular Paper Mills, of Ypsilanti, is the conclusion that has been reached by Deputy Sheriff Stark and Justice Gunn, of Ypsilanti, who made an investigation while subpoenaing witnesses for the inquest which was held Wednesday.

The two officers visited the flume in which Corey's body was found and dropped a rake to the surface a black hat similar to the one worn by Mr. Corey when last seen, on the inside band were the initials "J. D. C." The next time the rake brought up a piece of cloth which proved to be a child's coat, covered with blood. Then they fished out a child's dress, which was bloodier than the coat, and both had evidently been around the murdered man's head. When the body was found a piece of carpet was about one of Corey's legs.

The carpet was of a kind used in the mill. The garments found in the flume were taken from a pile in the store-room, where they are kept for wiping the machinery.

William Irving, employed at the paper mills, works nights in the pulp room. That night he had occasion to go to the stockroom, about 100 yards away, for stock. He heard a slight noise like something being dragged along and turned on the lights, but could see nothing. While in the elevator he again heard the noise. Later he saw places where something had been dragged.

Entrance to the stockroom, where the garments came from, and to the flume, is only from the outside.

Leo Stockalitz, a boy, was at the Michigan Central round house when a man, answering the description of the one last seen with Corey, entered to get warm.

The body of Mr. Corey was exhumed Wednesday and taken to the undertaking rooms of F. Staffan & Son, where a post mortem was held under the direction of Prosecuting Attorney Sawyer. The inquest which was held in Ypsilanti, was adjourned until Wednesday of next week.

Church Circles.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH.
Rev. A. A. Schoen, Pastor.
Regular services at the usual hour next Sunday morning.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE.

The Christian Science Society will meet in the G. A. R. hall at the usual hour next Sunday, January 12, 1908. Subject, "Sacrament." Golden text, "My Father giveth you the true bread from heaven. For the bread of God is he which cometh down from heaven, and giveth life unto the world."

BAPTIST CHURCH.

Rev. T. D. Denman, Pastor.
The theme for the morning sermon will be "How to be Happy," and in the evening, "Counting the Cost, or which Pays Best."

The men's meeting will be held in this church Sunday p. m. at 2:30 o'clock. All men are cordially invited to meet with us.

CONGREGATIONAL.

Rev. M. L. Grant, Pastor.
The regular services will be held at the usual hours next Sunday. The morning subject will be "The Church a Theater." Evening subject, "Paul's Experience in the Philippian Jail."

The annual meeting of the church and society will occur Monday, January 13, at 7 p. m.

M. E. CHURCH.

Rev. D. H. Glass, Pastor.
Morning sermon, "The Parable of the Talents." Evening subject, "Seeing the Invisible." Sunday school session following the morning service. Parents will appreciate the kindergarten which cares for their little children during the morning service.

Epworth League devotional meeting at six o'clock.
Prayer meeting Thursday evening at seven o'clock. Topic, "Sabbath Observance."

The Wise Old Boy.

"I don't know why it is, dear," she said, "that you never have decided to run for president of the United States." And then he coughed, and poked the fire, and said: "Molly, I couldn't get my consent to leave home and you for such a campaign as that!"

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WE ARE NOT IN THE TRUST.

Coats Thread 5c Spool.

JOHN FARRELL.

Navy Yards Out of Work.

One of the results of the great naval excursion around the Horn into the Pacific will be the stoppage of work in the navy yards of the Atlantic coast. And this is pretty serious, says the Boston Globe. Some 16,000 mechanics were employed in getting the battle-ships into condition for their long cruise. The estimate of the department is that at least half of these 16,000 men have been discharged since the fleet sailed. It is even doubtful that the remaining half can be provided with work in the tinkering and repair of the few vessels left behind. There are one or two colliers building which may require their services, or the cut would be still greater. Unquestionably this is detrimental to the organization of the mechanical force of the navy yards. No manufacturing establishment in ordinary running could throw out half its trained force of employees and look to get back an equivalent force when business again becomes urgent. But more unfortunate still is the discharge of these thousands of skilled workmen from government employ at a moment when the shock to private industry, due to the monetary disturbance, has led to a serious curtailment of the number of employees.

Honor to Whom Honor is Due.

A brief but exceedingly impressive memorial service was that which stopped every wheel on every Chicago, Burlington & Quincy locomotive and car for five minutes, during the funeral of Charles E. Perkins, a former president of the road. Precisely at three o'clock all trains, no matter where they were, came to a standstill, and remained motionless until five minutes past three. Work of every kind was also suspended in every office of the company. The man thus honored, in a way which he would probably have appreciated more than any other, was a rich man who had worked his way up from the lowest round of the ladder by means which disarmed enemies and made friends, and his honor was more to him than his money. When a bank in which he was a shareholder and director was in trouble—a trouble known to him, but not to the depositors—he came to the rescue with his whole fortune. Although his legal liability was only \$20,000, he poured in a million, and suffered heavy losses for the sake of saving small depositors, who, before he died, never even knew what they had been saved. Such a man, says Youth's Companion, deserves well of his country. It is fitting that the wheels should stop for a little space when he goes out.

About 100 miles of the street railways, or tramways, of London are owned and operated by the London county council. It is surprising to learn from the official balance sheet that the surplus remaining over operating expenses, interest on the debt, and other ordinary charges, amounted to less than \$50,000 during the year ended in March last. Treating the county council as a corporation seeking a dividend on the operation of its lines, there would have been only one-seventh of one per cent. for the shareholders. Considering the large profits of the street railway business in this country, and the facts that London is the largest city in the world, and that the tramways carried more than 200,000,000 passengers during the year reported, the result is not promising as a business proposition.

How foolishly some American newspapers jump at conclusions was well shown by the "war scare" created by the mikado's proclamation to the Japanese in the Hawaiian Islands. Because he urged them, "in the event of an emergency," to hold themselves ready to serve their country, it was at once concluded that the "emergency" was a coming war with this country. It developed, however, that the proclamation is one which has been issued annually in the same words, for a score of years, on the emperor's birthday, to all Japanese resident abroad, and is as perfunctory as the ordinary Thanksgiving proclamation in America. The Japanese have a keen sense of humor; they must find a good many unintended occasions for a smile.

A man who has been carrying a rubber tube in his lung for 20 years has just found it out. Some people are so constituted as not to mind trifles.

Missouri boasts a new society, "The United Veterans of the Civil War," made up of union and confederate soldiers. Missouri was on the borderland between north and south, and "brother against brother" was more than a figure of speech. The Missouri society may lead to a united grand army of blue and gray.

Oh, no, the milk dealers do not want to have their business all cream. Not at all. Ninety-five per cent cream would do for them.

LATEST NEWS OF MICHIGAN

THIRTY-YEAR LITIGATION OVER THE FERRY WILL IS ENDED.

MICHIGAN HEIR'S AWARD

Bits of News and Noteworthy Incidents Gathered Here and There About the State Briefly Told.

The ferry will case, which has been in litigation since the death in 1867 of William Montague Ferry, one of the first missionaries to the Indians in the Mackinac Island district, has been decided by the probate court of Ottawa county. Edward P. Ferry, of Salt Lake City, as executor, is ordered to pay to the Michigan Trust Co. on behalf of the other heirs, mostly residents of Ottawa county, the sum of \$916,355, or three-fourths of the original estate.

The court finds that Edward H. Ferry's accounting were not true, that the executor had not accounted for money and property that he had misappropriated large sums, that he had become mentally incompetent and had mismanaged the estate.

The Girl Won.

Having to get a guardian appointed over her in order that she might take Clyde Rosenbrook as a husband, was the experience of Miss Minnie M. Phelps, of Jackson.

"How old is the lady?" queried County Clerk Cunningham. "I am 17," she replied. "Have you the consent of your parents to marry?" asked the clerk. "No, my parents are dead."

"Who is your guardian?" "I haven't any."

"I can't issue you a license then until you have a guardian appointed and have the consent of the guardian to permit this young man to marry you. You will have to go into probate court to have the guardian appointed."

In Bed All Winter.

Going to bed with the advent of rigorous weather late in the fall and remaining there until the temperature moderates in the spring has been the voluntary and peculiar practice of Peter O'Connor, an old resident of Flint, for the last thirty years, according to his own statement. Mr. O'Connor is 87 years old and makes his home with a nephew. He has a pronounced aversion to cold weather, and at present is observing his usual custom of spending the winter ensconced in blankets on a cot located within a few feet of a stove in which a fire is constantly kept burning. He is in no sense an invalid, but on the contrary, has an unusual capacity for work for a man of his years. During warm weather O'Connor has a garden which he delights in cultivating, and he puts in a good deal of his time making himself otherwise useful.

Could Not Save Him.

As little Mahlon Hawley, aged 4 years, of Medina, was feeding the chickens a couple of days before New Year's, he slipped and fell in the icy yard, and some kernels of corn that he had in his mouth lodged in his throat. Medical aid was summoned at once, and the little fellow was worked over for hours, but his condition steadily became worse. He lingered on, suffering the greatest pain until January 1, when his father took him to Adrian for a consultation of physicians. Here it was decided that in an operation to save the life of the child, the only hope of saving the child's life. The operation was performed New Year's day, but the little fellow was unable to survive the shock, and passed away during the night.

Now They Are Sorry.

Quite a few of the delegates are not proud of the anti-cigarette proposal which was stamped through the constitutional convention. Some have had the courage to express their regrets, saying that they voted without giving the matter any consideration, but simply followed the absolute unanimity of running a proposition through the convention without giving all the parties interested an opportunity of being heard. When the proposal comes back from the committee on arrangements and phraseology a resolution will be introduced to send it back to the original committee in order that those who have a right to be heard may be given an opportunity.

Attacked His Housekeeper.

James Stanley, a farmer living about eight miles north of Fremont, attacked Amelia Dyer, his housekeeper, with an ax, inflicting wounds which it is believed will result in the woman's death. The trouble was the outgrowth of a quarrel over wages which the woman alleged were due her for services. Recently she started suit in the justice court to recover back salary.

"Bucksnot" Dan McPhail, the Muskegon county hermit, who will be 102 years old in March, has the walking fever and thinks that he could give Edward Payson Weston a good run in a pedestrian contest between Muskegon and Chicago.

Mrs. C. E. Atwood, of Dansville, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Romeyn M. Paine, in Mason. She came to Ingham county in 1845 and taught the first school in that vicinity when she was but 19 years old.

Mrs. Etta Person, of Juddville, was held to the circuit court on a charge of abandoning her child.

STATE NEWS IN BRIEF.

The lumber camp of Philip Johnson, of Oshtemo township, was destroyed by fire Friday.

Bay City police issued orders warning the gamblers who recently closed their places, not to reopen.

Eugene Perrault, aged 25, broke through the ice on Torch lake while skating and was drowned.

Registration figures of the U. of M. show a gain of 293 over the same date last year. The total is 4,526.

The board of supervisors decided to submit the local option question to St. Joseph county voters in April.

Alexander Baker, aged 30, a Michigan Central brakeman, was crushed between cars in Bay City and died.

David Dickie, an Orchard Lake farmer, was killed by a horse and found unconscious. He is in a critical condition.

Houghton county has 271 saloons according to County Treasurer Foley's report. Eighty are in the village of Red Jacket.

The newly organized state board of barbers' examiners collected \$24,096 from Michigan barbers for license fees in the past year.

To make room for a modern \$250,000 hotel, in Lansing, the Methodist church built in 1859 on Washington avenue, will be torn down.

Mrs. W. W. Johnson has donated \$5,000 to Petoskey for a site for a Carnegie library, saving the proposition from defeat by the voters.

Capt. Luke Wallis, 83, who mustered a company and went to the front at the outbreak of the civil war, died in Eaton Rapids Sunday night.

George L. Maltz, of Detroit, taken ill while visiting his daughter in Alpena, is some better. His case has been diagnosed as acute indigestion.

Edgbert Miller, a Grand Rapids drug clerk, was fined \$75 and costs, with an alternative of 90 days in jail for the confessed embezzlement of less than \$5.

John Smith, a St. Joseph laborer, has been told by his brother, Thomas Smith, of Muncie, Ind., that they share equally in a \$10,000 estate left by their mother.

Judge Clyde C. Chittenden, of the eighth judicial circuit, will resign before the next election and go to the Pacific coast, where he has extensive interests.

Rural free delivery carriers of many towns met in Twining and decided to ask the Michigan delegation to work for an increase to \$1,200 a year. They now receive \$900.

Held in jail in Flint awaiting trial for 133 days, Frank Newberry was sentenced to serve one day on a statutory offense. His long wait was taken into consideration.

R. C. Crawford, a St. Joseph grocerman, reputed to be a millionaire, has declared for local option in the county and offers to advance the cash for the "dry" campaign.

After attending a Christmas celebration in Escanaba, Robert Hachissee, aged 28, a woodsman, lay down in the snow partially intoxicated and went to sleep. He was frozen to death.

Andrew Berla, of Bay City, was shot and his skull fractured in a quarrel over Mary Ratkos. The girl's brothers, Andrew and Joseph, who objected to his attentions, are under arrest.

John Grissell, of Flint, attempted to get on a moving Grand Trunk passenger train at Imlay City, and fell under the wheels, breaking both legs below the knee and badly crushing his feet.

Peter Wellington, aged 55, of Point Edward, Ont., was crushed between an engine and some castings in the Grand Trunk shops in Port Huron and killed. The engine was one of those in the Lenox wreck.

Adolph Gereaux seemed much pleased when sent to jail in Bay City for 30 days for stealing a pair of shoes, which he says he took so that he might be sent to jail, and not sent to the poorhouse.

James Quirk, of Niles, was instantly killed while eating his New Year's dinner by Fred Schumacher, who lives in an adjoining room. Schumacher was examining a rifle and accidentally discharged it.

State Senator Frank L. Edinborough has formally announced his candidacy for the congressional nomination in the tenth district to succeed Rep. George A. Lord, to whom he was formerly private secretary.

After long wandering about the country, Edward J. Lee, alias John Thum, who says he escaped last January from the Jackson prison, gave himself up in Media. Pa. Warden Armstrong says he never heard of Lee.

President Roosevelt wrote Gov. Warner a personal letter expressing pleasure that Michigan will be represented at the Washington conference in May to discuss preservation of the country's natural resources. Gov. Warner will attend.

That the five trainmen killed in the collision last week between a Grand Trunk passenger train and two freight engines at Lenox "Y" came to their deaths by "the throwing of the switch by an unknown person" was the decision of the jury which has been sitting in the inquest before Justice Heath.

The question whether the cities of the state can establish pest houses for isolation of smallpox and other contagious disease cases outside their own limits is to be decided in a case from the Jackson county judicial circuit, of which notice of appeal to the township of Summit, adjacent to the city of Jackson, objects to the pest house situated within its limits and just outside of Jackson's limits.

On sufficient proof being shown to the court that her husband, DeForest H. Morrison, had compelled his wife to accompany him to a new place of residence 42 times during a married life of 22 years, Judge West issued a decree of divorce to Mrs. Margaret A. Morrison, of Lansing.

Despite the fact that the Jackson police gave the ultimatum of Mayor Glasgow no official cognizance, the town was closed as tight as a drum Sunday. Some say the board will not pay any attention to the order, while others say it will mean the closing of everything, even to the cigar stores.

From the State Capital

Information and Gossip Furnished by Special Correspondent at Lansing.

Lansing.—"What is a sausage?" is the question on the answer of which may depend the right of Armour & Co. to sell the product in Michigan. The decision will be given in the test case brought for the state by Food Commissioner Bird against three Kalamazoo grocers, but in which the real defendant is Armour & Co. of Chicago. The state had begun a number of suits in the different cities for infringement of the state pure food act, but it was agreed that the Kalamazoo case be made a test. The line of questioning indicates that the claim will be put forth that sausage has been made in the same manner for 20 years, and is not legally an adulteration.

Townsend in Interview. Congressman Charles E. Townsend was a Lansing visitor recently, and he indicated a strong personal preference for the nomination of Secretary Taft for the presidency in a conversation with a number of newspaper men.

At the same time he indicated his personal friendship for several of the other candidates, and his commendation of Speaker Joe Cannon was particularly sincere. "I think Mr. Taft will be nominated," said Mrs. Townsend, "and I feel that his selection would be wise. There is no use talking, a new era in politics is here, and the doctrine of the square deal is in the ascendency. Secretary Taft is a great man. His success in the Philippines, in Cuba and at Panama, in straightening out enormous difficulties stamps him as a man of great capacity and ability. His opponents have said that he is an understudy of the president, but I want to say that while his policies are largely those which the president has favored, Mr. Taft is not a mere imitator."



Charles E. Townsend.

Work of the Convention. The constitutional convention has resumed work after the holiday recess and, as the salary budget expires by limitation on January 31, much will have to be accomplished in order to complete the revision by that time. There will be very little smooth sailing and practically every proposal that comes up will be a subject for debate. The constitutional initiative proposition has attracted more attention than anything else. Every delegate has been anxious to learn whether sentiment has changed and a general comparing of notes is going on. As a matter of fact, a good many delegates have changed their ideas regarding the proposition and the prospects are that it may not pass. Some delegates came back with the conviction that if the proposal should get through it would arouse such a determined opposition that the revision would be defeated. The convention will take up the proposal relative to placing members of the legislature on a salaried basis, which may meet with favorable consideration, although destined to be opposed by delegates having former constituents. It is believed that if a fair salary is provided a much higher class of men will consent to become members.

Knox to Speak at Kalamazoo.

Senator P. C. Knox, of Pennsylvania, has accepted an invitation to make an address at the annual dinner of the Lincoln club, at Kalamazoo, on February 11. The invitation was tendered to Senator Knox through Senator Burrows some months ago, but as Mr. Knox has agreed to attend the Lincoln Day banquet of the Pittsburgh chamber of commerce on February 12, he could not promise to go to Kalamazoo until certain that he could get from there to Pittsburgh in time for the dinner on the following day. Senator Burrows has made arrangements by which Senator Knox will be able to fill both engagements. The subject of Mr. Knox's speech has not been announced.

Time Companies Combine.

The three large time companies in the vicinity of Petoskey have formed a combination which they say is not a trust, but which will serve to prevent the ruinous competition which has been severely felt during the hard times. The Northern Lime company of Grand Rapids, organized recently by representatives of the Michigan, Superior and the Elk Rapids companies, which are worth an aggregate of \$150,000, according to a recent appraisal of the individual business.

Exhibit Portraits of Judges.

The Monroe County Bar association held its banquet in Monroe. The occasion was the presentation of portraits of all the circuit judges who have presided in Monroe county since the institution of the judicial system in 1845. Judge Lockwood obtained pictures of all the judges, beginning with Warner-Wing, and had copies made and framed, uniform in size and style. They were accepted by Judge London, after which the various members of the bar gave brief biographical sketches.

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Rod Men May Sue M. A. C.

Because a bulletin issued by the M. A. C. last summer and sent to 45,000 farmers in the state recommended that farmers put up lightning rods then selves, rod companies feel aggrieved and may commence damage suits against the college for loss of business.

Would Let State Pay for Hall.

In connection with the committee appointed by the Detroit common council to promote the plan to build a music hall and auditorium, Capt. George C. Waldo has explained how the city can obtain a \$130,000 state appropriation. He calls attention to the fact that at the special session of the legislature a bill was passed appropriating \$10,000 a year for the erection of armories for divisions of the state National guard. Each division is entitled to \$10,000 and Detroit has 13 divisions. It is said that Grand Rapids companies are planning to land the first appropriation. It would require a few years to secure the entire \$130,000 because not more than \$40,000 a year is appropriated for all the divisions in Michigan. It is proposed to use the armory as a convention hall, for which there is great need in a city that draws so large a number of conventions as does Detroit.

To Fight Tariff Measure.

The flaut by the beet and cane sugar men of the country against the Philippine tariff bill, submitted to congress a second time as Secretary of War Taft's special measure, begins soon. Chairman Payne of the ways and means committee of the house having notified the sugar men that the measure will be considered. Carman N. Smith of Bay City, president of the Michigan Sugar Producers' association, representing every factory in the state, will again head the Michigan, Wisconsin, Minnesota and Ohio beet sugar men in the protest before the committee against the reduction of the tariff on Philippine sugar. He will divide leadership with Truman G. Palmer of Chicago, representing the Oxnard factories in California, Utah and Colorado, and D. D. Colecock of New Orleans, representing the American Cane Sugar Growers' association and the Louisiana Sugar exchange.

Watched Adrian's Growth.

Mrs. Maria L. Beecher, of Adrian, is dead after having lived to see Adrian grow from a mere clump of log houses to a flourishing city of fine homes and thriving industries. She saw the old tavern conducted by her father supplanted by the jail, and the old Erie & Kalamazoo railroad depot, across the street, give way to the courthouse. Later Mrs. Beecher saw the home where she lived after her marriage to Mr. Beecher in 1846, replaced by a handsome Y. M. C. A. building. Her mind remained clear to the last and she could narrate interesting anecdotes about Adrian when it was in its infancy. Mrs. Beecher was born in Ithaca, N. Y., and came to Adrian with her father, Perkins Bartlett, in 1836, and had lived here ever since. She married Robert R. Beecher in 1846 and he gained a state reputation as an attorney and was judge of probate for many years.

Plan for G. O. P. Session.

The upper peninsula has begun to plan for the Republican convention at Chicago. The two district delegates may be William H. Johnston of Ishpeming and Chase S. Osborn of Sault Ste. Marie. Capt. Johnston is in charge of the mining interests, has shown himself to be public-spirited and, while not seeking political honors, has taken practical interest in matters pertaining to the iron country. Chase S. Osborn is a well known man in Michigan and his intimate connection with state affairs for many years, his friends say, bethinks him for a seat in the national convention. Not one of these men is an officeholder. The sentiment of the upper peninsula is that the officeholders will best serve the interests of their constituents by leaving the larger affairs to be looked after by others.

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Amusements in Detroit.

Week Ending January 11, 1908.

TEMPLE THEATRE AND WONDERLAND. Afternoons 2:15, 10 to 12. Evings 8:15, 10 to 12. "THE FUTURETY WIN-NEB."

WHITNEY OPERA HOUSE. Matinee daily except Wednesday. 10c, 35c, 50c. LIFE OF AN ACTRESS.

LYCEUM THEATRE. Every Night. Mat. 2:15, 7:30. Ev. 8:15, 10:15. WILLIAMS AND WALKER in "BANDANA LAND."

LAFAYETTE. Matinee Sun., Tues., Thurs. and Sat. Prices 25c, 50c, 10c and 75c. All Matinees except Sunday 25c. BLUE JEANS.

The Yellow Peril.

The unexplained arrival of 200 Japanese in Vancouver and the prospect of an influx of 1,200 from Honolulu add to the alarm there since Japan knifed three city firemen. The 300 Japanese came from coast logging camps, some even from the American side of the boundary. Officers of the Asiatic Exclusion league are much perturbed by their coming.

Steamers are being engaged to bring the 1,200 Japs from Hawaii. Technically the paternal Japanese government cannot prevent the coming of these Japanese to British Columbia for they are free agents once they have turned in their passports at the islands. With the Hawaiian and logging camp influx the Jap colony will be increased to 3,500.

Pettibone Acquitted.

An end of the prosecution of the men charged with the murder of former Gov. Frank Stuenkel, except the cases of Harry Orchard and Jack Simpkins, came today with the acquittal of George A. Pettibone and the discharge of Charles H. Moyer, president of the Western Federation of Miners, both charged with conspiracy with William D. Haywood to murder Stuenkel.

Moyer will return with Pettibone in a few days to Denver. Haywood was acquitted last summer, and Moyer will not be tried. Only two men on the Pettibone jury voted for conviction.

Two Were Hurt.

A work train on the Grand Rapids & Indiana railroad ran into a light engine in the Jackson yards on a curve Friday. Charles Taylor, engineer, sustained a broken leg, cuts and bruises. Fireman Gerot was badly cut. It was at first reported that a passenger train had been wrecked.

Under Martial Law.

The strike of street car men and continued rioting in Muncie, Ind., caused Governor Hanly to issue a martial law proclamation placing Maj. Gen. McKee in complete control. Troops arrived there called out by rioting Gen. McKee has 12 companies of infantry, one battery and details from the signal and hospital corps of the Indiana National Guard with him at Muncie. There are 8,000 men idle or on strike in Muncie and the car strike has been marked by much rioting.

Taft Men in Control.

The Republican state central committee tonight, after a protracted and lively session, decided to issue a call for state primaries to be held on February 11, and for a state convention to be held in Columbus on March 5, to select delegates to the Republican national convention.

The friends of William H. Taft, secretary of war, and candidate for the Republican nomination for president, were in control of the committee, casting 14 votes to 7 for the supporters of Senator Joseph B. Foraker, also an avowed candidate for the presidency. The vote stood 14 to 7 on every proposition which required a roll call, except the selection of a temporary chairman for the state convention.

Tired of Him Now.

The countess of Yarmouth, who was formerly Miss Alice Thaw, of Pittsburg, sister of Harry Thaw, has begun suit in London for the nullification of her marriage to the earl of Yarmouth.

The case is entered in the defended list for trial at the coming sittings of the divorce court.

It has been well known that the earl and countess have not been happy together, but a good deal of surprise is expressed that the earl should have begun a suit for annulment, instead of for divorce.

Left Unburied.

Because the people in the vicinity feared to touch it, the casket of Jas. Louis, a diphtheria victim, lay beside a grave in the cemetery in Superior township for two days. The casket was taken there by an Ann Arbor undertaker, who had charge of it. The grave was too narrow and the undertaker's men left it beside the grave and returned to Ann Arbor. Residents of the vicinity were indignant about the matter, but none of them would approach the coffin.

"The casket was taken there Sunday," said the undertaker. "The grave was too narrow and my men left it there until it could be enlarged. It was so stormy Monday that I could not get anyone to go out, but I sent a man Tuesday and the casket was buried."

The Railway Slaughter.

During the 12 months of 1907, 161 persons were killed on Michigan railroad and electric lines and 521 injured. The D. U. R. in the city of Detroit heads the list with the largest number killed, 47 persons having met death and 89 having been injured. The Pere Marquette had the greatest number of victims of the railroads, due to the Salem wreck, a total of 40 having been killed. The Grand Trunk is second with 11 dead and the Michigan Central, considering its mileage, shows the least number, 11 killed and 13 injured.

THE MARKETS.

Detroit.—Cattle.—Extra dry-fed steers and heifers, \$5.00 to 5.25; good steers and heifers, \$4.75 to 5.00; fair steers and heifers, \$4.50 to 4.75; poor steers and heifers, \$4.25 to 4.50; calves, \$5.00 to 5.25; good calves, \$4.75 to 5.00; fair calves, \$4.50 to 4.75; poor calves, \$4.25 to 4.50; cows, \$4.50 to 4.75; good cows, \$4.25 to 4.50; fair cows, \$4.00 to 4.25; poor cows, \$3.75 to 4.00; pigs, \$4.00 to 4.25; good pigs, \$3.75 to 4.00; fair pigs, \$3.50 to 3.75; poor pigs, \$3.25 to 3.50; chickens, \$3.00 to 3.25; good chickens, \$2.75 to 3.00; fair chickens, \$2.50 to 2.75; poor chickens, \$2.25 to 2.50; turkeys, \$3.00 to 3.25; good turkeys, \$2.75 to 3.00; fair turkeys, \$2.50 to 2.75; poor turkeys, \$2.25 to 2.50; ducks, \$2.00 to 2.25; good ducks, \$1.75 to 2.00; fair ducks, \$1.50 to 1.75; poor ducks, \$1.25 to 1.50; geese, \$2.00 to 2.25; good geese, \$1.75 to 2.00; fair geese, \$1.50 to 1.75; poor geese, \$1.25 to 1.50; hogs, \$3.00 to 3.25; good hogs, \$2.75 to 3.00; fair hogs, \$2.50 to 2.75; poor hogs, \$2.25 to 2.50; sheep, \$2.00 to 2.25; good sheep, \$1.75 to 2.00; fair sheep, \$1.50 to 1.75; poor sheep, \$1.25 to 1.50; lambs, \$2.00 to 2.25; good lambs, \$1.75 to 2.00; fair lambs, \$1.50 to 1.75; poor lambs, \$1.25 to 1.50; butter, \$1.00 to 1.25; good butter, \$0.75 to 1.00; fair butter, \$0.50 to 0.75; poor butter, \$0.25 to 0.50; eggs, \$1.00 to 1.25; good eggs, \$0.75 to 1.00; fair eggs, \$0.50 to 0.75; poor eggs, \$0.25 to 0.50; corn, \$1.00 to 1.25; good corn, \$0.75 to 1.00; fair corn, \$0.50 to 0.75; poor corn, \$0.25 to 0.50; wheat, \$1.00 to 1.25; good wheat, \$0.75 to 1.00; fair wheat, \$0.50 to 0.75; poor wheat, \$0.25 to 0.50; oats, \$1.00 to 1.25; good oats, \$0.75 to 1.00; fair oats, \$0.50 to 0.75; poor oats, \$0.25 to 0.50; barley, \$1.00 to 1.25; good barley, \$0.75 to 1.00; fair barley, \$0.50 to 0.75; poor barley, \$0.25 to 0.50; rye, \$1.00 to 1.25; good rye, \$0.75 to 1.00; fair rye, \$0.50 to 0.75; poor rye, \$0.25 to 0.50; clover, \$1.00 to 1.25; good clover, \$0.75 to 1.00; fair clover, \$0.50 to 0.75; poor clover, \$0.25 to 0.50; alfalfa, \$1.00 to 1.25; good alfalfa, \$0.75 to 1.00; fair alfalfa, \$0.50 to 0.75; poor alfalfa, \$0.25 to 0.50; hay, \$1.00 to 1.25; good hay, \$0.75 to 1.00; fair hay, \$0.50 to 0.75; poor hay, \$0.25 to 0.50; straw, \$1.00 to 1.25; good straw, \$0.75 to 1.00; fair straw, \$0.50 to 0.75; poor straw, \$0.25 to 0.50; wood, \$1.00 to 1.25; good wood, \$0.75 to 1.00; fair wood, \$0.50 to 0.75; poor wood, \$0.25 to 0.50; coal, \$1.00 to 1.25; good coal, \$0.75 to 1.00; fair coal, \$0.50 to 0.75; poor coal, \$0.25 to 0.50; oil, \$1.00 to 1.25; good oil, \$0

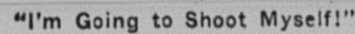
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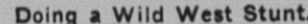
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emply—there was no stain on the matting—and no sign of the traces that had just taken place in front of me. My husband said that he had been wakened out of a sound sleep by the noise of the shot, and when told him what I had seen we searched the house together. Neither the putukah coffee, who was sleeping on the veranda, nor the servants, whose houses were close by in the compound, had heard anything. Even the dogs chained in the veranda had not been disturbed. It all happened suddenly that I had no feeling of fright or terror. The man seemed to come from the direction of my house.



The bungalow, it seems, had stood empty for some years after the tragedy and had then been occupied only at odd intervals during cold weather.

When it was decided to dispose of the unruly guest young Albertson was sent upstairs to bring him down.



his new home was concerned with he began to hurl cups and saucers of Haviland china at the children. This showed a lack of discrimination that was not to be endured. Had animal chosen tinware he probably would have been basking in the comforts of the Albertson home to-day. But his tastes were too expensive.

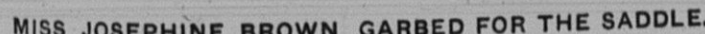
The station agent saw her prominent as the train passed, and telegraphed to Convoise, where she was flagged and the young woman rescued. She had clung for ten minutes to the rail with one hand, holding the suitcase in the other. She suffered intensely from cold and fright, but soon recovered.

"You take out my leetle meter and put in that big box," he observed. "Big box makes lots of leetle gas. Leetle box makes leetle gas. I use leetle box again."

He got it and paid higher bill because he was using more gas, but he was satisfied.

When "Abe" Hummel, the convicted lawyer, was sent disgraced and vilified to serve a year's sentence in the felon's cell on Blackwell's Island there were many of his friends who came forward to tell of his deeds of kindness during his years of suffering and foremost among them was Miss Brown.

Became Girl's Patron.
Her skill on the violin, even more



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ADDITIONAL LOCAL EVENTS.

Ed. Vogel was a Detroit visitor Wednesday.

J. H. Hollis left the first of the week for Chicago.

Wm. Yocum, of Manchester, was a Chelsea visitor Tuesday.

Chas. Miller and wife, of Jackson, were Chelsea visitors Sunday.

Warren Whipple, of Battle Creek, visited relatives here the past week.

Mrs. J. F. Allen, of Santa Ana, California, is the guest of Chelsea friends.

Ed. Uphaus, of Manchester, is a guest at the home of J. Hummel and family.

F. G. Nelson, of Lansing, spent the first of the week with Chelsea relatives.

John Friemuth and wife were guests of Jackson relatives and friends the past week.

Mrs. Anna E. Sears left Monday for Boynton, Florida, where she will spend some time.

George Ahnemiller and wife, of Chicago, are guests at the home of G. Ahnemiller.

Howard Conk, of Gregory, spent several days of the past week with Chelsea relatives.

John Sprowles and granddaughter, of Hillsdale, visited relatives in Chelsea and Lima last week.

Mrs. Geo. Irwin returned Tuesday from a three weeks visit with her children in Chicago.

Ed. Doll and family, of Lyndon, were guests at the home of Henry Lammers, of Grass Lake, last Saturday.

Simon Weber and family, of Sylvan, were guests at the home of Henry Lammers, of Grass Lake, Saturday.

W. G. Kempf, of Hillsdale, spent several days of the past week at the home of his parents, C. H. Kempf and wife.

Chas. Currier and wife, who have been spending the past month with Sharon and Manchester relatives have returned to their Chelsea home.

The board of commerce of Ann Arbor is trying to induce the Order of Gleaners to locate their general offices in that city. At present the headquarters of order is located in Caro, Michigan.

The Majestic theater, of Ann Arbor, owned by C. A. Sauer, and managed by Fred T. McOmber, is a very attractive playhouse, and pronounced by all who have seen it a great success from an architectural as well as artistic standpoint. The new theater is on Maynard street, near the U. of M., and it will undoubtedly be liberally patronized by the students.

The grand opening of the New Whitney Theatre will be on Wednesday, January 15, with B. C. Whitney's musical winner, "The Knight for a Day," the same company playing in Chicago at the New Whitney Opera House, this company comes to Ann Arbor to open the theatre and returns to Chicago to resume its long and prosperous run in the "Windy City," where it has been since last March the 30th.

E. Farmer the reliable agent for Hollerbach and A. B. Cameron pianos was in town yesterday and delivered to E. E. Winans the finest Hollerbach piano that ever came to Chelsea. Mr. Farmer says this piano has many new and valuable improvements one of which is the Billings brass flange action which is a favorite to the piano trade in general. Mr. Winans did wisely in selecting this beautiful instrument.

A Little Mixed.

Mr. Smart—Don't you think Poeticus weakens his work by so much alliteration?

Mrs. Malaprop—Yes, but in these ingenious days you can't get anything that is pure or strong. People alliterate everything.

In the Language.

"Some one has said that a kiss is the language of love," remarked the young man in the parlor scene.

"Well," rejoined the fair maid on the far end of the sofa, "why don't you get busy and say something?"

The Reason.

She—"My! that was a heavy play!"

He—"Perhaps it was on account of the stage waits."

CORRESPONDENCE.

LIMA CENTER.

The church steeple has been removed.

Archie Coe has returned from New York state.

Mrs. Ella Eaton spent part of last week in Ypsilanti.

There will be a dance at the town hall on Friday evening of this week.

Born, January 3, 1908, to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wenk, a ten pound boy.

Miss T. Weinman, of Ann Arbor, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. T. Weinman.

Jay Clark, of Salem, was the guest of Miss Bertha Wilson Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Hammond received a box of oranges from her son, Harry, from California.

FRANCISCO.

Henry Goodrich and wife, of Detroit, visited relatives here last week.

Mrs. Herman Fahrner, of Lima, was the guest of her parents over Sunday.

Rev. J. E. Beal is spending this week at the home of his parents in Bucyrus, O.

Mrs. L. Gieske and granddaughter of Chelsea, visited at the home of H. Gieske last week.

Frank Nicolai, of Hopkins, was the guest of R. Kruse and family several days of the past week.

Fred Mack and wife, of Lansing, were guests at the home of Henry Musbach several days of the past week.

George Havens and wife, of Barry county, are visiting their daughter, Mrs. John Miller, and other relatives in this vicinity.

The installation of the officers of Cavanaugh Lake Grange will take place January 14, instead of January 13, as published last week.

NORTH LAKE.

Miss Blanche Lewick spent some time here Friday.

Miss Mary Deering, of Jackson is visiting friends here.

Mr. Waite, of Dexter spent Friday in this neighborhood.

Word reaches here that the Unadilla band has disbanded.

C. M. Burkhart returned to his position at Eaton Rapids Saturday.

The young people met on the lake here for a skating party Monday evening.

The blacksmith must be making big money shoeing horses these slippery times.

Miss Mildred Daniels left for Ypsilanti, Tuesday, to resume her studies in the Normal College.

Elbridge Gordon returned to school at Albion Tuesday after a short visit with friends here.

Clarence Teachout and wife left for Lansing the last of the past week taking many remembrances with them.

A bunch of flowers reached here from Mrs. Emma Webb, of California Saturday. She gathered them in the yard Christmas. She is well pleased with California.

F. W. Corbett, of Adrian, a lecturer of national reputation will address the people at North Lake on Friday evening, January 10th. A large audience is expected to be present.

A double wedding is being arranged for the early spring, not far from here. A quartette after the serenade. A spanking chorus later on. The names of the contracting parties will be announced all in good time.

A meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society held at the home of F. A. Glenn, Monday evening of last week the following officers were elected for the coming year: President, Mrs. O. P. Noah; vice president, Mrs. Samuel Schultz; secretary, Mrs. P. E. Noah; treasurer, Mrs. E. W. Daniels.

Revised Proverb.

Some women think that the proverb ought to read: "Ask your wife, to make sure that you are right and then go ahead."

Odorous.

"Trade is dead," says a Cape Cod newspaper, "and is daily getting worse."

SHARON.

Mrs. Graber, of Francisco, visited friends here last week.

Eugene Furgason, of Clinton, visited with friends here last week.

Mrs. Sam Smith, of Manchester, visited her mother, Mrs. Merriam Sunday.

Misses Mabel Lemm and Clara Reno spent one day of the past week in Jackson.

Miss Gladys Furgason, of Iron Creek, visited her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Alvord, last week.

Clarence Hall and wife entertained a company of friends last Friday evening. An enjoyable time is reported.

Chris Oberschmidt after making an extensive visit here among his relatives and friends has returned to his home in Highgrove, Cal.

Mrs. Fred Lehman entertained a number of relatives Friday evening in honor of her niece, Miss Jessie Leeman, of Williamston. Light refreshments were served and the evening was very pleasantly spent.

LYNDON.

Leek & McKune dressed a large amount of poultry the past week.

The game of hockey seems to be quite a pastime with the boys this winter.

The Lyndon cheese factory closed for the reason on the last of December.

Henry and Raymond McKune spent a few days last week visiting in Ann Arbor.

John R. Clark bought an engine from Peter Gorman and brought it home on Friday.

Thos. Stanfield has been laid up for the past week or more from an injury to his knee.

Township Treasurer E. Heatley took taxes for the last time at the town hall on Friday last.

Denny and Emmett Donahue and sister, Rose, of Ypsilanti, spent last week with relatives here.

John W. Howlett and wife spent Friday last visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Emmons, of Waterloo.

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. McKune on Sunday last call on Mr. and Mrs. M. Stapish. Mrs. Stapish is still quite sick.

Mrs. W. J. Howlett spent Saturday and Sunday at the home of her brother, Geo. B. Goodwin, and family.

Miss Anna McKune, who attends the store and telephone for L. L. Gorton, of Waterloo, was home over Sunday.

Miss Jennie M. Winslow, teacher at the Center, resumed school again on Monday last after a two weeks' vacation.

On Friday evening last a jolly party of young folks gathered at the home of Miss Nellie Young and had a grand social time.

Frank Leach, of Chelsea, made a tour of Lyndon on Saturday last and bought a good quantity of fat hogs and other stock.

The sympathy of this community goes out to Mr. and Mrs. George B. Goodwin in their sad bereavement at the death of their little daughter, Nina, which occurred on Sunday last.

Miss Agnes Cunningham, of Hobart, Ind., who has been spending some time with her sister, Mrs. Sorter and family, in Detroit, is now visiting her sister, Mrs. John Clark and family.

Farmers who have been feeding high-priced corn to low-priced hogs, with the hope of a rise in hog prices, are beginning to despair of the rise materializing in the near future, and are letting go their hogs.

The Wheeler boys and sister, Mary, of Dexter township, drove out to spend New Year's day with their uncle, John Young, and family, and while there one of their team, a valuable horse, took sick and died.

Mr. and Mrs. Barton, who were delegates to the state grange, installed the officers of Lafayette grange on Friday last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. T. English. They went to Ypsilanti on Saturday and installed the officers of Ypsilanti grange.

Battered Heroes.

"What do you suppose makes the girls go so wild over the football players in preference to other young men?"

"I suppose it's a woman's passion for romancers."

The Slowpoke.

"Isn't Dubble the back number, though? He's begun now to take up the study of Jujitsu."

"That so? How's he making out?"

"Wonderfully for him. He has almost learned how to pronounce it."

NORTH SHARON.

Communion services were held at the school house Sunday.

Edgar Holden visited relatives in Detroit the first of the week.

Carlos Dorr, wife and daughter, visited at the home of Elmer Gage, Sunday.

Miss Mabel and Robert Lemm spent Saturday with George Askew and wife.

Orlando Gray, of Manchester, visited friends here several days of last week.

Prof. Fred Irwin has returned to Detroit after spending his vacation with his parents here.

Ashley Holden and wife attended the family reunion held at the home of H. J. Lehman last Saturday.

Obituary.

May Aleen Congdon, daughter of Alfred R. and Susie Pierce Congdon, was born in Ann Arbor February 2, 1878, and died at the homestead of her maternal grandfather, December 28, 1907, of heart failure. Her parents came to Chelsea when May was four years of age and her early youth was passed in that place. For the last eight years her home has been in Ypsilanti. Though quiet and retiring in the presents of strangers among her intimate friends her ready wit and other pleasant social qualities made her welcome in any company with which she mingled. She was beloved of many hearts, and those who knew her best loved her most.

Of a hopeful and cheerful disposition, always seeing the brightest and best side of everything, she was a joy in her home and will be sadly missed by her parents, her two brothers and sister, relatives and friends. Three weeks before her death she came to Chelsea to spend a few weeks with her aunts and to receive medical treatment. She was very much relieved of some of the distressing accompaniments of her disease, though its nature gave little hope of any permanent relief. On the day of her death she was very bright and cheerful, and said she had not felt so well in a long time. In the afternoon of that day she suddenly and painlessly passed away.

The funeral was held at Chelsea Wednesday afternoon, interment in Oak Grove cemetery. Beautiful floral offerings were sent by her many friends in Chelsea, Ypsilanti, Jackson, Ann Arbor and Dexter, for which the family wish to extend their heartfelt thanks.

AS SUBSTITUTE FOR FOOTBALL.

Writer Suggests That Plowing Matches Would Be Advisable.

A plowing match will help to interest boys in farming, and perhaps be quite as profitable in the end as a football match. A plowing match is managed by measuring off equal tracts to be plowed by each contestant, the time being noted at the start and a limited time allowed for finishing the track. The contest is to be judged by the straightness of the furrows, the evenness of the furrows both as to depth and width, and the amount of land plowed within the time limit, after which suitable prizes are awarded. Stock judging contests, butter making contests and butter scoring contests will all add interest and a desire to excel on the part of the pupil.

If a boy is of a mechanical turn, give him an introduction to farm mechanics. Experiments showing the influence of grade on the draft of a farm wagon may be made with a simple apparatus the boy could construct himself. It can also be easily shown how draft is influenced by the width of the tire as well as by the size of the wagon wheel, also the direction of line of draft and its influence on the draft of the wagon. Let a boy with a mechanical head make an apparatus for demonstrating the principles of levers, or let him make a working model of a farm pump.

Thus in various ways it is possible to show the boy who thinks he knows it all that he still has something to learn, and to show the plodding boy that there is much beside drudgery in the farm if he will but open his eyes.

—Southern Workman.

Uncle Remus vs. Ibsen.

From "Uncle Remus" Morris was always willing and eager to read aloud, or "Huck Finn," which he half-jestingly pronounced to be the greatest thing, whether in art or nature, that America had produced. For refinement of style, for subtle psychology in creation, he had but little taste. He could not admire either George Meredith or Stevenson. When he was introduced to Ibsen's plays and called on to join in admiring their union of accomplished dramatic craftsmanship with the most modern movement of ideas, they were dismissed by him with the terse and comprehensive criticism, "Very clever I must say."

From "The Life of William Morris," by J. W. MacKail.

How She Got In.

A lady accosted a little girl who was entering one of the fashionable New York flats where she knew the rules were exceedingly strict—and, after some little conversation, said:

"How does it come that you live in these flats? I thought they would not take in children. How did you get in?"

"Why," replied the child, "I was born in."

MADE THE CONGREGATION GASP.

Northerner's Liberty Astonished the Colored Brethren.

A northern gentleman, visiting in a southern village, attended church at a negro meeting house. When it came time for the collection to be taken, two deacons seated themselves beside a table before the pulpit, with the plate between them.

One by one the congregation rose, and stepping forward, deposited a cent or a nickel upon the plate before the eyes of the watchful deacons. When all the members had gone forward the northern man took a half-dollar from his pocket, and leaning forward and touching a negro on the shoulder, handed it to him and motioned toward the pulpit.

The colored brother rose with alacrity, but with eyes big with astonishment, and holding the coin between the tips of his fingers and extending it high in the air where all might see it, he marched slowly and ostentatiously forward.

He was about to deposit it on the plate when one of the deacons motioned and whispered to him. The effect was instantaneous. The coin-bearer lowered the coin out of the public gaze and stepped back to the donor.

"Please, sah," he said, in a low voice, "does you want some change back—and how much?"

The visitor shook his head. Again up went the coin, borne by a smiling negro, and with a clangor and an audible buzz of approval from the spectators, it fell into the plate.

Watched by the deacons, the preacher counted the funds. "The collection this morning amounts to 88 cents," he announced. "We will now enter upon a service of thanksgiving."

—Youth's Companion.

Object Lesson.

"If the rich of the West side think they have been hurt by the Wall street panic," said the East side dweller, "let them come down one cold and drizzly Saturday morning and look at the pushcart market in the rain. The wet fruit, the dripping paper bags, the drenched carpet slippers only half protected by the dripping oil cloth, the ruined neckties, the rustling tins, the spoiled suspenders. But more than all they should see the people who try to make their living selling these infinitesimal, sometimes almost worthless things, looking on at the ruin of their merchandise from the shelter of doorways, of cellar doors, of the half-protecting roof of the elevated if they happen to be near one, rushing wildly out from these poor shelters at the slightest show of an inclination on the part of the passer to buy."

—N. Y. Press.

Noble Living.

Life is a great word. It is a larger word than religion or goodness or character. Fullness of life—that is what we want. In our efforts toward right living, we often fail, not for want of a pure and strong purpose, but because we have not in ourselves enough vital force to give effect to our purpose. We are like an engine which does not do its work well, because it has not a sufficient head of steam on. The secret of noble and joyful living lies largely in putting ourselves in steady communication with the reservoirs divinely set for the supply of man's soul.—George S. Merriam.

Cider the National Drink.

When a traveler enters a tavern in Rouen, France, or any of the towns or villages about it, cider is brought to him as a matter of course; it is the universal drink. Unfortunately the ordinary brand is not first-class. The status of cider as a local beverage is illustrated by the fact that the cider press was carried as the emblem of local industry in a pageant organized in 1892 to commemorate the entry of Louis de Brezes, grand senechal of Normandy, into Rouen in 1526.

The Girl Did It.

The latest invention in kites is one made like a box, with both ends open, and it has no tail. It will fly higher and with less breeze than any other kite made.

Of course, you are ready to say that it is the invention of a man or boy; but such is not the fact. It was invented by a German girl 21 years old, and it is said that she is making lots of money out of it.

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It Was Real.

"What a beautiful piece of mistletoe you have on the chandelier, Miss Clara!"

"Yes, Mr. Stimpkins, it is; but do you know, I'm afraid it's not genuine."

Just at this point she discovered that it was, and the conversation ended.

Not Worrying Now.

LONG—By the way, old man, you are looking a hundred per cent. better than you did this time last year. Are you feeling good?

SHORT—You bet I am. A year ago I was worrying about my debts.

LONG—All paid now, eh?

SHORT—No; but they have increased until there is no use in trying to pay, so I've cut out the worry.

SAYS MANY WOMEN ARE BALD.

Hairdresser Refutes Idea Which Has Become General.

"Why is it men get bald and women don't?"

At this question the hairdresser laughed.

"My dear sir," he said, "there are quite as many bald women as men. In fact, I incline to believe that there are more."

He pointed to the switches, curls, fringes, and complete female wigs in his window.

"Why should those things exist if women didn't get bald?" he said. "The hairdresser puts in all his spare time in making false hair contrivances, and nine out of ten of them are made for women. Well, woman wouldn't wear them if she didn't need them, would she?"

"When man gets bald, he acknowledges frankly this injury that the years have done him; he lets all the world see his bare and hideous white scalp. But when woman gets bald, she brings up over her bald spot the long locks above her ears and at the back of her neck, and she further conceals her baldness with a switch, or false curls, or a fringe, or whatever best suits her."

"Yes, take a hairdresser's word for it, woman's hair is no better than man's—there are as many bald women as men—but woman hides her baldness, whereas man lets his be seen."

MORE WORK FOR THE LAWYER.

Legal Light Explains Why He Had Doubled His Fee.

Five years ago a certain man made a will. Last week he made another one. The same lawyer drew up both documents. For writing the second will the lawyer charged twice as much as for writing the first one.

"Why this difference?" asked the client. "Have you attained such prominence in the legal profession in the last five years that you are justified in doubling your fees?"

"Not at all," said the lawyer. "There was twice as much work on this will as on your old one. You see, at that time you were a married man and your will was short, for with the exception of a few minor bequests everything was left to your wife. Changes in your domestic relations have made another will necessary. You are now a bachelor, or a bachelor's equivalent, a childless widower. It is much harder to write a will for a man of that type than for a married man. The man with a family usually gives away everything he possesses in three or four clauses, but the bachelor divides his property among so many relatives, friends and dependents and consumes so much time in doing it that the lawyer is justified in charging him double the usual fee."

Compliment That Touched.

When Sir Joshua Reynolds was painting the portrait of Mrs. Billington (an entrancing singer in her day) in the character of St. Cecilia listening to the celestial music on high, she took with her the great composer, Haydn, and showed him the picture.

"It is like," said Haydn, "but there is a strange mistake. 'What is that?' hastily asked Reynolds. 'You have painted her listening to the angels; you ought to have painted the angels listening to her.'"

"Mrs. Billington sprang up and threw her arms around my neck," added Haydn. "What woman with a soul in her would not, and have clinched it with a hearty hug?"

A Friendly Tip.

"Do you think, sweetheart," queried the young man with the evenly divided hair, as he shifted the fair maid from one knee to the other, "that your father will consent to our marriage?"

"Well," replied the fair one, "of course, papa will be sorry to lose me, but—"

"But," interrupted the rash youth, "I will remind him that, instead of losing a daughter, he will gain a son."

"Dearest," rejoined the wise maid, "if you really want me you mustn't say anything of the kind. Papa has three such sons boarding with him now and he's a little touchy on the subject."

Said by the Master Cynic.

Every nation mocks at other nations, and all are right.—Schopenhauer.

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LOCAL ITEMS.

Mrs. D. H. Glass is reported as being ill.

J. L. Sibley has sold his potato crop to R. A. Snyder, who is shipping them to out-of-town parties.

The Bay View Reading Circle will meet at the home of Mrs. John R. Gates Monday evening.

The Ladies' Research Club will meet at the home of Mrs. L. P. Vogel next Monday evening.

The Bay View Reading Circle were entertained at the home of Mrs. M. Boyd, Monday evening.

There will be a regular meeting of the L. O. T. M. M. next Tuesday evening. There will be an initiation.

The Quadrangle Club was entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Cummings Wednesday evening.

There is a movement on foot in Ann Arbor to establish a four-mile limit for the saloons in that city.

The members of the Young Men's Social Club will have a dance in their room on Friday evening of this week.

Mrs. Samuel Bohnet will entertain the young ladies of St. Paul's church at her home on west Middle street next Monday evening.

Rev. H. John Vine, pastor of the Gregory Baptist church, conducted the services in the Chelsea Baptist church Sunday evening.

The W. R. C. will install their recently elected officers at 2 o'clock, Friday afternoon, of this week. Every member of Corps is requested to be present.

The Standard-Herald has received a very pretty calendar from the Michigan Agricultural College, which shows a number of the buildings used by the college.

According to the new telephone directory, which was distributed by Manager Dunn this week, there are 518 subscribers connected with the local telephone exchange.

Rev. M. Lee Grant was called to Springfield, Ohio, Wednesday by the death of his grandmother. Mr. Grant expects to return to his Chelsea home Saturday of this week.

Under the auspices of Cavanaugh Lake Grange, a one-day Farmers' Institute will be held in that vicinity on Thursday, February 6th. An interesting program is being prepared for the day.

The Chelsea team of bowlers who went to Detroit and played with the Higgins team of that city, last Saturday evening, won two of the three games. The Higgins team gave a fine banquet to the visiting team.

The Gleaners of North Lake, will hold an open meeting and install officers in the hall on Tuesday evening, January 14th. The ladies will serve an oyster supper. Price, adults 10 cents, children 5 cents. Everybody invited.

John A. Sullivan, of Lyndon, left Tuesday for Sandwich, Ont., where he will take up a course of studies in Assumption College. He was accompanied by his father, M. D. Sullivan, who will remain with him for a few days.

Mrs. Emily Spencer, of Chelsea, has the distinction of being a great-grandmother, a daughter having been born to her great-granddaughter, who is a resident of Iowa. Mrs. Spencer will be 90 years of age within a short time.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Arnold, John Parker, Finley Hammond and family were entertained last Friday evening by Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hammond in commemoration of their eighth wedding anniversary. At a late hour a light lunch was served.

Died, Sunday, January 5, 1908, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. B. Goodwin, of Lyndon, Nina, aged six years. The child had been ill for some time past. The funeral was held from the house Wednesday. Interment, North Waterloo cemetery.

A one-day Farmers' Institute will be held in Chelsea on Saturday, February 8th. State speaker, Wesley Schlicher and other prominent institute workers will be present. A good program for occasion is being arranged. The subjects will be published in The Standard-Herald in the near future.

A way-car on a west bound freight was partially destroyed by fire about 11:30 o'clock Tuesday night. The train had been stopped near the water tank and the train crew was at work trying to cool a hot box on a car which was near the engine, when the fire was discovered. An alarm was turned in and the local fire department responded promptly and soon had the flames under control. The blaze is supposed to have caught from the stove in the way-car.

Oscar Laubengayer conducted the services in St. Paul's church New Year's eve.

The Ladies' Research Club met at the home of Mrs. J. S. Cummings Monday evening.

There were fifty deaths and forty-seven births in this county during the month of November.

There will be a regular meeting of Olive Chapter, No. 108, O. E. S. Wednesday evening, January 15th.

The Detroit Journal is sending out a very handsome calendar for 1908 entitled the "Carriers Greeting."

Theodore Buehler and family are making arrangements to move to the farm of the late Jacob Buehler, of Lyndon.

County Clerk Harkins has issued a marriage license to John F. Stein, of Seio, and Miss Anna K. Stollsteimer, of Seio.

The Ann Arbor railroad has discontinued all Sunday trains both north and south. This order went into effect last Sunday.

According to the records in County Clerk Harkins office 366 marriage licenses were issued by that official during the year of 1907.

Wm. Burkhardt had a 11½ pound pickerel on exhibition in Chelsea, Saturday, which he caught in one of the near-by lakes.

Rev. and Mrs. Seth Reed and Rev. D. H. Glass were in Detroit Monday where they attended a meeting of the board of managers of the Old Peoples' Home.

Adolph F. Schmidt, of Lima, and Miss Katherine H. Merz were united in marriage at the home of the bride's parents in Bridgewater, the past week. The young couple will reside in Lima.

A new order went into effect Monday night of this week, which places three operators in charge of the local telephone office. Under the new arrangement each operator works eight hours.

Married, Tuesday evening, December 24, 1907, at the home of the bride's parents, Miss Lucille Beals, of Jackson, and Mr. Almarion B. Skinner, Jr., of Chelsea. The young couple will make their home on the Skinner farm in Sylvan.

Chairman Diekema has issued a call for a meeting of the Republican state central committee in the Morton house, Grand Rapids, at 2 p. m. February 12th. This meeting will set the date for the state convention to elect delegates at large to the national convention.

County Drain Commissioner Runciman was in Ann Arbor Friday where he turned over the office he has so creditably filled for the past two years to the new commissioner, Wilbur Jarvis, of Salem, who was elected to the office by the board of supervisors at their October session.

The tenth annual meeting of the Northwestern Washtenaw Farmers' Mutual Fire Insurance Co., will be held in the town hall, Chelsea, at one o'clock Wednesday afternoon, January 15th, for the purpose of electing a president, secretary, and directors for the townships of Sylvan and Lyndon.

Oliyer M. Martin, of Ann Arbor, an undertaker, who left the casket of Frank Lewis, who died with diphtheria, beside the grave for 36 hours in the Leland cemetery, Northfield, because the grave was too narrow, was fined \$8.70. The complaint was made by Supervisor George Gerlack.

According to the annual report of the Washtenaw Mutual Fire Insurance Co. there is a membership of 3,187. The capital stock is \$5,270,530. The resources \$5,270,793.70. Total receipts for the year 1907, \$23,486.29. Total disbursements for the year was \$23,365.18. The cash balance on hand December 31, 1907 was \$121.11.

The Washtenaw Mutual Fire Insurance Co. held their annual meeting in Ann Arbor, Wednesday. The old board of directors and auditors were re-elected, the former for two years and the latter for one year. The directors are as follows: O. C. Burkhardt, of Chelsea, J. B. Laraway, of Northfield, and W. K. Childs, of Ann Arbor. The board of auditors consists of Wm. Campbell and E. D. Holmes, of Ypsilanti, and H. W. Bassett, of Saline. The compensation for the secretary, directors and auditors was left the same as last year.

There will be a regular communion of Olive Lodge, No. 156, F. & A. M. Tuesday evening, January 14th. A full attendance of the brethren is desired as it is the first regular of the new year. Business of interest is to be transacted. Also, there will be a school of instruction held in Ann Arbor, Wednesday, January 15th. The officers of Olive Lodge have been summoned to be present. R. W. Grand Lecturer Gilbert, of Bay City will conduct the school. The members are all invited to be in attendance. The school opens at 3 p. m. In the evening Golden Rule Lodge, of Ann Arbor confers the 3d degree.

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Selected Her Own Coin.

This curious incident of travel in Africa is told by A. Henry Savage Lander: "I wished to buy a bag of grain, but the woman who owned it would on no account accept silver money for it, nor any article which she saw in my camp. My Somali servant had a bright idea—the only one he had during the entire journey across Africa. He went to one of the boxes of provisions and tore off a highly colored label from a corn beef tin. Having licked it copiously, he stuck it in the middle of his forehead. Inquisitive, like a woman, the Carayu asked him what he did it for. The Somali said he had been seized with a violent headache and the colored paper was a certain cure. The Carayu at once offered the grain if the Somali would part with the magic paper. Her wish was satisfied without delay and the woman departed happy."

A Warm Allusion.

"Do you see that man across the street?"
"Yes; who is he?"
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GIRL DANCED WITH SKELETON.

San Francisco Maid Must Be Credited with Some Nerve.

This is a story of something that was expected to happen and did not. There was once a skeleton at the Hopkins Academy of Art supposed to be that of a celebrated French dancing master whose field of usefulness was now confined to the anatomy room, where he was daily observed by a bevy of girl students. The dancing master was mounted on a base with wheels for the convenience of locomotion. When one of the customary dances was held a number of girls wandered into the anatomy room between the numbers and began to trifle with the old armor, statuary and other objects. The skeleton of the old dancing master was dragged into the middle of the room just as the band struck up a waltz. The floor was polished, and the wheels slid over it with marvelous ease. An idea suddenly occurred to the youngest and prettiest of the girls, and she acted upon it. "It is long since monsieur has had the pleasure of a dance," she said, smiling bewitchingly. "Will he dance with me?" Seizing her card she wrote, "Monsieur le Skeleton" upon it. Then encircling the bony digits with her own warm fingers she sped away with the skeleton over the polished floor. "I dance with death," she cried, and laughed gayly as she whirled. This is where something should have happened, but nothing did. The girls grew nervous and dragged her from the room. The old dancing master remained alone in the middle of the floor, and the waltz swung on.—San Francisco Call.

HIS REASON FOR LOOKING GLUM.

Sour Expression Kept Swede from Being Bothered.

Prince Wilhelm of Sweden told a New York reporter that Americans all worked hard and looked happy. "In my country," the prince went on, "we work hard, too, but we have not your happy look. Perhaps it is the climate. At any rate, we tell a story in Sweden that is typical; a story that will give you some idea of our national expression, though not, I'm sure, of our national character. A Frenchman visited a Swede in Stockholm, and one morning the two friends set out for a walk. Suddenly the Frenchman exclaimed impatiently: 'You look as sour as a pickle. Why don't you smile? Why don't you have a pleasant, good natured air when you are out of doors?' 'What?' growled the Swede. 'And have everybody stopping me for a match or asking me how to get somewhere?'

The Thrifty Chinese.

On a recent visit of one of the United States fleet to Hong Kong, one of the coolies, engaged in passing coal, was accidentally caught in the machinery, and had his leg so badly crushed that it was decided necessary to amputate it. This was explained to the fellow, and after much persuasion he was induced to submit to the operation. He recovered in remarkably quick time and when able to leave the ship where he had been confined was given a handful of money the officers had collected for him, amounting to about \$50 gold. In less than a day's time the ship was beset by an army of Chinese, all clamoring to have a leg taken off.

To Save the Birds.

The statisticians who foot up the loss to the country resulting from the killing of insect-destroying birds, and from our further neglect to intelligently protect and foster those winged scavengers of the air, put the gross sum at \$800,000,000 per year. We do not know upon what facts or what basis of computation this enormous total is reached; but if it is one-tenth part true it is a startling showing. The proposition of the federal government to set aside bird reservations and breeding grounds where our feathered friends might be protected in life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness seems to rest upon sound economical grounds. It is a measure of safety for ourselves as well as for the birds.

Rank Foolishness.

"When attacked by a cough or a cold, or when your throat is sore, it is rank foolishness to take any other medicine than Dr. King's New Discovery," says C. O. Eldridge, of Empire, Ga. "I have used New Discovery seven years and I know it is the best remedy on earth for coughs and colds, croup, and all throat and lung troubles. My children are subject to croup, but New Discovery quickly cures every attack." Known the world over as the king of throat and lung remedies. Sold under guarantee at Freeman & Cummings Co. drug store. 50c. and \$1.00 Trial bottle free.

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BREVITIES

Washtenaw Pomona Grange will meet with the Ypsilanti Grange January 14.

The Pinckney Dispatch would like to have that village lighted with electric lights.

The Fowlerville Agricultural Society will hold their annual fair October 6 to 9 this year.

The Webster Farmers' club will hold their next meeting at the home of Henry Koch, Saturday, January 11.

The next number of the Plainfield Lecture Course is a lecture by B. Burton, Saturday evening, January 11.

Five hundred and sixty-one marriage licenses were issued by the clerk of Jackson county during the past year.

The next number on the Month Lecture Course will be held January 18, when Henry Clark will deliver one of his famous orations.

The Holstein-Friesian cattle breeders of Michigan will meet in their fourth annual meeting at Michigan Agricultural college, East Lansing, January 14.

The telephone exchange girl is a peach among currants and she is called up and called down oftener than any other person in town. She is the greatest wire performer in the state.—Ex.

Governor Warner has called a special election for a judge in the newly created 39th judicial circuit, Lenawee county. The date is fixed for the first Monday in April, which is April 6, the regular spring election day.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Grass Lake Baptist church will hold a box social at the home of Wm. Gray and family on Friday evening of this week. Mr. Gray and family were formerly well-known residents of Chelsea.

January 1, 1864, was known all over the United States as the "cold new year." The last day of December of that year was mild to balmy, but the next morning in many places throughout the country, the thermometer registered as low as 20 degrees below zero.

The 85th birthday anniversary of Henry Lammers, sr. of Grass Lake, was celebrated at the home of his son, Henry, southeast of that village, last Saturday. Twenty-five guests were present. A very nice dinner was served and a number of remembrances were left with Mr. Lammers.

The township of Henrietta, first in making good roads, is considering the advisability of building another mile which will make three miles the township has built under the state aid law. The good roads have cost the taxpayers \$12.50 per \$1,000 of assessed valuation, but a goodly number seem to believe it is money well invested.

A story is told concerning a Flint auto driver who met on the road an elderly couple driving an old fashioned rig. Anticipating trouble the driver stopped his machine and offered to lead the horse past the machine. "Oh, never mind the horse, said the old man, you lead the old lady past that thing, and I'll get the horse by all right."

A rigid quarantine was established Saturday at the Jackson prison after it was discovered that Selming Postel, a prisoner from Tuscola county, was ill with a mild case of smallpox. Visits to prisoners, chapel exercises and sight-seeing have been discontinued for the time being. Prison physicians believe there will be no spread of the disease.

Members of the 31st Michigan Volunteers and the First Georgia regiment who were brigaded together and on intimate term in the Spanish war, are planning to hold a reunion in 1909 at Chattanooga, Tenn., where they were encamped in 1898. It is expected to spend one day at Chichamauga Park, then go to Missionary Ridge and Lookout Mountain, with a banquet in the evening. It is hoped the Michigan regiment, of which Ypsilanti's Company G was one, will accept the invitation at its next meeting in Tecumseh next May.—Ypsilantian.

Mrs. Delia C. Rappley has brought suit for \$5,000 damage against the Lake shore railroad, claiming that because they had no fire in their Dundee station, where she was obliged to wait for a train, that she was ill for many months, rendered permanently deaf, and had paid \$350 medical fees, besides losing her time and suffering severely.—Ypsilantian.

Dr. Wm. Lyons, of Grass Lake, has been appointed by the Jackson probate court as guardian of LeGrand Moore of that township. Mr. Moore is 60 years of age and for sometime past he has been showing mental incompetency. His property has been neglected and signs of a disturbed mind have been increasing. He has been a resident of Grass Lake all of his life.

WALKED THOUSANDS OF MILES.

Distance Traveled by Men Long in British Mail Service.

There must be few, even among "men of letters," who, like Joseph Hunt, a Lincolnshire (Eng.) postman, can claim to have tramped a distance of, roughly, 240,000 miles, not much less than the equivalent of ten journeys around the earth. Not long ago George Thompson retired from service as postman in the Langrick district of Yorkshire, after covering on foot 125,000 miles in 26 years of letter carrying, a service 14 years shorter than that of his Lincolnshire rival. In 34 years Orme M. Brown walked 111,000 miles as a postman between Cupar and Kilmany and Logie—a distance, as was stated at the appropriate presentation to him of an easy chair, nearly equal to half that which separates the moon from the earth. John Simmonds of Henley-on-Thames retired with a record of 181,000 miles of fair "heel and toe," the result of 40 years tramping; while most amazing of all, Thomas Phipps, a postman in the Chipping Norton district, was credited with an aggregate journey of 440,000 miles between the years 1840 and 1898.

SURELY AN "ORIGINAL" NAME.

Curious Error the Result of Mistaken Pronunciation.

An English country clergyman vouches for the truth of this story. Having arrived at that point in the baptismal service where the infant's name is conferred, he said: "Name this child." "Original Story," said the sponsor nurse. "What do you say?" he asked in surprise. "Original Story," she repeated in clear, deliberate tones. "It's a very odd name, isn't it? Are you sure you want him called by the name of Original Story?" "Original Story," said the right. "Is it a family name?" the minister persisted. "Named after his uncle, sir," explained the nurse. And so an Original Story the little fellow was christened. Some weeks after this event the minister made for this acquaintance of the said uncle—a farm laborer in another village—whose name was Reginald Story.

Senator Knox on Memory Training.
Senator Philander Case Knox was driving a friend from the railroad station to his farm at Valley Forge when an incident occurred which called to mind a certain passage from Pope's "Essay on Man." The visitor quoted the lines, and Senator Knox, much to the surprise of his guest, took it up and gave the lines following.
"How did you happen to know that?" he was asked.
"If you will repeat any line from the Essay," said the senator, "I can give you the context, for I know every word of it. I have paid particular attention all my life to memory training and when I was quite young I received a prize for committing to memory 1,000 verses from the Bible."

Raw Milk Unwholesome.

Nathan Straus sends a message to American mothers to the effect that raw milk is not good for children, the scientific men of the world having agreed upon the fact. Milk should be Pasteurized and the mother can do this herself in her own kitchen. The international congress at Brussels warned against raw milk, because of the danger from tuberculosis. It is not the poor alone who need instruction upon the subject, as many of the babies of the rich suffer from the effects of raw milk, but Americans are said to know more on the subject than people of other countries.

French Married Life.

The high average of reasonably happy marriages in France, where marriage is mostly a family arrangement, is not so inexplicable as we might think. One thing, we suppose, the foreigner will never be able to explain, and that is how the French girl passes from her obscure and untitled existence before marriage to the wisdom and self-possession of the young French married woman, who seems to wield the experience of all the ages. The adaptability of French women is beyond praise, as it is beyond explanation.

A Higher Health Level.

"I have reached a higher health level since I began using Dr. King's New Life Pills," writes Jacob Springer, of West Franklin, Maine. "They keep my stomach, liver and bowels working just right." If these pills disappear you on trial, money will be refunded at Freeman & Cummings Co. drug store, 25c.

The Age of Ants.

Ants have been known to live to the age of 15 years, a fact showing that strict attention to a steady job is hygienic.
New York's Cemeteries.
New York City has 3,115 acres of land in cemeteries—enough to bury the dead of the city for 150 years.

SOME OF HIS OWN MEDICINE.

Irate Citizen Found He Had to Deal with Worthy Adversary.

An irate citizen dashed up the stoop, nearly pulled the old-fashioned bell out of the socket, stormed till the master of the house appeared, and thus saluted him: "Sir, I'm going to thrash that boy," shaking his finger in the direction of a youngster of some 12 years. "It is outrageous that you should allow him to be so mean and contemptible. I don't suppose you ever whipped him in your life!" "I certainly never did," replied the master of the house meekly; "I do not believe in corporal punishment." "Well, I do, and I'm going to tan that young scoundrel's hide. If he had a licking a week he wouldn't be so great a nuisance to your neighbors. I'm a patient man, but he's too much for me. I wish you would understand that I'm going to thrash him!" "My friend, I cannot help what you do. The law apparently is in your hands. If you insist upon it, go ahead and lick him."

The boy was getting an awful trouncing when a strange man appeared on the scene with fire in his eye. He "lit into" the irate citizen and nearly walloped the hide off him. When the latter could escape he appealed to the master of the house, saying in gasp: "Didn't you say—I could—lick that boy of yours? Who was that fellow who attacked me?" "Oh, I have no boy. That was the boy's father."

It Does the Business.

Mr. E. E. Chamberlain, of Clinton, Maine, says of Bucklen's Arnica Salve: "It does the business; I have used it for piles and it cured them. Used it for chapped hands and it cured them. Applied it to an old sore and it healed it without leaving a scar behind." 25c. at Freeman & Cummings Co. drug store.

Ingenuous Device.

A whole closet in one hanger is the ingenious device of a Wellesley girl. She planned it to carry in her trunk while visiting a flat dweller during the holidays. It is made of a round piece of wood a half or three-quarters of an inch in thickness and eight inches in diameter. To one side of the wood small brass hooks are attached, on which the waists and skirts are to be hung. On the other side one large hook is screwed in the center, to be used for fastening on closet nubs or door knobs. Around the outer edge of the board muslin (an old sheet will do) is tacked in big plaits so as to cover all the skirts and waists. The bottom of the muslin is finished with a drawstring so that it may be pulled tight to keep out the dust.

Earliest Known Trousers.

The head of the ancient Babylonian was carefully protected from the sun by various wrappings; it was sufficient for the rest of the body to wear a thin woolen or linen garment bound at the hips with a girdle or shawl, over which sometimes another garment was picturesquely draped. In Babylonia, and Assyria, also, head and foot coverings were subject to fashion, but the long, close-fitting garment fortunately never went out of style. Trousers—the unadorned invention of the Medes—are first found on the Parthian stele of about the first century, B. C., which was excavated in Assyria.

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The Love of Good Books.

There is no task of the teacher that can surpass in importance this work of forming right tastes of reading among children. It makes not so much difference what children learn as what they love. What they learn they will forget; what they love they will keep. If children do not learn to use and appreciate good books while at school, they will hardly ever learn, and their education will not amount to much. The school has to do with child and youth, but the library has to do with the child, the youth and the man until the end of his life. A good book is a blessing, but an evil one a curse.

Dolls Came from China.

It is interesting to the children to know that the first doll came from China; that is, the first doll that could move its arms and legs. Up to that time the children had only dolls made of wood and leather, with sometimes a wax head. At first the wax was put on with a brush, but one day a workman dropped his thumb into a pot of melted wax, and when it came out covered with the material he immediately began to dip his dolls. The great doll industry is carried on in the Thuringian Mountains.

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Plant Like a Camel.

The nearest thing to a camel among plants is a curious specimen of the cucumber family which bears the name of the Iberivilla sonora. This plant, like the camel, is a native of the desert and it has to go without water longer than the animal.

As the rainy season in the desert comes only once a year nature provides the I. S. with a reservoir to store up enough moisture to last it between times. The organ in which the water is stored is located at the base of the stem. It is covered with a sort of mackintosh envelope, through which the water can neither escape nor evaporate.

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Longest Love Letter.

"The limit in love letters in all my long experience handling mail," said an attaché of the local postoffice not long ago, "was one about a year ago that had ten two-cent stamps on it. The man must have weighed it, too, for the postage was just right—no more than needed and no less. How did I know it was a love letter? Well, I couldn't be absolutely cocksure about it, but if you had seen it, and noticed the stationery, the handwriting, the address, and so on, you wouldn't have asked for more than one guess. If I were to write a letter that long I would send it as an express package."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

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Notice

To the Creditors of the Chelsea Savings Bank: Whereas, William W. Wedemeyer, of Ann Arbor, Washtenaw County, Michigan, by the Circuit Court of said county, was on the 5th day of December, 1907, under the provisions of section 614 of the Compiled Laws of Michigan, 1897, appointed receiver of the Chelsea Savings Bank of Chelsea, county of Washtenaw, Michigan, and that on the 14th day of December, 1907, he filed his bond as such receiver as required by said Court, and that on the 15th day of December, 1907, there was returned over to said receiver all the books, records, property and assets of every description of said bank, in compliance with the order of said Court appointing said receiver, therefore:

Notice is hereby given as required of section 614 of said Compiled Laws to all persons who may have claims against said Chelsea Savings Bank to present the same to said receiver and make legal proof thereof.

It is directed by me, that the foregoing notice be given by advertising the same in The Chelsea Standard-Herald and the Ann Arbor Times, newspapers published and circulated in Washtenaw County, Michigan, and that said notice appear once in each week for twelve successive weeks from the date hereof.

Dated at Chelsea the 20th day of December, 1907.

HENRY M. ZIMMERMANN,

Commissioner of Banking.

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 2nd day of January, in the year one thousand nine hundred and eight.

Present, Emory E. Leland, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Livia Ward, deceased.

David E. Beach, administrator of said estate, having filed in this court his final account, and praying that the same may be heard and allowed.

It is ordered, that the 1st day of February next, at ten o